

Morning Prayer Form 2

30th March 2025

Hymn: 325 Be Still for the Presence of the Lord

Welcome

The Lord be with you

and also with you

Beloved in Christ,

We come together to offer to Almighty God

Our worship and praise and thanksgiving,

To confess our sins and to receive God's forgiveness,

To hear his holy word proclaimed,

To bring before him our needs and the needs of the world,

And to pray that in the power of his Spirit

We may serve him and know the greatness of his love.

The minister says

Let us confess our sins to God our Father.

Silence is kept.

Heavenly Father,

we have sinned against you and against our neighbour

in thought and word and deed,

through negligence, through weakness,

through our own deliberate fault;

**by what we have done
and by what we have failed to do.
We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ who died for us,
forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life
to the glory of your name. Amen.**

The absolution.

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

○ Lord, open our lips
and our mouth will proclaim your praise

○ God make speed to save us

○ Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be for ever. Amen.

Praise the Lord.

The Lord's name be praised.

Canticle: 690 Come, worship God

1st Reading: Exodus Ch 2 V 1-10

Psalm: Psalm 34 V 10-22

2nd Reading: St John Ch 19 V 25-27

Canticle: 701 Jubilate

Let's affirm our faith in the words of the Apostle's creed:

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

The Prayers of the People

The Lord be with you

and also with you.

Let us pray.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

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.

Show us your mercy, O Lord,

and grant your salvation.

O Lord save the King,

and grant his government wisdom.

Let your ministers be clothed with righteousness

and let your servants shout for joy.

O Lord, save your people

and bless those whom you have chosen.

Give peace in our time, O Lord,

and let your glory be over all the earth.

O God, make clean our hearts within us

And renew us by your Holy Spirit.

Collects:

Lord God

whose blessed Son our Saviour

gave his back to the smiters

and did not hide his face from shame:

Give us grace to endure the sufferings of this present time

with sure confidence in the glory that shall be revealed;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

O Lord our Governor, whose glory is in all the world:

We commend to your merciful care the people and government of

Ukraine, and all lands of conflict, that, being guided by your

providence, they may dwell secure in your peace. Grant to their

leaders and all in authority, wisdom and strength to know and to do

your will.

Fill them with the love of truth and righteousness,

and make them ever mindful of their calling to serve their people;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

O God, the author of peace and lover of concord
To know you is eternal life, and to serve you is perfect freedom:
Defend us in all assaults of our enemies,
That we, surely trusting in your protection,
May not fear the power of any adversaries;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Hymn: T&P 13 Beneath the Cross of Jesus

Sermon:

Offertory Hymn: 593 O Jesus I have promised

Prayers:

Benediction

Hymn: 226 It is a thing most Wonderful

Dismissal