



Welcome to St Margaret's Church Ifield
Loved as you are



Sunday 13th October 2024
Trinity 20

Everyone is welcome here at St Margaret's, and we encourage everyone to take part fully in this service.

As we gather before the service, we speak to God.

During the service, we let God speak to us.

After the service, we speak to each other.

THE GATHERING

Processional Hymn

**Blest are the pure in heart,
for they shall see our God:
the secret of the Lord is theirs,
their soul is Christ's abode.**

**The Lord, who left the heavens
our life and peace to bring,
to dwell in lowliness with men,
their pattern and their King.**

**Still to the lowly soul
He doth himself impart,
and for his dwelling and his throne
chooseth the pure in heart.**

**Lord we thy presence seek;
may ours this blessing be;
give us a pure and lowly heart,
a temple meet for thee.**

John Keble (1792-1866) Tune: Franconia – William Henry Havergal (1793-1870)

THE GREETING

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.

WORDS OF WELCOME

THE PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden, cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed for us.

Let us therefore rejoice by putting away all malice and evil and confessing our sins with a sincere and true heart.

Almighty God, our 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. 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 priest offers absolution at the end please respond **Amen.**

THE GLORIA

Gloria, (clap) gloria, (clap) in excelsis Deo.

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**Lord God, heavenly King, peace you bring to us;
we worship you, we give you thanks, we sing our song of praise.**

Gloria...

**Jesus, Saviour of all, Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away our sins, O Lord, have mercy on us all.**

Gloria...

**At the Father's right hand, Lord receive our prayer,
for you alone are the Holy One, and you alone are Lord.**

Gloria...

**Glory, Father and Son, Glory Holy Spirit,
to you we raise our hands up high, we glorify your name.**

Gloria....

Words and Music: Mike Anderson b. 1956

THE COLLECT

*The priest introduces a period of silent prayer with the words, 'Let us pray.'
The Collect is said, and all respond, Amen.*

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Please sit

First Reading

Amos 5.6-7, 10-15

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Second Reading

Hebrews 4.12-end

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please stand

The Gospel Reading

Mark 10.17-13

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end:

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Please remain standing until the preacher has introduced the Sermon

THE SERMON

We stand

THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Let us declare our faith in God.

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,**

**true God from true God, begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We 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 is worshipped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come.
Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Prayers for the Church, the world, and for all human need. After each petition the following response is used:

Lord, in your mercy
Hear our prayer

and at the end of the prayers:

Merciful father,
**accept these prayers for the sake of your Son,
our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

Please stand

The Peace

The priest introduces the sign of Peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you
And also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.
All may exchange a sign of peace.

Please remain standing to sing the offertory hymn.

The Presentation of the Gifts

During the Offertory hymn the bread and wine and the collection are brought to the altar and the altar is prepared.

During the Preparation of the Table:

**Lord Jesus Christ,
you have come to us,
you are one with us,
Mary's Son –cleansing our souls from all their sin,
pouring your love and goodness in;
Jesus, our love for you we sing, living Lord.**

**Lord Jesus Christ,
now and every day teach us how to pray,
Son of God.
You have commanded us to do
this, in remembrance, lord, of you;
into our lives your power breaks through, living Lord.**

**Lord Jesus Christ,
you have come to us,
born as one of us,
Mary's Son –
led out to die on Calvary,
risen from death to set us free;
living Lord Jesus, help us see you are Lord.**

**Lord Jesus Christ,
we would come to you,
live our lives for you,
Son of God;
all your commands we know are true,
your many gifts will make us new;
into our lives your power breaks through, living Lord.**

Words and music Patrick Appleford (1925 -)

At the end of the Blessing of the Gifts we respond

Blessed be God forever

Please sit or stand

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 at the end we say together

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

The priest continues with the prayer which recalls the Last Supper, after the elevation the priest says, 'Great is the mystery of Faith' and we say together

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again

*The prayer continues and concludes with the doxology where we respond,
Amen.*

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come.
Your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power
and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.**

The 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.**

(Said)

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
grant us peace.**

The Giving of Communion

Jesus is 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.**

The priest invites everyone to come to Communion or for a blessing.

Please sit and wait to be directed for Communion.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

The Priest prays the post-communion prayer followed by

**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 and glory.**

Amen.

NOTICES

THE BLESSING

Please stand

The priest gives the blessing
Amen.

THE DISMISSAL

We go into the world to walk in God's light,
to rejoice in God's love,
and to reflect God's glory.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord
In the name of Christ Amen.

Final Hymn

**Crown him with many crowns,
the Lamb upon his throne.
Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns
all music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing
of him who died for thee,
and hail him as thy matchless king
through all eternity.**

**Crown him the Lord of life,
who triumphed o'er the grave,
and rose victorious in the strife
for those he came to save;
his glories now we sing
who died and rose on high,
who died eternal life to bring,
and lives that death may die.**

**Crown him the Lord of love;
behold his hands and side,
rich wounds, yet visible above,
in beauty glorified;
no angels in the sky
can fully bear that sight,
but downward bends their burning eye
at mysteries so bright.**

**Crown him the Lord of years,
the potentate of time,
creator of the rolling spheres,
ineffably sublime.
All hail, Redeemer, hail!
for thou hast died for me;
thy praise shall never, never fail
throughout eternity.**

Matthew Bridges (1800-1894)

Tune Diademata Geroge Job Elvey (1816-1893)

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Service next Sunday:
Trinity 21

Parish Communion (11.00 am)
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