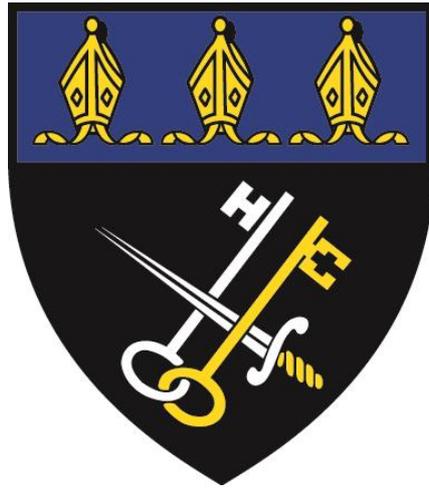


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THE HOLY EUCHARIST

The Feast of Christ the King

Sunday 21st November 2021

8.00 am

Welcome to the Cathedral!

It is now a legal requirement to wear a face covering during worship unless you have a recognised / acknowledged reason not to wear one.

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You may print this order of service
or follow it on a mobile device - if you are using a 'phone or tablet
please ensure the sound is switched off.

Please stand as the Procession enters the Cathedral.

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid; cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

We sit or kneel

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

**Almighty God, our Heavenly Father,
We have sinned against thee,
in thought and word and deed,
and in what we have left undone.
We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.
Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;
forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may ever hereafter
serve and please thee in newness of life,
to the honour and glory of thy Name
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Priest says

Almighty God have mercy upon you; pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

All stand

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

**Glory be to God on high,
and in earth peace, goodwill towards men.
We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee,
we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,
O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty**

**O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.
For thou only art Holy; thou only art the Lord;
thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
art Most High in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Please remain standing.

THE COLLECT

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

A reading from the book of Daniel.

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne; his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousand served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgement, and the books were opened.

As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed.

Daniel 7.9-10,13-14

THE PSALM

Psalm 93 – The Lord has girded himself with strength.

The Lord is king; he has put on splendid apparel;
the Lord has put on his apparel and girded himself with strength.
He has made the whole world so sure that it cannot be moved.
Ever since the world began, your throne has been established;
you are from everlasting. **R**

The waters have lifted up, O Lord,
the waters have lifted up their voice;
the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.
Mightier than the sound of many waters,
mightier than the breakers of the sea,
mightier is the Lord who dwells on high. **R**

Your testimonies are very sure,
and holiness adorns your house, O Lord,
for ever and for evermore. **R**

THE EPISTLE

A reading from the Book of Revelation.

Grace to you and peace from God who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds;
every eye will see him, even those who pierced him;
and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen. 'I am the Alpha and the Omega', says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Revelation 1. 4b-8

All stand

THE GOSPEL

Hear the Holy Gospel according to Saint John
Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Pilate asked Jesus, 'Are you the King of the Jews?' Jesus answered, 'Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?' Pilate replied, 'I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?' Jesus answered, 'My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here. Pilate asked him, 'So you are a king?' Jesus answered, 'You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.'

John 18.33-37

Praise be to thee, O Christ.

THE NICENE CREED

**I believe in one God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
and of all things visible and invisible.
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of his Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light, Very God of Very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made:
who for us men, and for our salvation
came down from heaven,
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary,
and was made man,
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried,
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
And he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead:
whose kingdom shall have no end.
And I 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 together is worshipped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church.
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins.
And I look for the Resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

We sit or kneel

THE INTERCESSION

Let us pray for the whole Church of Christ and for all people according to their needs.

Almighty and everlasting God, we humbly beseech thee to inspire continually the universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord, that all who confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word and live in unity and godly love.
Lord, in thy mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all Bishops, Priests and Deacons, and specially to thy servant June our Bishop, that they may by their life and doctrine proclaim thy true and living Word and rightly and duly administer thy Holy Sacraments.
Lord, in thy mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

To all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and specially to this congregation here present; that they may serve thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.
Lord, in thy mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

We beseech thee, O Lord, to direct with thy heavenly wisdom those who rule over the nations of the world, that thy people may be faithfully and justly governed; bless thy servant *Elizabeth our Queen* and all who exercise authority under her.
Lord, in thy mercy,
Hear our prayer.

Of thy goodness, O Lord, help and comfort all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, granting them a happy issue out of all their afflictions.
Lord, in thy mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

We commend to thy gracious keeping, O Lord, all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear, beseeching thee to grant us with them everlasting light and peace.
Lord, in thy mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Finally, we bless thy holy Name for the grace and virtue declared in all thy Saints. Grant that we, rejoicing in their fellowship and following their good examples, may at thy Son's appearing be set with them on his right hand and be made partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

Hear us, O heavenly Father, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, to whom with thee and the Holy Spirit be all honour and glory, world without end. Amen.

All stand

THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

The peace of the risen Lord be always with you;
And with your spirit.

THE OFFERTORY

All things come of thee;
And of thine own do we give thee.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you;
And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts;
We lift them up unto the Lord.

Let us give thanks unto our Lord God;
It is meet and right so to do.

It is very meet, right and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who by his death has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again has restored to us everlasting life.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name, evermore praising thee and saying:

**Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts,
heaven and earth are full of thy glory.
Glory be to thee, O Lord most high.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the Name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

We sit or kneel

All glory, praise and thanksgiving be unto thee Almighty God our heavenly Father, creator and sustainer of all things, maker of man in thine own image, who gavest thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him and to suffer death upon the Cross for our redemption. There he made the one perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his Holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memorial of that his precious death until his coming again.

Therefore we beseech thee, O merciful Father, to sanctify with thy Holy Spirit these thy gifts of Bread and Wine, that we, receiving them according to thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ's holy institution, may be partakers of his most precious Body and Blood:

Who in the same night that he was betrayed, took Bread and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying,

Take, eat, this is my Body which is given for you:
Do this in remembrance of me.

Likewise after supper he took the Cup and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying,

Drink ye all of this,
for this is my Blood of the New Covenant,
which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins:
Do this. as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me.

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, making the memorial of the blessed Passion, mighty Resurrection, and glorious Ascension, of thy dearly beloved Son as he hath commanded us, rejoicing in his gift of the Holy Spirit, and looking for his coming again with power and great glory, we thy servants, with all thy holy people, do set forth before thy Divine Majesty this Bread of eternal life and this Cup of everlasting salvation.

And we beseech thee to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and to grant to us and thy whole Church remission of our sins and all other benefits of his Passion. And we pray that all we, who are partakers of this holy Communion, may be fulfilled

with thy grace and heavenly benediction and be numbered in the glorious company of thy saints.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, by whom, in whom, and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, throughout all ages, world without end. **Amen.**

The Priest breaks the Bread, saying

The Bread which we break;
Is it not the communion of the Body of Christ ?

We who are many are one Bread, one Body
For we are all partakers of the one Bread.

Then may be said:

**We do not presume to come to this table,
O merciful Lord,
trusting in our own righteousness,
but in thy manifold and great mercies.
We are not worthy so much
as to gather up the crumbs under thy table,
but thou art the same Lord,
whose property is always to have mercy.
Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord,
so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ,
and to drink his blood,
that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen**

Then may be said

**O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.**

THE COMMUNION

As our Saviour Jesus Christ has taught we are bold 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**

Draw near and receive the Body of our Lord Jesus Christ given for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

The Priest receives Holy Communion and the Sacrament is administered in one kind only

The Body of Christ keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

THE POST-COMMUNION

All stand

O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is gracious;
For his mercy endureth for ever.

Almighty God, we thank thee for feeding us with the Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, through whom we offer to thee our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of thy Spirit to live and work to thy praise and glory. **Amen.**

THE DISMISSAL

The Lord be with you:
And with your spirit.

Christ the King make you faithful and strong to do his will and bring you to reign with him in glory; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, ✠ the Son and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always. **Amen**

Let us go forth in peace;
In the Name of Christ. Amen.



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Cathedral News & Notes

THE WEEKLY PRAYER INTENTIONS

Those who are sick and have asked for prayer:

Roger Rathbone, Catherine Hughes, Archie Conway-Gardner, David Barron, Jane Craig, Rhys Ghazaros, Lisa Wright, Roger Lewis, Angela Jones, Jan Manson, Clive Ainsley, Rhian Olavesen, Gerwyn Capon, *the Dean*

The long-term sick and housebound, among them:

Sid Baldwin, Tom Bailey, Dafydd Hughes, Ray Edwards, Marjorie Mudge, Dean John Rogers.

Those who have died recently: Peter Beck

Those whose anniversary of death falls this week:

22nd November Bridget Jane Reed, George Sellwood

23rd November Jane Bennett, Rosalie Armstrong, Audrey June Lisk, Mary Millicent Hannah Shipp

24th November Harvey Rendal Jones, Marion Morton, Muriel Collins, Allen John Jones, Barbara Brunt

25th November Betsy Watt, Ruby Averill, Ruth May Phelps

26th November William George Victor Cole, Margaret Hall Clark, Owen Parry-Jones

27th November Vera Lena Frayne, Shirley June Roberts

28th November Marjorie Gwendoline Arnold, Evan Brynmor James, Thelma Francis, Helena Braithwaite

Please pray for the *1Family Cardiff* project and for the family being supported by this project.

The Cycle of Prayer for this week in the Anglican Communion and in this Diocese:

Sunday: The Church of Bangladesh
The Deanery of Merthyr Tydfil & Caerphilly: the Rev'd Canon Steven Kirk

Monday: The Diocese of Ibadan North (Nigeria)
The Taff Rhymney Ministry Area: the Rev'd Canon Steven Kirk

Tuesday: The Diocese of Ibadan South (Nigeria)
The Parish of Pontlottyn w Fochriw, Bargoed & Deri w Brithdir: *to be appointed*

Wednesday: The Diocese of Ibba (South Sudan)
Uppsala Link & International Affairs Officer: the Rev'd Canon Martyn Davies

Thursday: The Diocese of Idah (Nigeria)
The Parish of Gelligaer: the Rev'd Gary Powell

Friday: The Diocese of Idaho (The Episcopal Church)
The Parish of Treharris, Trelewis, Bedlinog & Llanfabon: the Rev'd Gareth Coombes

Saturday: The Diocese of Ideato (Nigeria)
The Parish of Ystrad Mynach & Llanbradach: the Rev'd Canon Steven Kirk

Services Today and This Week

8.00am Holy Communion
9.00am 'All-age' Eucharist
(followed by tea/coffee)
11.15am Choral Eucharist
4.00pm Choral Evensong

Monday 22nd November

5.30pm Choral Evensong

Tuesday 23rd November

9.30am Holy Eucharist
5.30pm Choral Evensong

Wednesday 24th November

5.30pm Choral Evensong

Thursday 25th November

9.30am Cymun Bendigaid
5.30pm Choral Evensong

Friday 26th November

5.30pm Choral Evensong

Sunday 28th November

8.00am Holy Communion
9.00am 'All-age' Eucharist
(followed by tea/coffee)
11.15am Choral Eucharist
4.00pm A Sequence of Music & Readings for Advent

Cathedral News

Advent Service 2021: Entry to the Advent Service on Sunday 28th November at 4.00pm is by **pre-booked ticket only**. Please note that 300 congregational tickets are available for the service, as for all other Christmas services and events. This reduced capacity is for reasons of public health and will allow some space between groups without requiring 2 metres social distancing.

Seats will not be numbered and tickets must be booked for all those over 3 years of age. Should you book and later find that you will be unable to attend, *please cancel your booking*; this will enable others who have not been able to get tickets, to fill these places. Doors will open at 3.15pm; please arrive in time to be seated by 3.45pm, 15 minutes before the service is due to begin. The service will also be live streamed.

To book tickets, go to llandaff-cathedral.live/advent-service-2021

The Cathedral's Advent Appeal 2021 is for Crisis at Christmas. Tonight, and every night, over a quarter of a million people in the UK will be homeless and have nowhere to sleep. Crisis helps them, not just at Christmas, but well beyond, giving support, advice and training to give them the chance to escape homelessness permanently. There is lots of information about the work of Crisis on the Charities Table at the back of the Cathedral – do take a look. Collections will take place at the end of both morning services on each Sunday in Advent and donations can be made by cash or cheques payable to Crisis (the Cathedral's contactless donation machine can't be used for this purpose). Please give as generously as you can and thank you so much for your support.

Bible Study: During Advent the Bible Study Group will be following an **Advent course of reading** together. Others are welcome to join us for those four weeks if interested. The book we will be using is by Bishop Gregory Cameron, Bishop of St Asaph, titled **'An Advent Book of Days; meeting the characters of Christmas'** and is available online for £8-£9. The group meets on Mondays at 4pm-5pm in Prebendal House and the Advent course will start on Monday 29th November.

Altar Servers: under Covid regulations, only the clergy handle the communion vessels. However, it is now possible to have a crucifer and two acolytes to lead the procession. We have a children's team of altar servers for the 9am All Age Eucharist with children taking turns each week. We now hope to restore a small team for the 11.15am service as well. Some of those involved before lockdown are still available, but not enough to form a rota as yet. Adults and teenagers who would be interested to take part in this are warmly invited to contact the clergy.

Cathedral Shop: The shop has Christmas cards and a selection of Christmas gifts as well as Advent candles. Anne and David Enoch have kindly donated some copies of David's newly published autobiography to be sold in the shop, with proceeds to the Cathedral. The title is: **Enoch's Walk: 95 Not Out: Journey of a Psychiatrist.** *"What emerges in David Enoch's remarkable autobiography is a holistic and compelling vision for medicine and psychiatry, and indeed for the whole of human life. And at its heart is a faith that Enoch believes". Dr Iwan Russell-Jones, Professor of Theology & the Arts, Regent College, University of British Columbia, Vancouver.*

Llandaff Cathedral Choristers' Association: In addition to the Cathedral Christmas Cards available from the Cathedral Shop you can also buy Christmas cards in aid of the Chorister Association. While proceeds go to the funds of the association, it is the Cathedral that benefits ultimately in that the funds help support the work of the Cathedral choirs.

Advent Appeal 2021: At its recent meeting, the LCCS chose **Crisis At Christmas** for the Cathedral's Advent Appeal this year. Collections will take place at the main morning services on each of the 4 Sundays in Advent. Further details to follow.

'Cathedral Kids' Mother and Toddler group: We meet in Prebendal House each Wednesday of term-time from 9.30-11am. All babies and toddlers up to school age are welcome. We enjoy lots of play, chat, snacks, and a story and prayer together!

Supporting refugees: The Diocese has launched a toolkit to guide individuals and churches on how best to support the people of Afghanistan and those arriving in Wales in the coming days. It also includes some context on the schemes to welcome Afghan refugees here in Wales (which are being run and coordinated by the UK Government) and a few words on advocacy around the Borders and Nationality Bill which is currently passing through Westminster (and will be a UK-wide policy). The toolkit can be accessed [here](#).

Orders of Service: Now that we are able to sing hymns, it is even more important for everyone to be able to access the order of service. Those who do not have access to a computer or printer at home (to print off the service from the Cathedral website and bring it along) nor to a smart phone (to use the QR code displayed in the Cathedral) are invited to request a personal printed copy. Please give your name and which service you attend (9am or 11.15am) and a named copy of the order of service will be provided for you at the back of the Cathedral each week.

The Friends of Llandaff Cathedral: Anybody interested in joining the Friends will find full details of types of membership and fees in the Friends Pages on the Cathedral website. An application for membership can also be downloaded from there. You can find out more about the Friends of Llandaff Cathedral by clicking [here](#).

COVID-19 Guidance

The latest Church in Wales guidance for dealing with the pandemic can be found [here](#).

Here are some of the key things to note:

- We continue to display the QR code that links with the **NHS Tracing App**.
- Hand sanitiser must be used on entry.
- Face-coverings remain compulsory in public buildings. This includes the Cathedral.
- Everyone attending will be invited to complete a 'track and trace' card.
- Communion will be administered standing and in one kind only.
- Ritual and ceremony will continue to be kept to a minimum.

- No service sheets will be used – the order of service will be available online to print in advance and bring with you or to follow on a phone or other mobile device. They are also available through QR codes displayed at each service.

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