

Holy Trinity 10am Parish Eucharist

5th March 2023

The Second Sunday Lent

Rebirth

5pm Service today is a Taize service

VOLUNTARY

Adoration
(played by Amelia Parkin)

Florence Price

*During which the following prayer is shown
for some of the time on the screens:*

Lord, in these days of mercy, make us quiet and prayerful;
in these days of challenge, make us stronger in you;
in these days of emptiness, take possession of us;
in these days of waiting, open our hearts
to the mystery of your cross.
Amen.

THE GATHERING

Informal welcome

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Melcombe

NEH 238

1 New every morning is the love
our wakening and uprising prove;
through sleep and darkness safely brought,
restored to life, and power, and thought.

2 New mercies, each returning day,
hover around us while we pray;
new perils past, new sins forgiven,
new thoughts of God, new hopes of heaven.

3 If on our daily course our mind
be set to hallow all we find,
new treasures still, of countless price,
God will provide for sacrifice.

4 The trivial round, the common task,
will furnish all we ought to ask,
room to deny ourselves, a road
to bring us daily nearer God.

5 Only, O Lord, in thy dear love
fit us for perfect rest above;
and help us this and every day
to live more nearly as we pray.

THE GREETING

President In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.

All **Amen.**

President The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

President Please be seated

*The President introduces the service and theme.
The Things He Carried: A crown of thorns is presented*

PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

Deacon The sacrifice of God is a broken spirit;
a broken and contrite heart God will not despise.
Let us come to the Lord, who is full of compassion,
and acknowledge our transgressions in penitence and
faith.

All **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.

KYRIE

St Anne's Mass

**Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy; Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy**

President Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
who in his great mercy
has promised forgiveness of sins
to all those who with heartfelt repentance and true faith
turn to him:
have mercy on you,
pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,
and bring you to everlasting life,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
All **Amen.**

THE COLLECT

President Almighty God,
by the prayer and discipline of Lent
may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings,
and by following in his Way
come to share in his glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
All **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

A READING FROM THE BIBLE *Genesis 12.1–4a*

Read by Gill Price

Reader This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn

NEH 76

Breslau

1 Take up thy cross, the Saviour said,
if thou wouldst my disciple be;
deny thyself, the world forsake,
and humbly follow after me.

2 Take up thy cross, let not its weight
fill thy weak spirit with alarm;
his strength shall bear thy spirit up,
and brace thy heart, and nerve thine arm.

3 Take up thy cross then in his strength,
and calmly every danger brave;
'twill guide thee to a better home,
and lead to victory o'er the grave.

4 Take up thy cross, and follow Christ,
nor think till death to lay it down;
for only they who bear the cross
may hope to wear the glorious crown.

5 To thee, great Lord, the One in Three,
all praise for evermore ascend;
O grant us in our home to see
the heavenly life that knows no end.

GOSPEL READING *John 3.1–17*

Deacon Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to John.

All **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Deacon This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON The Rev'd Steve Jarvis

THE CREED

President Let us affirm our faith in Jesus Christ the Son of God.

All **Though he was divine,
he did not cling to equality with God,
but made himself nothing.
Taking the form of a slave,
he was born in human likeness.
He humbled himself and was obedient to death,
even the death of the cross.**

**Therefore God has raised him on high,
and given him the name above every name:
that at the name of Jesus
every knee should bow,
and every voice proclaim that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.
Amen.**

Philippians 2.6-11

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Led by James Sorel-Cameron

Intercessor In the power of the Spirit and in union with Christ let us
present our intercessions to the Father.

After each section, the following response is used:

All Lord, hear us
Lord, graciously hear us

The prayers conclude with the following:

Intercessor Ever-faithful God, you hear the prayers of those who turn to you in faith and trust: hear these our prayers that our Lenten journey may bring us closer to you and each other. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

THE PEACE

The President introduces the Peace and says

President Since we are justified by faith,
we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,
who has given us access to his grace.

President The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All **And also with you.**

President Let us offer one another a sign of Christ's peace.

PREPARATION OF THE TABLE

OFFERTORY HYMN

HON 422

Ar Hyd Y Nos

1 Lord, we come to ask your healing,
teach us of love;
all unspoken shame revealing,
teach us of love.
Take our selfish thoughts and actions,
petty feuds, divisive factions,
hear us now to you appealing,
teach us of love.

2 Soothe away our pain and sorrow,

hold us in love;
Grace we cannot buy or borrow,
hold us in love.
Though we see but dark and danger,
though we spurn both friend and stranger,
Though we often dread tomorrow,
hold us in love.

3 When the bread is raised and broken,
fill us with love;
Words of consecration spoken,
fill us with love.
As our grateful prayers continue,
make the faith that we have in you
more than just an empty token,
fill us with love.

4 Help us live for one another,
bind us in love;
Stranger, neighbour, father, mother –
bind us in love.
All are equal at your table,
through your spirit make us able
to embrace as sister, brother,
Bind us in love.

The President says a prayer of preparation of the table.

President God of our journey,
as we walk with you on your path of obedience,
sustain us on our way and lead us to your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

President The Lord is here.
All **His Spirit is with us.**

President Lift up your hearts.
All **We lift them to the Lord.**

President Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

President Father, you made the world and love your creation.
You gave your Son Jesus Christ to be our Saviour.
His dying and rising have set us free from sin and death.

We give you thanks
because you give us the spirit of discipline,
that we may triumph over evil and grow in grace,
as we prepare to celebrate the paschal mystery
with mind and heart renewed.

And so we gladly thank you,
with saints and angels praising you, and singing:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

St Anne's Mass

**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.**

President We praise and bless you, loving Father,
through Jesus Christ, our Lord;
and as we obey his command,
send your Holy Spirit,
that broken bread and wine outpoured
may be for us the body and blood of your dear Son.
On the night before he died he had supper with his
friends and, taking bread, he praised you.
He broke the bread, gave it to them and said:
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;
do this in remembrance of me.

When supper was ended he took the cup of wine.
Again he praised you, gave it to them and said:
Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new
covenant, which is shed for you and for many
for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

So, Father, we remember all that Jesus did,
in him we plead with confidence his sacrifice
made once for all upon the cross.
Bringing before you the bread of life
and cup of salvation,
we proclaim his death and resurrection
until he comes in glory.

All Great is the mystery of faith:
Christ has died:
Christ is risen:
Christ will come again.

President Lord of all life,
help us to work together for that day
when your kingdom comes
and justice and mercy will be seen in all the earth.

Look with favour on your people,
gather us in your loving arms
and bring us with all the saints
to feast at your table in heaven.

All Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all honour and glory are yours, O loving Father,
for ever and ever.
Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

President Lord Jesus, remember us in your kingdom
and teach us to pray:

All 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 President breaks the consecrated bread

President Every time we eat this bread
and drink this cup

All We proclaim the Lord's death
until he comes.

THE INVITATION

President Draw near with faith.
Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ
which he gave for you,
and his blood which he shed for you.
Eat and drink
in remembrance that he died for you,
and feed on him in your hearts
by faith with thanksgiving.

All We do not presume
to come to this your table, merciful Lord,
trusting in our own righteousness,

but in your manifold and great mercies.
We are not worthy
so much as to gather up the crumbs under your
table.

But you are the same Lord
whose nature is always to have mercy.
Grant us therefore, gracious Lord,
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ
and to drink his blood,
that our sinful bodies may be made clean
by his body
and our souls washed through
his most precious blood,
and that we may evermore dwell in him,
and he in us.
Amen.

AGNUS DEI

St Anne's Mass

Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy upon us.

Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy upon us.

Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world,
grant us peace.

ANTHEM

God so loved the world

Bob Chilcott

*God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son,
that whoso believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.*

COMMUNION HYMN

NEH 70

Southwell

1 Lord Jesus, think on me,
And purge away my sin:
From earthborn passions set me free,
And make me pure within.

2 Lord Jesus, think on me,
With care and woe opprest;
Let me thy loving servant be,
And taste thy promised rest.

3 Lord Jesus, think on me,
Amid the battle's strife;
In all my pain and misery
Be thou my health and life.

4 Lord Jesus, think on me,
Nor let me go astray;
Through darkness and perplexity
Point thou the heavenly way.

5 Lord Jesus, think on me,
When flows the tempest high:
When on doth rush the enemy
O Saviour, be thou nigh.

6 Lord Jesus, think on me,
That, when the flood is past,
I may the eternal brightness see,
And share thy joy at last.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

President Almighty God,
you see that we have no power of ourselves to help
ourselves:
keep us both outwardly in our bodies,
and inwardly in our souls;

All

Amen.

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

All

Amen.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Gerontius

NEH 439

1 Praise to the Holiest in the height,
and in the depth be praise:
in all his words most wonderful,
most sure in all his ways.

2 O loving wisdom of our God!
When all was sin and shame,
a second Adam to the fight
and to the rescue came.

3 O wisest love! that flesh and blood,
which did in Adam fail,
should strive afresh against the foe,
should strive and should prevail;

4 And that a higher gift than grace
should flesh and blood refine,
God's presence and his very self,
and essence all-divine.

5 O generous love! that he, who smote
in Man for man the foe,
the double agony in Man
for man should undergo;

6 And in the garden secretly,
and on the cross on high,
should teach his brethren, and inspire
to suffer and to die.

7 Praise to the Holiest in the height,
and in the depth be praise:
in all his words most wonderful,
most sure in all his ways.

President
All

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

VOLUNTARY
Ashford

At Sunset

Emma

(played by Amelia Parkin)