# 27/7/25 - Trinity 6

# GATHERING SONG Father, Let Your Kingdom Come

Ha-lle-lu, Ha-lle-lu-jah, Father let Your kingdom come, Ha-lle-lu, Ha-lle-lu-jah, Father let Your kingdom come.

May the works of my hands bring You joy. May the works of my hands bring You joy. May the works of my hands bring You joy. May the works of my hands bring You joy.

#### Chorus

May the words from my mouth speak Your peace. May the words from my mouth speak Your peace. May the words from my mouth speak Your peace. May the words from my mouth speak Your peace.

#### Chorus

You make all things new, You make all things new, in places we don't choose You make all things new,

#### Chorus

## ENTRANCE HYMN 287 Be Thou My Vision

Stand

#### **GREETING**

♣ In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The Lord be with you. **And also with you**.

## PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

You came to reconcile us to the Father, Have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

Have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

You heal the wounds of sin and division: Have mercy, Christ, have mercy. Have mercy.

You intercede for us at the right hand of the Father:

Have mercy, Lord, have mercy. Have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

## **GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

Glory, glory to God, glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace on earth peace to people of good will.

Repeat

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Lord Jesus Christ,

#### Refrain

Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Father,
You take away the sins of the world,
have mercy, mercy on us;
have mercy, mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer, receive our prayer;
receive our prayer, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand,
at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy, mercy on us;
have mercy, mercy on us.

## Refrain

For You alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory, glory of God, the glory of God the Father.

#### Refrain

Amen! Amen!

### COLLECT

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen** 

FIRST READING: Genesis 18.20-32

Sit

# Shall Not The Judge Of All The Earth Do What Is Just?

Then the Lord said, 'How great is the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah and how very grave their sin! I must go down and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry that has come to me; and if not, I will know.'

So the men turned from there, and went towards Sodom, while Abraham remained standing before the Lord. Then Abraham came near and said, 'Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked? Suppose there are fifty righteous within the city; will you then sweep away the place and not forgive it for the fifty righteous who are in it? Far be it from you to do such a thing, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from you! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do what is just?' And the Lord said, 'If I find at Sodom fifty righteous in the city, I will forgive the whole place for their sake.' Abraham answered, 'Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord, I who am but dust and ashes. Suppose five of the fifty righteous are lacking? Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five?' And he said, 'I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there.' Again he spoke to him, 'Suppose forty are found there.' He answered, 'For the sake of forty I will not do it.' Then he said, 'Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak. Suppose thirty are found there.' He answered, 'I will not do it, if I find thirty there.' He said, 'Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord. Suppose twenty are found there.' He answered, 'For the sake of twenty I will not destroy it.' Then he said, 'Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak just once more. Suppose ten are found there.' He answered, 'For the sake of ten I will not destroy it.

This is the word of the Lord:

Thanks be to God

**PSALM:** 138

On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord.

I thank you, Lord, with all my heart: you have heard the words of my mouth. In the presence of the angels I will bless you.

I will adore before your holy temple.

On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord.

I thank you for your faithfulness and love, which excel all we ever knew of you. On the day I called, you answered; you increased the strength of my soul.

On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord.

The Lord is high yet he looks on the lowly and the haughty he knows from afar. Though I walk in the midst of affliction you give me life and frustrate my foes.

On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord.

You stretch out your hand and save me, your hand will do all things for me.
Your love, O Lord, is eternal, discard not the work of your hands.

On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord

#### SECOND READING:

Colossians 2.6-15

### You Have Come To Fullness In Him

Brothers and sisters, as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead. And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them

This is the word of the Lord:

Thanks be to God

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** 

Stand

#### Alleluia, alleluia!

The Word was made flesh and lived among us: to all who did accept him he gave power to become children of God. **Alleluia!** 

GOSPEL:

Luke 11.1-13

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

★ Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke
Glory to you, O Lord.

# 'Lord, Teach Us To Pray'

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, 'Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples. 'He said to them, 'When you pray, say:

Father, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come.

Give us each day our daily bread.

And forgive us our sins,

for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial.

And he said to them, 'Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, "Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him." And he answers from within, "Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything." I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs.

'So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!'

The Gospel of the Lord: Praise to you, O Christ

HOMILY Sit

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## **INTERCESSIONS**

Stand

Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them.

Merciful Father, accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### **PEACE**

Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.** 

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

PROCESSION OF THE GIFTS: 240 O Lord Hear My Prayer

# OFFERTORY HYMN: Let All Who Pray The Prayer Christ Taught

Let all who pray the prayer Christ taught First clear the cluttered heart. Make room to breathe the living thought Those well-worn words impart.

Dismiss the fear that this world drifts With no one in command. Your pulse and breath are signs and gifts From God's attentive hand.

Refine and test each passing aim Against this final one: Has your life hallowed heaven's name And has God's will been done?

Discard each vengeful hope that's fed The dreams of wars you'll win, Then freely ask for daily bread And pardon from your sin.

Examine how temptation breeds Inside the mind's dark maze, Acknowledging that your life needs Deliverance from its ways.

By faithful discipline prepare An inward holy space That when you offer Jesus' prayer Your heart may fill with grace.

During this hymn a collection will be taken. If you are a UK taxpayer and can gift aid your donation, please place it in a yellow gift aid envelope (available in the pews) and complete all the details requested.

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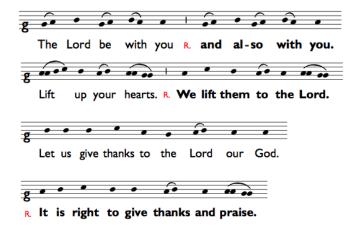
#### **OFFERTORY PRAYERS**

Pray, my brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his Church.

May this oblation dedicated to your name purify us, O Lord, and day by day bring our conduct closer to the life of heaven.
Through Christ our Lord.
Amen

#### **EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**



The Priest continues singing the Preface, ending with:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and God of might: heaven and earth, heaven and earth are full of your glory, your power and might.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest heavens. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest heavens.

Blessed, blessed is he who comes, blessed, blessed is he who comes; blessed is he, blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest heavens. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest heavens.

The Priest continues the Eucharistic Prayer

Great is the mystery of faith:

Dying you destroyed our death,

rising you restored our life. Lord Jesus, come; Lord Jesus, come. Lord Jesus, come in glory.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest heav'ns. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest heav'ns.

The Priest concludes the Eucharistic Prayer At the end all sing



## THE LORD'S PRAYER

At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

Our Father. who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

## **BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

## **AGNUS DEI**

Jesus, Lamb of God and source of life: Jesus, loving bearer of our sins:

Hear our prayer, have mercy; Hear our prayer, have mercy; give us your peace.

Jesus, Son of God and Son of Man: Jesus, true redeemer of the world:

Jesus Christ, our Way, our Truth, our Life:

Jesus Christ, our living cornerstone:

Jesus, Lord of life and Lord of light: Jesus, here in form of bread and wine:

## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

This is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. Happy are those who are called to his supper.

Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word, and I shall be healed.

If you would like to receive a blessing instead, please bring your service sheet with you.

**COMMUNION HYMN:** 

Sit

192 Lord Jesus Christ, You Have Come To Us

# COMMUNION HYMN:

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heav'n hallowed be Your name, Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as in heav'n. Give us today our daily bread, and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Do not bring us to the time of trial, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are Yours,

now and for ever.

Amen

### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Stand

God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

**NOTICES** Sit

**BLESSING & DISMISSAL** 

Stand

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** 

May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Go in the peace of Christ. **Thanks be to God.** 

RECESSIONAL HYMN: 9 How Shall I Sing That Majesty