

HOLY COMMUNION

10 May 2020

WELCOME & HYMN: *(Singing in groups is not recommended!)*

Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King!

The heavens are not too high,

His praise may thither fly:

The earth is not too low,

His praises there may grow.

Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King!

Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King!

The church with psalms must shout,

No door can keep them out;

But above all the heart

Must bear the longest part.

Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King!

GREETING

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

CONFESSION: *invitation*

Lord God, we have sinned against you; we have done evil in your sight.

We are sorry and repent.

Have mercy on us according to your love.

Wash away our wrong doing and cleanse us from our sin.

Renew a right spirit within us and restore to us the joy of your salvation, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ABSOLUTION & COLLECT:

GRADUAL:

Jubilate, everybody,

GOSPEL: John 14 v 1-10
read by Richard Hine

ADDRESS: Rev Tim Ward

APOSTLES CREED:

I believe in God the Father Almighty,

creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only son, our Lord. He was

conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary.

He 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.

PRAYERS: Julie Allday

THE PEACE: *Introduction, then*
The peace of the Lord be always with you: **And also with you.**

OFFERTORY:

I heard the voice of Jesus say:

'Come unto Me and rest;
Lay down, thou weary one, lay down Thy head upon My breast.'
I came to Jesus as I was,
Weary and worn and sad;
I found in Him a resting place,
And He has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say:
'Behold I freely give
The living water, thirsty one,
Stoop down and drink and live.'
I came to Jesus, and I drank
Of that life-giving stream;
My thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
And now I live in Him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say:
'I am this dark world's light;
Look unto Me, thy morn shall rise,
And all thy day be bright.'
I looked to Jesus, and I found
In Him my Star, my Sun;
And in that light of life I'll walk,

Till travelling days are done.

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

The Lord is here:

his Spirit is with us

Lift up your hearts:

we lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God:

it is right to give him thanks and praise.

Father, we give you thanks and praise through your beloved Son Jesus Christ, your living Word, through whom you have created all things; who was sent by you in your great goodness to be our Saviour.

By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh; as your Son, born of the blessed Virgin, he lived on earth and went about among us; he opened wide his arms for us on the cross; he put an end to death by dying for us; and revealed the resurrection by rising to new life; so he fulfilled your will and won for you a holy people.

Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and *saying:*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,**

**heaven and earth are full of
your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Lord, you are holy indeed, the
source of all holiness;
grant that by the power of your
Holy Spirit,
and according to your holy will,
these gifts of bread and wine
may be to us the body and blood
of our Lord Jesus Christ;

who, in the same night that he
was betrayed,
took bread and gave you 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.

In the same way, after supper
he took the cup and gave you
thanks;
he gave it to them, saying:
Drink this, all of you; this is my
blood of the new covenant,
which is shed for you and for
many for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it,
in remembrance of me.

Great is the mystery of faith:
**Christ has died: Christ is
risen: Christ will come again.**

And so, Father, calling to mind
his death on the cross,
his perfect sacrifice made once

for the sins of the whole world;
rejoicing in his mighty
resurrection and glorious
ascension,
and looking for his coming in
glory,
we celebrate this memorial of
our redemption.
As we offer you this our sacrifice
of praise and thanksgiving,
we bring before you this bread
and this cup
and we thank you for counting
us worthy
to stand in your presence and
serve you.

Send the Holy Spirit on your
people and gather into one in
your kingdom all who share this
one bread and one cup, so that
we, in the company of all the
saints, may praise and glorify
you for ever, through Jesus
Christ our Lord;
by whom, and with whom, and in
whom,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all honour and glory be yours,
almighty Father,
for ever and ever.

Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER:

AGNUS DEI:
**Jesus, Lamb of God,
Have mercy on us**

**Jesus, bearer of our sins,
Have mercy on us.
Jesus, redeemer of the world,
Grant us peace.**

BREAKING OF THE 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.**

INVITATION to communion

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER:

**Almighty God, we thank you
for feeding us with the body
and blood of your Son Jesus
Christ.**

**Through him we offer you
our souls and bodies to be a
living sacrifice.**

**Send us out in the power of
your Spirit to live and work
to your praise & glory.**

Amen.

BLESSING & FINAL HYMN:

**One more step along the
world I go, One more step
along the world I go,
From the old things to the new
Keep me travelling along with
you.**

*And it's from the old I travel to
the new. Keep me travelling
along with you.*

Round the corners of the world I
turn, More and more about the
world I learn.

And the new things that I see,
You'll be looking at along with
me.

As I travel through the bad and
good, Keep me travelling the
way I should.

Where I see no way to go, You'll
be telling me the way, I know.

Give me courage when the world
is rough, Keep me loving though
the world is tough.

Leap and sing in all I do, Keep
me travelling along with you.

You are older than the world can
be. You are younger than the
life in me.

Ever old and ever new, Keep me
travelling along with you.

DISMISSAL: Go in peace to
love serve the Lord

In the name of Christ. Amen.