Prayers of Intercession

The Collect

Gathering our prayers and praises into one, let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us:

The Lord's Prayer

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.

Hymn Guide me, O thou great Redeemer

The Blessing

[*Numbers 6:24-26*] The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace. **Amen**.

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Welcome and Notices

<u>Call to Worship</u> Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you All: And also with you

This is the day that the Lord has made. All: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Hymn Love divine, all love excelling

Invitation to Confession

Jesus says: "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand." So let us turn away from our sin and turn to Christ, confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

Prayer of Confession Most merciful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we confess that we have sinned in thought, word and deed. We have not loved you with our whole heart. We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us to amend what we are, and direct what we shall be; that we may do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with you, our God. Amen.

Prayer of assurance

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon us, pardon and deliver us from all our sins, confirm and strengthen us in all goodness, and keep us in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Psalm 145: 8-9, 15-22

⁸ The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

⁹ The LORD is good to all, and his compassion is over all that he has made.

¹⁵ The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season.

¹⁶ You open your hand, satisfying the desire of every living thing.

¹⁷ The LORD is just in all his ways, and kind in all his doings.

- ¹⁸ The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.
- ¹⁹ He fulfils the desire of all who fear him; he also hears their cry, and saves them.
- ²⁰ The LORD watches over all who love him, but all the wicked he will destroy.
- ²¹ My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD, and all flesh will bless his holy name forever and ever.

All: Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; As it was in the beginning is now and shall be for ever. Amen.

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 55: 1-13

<u>Gospel Reading</u> Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew. All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Matthew 14: 13-21

This is the gospel of the Lord. **All: Praise to you, O Christ**

<u>Sermon</u>

Hymn Just as I am, without one plea

The Creed.

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, 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 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.