

# THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Sundays | 9.00am

Order of Service

Please leave this booklet in the Cathedral

We are delighted to welcome you to this service at your Cathedral, which has been a site of Christian worship for over 1,500 years. If you are joining us for the first time, please introduce yourself to a member of clergy, who will be happy to tell you more about worship in this place.

The text of the readings can be found in the weekly notice sheet. The hymns and the psalm are found in a separate sheet. Please join in with the singing of the hymns, as well as the text printed in **Bold**. The rubrics (indicated with the '§' symbol) indicating when to stand and sit are only suggestions. If you are more comfortable remaining seated throughout the service, please do so.

Please join us for refreshments in Prebendal House after the service.

#### **Sunday School**

The Sunday School meets during this service every Sunday during term time. If you would like more information, or would like to register a child to take part, please speak to a member of the Sunday School staff (who will be wearing staff T-shirts) or email krisihillebert@llandaffcathedral.org.uk.

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We kindly request that you do not take photographs, or video or sound recording in the cathedral at any time during this service.

# ORDER OF SERVICE

- § Notices are read before the service begins.
- § Please stand as the Procession enters. We sing together the **Opening Hymn.**

#### WE GATHER IN THE LORD'S NAME

■ In the name of the Father, and of the

Son and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

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Grace and peace be with you

and keep you in the love of Christ.

Yn enw'r Tad, a'r Mab, a'r Ysbryd Glân.

Amen.

Gras a thangnefedd a fo gyda chwi

a'th gadw di yng nghariad Crist.

Father of glory, holy and eternal, look upon us now in power and mercy. May your strength overcome our weakness, your radiance transform our blindness, and your Spirit draw us to that love shown and offered to us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

§ We remember the things that separate us from God, and we ask his forgiveness.

God our Father, we come to you in sorrow for all that we have done wrong.

§ We sing together the Kyrie Eleison, a Greek prayer derived from the Bible:



Music: The Mass of St Thomas David Thorne (b. 1950)

Let us confess our sins to God, our Father:

Heavenly Father, we have sinned in thought, word and deed, and have failed to do what we ought to have done. We are sorry and truly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ who died for us, forgive us all that is past and lead us in his way to walk as children of light. Amen.

#### The Gloria

§ We sing the Gloria, which begins with the words sung by the angels as they announced the birth of Jesus to the shepherds (omitted in Advent and Lent):



Let us pray:

- § After a short silence, the priest offers a prayer that 'collects' the prayers of the congregation and reflects the themes for the day. Following the collect, we respond:
- All Amen.
- § Please sit.

# WE PROCLAIM THE WORD OF GOD

The First Reading

§ The reading may be read by a member of the Sunday School. At the end of the reading:

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

**Psalm** 

§ The Psalms of David are hymns of praise found in the Old Testament: The text for the psalm can be found in the hymn sheet. We say the psalm for the day together.

## The Gospel

§ Please stand. The reading is taken from one of the four Gospels, which tell us about the life and teachings of Jesus. As the Gospel is processed to the Nave, we sing together:



§ When the Gospel is introduced:

The Lord be with you.

All And also with you.

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint N,

All Glory to you, O Lord.

§ After the Gospel is read:

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

§ We sing together:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

## The Homily

§ Please sit as one of the priests leads us in a reflection on the words of the scriptures we have heard today.

# The Baptismal Creed

§ We stand to declare what we believe as Christians through the words of the Creed (from the Latin word 'Credo', meaning 'I believe'). These sentences represent the responses we make to the questions asked of us during the Baptismal Rite.

All I believe and trust in God the Father, who created all that is.

Yr wyf yn credu ac yn ymddiried yn Nuw Dad, a greodd bopeth sydd.

I believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ, who redeemed humankind. Yr wyf yn credu ac yn ymddiried yn ei Fab Iesu Grist, a brynodd ddynolryw.

I believe and trust in his Holy Spirit, who gives life to the people of God. Yr wyf yn credu ac yn ymddiried yn ei Ysbryd Glân, sy'n rhoi bywyd i bobl Dduw.

I believe and trust in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Yr wyf yn credu ac yn ymddiried yn un Duw, Dad, Mab ac Ysbryd Glân. Amen.

#### The Intercessions

§ We sit or kneel for the prayers. We pray for the Church, for the nations of the world, and all those in need. We reply to each prayer with:

Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Arglwydd, yn dy drugaredd gwrando ein gweddi.

§ The prayers finish with:

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Merciful Father,

accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen. Dad trugarog, derbyn y gweddïau hyn er mwyn dy Fab ein Gwaredwr Iesu Grist. Amen.

The Peace

§ We stand and acknowledge each other's presence within the Christian community.

Christ is our peace. He has reconciled us to God in one body on the cross. We meet in his name and share his peace.

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

Tangnefedd yr Arglwydd a fo gyda chwi bob amser.

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A hefyd gyda thi.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

§ We share a sign of peace with one another.

§ During the **Offertory Hymn**, the altar is prepared for Holy Communion with bread and wine, and a collection is taken to aid the cathedral in its work.

#### WE OFFER THANKSGIVING

§ At the Thanksgiving, we give thanks for all that God has done for us. We sing the Sanctus, a hymn of praise derived from the Prophecy of Isaiah and the Gospel of Matthew.

Priest With this bread that we bring,

All We shall remember Jesus.

With this wine that we bring,

All We shall remember Jesus.

Bread for his body, wine for his blood

All Gifts from God to his table we bring

The Lord be with you.

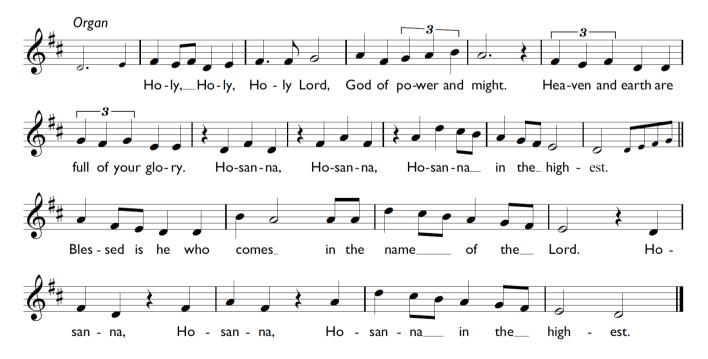
All And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

- All It is right to give our thanks and praise.
- § The prayer continues, after which we sing:



§ We then hear the 'words of institution', the words spoken by Jesus to his disciples during the Last Supper. We then remember his death, his resurrection, and the promise of his return. We also ask the Holy Spirit to bless the gifts that we are about to receive at Communion.

Together we remember that Jesus is always with us and say:

All Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come in glory.

§ The prayer continues, finishing with:

All honour and glory belong to you, Father, through Jesus, your Son, with the Holy Spirit: one God, for ever and ever.

All Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

§ Please sit or kneel as we say together the prayer that Jesus taught his disciples:

Let us pray with confidence to the Father:

All 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.

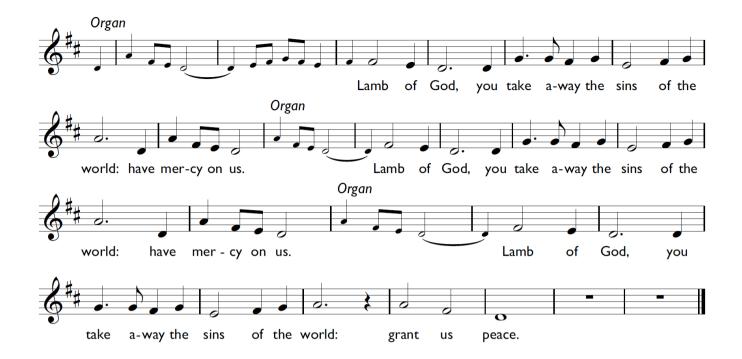
We Share The Gifts

§ The priest breaks the bread:

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All Though we are many, we are one body for we all share in one bread.

§ We sing the Agnus Dei, which is based on the words of John the Baptist when he saw Jesus:



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

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

§ Everyone is invited to come forward and receive communion or a blessing. Please follow the direction of the stewards. You can indicate to the priest that you would like a blessing by keeping your arms lowered. For hygiene reasons, it is our custom at the cathedral not to dip the Host (bread) in the Chalice. The following words are used at the distribution:

The body of Christ. **Amen.** The blood of Christ. **Amen.** 

§ Once everyone has received Communion, we stand to sing the **Closing Hymn**.

#### WE GO IN GOD'S STRENGTH

Give thanks to the Lord for he is gracious:

All his love is everlasting.

God of truth, we have seen with our eyes and touched with our hands the bread of life. Strengthen our faith that we may grow in love for you and for each other, through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. Amen.

The peace of God which is beyond all understanding guard your hearts in the knowledge and love of God and of his Son Jesus Christ;

And the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

All Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All In the name of Christ. Amen.

§ We remain standing as the clergy depart.

A bendith Duw hollalluog, y Tad, y Mab, a'r Ysbryd Glân a fo yn eich plith ac a drigo gyda chwi yn wastad.

Amen.

