Grandparents' Mass



11th October 2018

Gathering

This is our prayer. We pray to the Lord



Welcome by Head Boy and Head Girl



Opening Hymn

Servant King

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

Chorus:

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

Chorus

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

Chorus

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

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.

Chorus

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Introductory Rites

Priest: In the name of the

Father, and of the Son,

and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Priest: The Lord be with you

All: And with your spirit.



Penitential Rite

As we begin our mass together, we reflect for a few moments on the things we need to say sorry to God for.

Priest: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Priest: Christ, have mercy

All: Christ, have mercy.

Priest: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Opening Prayer

The response to the Opening Prayer is:

Amen.



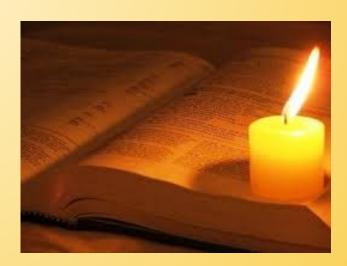
The Liturgy of the Word

We listen together to the readings asking ourselves what God is saying to us today.

The First Reading – Hannah Chan

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

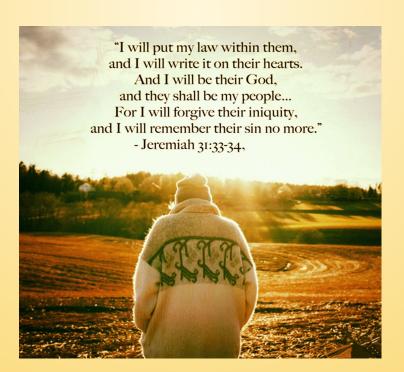
All: Thanks be to God.



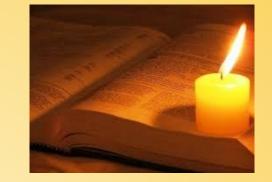
Responsorial Psalm - Response sung by all -

Deep within, I will plant my law, not on stone, but in your heart. Follow me; I will bring you back. You will be my own, and I will be your God.

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The Liturgy of the Word The Gospel Acclamation



All (sung):

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia Read -

You will shine in the world like bright stars because you are offering it the word of life.

All (sung):

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

The Liturgy of the Word

The Gospel

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel

according to Luke

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

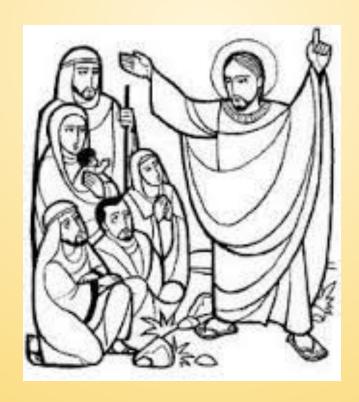
After the Gospel is read:

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Homily

Our Priest will share with us a few thoughts on the readings we have just heard.





Grandparents Prayer



Arundel and Brighton diocesan prayer. Led by Joe Basczcek...please join in

Loving Father we prayer for all Grandparents; help them to reflect your unconditional Love in their relationship with their families.

Grant them the gifts of wisdom and patience to enable them to support their families and to encourage, advise and inspire their children's children.

May they be for their grandchildren a safe refuge of consistency, offering witness to all of life which is inspired by Gospel values, enriched by prayer and fuelled by hope of eternal kingdom



The Bidding Prayers

We offer our prayers to God together.

Reader: Lord in your mercy...

All: Hear Our Prayer



The Offertory

The gifts of bread and wine are brought forward, and the altar is prepared.

Blest are you Lord

 Blest are You, Lord God of all creation, thanks to Your goodness, this bread we offer: Fruit of the earth, work of our hands, It will become the bread of life.

Chorus:

Blessed be God, blessed be God,

Blessed be God, forever. Amen. (x2)

 Blest are you, Lord God of all creation, thanks to Your goodness, this wine we offer: Fruit of the vine, work of our hands, It will become our cup of joy. Priest: Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation. Through your goodness we have this bread to offer, which earth has given and human hands have made. It will become for us the bread of life.

All: Blessed be God forev



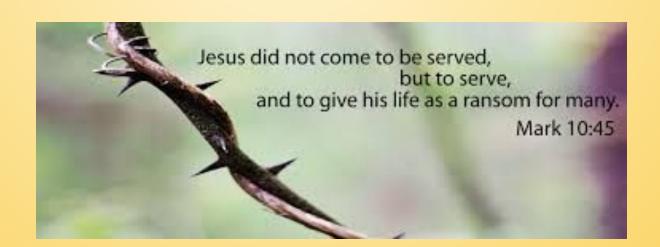
Priest: Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation. Through your goodness we have this wine to offer, fruit of the vine and work of human hands. It will become for us our spiritual drink.

All: Blessed be God forever.



Priest: Pray my brothers and sisters that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

All: 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 holy Church.



The Prayer over the Gifts

The response to the prayer is:

Amen.



Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the

Lord our God.

All: It is right and just





Sung by All:

Holy, Holy, Holy
Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Ho-san-na, Ho-san-na, Ho-san-na in excelsis. Ho-san-na, Ho-san-na, Ho-san-na in excelsis.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Ho-san-na, Ho-san-na, Ho-san-na in excelsis. Ho-san-na, Ho-san-na, Ho-san-na in excelsis.



Memorial Acclamation

Priest:

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

Sung:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, We proclaim your Death, O Lord,

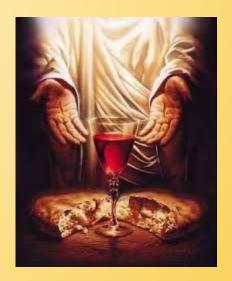
until you come again.



Doxology

Priest: Through him, and with him, in him, oh God almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, for ever and ever.

All: Amen



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.

Priest: Deliver us,

we await the blessed hope
and the coming of our
saviour Jesus Christ.

All: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and forever.

The Prayer for Peace

The response to the prayer for

Peace is: Amen.



Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And with your spirit.

The Sign of Peace

We share the sign of peace with those around us.



Lamb of God: Agnus Dei

Solo Voice: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

Everyone: Mi-se-re-re no-bis

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the world,

Everyone: Do-na no-bis pa-cem

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Priest This is the Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world. Happy are those who are called to his supper.

All:

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Communion

If you are not Catholic, or are not receiving Communion today for any reason, you are welcome to come forward to the priest or minister for a blessing. Please indicate this by crossing your arms across your chest.



Communion Hymn

Let your Living Waters

- Let Your living water flow over my soul,
- Let your Holy Spirit come and take control,
- Of every situation that has troubled my mind,
- All my cares and burdens on to you I find.

Chorus:

- Father, Father, Father.
- (Come on now sing to the Father....)
- Jesus, Jesus, Jesus.
- (Come on now sing to the Spirit...)
- Spirit, Spirit, Spirit.

Communion Reflection



Prayer after Communion

The response to the prayer is:

Amen.



Final Blessing -

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Priest: Go in peace glorifying the Lord by your life.

All: Thanks be to God.

Final Hymn

When I in Awesome Wonder



O Lord my God, When I in awesome wonder consider all the works thy hand hath made.
 I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder, thy pow'r throughout The universe displayed.

Chorus:

Then sings my soul, My Savior God, to Thee,

How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

Then sings my soul, My Savior God, to Thee,

How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander I hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees.
 When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze.

Chorus:

Then sings my soul, My Savior God, to Thee,
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!
Then sings my soul, My Savior God, to Thee,
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

3. When Christ shall come, with shouts of acclamation, and take me home, What joy shall fill my heart!

Then I shall bow in humble adoration and there proclaim, "My God, how great Thou art!"

Chorus:

Then sings my soul, My Savior God, to Thee,
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!
Then sings my soul, My Savior God, to Thee,
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

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