

All Age Eucharist



Advent Sunday
St Edmund the King
Northwood Hills

The Order of Eucharist

Please stand when the bell rings

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| <p>1 O come, O come, Emmanuel,
And ransom captive Israel,
That mourns in lonely exile here
Until the Son of God appear.
<i>Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.</i></p> <p>2 O come, Thou Wisdom from on
high,
Who orderest all things mightily;
To us the path of knowledge
show,
And teach us in her ways to go.
<i>Rejoice! Rejoice!.....</i></p> <p>3 O come, Thou Root of Jesse's
tree,
An ensign of Thy people be;
Before Thee rulers silent fall;
All peoples on Thy mercy call.
<i>Rejoice! Rejoice!.....</i></p> | <p>4 O come, Thou Key of David, come,
And open wide our heavenly home;
Make safe the way that leads on high,
And close the path to misery.
<i>Rejoice! Rejoice!.....</i></p> <p>5 O come, Thou Day-Spring
Come and cheer
Our spirits by Thine advent here
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night
And death's dark shadows put to flight
<i>Rejoice! Rejoice!.....</i></p> <p>6 O come, Desire of nations, bind
In one the hearts of all mankind;
Bid Thou our sad divisions cease,
And be Thyself our King of Peace.
<i>Rejoice! Rejoice!.....</i></p> |
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(Please remain Standing)

Introductory Rite

In the name of the † Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

Grace mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with
you

And also with you

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Jesus said, 'Keep awake, for you do not know on what day your
Lord is coming.'

Amen. Come soon, Lord Jesus!

The first candle is lit and this response is used

Jesus is the light of the world.
A light no darkness can ever put out.

We sing:

Advent candles tell their story
as we watch and pray,
longing for the Day of Glory,
'Come, Lord, soon,' we say.
Pain and sorrow, tears and sadness,
changed for gladness on that Day.



Penitential Rite

Priest Kyrie Eleison (Lord have mercy)

All **Kyrie Eleison**

Kyrie Eleison **Kyrie Eleison**

Lord of reconciliation, heal our wounds in darkest times

Kyrie Eleison **Kyrie Eleison**

In the midst of fear and violence, make our lives a prayer of peace.

Christe Eleison (Christ have mercy) **Christe Eleison**

Healer of the broken hearted, guide us to heavens shores.

Kyrie Eleison **Kyrie Eleison**

Kyrie Eleison **Kyrie Eleison**



*The priest tells us we are forgiven and all respond **Amen.***

The Collect

Almighty God,
as your kingdom dawns,
turn us from the darkness of sin to the
light of holiness,
that we may be ready to meet you
in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. **Amen**

Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament Reading

A Reading from the Prophecy of Jeremiah

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will fulfil the promise I made to the house of Israel and the house of Judah. In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for David; and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will live in safety. And this is the name by which it will be called: 'The Lord is our righteousness.'

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn

1 Prepare the way of the Lord
Make his paths straight, open the
gates
That he may enter freely into our
life,
Hosanna we cry to the Lord.

Chorus

*And we will fill the earth
With the sound of his praise,
Jesus is Lord! Let him be adored!
Yes we will have this man to reign
over us,
Hosanna! We follow the Lord!*

2 And he will come to us as he came
before,
Clothed in his grace, to stand in
our place,
And we behold him now our Priest
and King,
Hosanna we sing to the Lord.

3 His kingdom shall increase
To fill all the earth and show forth
his worth,
Then every knee shall bow, ev'ry
tongue confess,
That Jesus Christ is Lord.

Chorus twice

Chorus



Gospel Reading

(please remain standing)

Priest Halle Halle Halle-- Iuiah
Halle Halle Halle-- Iuiah
Halle Halle Halle-- Iuiah
Halleluiah halleluiah

All Halle Halle Halle-- Iuiah
Halle Halle Halle-- Iuiah
Halle Halle Halle-- Iuiah
Halleluiah halleluiah.

Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight,
and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.

All Halle Halle Halle—Iuiah.....

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.

Jesus said 'There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves. People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see "the Son of Man coming in a cloud" with power and great glory. Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near.'

Then he told them a parable: 'Look at the fig tree and all the trees; as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near. So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

'Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day does not catch you unexpectedly, like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth. Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ.

Homily

The Creed

Let us declare our faith in God.

We believe in God the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named.

We believe in God the Son, who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love.

We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who strengthens us with power from on high.

We believe in one God;

Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

cf Ephesians 3

Prayer of the Faithful

Liturgy of the Eucharist

The Peace

The priest introduces the peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you

And also with you

Let us offer one another a sign of peace

We share the Peace

Offertory

*As the **Offertory Hymn** is sung the Gifts are placed on the Altar*

1 Great is the darkness that covers
the earth
Oppression, injustice and pain
Nations are slipping in hopeless
despair
Though many have come to your
name
Watching while sanity dies, touched
by the madness and lies

Chorus

**Come Lord Jesus, Come Lord Jesus,
Pour out your Spirit, we pray
Come Lord Jesus, Come Lord Jesus,
Pour out your Spirit, on us today**



2 May now your church rise with
power and love,
this glorious gospel proclaim.
In ev'ry nation salvation will come to
those who believe in your name.
Help us bring light to this world
that we might speed your return.
Come Lord Jesus,

3 Great celebrations on that final day
when out of the heavens you come.
Darkness will vanish, all sorrow will
end, and rulers will bow at your
throne. Our great commission
complete, then face to face we shall
meet.
Come Lord Jesus.....

Preparation of the gifts

Pray my brothers and sisters that this 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.**

The priest says the Prayer over the gifts after which all reply Amen

The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give thanks and praise.

The priest praises God for his mighty acts and all respond

Holy Holy Holy is the Lord,

Holy is the Lord God Almighty

Holy Holy Holy is the Lord, Holy is the Lord God Almighty

Who was and is and is to come, Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord.

Blessed, Blessed, Blessed is the Lord

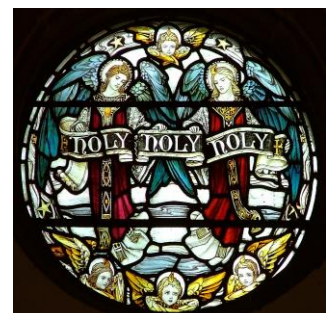
Blest is he who comes in the Lord's name

Blessed, Blessed, Blessed is the Lord

Blest is he who comes in the Lord's name

Hosanna in the highest heaven

Blessed, blessed, blessed is the Lord



Please remain standing

The priest recalls the Last Supper

Great is the mystery of faith

Christ has died:

Christ is risen:

Christ will come again

The Prayer continues and leads into the doxology

Priest Through him with him and in him in the unity of the Holy Spirit
All Glory and honour is yours Almighty Father
For ever and ever

All Amen

We lift our hearts and voices to you as we sing

AMEN

So shall it be for ever AMEN

AMEN

We lift our hearts and voices to you as we sing

AMEN

So shall it be for ever AMEN



As Jesus taught us so we pray

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

The priest breaks the consecrated 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

Lamb of God **Lamb of God**

You take away **You take away**

The sin of all **The sin of all**

the world **the world**

Miserere Nobis *(have mercy on us)*

Miserere Nobis

Bread of Life **Bread of Life**

You take away **You take away**

The sin of all **The sin of all**

the world **the world**

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Agnus Dei *(Lamb of God)* **Agnus Dei**

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The sin of all **The sin of all**

the world **the world**

Dona nobis pacem *(Give us your peace)*

Dona nobis pacem

Dona nobis pacem **Dona nobis pacem**

Dona nobis pacem **Dona nobis pacem**



Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world, blessed 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

Giving of Communion

Those who receive communion please come forward, those who have not been admitted to Holy Communion are invited to come forward for a blessing.

The Body of Christ **Amen**

The Blood of Christ **Amen**

Hymn after Communion

1 Longing for light, we wait in
darkness.
Longing for truth, we turn to you.
Make us your own, your holy
people,
light for the world to see.

Chorus
**Christ, be our light! Shine in our
hearts.**
Shine through the darkness.
Christ, be our light!
**Shine in your church gathered
today.**

2 Longing for peace, our world is
troubled.
Longing for hope, many despair.
Your word alone has pow'r to save
us.
Make us your living voice.
Refrain

3 Many the gifts, many the people,
many the hearts that yearn to
belong.
Let us be servants to one another,
making your kingdom come.
Refrain

4 Longing for food, many are hungry.
Longing for water, many still thirst.
Make us your bread, broken for others,
shared until all are fed.
Refrain

Prayer after Communion *please kneel*

O Lord our God, make us watchful and keep us faithful
as we await the coming of your Son our Lord;
that, when he shall appear, he may not find us sleeping in sin
but active in his service and joyful in his praise;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

**We thank you, Lord that you have fed us in this sacrament,
united us with Christ,
and given us a foretaste of the heavenly banquet
prepared for all peoples. Amen**

Notices *please sit*

Parish Prayer *please stand*

O Eternal Father, help us to build up the Church in this parish to the glory of your name, in honour of St Edmund, and for the hope and inspiration of all your people, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Final Hymn

How lovely on the mountains
are the feet of Him
Who brings good news, good news
Proclaiming peace,
announcing news of happiness
Our God reigns, our God reigns
Our God reigns, our God reigns
Our God reigns, our God reigns

You watchmen lift your voices
joyfully as one
Shout for your King, your King,
See face to face
the Lord restoring Zion
Your God reigns, your God reigns.....

Waste places of Jerusalem
break forth with joy
We are redeemed, redeemed
The Lord has saved and
comforted His people
Our God reigns, our God reigns.....

Ends of the earth,
see the salvation of your God
Jesus is Lord, is Lord.
Before the nations
He has bared His holy arm
Our God reigns, our God reigns.....

Blessing

The Lord be with you

And also with you

Christ the Sun of Righteousness shine upon you, scatter the darkness from before your path, and make you ready to meet him when he comes in glory; and the blessing of God Almighty + the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit be with you and remain with you always

Amen

Go in the peace of Christ.

Thanks be to God



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