

The Gathering

Please remain muted on Zoom during the responses and the songs.

Song

The splendour of the King,
clothed in majesty,
Let all the earth rejoice,
All the earth rejoice.
He wraps himself in Light,
and darkness tries to hide,
And trembles at his voice,
Trembles at his voice.

How great is our God, sing with me,
How great is our God, and all will see
How great, how great is our God.

Age to age he stands,
And time is in his hands,
Beginning and the end,
Beginning and the end.
The Godhead Three in One,
Father, Spirit, Son.
The Lion and the Lamb,
The Lion and the Lamb.

How great is our God, sing with me,
How great is our God, and all will see
How great, how great is our God.

Name above all names,
Worthy of our praise,
My heart will sing
How great is our God,

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How great is our God, sing with me,
How great is our God, and all will see
How great, how great is our God.

The priest says

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

The priest greets the people

The Lord be with you **and also with you.**

Welcome and Introduction

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

*The priest invites us to confess our sins.
The song is repeated and we join in at home.*

Father, we have sinned
in word, and deed, and thought,
through ignorance,
through weakness,
through deliberate fault:
we've sinned against our neighbours
and against you, Lord,
yet we are truly sorry
and we turn to you once more.

*The priest assures us of God's forgiveness
The Gloria is led from church*

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Father.
Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Father.
To God be glory for ever. **To God be glory for ever.**
Alleluia, amen. **Alleluia, amen, alleluia, amen, alleluia, amen.**

Glory to God, glory to God, Son of the Father.
Glory to God, glory to God, Son of the Father.
To God be glory for ever. **To God be glory for ever.**
Alleluia, amen. **Alleluia, amen, alleluia, amen, alleluia, amen.**

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Spirit.
Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Spirit.
To God be glory for ever. **To God be glory for ever.**
Alleluia, amen. **Alleluia, amen, alleluia, amen, alleluia, amen.**

The Collect

The priest introduces a period of silent prayer

God the Father,
help us to hear the call of Christ the King
and to follow in his service,
whose kingdom has no end;
for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, one glory.
Amen.

The Liturgy of the Word

Gospel Reading

Matthew 25.31-46

Alleluia, alleluia.

Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord.

Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heaven.

Alleluia.

The Lord be with you

And also with you.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, "Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me." Then the righteous will answer him, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?" And the king will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me."

Then he will say to those at his left hand, "You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me." Then they also will answer, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?" Then he will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me." And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Talk

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.**

Prayers

Please respond to each section

Holy Spirit,
warm our hearts

We join in with the song at home

Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace to
let you be my servant, too.

We are pilgrims on a journey,
fellow trav'lers on the road;
we are here to help each other
walk the mile and bear the load.

I will hold the Christlight for you
in the night-time of your fear;
I will hold my hand out to you,
speak the peace you long to hear.

I will weep when you are weeping;
when you laugh I'll laugh with you.
I will share your joy and sorrow
till we've seen this journey through.

When we sing to God in heaven
we shall find such harmony,
born of all we've known together
of Christ's love and agony.

Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace to
let you be my servant, too.

The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The Peace

To crown all things there must be love, to bind all together and complete the whole.
Let the peace of Christ rule in our hearts.
The peace of the Lord be always with you
and also with you.

Preparation of the Table

We respond to each part of the prayer

Blessed be God for ever.

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 and we say,

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, recalling the Last Supper, then says,

Jesus Christ has died.

Jesus Christ has died.

Jesus Christ is risen.

Jesus Christ is risen.

Jesus Christ will come again.

Jesus Christ will come again.

The Prayer continues ending with

...forever and ever.

Amen

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

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 priest breaks the consecrated bread.

We break the bread of life,

and that life is the light of the world.

God here among us,

light in the midst of us,

bring us to light and life.

Giving of Communion

The priest says the invitation to communion

God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

**Jesus Christ is holy, Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.**

All are invited to make a spiritual communion with God, who comes to meet us wherever we are. There are no special words or prayers for this, just a true desire to receive Christ.

Prayer after Communion

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people;
that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works,
may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Dismissal

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

...and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.

Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

We sing at home

King of kings, majesty,
God of Heaven living in me,
gentle Saviour, closest friend,
strong deliverer, beginning and end,
all within me falls at your throne.

Your majesty, I can but bow,
I lay my all before you now.
In royal robes I don't deserve
I live to serve your majesty.

Earth and Heaven worship you,
love eternal, faithful and true,
who bought the nations,
ransomed souls,
brought this sinner
near to your throne;
all within me cries out in praise.

Your majesty, I can but bow...

Please stay online for Zoom Coffee!

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