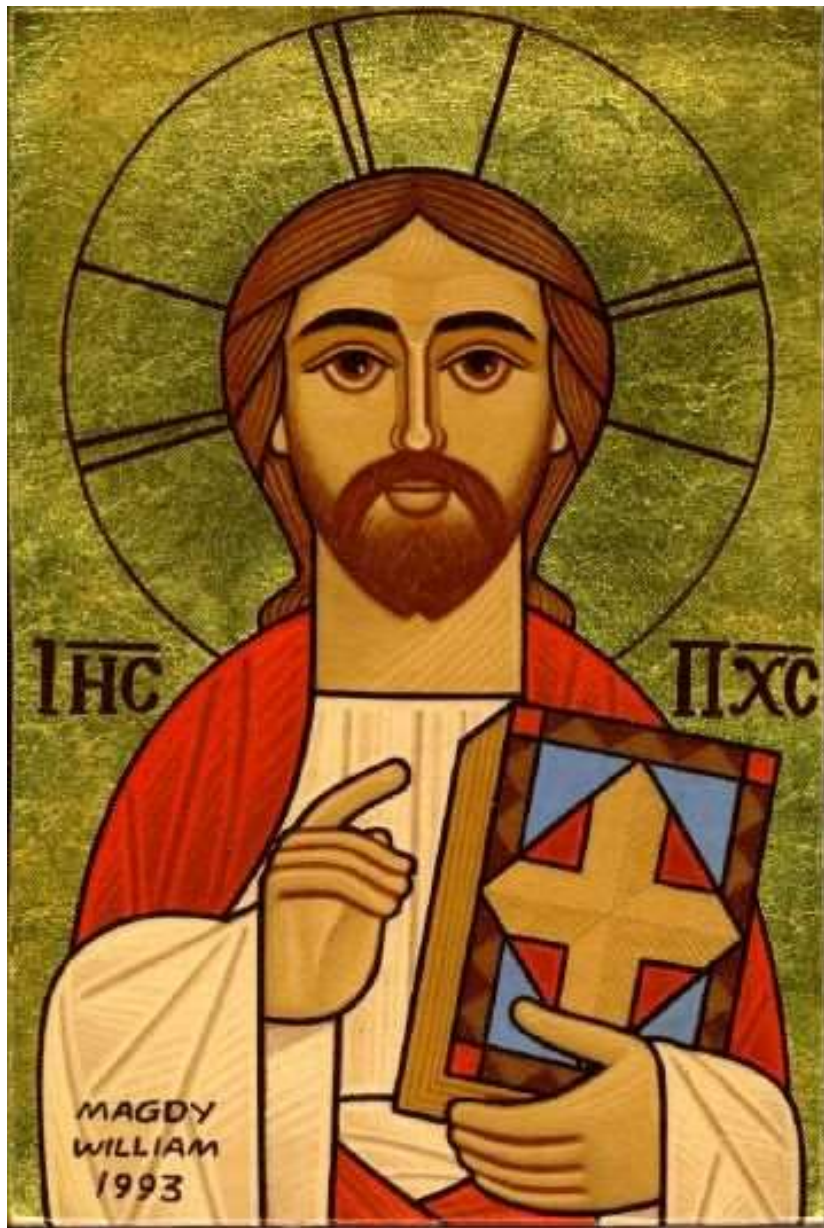


# All Age Eucharist



**Fourteenth Sunday  
after Trinity  
St Edmund the King  
Northwood Hills**

# The Order of Eucharist

*Please stand when the bell rings*

- 1 "Lift up your hearts!" We lift them, Lord, to Thee;  
Here at Thy feet none other may we see;  
"Lift up your hearts!" E'en so, with one accord,  
We lift them up, we lift them to the Lord.
- 2 Above the level of the former years,  
The mire of sin, the weight of guilty fears,  
The mist of doubt, the blight of love's decay,  
O Lord of Light, lift all our hearts today!
- 3 Above the swamps of subterfuge and shame,  
The deeds, the thoughts, that honor may not name,  
The halting tongue that dares not tell the whole,  
O Lord of Truth, lift every Christian soul!
- 4 Lift every gift that Thou Thyself hast given;  
Low lies the best till lifted up to heaven;  
Low lie the bounding heart, the teeming brain,  
Till, sent from God, they mount to God again.
- 5 Then, as the trumpet call, in after years,  
"Lift up your hearts!" rings pealing in our ears,  
Still shall those hearts respond, with full accord  
"We lift them up, we lift them to the Lord!"

*(Please remain Standing)*

## Introductory Rite

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**

## **Penitential Rite**

Priest Kyrie Eleison (Lord have mercy)

All **Kyrie Eleison**

Kyrie Eleison **Kyrie Eleison**

*Lord of reconciliation, heal our wounds in darkest times*

Kyrie Eleison **Kyrie Eleison**

*In the midst of fear and violence, make our lives a prayer of peace.*

Christe Eleison (Christ have mercy)

**Christe Eleison**

*Healer of the broken hearted, guide us to heavens shores.*

Kyrie Eleison **Kyrie Eleison**

Kyrie Eleison **Kyrie Eleison**

*The priest tells us we are forgiven and all respond*

**Amen.**

## **Gloria**

***Gloria Gloria Gloria 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 Gloria.....***

***Jesus Saviour of all***

***Lord God lamb of God, You take away our sins, oh Lord***

***Have mercy on us all Gloria Gloria.....***

***At the Father's right hand Lord receive our prayer***

***for you alone are the Holy One***

***and you alone are Lord Gloria Gloria.....***

***Glory Father and Son Glory Holy Spirit***

***to you we raise our hands up high***

***we glorify your name Gloria Gloria.....***

*The Priest prays the special prayer for today*

## **The Collect**

Merciful God,  
your Son came to save us  
and bore our sins on the cross:  
may we trust in your mercy  
and know your love,  
rejoicing in the righteousness  
that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

## **Liturgy of the Word**

### **New Testament Reading**

#### **A Reading from the letter of St James**

Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. In fulfilment of his own purpose he gave us birth by the word of truth, so that we would become a kind of first fruits of his creatures.

You must understand this, my beloved: let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger; for your anger does not produce God's righteousness. Therefore rid yourselves of all sordidness and rank growth of wickedness, and welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save your souls.

But be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves. For if any are hearers of the word and not doers, they are like those who look at themselves in a mirror; for they look at themselves and, on going away, immediately forget what they were like. But those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not hearers who forget but doers who act—they will be blessed in their doing.

If any think they are religious, and do not bridle their tongues but deceive their hearts, their religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to care for orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world.

This is the word of the Lord

**Thanks be to God**

## **Gradual Hymn**

Purify my heart,  
Let me be as gold and precious silver.  
Purify my heart,  
Let me be as gold, pure gold.

*(Chorus)*

*Refiner's fire,  
My heart's one desire  
Is to be... holy;  
Set apart for You, Lord.  
I choose to be... holy;  
Set apart for You, my Master,  
Ready to do Your will.*



Purify my heart,  
Cleanse me from within  
And make me holy.  
Purify my heart,  
Cleanse me from my sin, deep within.

*(Chorus)*

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## **Gospel Reading**

*(please remain standing)*

Alleluia, alleluia.

I am the living bread that came down from heaven says the Lord  
Whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

**All Alleluia.**

The Lord be with you

**And also with you**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

Now when the Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around him, they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with defiled hands, that is, without washing them. (For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they thoroughly wash their hands, thus observing the tradition of the elders; and they do not eat anything from the market unless they wash it; and there are also many other traditions that they observe, the washing of cups, pots, and bronze kettles.) So the Pharisees and the scribes asked him, 'Why do your disciples not live according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with defiled hands?' He said to them, 'Isaiah prophesied rightly about you hypocrites, as it is written,

"This people honours me with their lips,

but their hearts are far from me;

in vain do they worship me,

teaching human precepts as doctrines."

You abandon the commandment of God and hold to human tradition.'

Then he called the crowd again and said to them, 'Listen to me, all of you, and understand: there is nothing outside a person that by going in can defile, but the things that come out are what defile.' For it is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come: fornication,

theft, murder, adultery, avarice, wickedness, deceit, licentiousness, envy, slander, pride, folly. All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person.’.

This is the Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## Homily

### The Creed

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.**

*cf Ephesians 3*

### Prayer of the Faithful

After each petition we sing

Lord hear our prayer Lord hear our prayer Lord in your mer cy

Lord hear our prayer

# Liturgy of the Eucharist

## The Peace

*The priest introduces the peace*

The peace of the Lord be always with you

**And also with you**

Let us offer one another a sign of peace

*We share the Peace*



## Offertory

*As the **Offertory Hymn** is sung the Gifts are placed on the Altar*

**1** From heaven you came, helpless  
babe,  
Entered our world, your glory  
veiled;  
Not to be served but to serve,  
And give your life that we might  
live.

### **Refrain**

*This is our God, the Servant  
King,  
He calls us now to follow him,  
To bring our lives as a daily  
offering  
Of worship to the Servant King.*

**2** There in the garden of tears,  
My heavy load he chose to bear;  
His heart with sorrow was torn,  
'Yet not my will but yours,' he  
said. **Refrain**

**3** Come, see his hands and his  
feet,  
The scars that speak of  
sacrifice,  
Hands that flung stars into  
space  
To cruel nails surrendered.

### **Refrain**

**4** So let us learn how to serve,  
And in our lives enthrone him;  
Each other's needs to prefer,  
For it is Christ we're serving. **Refrain**

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## **Preparation of the gifts**

Pray my brothers and sisters that this my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the Almighty Father

**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and Glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his Church.**

*The priest says the Prayer over the gifts after which all reply Amen*

## **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 all respond*

**Holy Holy Holy is the Lord  
Holy is the Lord God Almighty  
Holy Holy Holy is the Lord  
Holy is the Lord God Almighty  
Who was and is and is to come,  
Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord.**

**Blessed, Blessed, Blessed is the Lord  
Blest is he who comes in the Lord's name  
Blessed, Blessed, Blessed is the Lord  
Blest is he who comes in the Lord's name  
Hosanna in the highest heaven  
Blessed, blessed, blessed is the Lord**



*The priest recalls the Last Supper*

Great is the mystery of faith

**Christ has died:**

**Christ is risen:**

**Christ will come again**

*The Prayer continues and leads into the doxology*

*Priest* Through him with him and in him in  
the unity of the Holy Spirit  
All Glory and honour is yours  
Almighty Father  
For ever and ever

**All Amen**

**We lift our hearts and voices to you  
as we sing**

**AMEN**

**So shall it be for ever**

**AMEN**

**AMEN**

**We lift our hearts and voices  
to you as we sing**

**AMEN**

**So shall it be for ever**

**AMEN**



As Jesus taught us so we pray

**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.**

## **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**

## **Agnus Dei**

Lamb of God

**Lamb of God**

You take away

**You take away**

The sin of all

**The sin of all**

the world

**the world**

Miserere Nobis (*have mercy on us*)

**Miserere Nobis**

Bread of Life

**Bread of Life**

You take away

**You take away**

The sin of all

**The sin of all**

the world

**the world**

Miserere Nobis

**Miserere Nobis**

Agnus Dei (*Lamb of God*)

**Agnus Dei**

You take away

**You take away**

The sin of all

**The sin of all**

the world

**the world**

Dona nobis pacem (*Give us your peace*)

**Dona nobis pacem**

Dona nobis pacem

**Dona nobis pacem**

Dona nobis pacem

**Dona nobis pacem**



Behold 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**

## Giving of Communion

*Those who receive communion please come forward, those who have not been admitted to Holy Communion are invited to come forward for a blessing.*

The Body of Christ      **Amen**

The Blood of Christ      **Amen**



## Hymn after Communion

Longing for light, we wait in darkness.  
Longing for truth, we turn to you.  
Make us your own, your holy people,  
light for the world to see.

*Christ, be our light!*

*Shine in our hearts.*

*Shine through the darkness.*

*Christ, be our light!*

*Shine in your church gathered today.*



Longing for peace, our world is troubled.  
Longing for hope, many despair.  
Your word alone has power to save us.  
Make us your living voice.

*Christ, be our light!*

Longing for food, many are hungry.  
Longing for water, many still thirst.  
Make us your bread, broken for others,  
shared until all are fed.

*Christ, be our light!*

Longing for shelter, many are homeless.  
Longing for warmth, many are cold.  
Make us your building, sheltering others,  
walls made of living stone.

*Christ, be our light!*

Many the gifts, many the people,  
many the hearts that yearn to belong.  
Let us be servants to one another,  
making your kingdom come.

*Christ, be our light!*

## **Prayer after Communion**

Lord God, the source of truth and love,  
keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship,  
united in prayer and the breaking of bread,  
and one in joy and simplicity of heart,  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

**We thank you, Lord  
that you have fed us in this sacrament,  
united us with Christ,  
and given us a foretaste of the heavenly banquet  
prepared for all peoples. Amen**

## **Notices *(please sit)***

### **Parish Prayer** (please stand)

**O Eternal Father, help us to build up the Church in this parish  
to the glory of your name, in honour of St Edmund, and for the hope  
and inspiration of all your people, through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**Amen**

## Final Hymn

O Jesus, I have promised to serve Thee to the end;  
Be Thou forever near me, my Master and my Friend;  
I shall not fear the battle if Thou art by my side,  
Nor wander from the pathway if Thou wilt be my Guide.

O let me feel Thee near me! The world is ever near;  
I see the sights that dazzle, the tempting sounds I hear;  
My foes are ever near me, around me and within;  
But Jesus, draw Thou nearer, and shield my soul from sin.

O let me hear Thee speaking in accents clear and still,  
Above the storms of passion, the murmurs of self will.  
O speak to reassure me, to hasten or control;  
O speak, and make me listen, Thou Guardian of my soul.

O Jesus, Thou hast promised to all who follow Thee  
That where Thou art in glory there shall Thy servant be.  
And Jesus, I have promised to serve Thee to the end;  
O give me grace to follow, my Master and my Friend.

O let me see Thy footprints, and in them plant mine own;  
My hope to follow duly is in Thy strength alone.  
O guide me, call me, draw me, uphold me to the end;  
And then in Heaven receive me, my Saviour and my Friend.

# Blessing

The Lord be with you

**And also with you**

May the Father from whom every family  
in earth and heaven receives its name  
strengthen you with his Spirit in your inner being,  
so that Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith;  
and the blessing of God Almighty + the Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit be with you and remain with you always

**Amen**

Go in the peace of Christ.

**Thanks be to God**



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