

St Mary's Cathedral, Glasgow

open, inclusive, welcoming

2 November 2020 at 7:30pm – All Souls

Welcome to St Mary's Cathedral, Glasgow. The celebrant at this Plainsong Eucharist is the Rev Canon Oliver Brewer-Lennon.

- If you have not already done so and require a gluten-free wafer at communion, please speak to a steward or clergy before the service begins.
- Please do not take photographs or video recordings during the service.
- A4 & A5 copies of this service sheet are available from the stewards.
- The use of public toilets is restricted to strictly necessary use only at this time. If you use the facilities, please read signs.
- This church has a loop system. To use it switch to T. If you have any problems with this system, please mention it to one of the stewards.
- Offerings may be left in the plate at the back of the church after the service. Please use the gift-aid envelopes if you are a UK taxpayer. To make a financial pledge to this church, please ask a steward for a form.
- Please switch all mobile phones and electronic devices to 'silent'.
- Children and babies are very welcome at St Mary's Cathedral. Please note: the availability of some facilities and services has changed.
- Young Church is for children of any age and at the moment is a virtual offering. Please see the Young Church videos on the cathedral website.
- Baby changing facilities are available in the toilet through the side door nearest the altar. Unfortunately due to the Coronavirus regulations, our usual BabySpace is closed at the current time.
- Security: those present are reminded either to keep all their belongings with them or to place them in a secure environment.
- Emergency evacuation. On the blast of a horn or the instruction to "leave the building now" those in most pews exit via the main west doors, turn right and out of the car park. Those in the crossing (choir, servers) and those with mobility restrictions sitting at the front exit via the south (font) door, go through the gate and turn right to Holyrood Crescent.

Requiem of All Souls

WELCOME

The Rev Canon Oliver Brewer-Lennon

Rest eternal grant to them O Lord. And let light perpetual shine upon them.

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

COLLECT FOR PURITY

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.

INTROIT

Missa pro defunctis

Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis.
Te decet hymnus, Deus, in Sion, et tibi reddetur votum in Jerusalem.
Exaudi orationem meam; ad te omnis caro veniet.

*Grant them eternal rest, O Lord; and let perpetual light shine upon them.
You, O God, are praised in Sion, and unto you shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem.
Hear my prayer: unto you shall all flesh come.*

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

God is love and we are God's children. There is no room for fear in love. We love because God first loved us. Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith.

Silence

God our Father, we confess to you and to our fellow members in the Body of Christ that we have sinned in thought, word and deed, and in what we have failed to do. We are truly sorry. Forgive us our sins, and deliver us from the power of evil. For the sake of your Son who died for us, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

God, who is both power and love, forgive you and free you from your sins, heal and strengthen you by the Holy Spirit and raise you to new life in Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

KYRIE

Missa pro defunctis

Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison.

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, we pray to you for those we love, but see no longer. Grant them your peace, let light perpetual shine upon them, and in your loving wisdom and almighty power, work in them the good purpose of your perfect will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Wisdom 3: 1 - 9

But the souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them.

In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace.

For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt-offering he accepted them.

In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them for ever.

Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

For the Word of God in Scripture,
for the Word of God among us,
for the Word of God within us:

Thanks be to God.

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

Glory to Christ our Saviour.

Everything that the Father gives me will come to me, and anyone who comes to me I will never drive away; for I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will, but the will of him who sent me. And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me, but raise it up on the last day. This is indeed the will of my Father, that all who see the Son and believe in him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day.'

Give thanks to the Lord for his glorious Gospel.

Praise to Christ our Lord.

INTERCESSIONS

sit

The following response is used:

Rest eternal grant to them O Lord.

And let light perpetual shine upon them.

PIE JESU

from *Requiem* by Maurice Duruflé

Pie Jesu Domine: dona eis requiem, requiem sempiternam.

Merciful Lord Jesus: grant them rest, eternal rest.

PEACE

stand

We share the peace by bowing to one another.

We meet in Christ's name. **Let us share his peace.**

OFFERING

Let us present our offerings to the Lord.

Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the splendour, and the majesty; for everything in heaven and on earth is yours. All things come from you, and of your own we give you.

EUCCHARISTIC 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 God thanks and praise.

Worship and praise belong to you, Author of all being. Your power sustains, your love restores, our broken world. You are unceasingly at work, from chaos bringing order and filling emptiness with life. Christ, raised from the dead, proclaims the dawn of hope. He lives in us that we may walk in light. Your Spirit is fire in us, your breath is power to purge our sin and warm our hearts to love.

As children of your redeeming purpose, freed by him who burst from the tomb and opened the gate of life, we offer you our praise, with angels and archangels and the whole company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending glory:

SANCTUS and BENEDICTUS

Missa pro defunctis

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt cæli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis. Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.

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.

Praise and thanksgiving be to you, Lord of all, for by the Cross eternal life is ours and death is swallowed up in victory. In the first light of Easter glory broke from the tomb and changed the women's sorrow into joy. From the Garden the mystery dawned that he whom they had loved and lost is with us now in every place for ever.

Making himself known in the breaking of the bread, speaking peace to the fearful disciples, welcoming weary fishermen on the shore, he renewed the promise of his presence and of new birth in the Spirit who sets the seal of freedom on your sons and daughters.

Before he was given up to suffering and death, recalling the night of Israel's release, the night in which the sons of Egypt died, your Chosen One, himself the Firstborn, freely offered his life.

At supper with his disciples he took bread and offered you thanks. He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying: 'Take, eat. This is my Body: it is broken for you.'

After supper, he took the cup, he offered you thanks, and gave it to them saying: 'Drink this, all of you. This is my Blood of the new covenant; it is poured out for you, and for all, that sins may be forgiven. Do this in remembrance of me.'

We now obey your Son's command. We recall his blessed passion and death, his glorious resurrection and ascension; and we look for the coming of his Kingdom. Made one with him, we offer you these gifts and with them ourselves, a single, holy, living sacrifice.

Hear us, most merciful Father, and send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon this bread and this wine, that, overshadowed by his life-giving power, they may be the Body and Blood of your Son, and we may be kindled with the fire of your love and renewed for the service of your Kingdom.

Help us, who are baptised into the fellowship of Christ's Body to live and work to your praise and glory; may we grow together in unity and love until at last, in your new creation, we enter into our heritage in the company of the Virgin Mary, the apostles and prophets, and of all our brothers and sisters living and departed.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be to you, Lord of all ages, world without end. **Amen.. Amen.**

BREAKING OF BREAD

sit or kneel

The living bread is broken for the life of the world.
Lord, unite us in this sign.

LORD'S PRAYER

As our Saviour has 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. Do not bring us to the time of trial but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

All sit.

Everyone is welcome to receive communion in this church. At this time, everyone may receive the bread but only the celebrant will drink the wine.

If for any reason you do not wish to receive the bread, please come up carrying this service sheet in your hands to receive a blessing.

Please wait in your seat until directed to come to the altar by one of the stewards. The side aisles will receive first, walking up to the west door and down the centre aisle. Stewards will ensure there is social distancing as you approach the altar.

Instructions for approaching the altar:

- 1. Sanitise your hands while you are in your pew.*
- 2. Keep your facemask on until after the Priest has placed the bread into your hands. Then, step to the side, uncover your face and consume it.*
- 3. Return to your seat via the side aisles and sanitise your hands again.*

COMMUNION

*At the giving of the bread: The Body of Christ, given for you. **Amen.***

AGNUS DEI

Missa pro defunctis

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

THANKSGIVING AND SENDING OUT

*Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord,
and let light perpetual shine upon them.*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

God of love, may the death and resurrection of Christ, which we have celebrated in this eucharist, bring us, with the faithful departed, into the peace of your eternal home, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

LUX AETERNA

Missa pro defunctis

Lux aeterna luceat eis, Domine,
cum sanctis tuis in aeternam; quia pius es.
Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine,
et lux perpetua luceat eis.

*Let light everlasting shine upon them, O Lord,
along with your saints for ever; for you are merciful.
O Lord, grant them eternal rest,
and let light everlasting shine upon them.*

Please stand as you are able for the Blessing.

BLESSING

The Lord bless you and watch over you, the Lord make his face to shine on you and be gracious to you, the Lord look kindly on you and grant you peace; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always **Amen.**

NOTICES AND DISMISSAL

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

VOLUNTARY

Psalm Prelude (Set 2, ii)

[Psalm 139 'Yea the darkness is no darkness with thee'] - Herbert Howells

Steven McIntyre – Assistant Organist
The cantor at this service was Justine Inns.

Please leave the building as the stewards direct you. Take your service sheets and any face coverings away with you.

NEWS

WELCOME... First time at St Mary's? If you would like to keep in touch or are finding your way into the Cathedral congregation, please fill in a welcome card. The easiest way to do this at this time is to do so on the cathedral website – www.thecathedral.org.uk. Alternatively, please ask the stewards for a welcome card and send your details either by email or phone during the week.

“HOW DO YOU DO ALL THIS? ... this church does so much for me and others”. Thank you. Please remember - making a regular pledge enables the ministry, music and congregation to exist, and provide a welcome space to belong to and to grow as a Christian. Please contact Alan McCulloch to make a pledge – giftaidrecorder@thecathedral.org.uk

FRIENDS OF ST MARY'S... The association of people who feel they belong here and wish to support St Mary's Cathedral but live away or worship elsewhere and former members of this congregation. For further details please see the website <http://thecathedral.org.uk/friends/>. For more information see the Provost.

ONLINE SERMON ARCHIVE... www.thecathedral.org.uk/spirituality/preaching

PRAYER REQUESTS... Requests for inclusion in the public prayers of the church can be made to any member of the clergy via the cathedral office – office@thecathedral.org.uk. The request will be included in the Sunday 10.30 am intercessions for 2 weeks.

BAPTISM... To make an enquiry about a baptism, please visit the cathedral website and click on Ministry/Baptism and complete the online form or speak to a member of the clergy.

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REGULAR GROUPS AND ACTIVITIES

BELLRINGERS... Although the bells are not able to be rung at the moment, the Bellringers are meeting via a zoom call on Tuesday evenings for theory sessions, quizzes and social contact. The ringers are also using a software platform called “Ringing Room” to keep skills up. This allows people to log into a virtual belltower and be allocated a bell to ring by pressing a key on a keyboard to enable methods to be practiced. Contact Iain Milne for more details: 07554 042332 or iain.milne.397@gmail.com

BOOK GROUP... The book club meets on the first Tuesday of the month at 6 pm in zoom. The Zoom ID or October is 84567567723 and the passcode is 282803. The books for the upcoming year are:

- Nov. Sam Bourne *Pantheon*
- Dec. Marcus T. Borg *Meeting Jesus for the First Time Again*
- Feb. Delia Owens *Where the Crawdads Sing*
- Mar. Church Lent text, to be confirmed
- Apr. Benjamin Myres *The Offing*
- May. Christy Lefteri *The Beekeeper of Aleppo*
- Jun. Anne Patchett *The Dutch House*

The convenor of the Book Group is Gordon McCulloch who can be contacted via email at mccullochgordon@hotmail.com.

CONTACT GROUP NEWS... St Mary's has a group of trained people who are available for pastoral contact. Anyone feeling that either they or someone they know might welcome support for any reason please contact Franny Mawditt, email contact@thecathedral.org.uk

JUSTICE AND AID NETWORK... Anyone wishing to join the network and receive regular updates about events and campaigns, please email office@thecathedral.org.uk

LGBT NETWORK... For further information on the LGBT Network or to be added to the mailing list for the network, please contact Beth on elizabeth.routledge@gmail.com.

MOVIES@STMARYS... For further information contact Steve Innes on movies@thecathedral.org.uk

THE NEEDLE ARTS GROUP... The group is unable to meet at the moment. When it does meet, it meets on the 2nd Monday, monthly from 19.30-21.00 at the iCafe (Great Western Road opposite the Cathedral). Everyone is welcome to come along with their current project. Contact Pam Barrowman (0141 357 0212) or Sandy Fraser (0141 357 4398).

STUDENTS AND YOUNG ADULTS AT ST MARY'S... There is a group of students and young adults who have a connection to St Mary's. For more information, to hear about upcoming events, or to just chat, please message our Instagram [@s_ya_stmarys](https://www.instagram.com/s_ya_stmarys).

OTHER GROUPS... Not all groups that happen at St Mary's are able to meet at the moment. Details of other activities are posted on the website and advertised in the service sheets as appropriate.

NEWSLETTER... To receive email updates sign up via the Cathedral website.

TRAIDCRAFT STALL... As the Traidcraft stall is currently unable to operate, and is unlikely to resume before the Spring, the store cupboard in the Synod hall has been cleared out and as much food as possible has been donated to a local food bank. A similar check will be carried out in March on any remaining food, when we may have a clearer idea of when the stall is likely to be able to open again.

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