

All Age Eucharist and Parade Service Mothering Sunday

Sunday 30th March 2025



St Edmund the King

Northwood Hills



The Order of Eucharist

Please stand when the bell rings

We sing

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| <p>1 Morning has broken like the first morning
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird
Praise for the singing
Praise for the morning
Praise for them springing fresh from the world</p> | <p>3 Mine is the sunlight
Mine is the morning
Born of the one light Eden saw play
Praise with elation, praise every morning
God's recreation of the new day</p> |
| <p>2 Sweet the rain's new fall, sunlit from heaven
Like the first dew fall on the first grass
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden
Sprung in completeness where his feet pass</p> | <p>4 Morning has broken like the first morning
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird
Praise for the singing
Praise for the morning
Praise for them springing fresh from the world</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.

All Amen

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

All And also with you

Penitential Rite

Priest Kyrie Eleison (Lord have mercy)

All Kyrie Eleison

Kyrie Eleison

All Kyrie Eleison



Lord of reconciliation, heal our wounds in darkest times

Kyrie Eleison

All Kyrie Eleison

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

Christe Eleison (Christ have mercy)

All Christe Eleison

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

Kyrie Eleison

All Kyrie Eleison

Kyrie Eleison

All Kyrie Eleison

The priest tells us we are forgiven and all respond

Amen.

The Priest prays the special prayer for today

The Collect

God of love, passionate and strong
tender and careful;
watch over us and hold us all the days of our life
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.

ALL Amen

Liturgy of the Word

Scripture Reading

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Christians at Colossus

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God.



And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

This is the word of the Lord

All Thanks be to God

We stand to sing

*The earth is the Lord's
And everything in it
The earth is the Lord's
The work of His hands
The earth is the Lord's
And everything in it
And all things were made
For His glory*

1 The mountains are His
The seas and the islands
The cities and towns
The houses and streets
Let rebels bow down
And worship before Him
For all things were made
For His glory ***The earth is the Lord's....***

2 The mountains are His
The seas and the islands
The cities and towns
The houses and streets
Let rebels bow down
And worship before Him
For all things were made
For His glory ***The earth is the Lord's....***

4 *The earth is the Lord's
And everything in it
The earth is the Lord's
The work of His hands
The earth is the Lord's
And everything in it And all things
were made
Yes, all things were made
And all things were made
For His glory*

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Gospel Reading

(please remain standing)

Gospel Acclamation

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

If today you hear his voice harden not your heart.

If today you hear his voice harden not your heart.

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

The Lord be with you

All And also with you

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

All Glory to you, O Lord.

Meanwhile, standing near the cross of Jesus were his mother, and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing beside her, he said to his mother, 'Woman, here is your son.' Then he said to the disciple, 'Here is your mother.' And from that hour the disciple took her into his own home.

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. Amen**

Prayer of the Faithful

We pray for the Church and for the world and thank God for his goodness to us

Liturgy of the Eucharist

The Peace

The priest introduces the peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you

All And also with you

As the gifts are placed on the Altar we sing

Refrain

Bless the Lord oh my soul

Oh my soul

Worship His Holy name

Sing like never before

Oh my soul

I'll worship Your Holy name

- 2 You're rich in love
And You're slow to anger
Your name is great
And Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness
I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons
For my heart to find

Refrain

- 1 The sun comes up
It's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass
And whatever lies before me
Let me be singing
When the evening comes

Refrain

- 4 And on that day
When my strength is failing
The end draws near
And my time has come
Still my soul will
Sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years
And then forevermore

Refrain x2

Sing like never before

Oh my soul

I'll worship Your Holy name

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

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 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**



The priest recalls the Last Supper

Praise to you, Lord Jesus:

**All Dying you destroyed our death,
rising you restored our life:
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**



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

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.

Breaking of the Bread

The priest breaks the consecrated bread.

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

All **Though we are many we are one body because we all share in one bread**

Lamb of God
All Lamb of God
You take away
All You take away
The sin of all
All The sin of all
the world
All the world
Miserere Nobis (*have mercy on us*)
All 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
Miserere Nobis
Miserere Nobis

Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)

Agnus Dei

You take away

You take away

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**

We sing

1 Here is bread, here is wine
Christ is with us, he is with us
Break the bread, drink the wine
Christ is with us here
*In this bread there is healing
In this cup there's life forever
In this moment, by the Spirit
Christ is with us here*

2 Here is grace, here is peace
Christ is with us, he is with us
Know his grace, find his peace
Feast on Jesus here
In this bread there is healing

3 Here we are, joined in one
Christ is with us, he is with us
We'll proclaim, till he comes
Jesus crucified
In this bread there is healing

Prayer after Communion *Please kneel*

Loving God, as a mother feeds her children at the breast
you feed us in this sacrament with the food and drink of eternal life:
help us who have tasted your goodness
to grow in grace within the household of faith;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

**All 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)*

Blessing and Distribution of Flowers

O God bless these flowers, bless us
and bless our mothers. May the flowers remind us how much our mothers
have done for us; may they remind our mothers that we love them; and
may they remind us all that God cares for each one of us, because we are
all his children **Amen**



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**

*Sing it in the valleys,
Shout it from the mountain tops;
Jesus came to save us,
And his saving never stops.
He is King of Kings,
And new life he brings,
Sing it in the valleys,
Shout it from the mountain tops, (Oh!)
Shout it from the mountain tops.*

Jesus, you are by my side,
You take all my fears.
if I only come to you,
you will heal the pain of years
Sing it in the valleys.....

You have not deserted me,
Though I go astray
Jesus take me in your arms
Help me walk with you today.
Sing it in the valleys.....

Jesus, you are living now,
Jesus, I believe.
Jesus, take me, heart and soul,
Yours alone I want to be.
Sing it in the valleys.....

Blessing

The Lord be with you

And also with you

The priest gives a seasonal blessing which ends

.....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 peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God

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