



12 June 2022 4pm



Choral Evensong  
for Trinity Sunday

## Welcome!

*We bid you a very warm welcome to our worship. As we gather in this sacred space, silent prayer and reflection helps us to prepare for the service. Listening devices are available for the hearing impaired during the service; contact one of our greeters.*

Prelude	Chorale Prelude on 'Nicaea'	H Willan
Priest	Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts. The whole earth is full of God's glory.	
Priest	O Lord, open thou our lips	
All	<b>And our mouth shall show forth thy praise</b>	
Priest	O God, make speed to save us.	
All	<b>O Lord, make haste to help us.</b>	
Priest	Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost:	
All	<b>As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.</b>	
Priest	Praise ye the Lord.	
All	<b>The Lord's name be praised.</b>	
	Please remain standing for the <i>Phos Hilaron</i> , Hymn 14 in Common Praise.	
	<b>1 O gracious Light, Lord Jesus Christ, in you the Father's glory shone. Immortal, holy, blest is he, and blest are you, his holy Son.</b>	
	<b>2 Now sunset comes, but light shines forth; the lamps are lit to pierce the night. Praise Father, Son, and Spirit: God who dwells in the eternal light.</b>	
	<b>3 Worthy are you of endless praise, O Son of God, Life-giving Lord, wherefore you are through all the earth, and in the highest heaven adored.</b>	

*Please be seated for the Psalms. The congregation joins in the refrains.*

## Psalm III *Confitebor tibi*



I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart.

<sup>1</sup> Hallelujah!

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, \*  
in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.

<sup>2</sup> Great are the deeds of the Lord! \*

They are studied by all who delight in them.

<sup>3</sup> His word is full of majesty and splendor, \*

and his righteousness endures forever.

<sup>4</sup> He makes his marvelous works to be remembered; \*

The Lord is gracious and full of compassion.

All sing Refrain

<sup>5</sup> He gives food to those who fear him; \*

he is ever mindful of his covenant.

<sup>6</sup> He has shown his people the power of his works \*

in giving them the lands of the nations.

<sup>7</sup> The works of his hands are faithfulness and justice; \*

all his commandments are sure.

<sup>8</sup> They stand fast forever and ever, \*

because they are done in truth and equity.

All sing Refrain

<sup>9</sup> He sent redemption to his people;

he commanded his covenant forever; \*

holy and awesome is his name;

<sup>10</sup> The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; \*

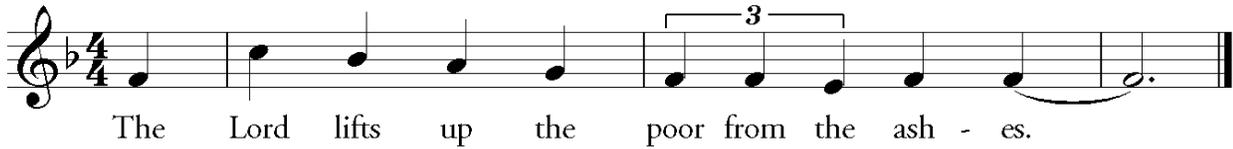
those who act accordingly have a good understanding;

His praise endures forever.

All sing Refrain



**Psalm 113** *Laudate pueri*



<sup>1</sup> Hallelujah!

Give praise, you servants of the Lord \*  
praise the name of the Lord.

<sup>2</sup> Let the name of the Lord be blest; \*  
From this time forth forevermore.

<sup>3</sup> From the rising of the sun to its going down, \*  
let the name of the Lord be praised.

<sup>4</sup> The Lord is high above all nations, \*  
and his glory above the heavens.

All sing Refrain

<sup>5</sup> Who is like the Lord our God, who sits enthroned on high, \*  
but stoops to behold the heavens and the earth?

<sup>6</sup> He takes up the weak out of the dust \*  
and lifts up the poor from the ashes.

<sup>7</sup> He sets them with the princes, \*  
with the princes of his people.

<sup>8</sup> He makes the woman of a childless house, \*  
To be a joyful mother of children.

All sing Refrain

*Please remain seated for a reading from Ecclesiasticus (43.1-12, 27-33)*

*Reader* The pride of the higher realms is the clear vault of the sky,  
as glorious to behold as the sight of the heavens.  
The sun, when it appears, proclaims as it rises  
what a marvellous instrument it is, the work of the Most High.  
At noon it parches the land,  
and who can withstand its burning heat?  
A man tending a furnace works in burning heat,  
but three times as hot is the sun scorching the mountains;  
it breathes out fiery vapours,  
and its bright rays blind the eyes.  
Great is the Lord who made it;  
at his orders it hurries on its course.

It is the moon that marks the changing seasons,  
 governing the times, their everlasting sign.  
 From the moon comes the sign for festal days,  
 a light that wanes when it completes its course.  
 The new moon, as its name suggests, renews itself;  
 how marvellous it is in this change,  
 a beacon to the hosts on high,  
 shining in the vault of the heavens!  
 The glory of the stars is the beauty of heaven,  
 a glittering array in the heights of the Lord.  
 On the orders of the Holy One they stand in their appointed places;  
 they never relax in their watches.  
 Look at the rainbow, and praise him who made it;  
 it is exceedingly beautiful in its brightness.  
 It encircles the sky with its glorious arc;  
 the hands of the Most High have stretched it out.  
 We could say more but could never say enough;  
 let the final word be: 'He is the all.'  
 Where can we find the strength to praise him?  
 For he is greater than all his works.  
 Awesome is the Lord and very great,  
 and marvellous is his power.  
 Glorify the Lord and exalt him as much as you can,  
 for he surpasses even that.  
 When you exalt him, summon all your strength,  
 and do not grow weary, for you cannot praise him enough.  
 Who has seen him and can describe him?  
 Or who can extol him as he is?  
 Many things greater than these lie hidden,  
 for I have seen but few of his works.  
 For the Lord has made all things,  
 and to the godly he has given wisdom.

Reader            Here endeth the reading.

*Please stand, as you are able, to sing the Magnificat*



My soul doth ' magnify the ' Lord,  
 \*and my spirit hath re'joiced in ' God my ' Saviour.

2 For ' he hath · re'garded  
 \*the ' lowli-ness ' of his ' handmaiden.

3 For be'hold from ' henceforth  
 \*all gene'rations shall ' call me ' blessed.

4 For he that is mighty hath ' magni-fied ' me;  
 \*and ' holy ' is his ' Name.

5 And his mercy is on ' them that ' fear him  
 \*throughout ' all ' gene'rations.

6 He hath showed ' strength · with his ' arm;  
 \*he hath scattered the proud in the imagin'ation ' of their ' hearts.

7 He hath put down the mighty ' from their ' seat,  
 \*and hath ex'alted the ' humble and ' meek.

8 He hath filled the ' hungry with ' good things;  
 \*and the rich he ' hath sent ' empty a'way.

9 He re'membering his ' mercy  
 \*hath ' holpen his ' servant ' Israel;

10 As he promised ' to our ' forefathers,  
 \*Abraham ' and his ' seed for ' ever.

Glory be to the Father, and ' to the ' Son,  
 \*and ' to the ' Holy ' Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ' ever ' shall be,  
 \*world without ' end. ' A-men.

*Please be seated for a reading from the Gospel of John* (1. 29-34)

*Reader* The next day he saw Jesus coming towards him and declared, 'Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, "After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me." I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel.' And John testified, 'I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, "He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit." And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God.'

*Reader* Here endeth the reading.

Please stand, as you are able, to sing the *Nunc Dimittis*



Lord, now lettest thou thy servant de'part in ' peace,  
\*ac'ording ' to thy ' word.

2 For mine eyes have ' seen thy · sal'vation,  
\*which thou hast prepared be'fore the ' face of · all ' people;

3 To be a light to ' lighten the ' Gentiles,  
\*and to be the ' glory of · thy ' people ' Israel.

Glory be to the Father, and ' to the ' Son,  
\*and ' to the ' Holy ' Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ' ever ' shall be,  
\*world without ' end. ' A'men.

*Priest* I believe in God,

*All* **the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth;  
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord,  
Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried.  
He descended into hell;  
the third day he rose again from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of God the  
Father Almighty;  
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Ghost;  
the holy Catholic church;  
the Communion of Saints;  
the forgiveness of sins;**

**the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*Priest* The Lord be with you.  
*All* **And with thy spirit.**

*Priest* Let us pray.

*Priest* Lord, have mercy upon us.  
*All* **Christ, have mercy upon us.**

*Priest* Lord, have mercy upon us.  
*All* **Our Father, which art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come;  
thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive them that trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil. Amen.**

*Priest* O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.  
*All* **And grant us thy salvation.**

*Priest* O Lord, save the Queen  
*All* **And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.**

*Priest* Endue thy ministers with righteousness.  
*All* **And make thy chosen people joyful.**

*Priest* O Lord, save thy people:  
*All* **And bless thine inheritance.**

*Priest* Give peace in our time, O Lord.  
*All* **And evermore mightily defend us.**

*Priest* O God, make clean our hearts within us.  
*All* **And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.**

*Priest* Father, we praise you: through your Word and Holy Spirit you created all things. You reveal your salvation in all the world by sending to us Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. Through your Holy Spirit you give us a share in your life and love. Fill us with the vision of your glory, that we may always serve and praise you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All **Amen.**

Priest O God, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed: Give unto thy servants that peace which the world cannot give; that both our hearts may be set to obey thy commandments, and also that by thee we being defended from the fear of our enemies may pass our time in rest and quietness; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour.

All **Amen.**

Priest Lighten our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of thy only Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

All **Amen.**

*Please be seated for the anthem, during which a collection will be taken.*

Choral Anthem

O Lux Beata Trinitas

Andrej Makor

<i>O lux beata Trinitas, et principalis Unitas, iam sol recedit igneus, infunde lumen cordibus. Te mane laudum carmine, te deprecemur vespere: te nostra supplex gloria per cuncta laudet saecula.</i>	<i>O Trinity of blessed light, And princely Unity, The fiery sun already sets, Shed thy light within our hearts. To thee in the morning with songs of praise, And in the evening we pray, Thy glory suppliant we adore, Throughout all ages for ever.</i>
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Closing Prayers

Priest

All

Almighty God,  
**who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications unto thee; and dost promise that when two or three are gathered together in thy Name thou wilt grant their requests; Fulfil now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants, as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. Amen.**

Priest

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. **Amen.**

*We sing our final Hymn No. 320 in Common Praise*

- 1 Ye watchers and ye holy ones,  
bright seraphs, cherubim, and thrones,  
raise the glad strain, alleluia!  
Cry out, dominions, principedoms, powers,  
virtues, archangels, angels' choirs:  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,  
alleluia, alleluia!**
- 2 O higher than the cherubim,  
more glorious than the seraphim,  
lead their praises, alleluia!  
Thou bearer of the eternal Word,  
most gracious, magnify the Lord,  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,  
alleluia, alleluia!**
- 3 Respond, ye souls in endless rest,  
forebears in faith and prophets blest:  
alleluia, alleluia!  
Ye holy twelve, ye martyrs strong,  
all saints triumphant, raise the song:  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,  
alleluia, alleluia!**
- 4 O friends, in gladness let us sing  
supernal anthems echoing:  
alleluia, alleluia!  
To God the Father, God the Son,  
and God the Spirit, Three-in-One,  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,  
alleluia, alleluia!**

Postlude

Triptyque: III Toccata

Denis Bedard

*The organ postlude is to uplift us as we go out into the world. Please refrain from applauding. Please join us in the Trendell Lounge for seasonal libations.*

**Sunday in-person services 8am and 10am**

**Sunday online service**

10am Holy Eucharist live-stream

**Wednesday online service**

8pm Midweek Meditation

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