

**Sanctus** (*Holy, holy, holy*) and **Benedictus** (*Blest is the One*) - sung

*Celebrant* Gracious God, in the fullness of time you sent Jesus the Christ ...  
... and to proclaim our faith...

**All:** Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

*Celebrant* Breathe your Holy Spirit, the wisdom of the universe, ...  
...and we bless your holy name for ever.

**All:** Amen.

**The Lord's Prayer** (*sung*)

**Breaking of the Bread**

*Celebrant:* We break this bread

**All:** Communion in Christ's body once broken

*Celebrant:* Let your Church be the wheat which bears its fruit in dying

**All:** If we have died with him, we shall live with him; if we hold firm, we shall reign with him.

**Lamb of God / This Is the Body Of Christ**

**Communion Songs:**

*Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness*

*There Is A Redeemer*

**Prayer after Communion - Trinity**

*Celebrant:* Almighty and eternal God, may we who have received this eucharist worship you in all we do, and proclaim the glory of your majesty. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

**All:** Amen.

**Doxology** (*said*)

*Celebrant:* All your works praise you, O Lord

**People:** And Your faithful servants bless you.

**All:** Gracious God we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. May we, who share his body, live his risen life; we, who drink his cup, bring life to others; we, whom the Spirit lights, give light to the world. Keep us firm in the hope you have set before us, so that we and all your children shall be free, and the whole earth live to praise your name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Blessing** *Given by the Priest*

**Closing Song:**

*Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

**Dismissal**

*Celebrant* dismisses the Congregation

**All:** Thanks be to God!

**Gathering Song**

*Wonderful Merciful Savior*

**Opening Song:**

*Holy Holy Holy Lord God Almighty CP 1*

*Celebrant* The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**All:** And also with you.

*Celebrant:* Almighty God...

**All:** to you all hearts are open, all desires known and from you 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.

*Celebrant:* We say together...

**All:** 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. Amen.

**First Reading:** Proverbs 8: 1-4; 22-31 **All:** ...Thanks be to God

**Psalm 8** (*responsively by the half-verse*)

1 Lord our governor, \* **how exalted is your name in all the world!**

2 Out of the mouths of infants and children \* **your majesty is praised above the heavens.**

3 You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries, \* **to quell the enemy and the avenger.**

4 When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, \* **the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,**

5 What is man that you should be mindful of him? \* **the son of man that you should seek him out?**

6 You have made him but little lower than the angels; \* **you adorn him with glory and honour;**

7 You give him mastery over the works of your hands; \* **you put all things under his feet;**

8 All sheep and oxen, \* **even the wild beasts of the field,**

*(continued...)*

9 The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, \* **and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea.**

10 O Lord our governor, \* **how exalted is your name in all the world!**

### **Psalm 8 - Prayer**

*Celebrant:* Together we pray...

**All:** Blessed are you, creator of heaven and earth; amid the immensity of the universe, you are mindful of us and seek us out.

Blessed are you for the gift of your Son, who humbled himself to share our life that we might be raised with him to glory and splendour. Blessed be your holy name, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

**Second Reading:** Romans 5:1-5

**All:** Thanks be to God!

### **Song before the Gospel**

*Love Divine* CP 486

### **Gospel**

*Celebrant:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

**People:** Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

[John 16: 12-15]

The Gospel of Christ...

**People:** Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

### **Reflection**

#### **Reflection Song:**

*In Christ Alone*

### **Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit

and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of

saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

### **Prayers of the People**

*As directed by intercessor*

### **Prayer for St. Paul's (as needed)**

Heavenly Father, you have welcomed us into your kingdom and your heart's desire is to draw every human being to yourself.

Grant us clear eyes to see people as you see them, sensitive feet to stand in their shoes, and warm smiles to welcome them into your name.

Give us generous hearts, that our church becomes a foretaste of heaven where every soul you send us finds their loving home in the community of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

### **The Confession**

*Celebrant:* Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy. He welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Most merciful God...

**All:** ...we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, o the glory of your name. Amen.

*Celebrant:* In God there is forgiveness. God forgives us, forgive each other, forgive yourselves.

### **The Peace**

*Celebrant:* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**All:** And also with you.

### **Offering Song:**

*Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)*

### **Prayer Over the Gifts - Trinity**

*Celebrant:* Living God, receive all we offer you this day. Grant that hearing your word and responding to your Spirit, we may share in your divine life. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

**All:** Amen.

### **Supplementary Eucharistic Prayer 1**

*Celebrant:* May God be with you.

**All:** And also with you.

*Celebrant:* Lift up your hearts.

**All:** We lift them up to God.

*Celebrant:* Let us give thanks to God our Creator.

**All:** It is right to offer thanks and praise.

*Celebrant:* Holy God, Lover of creation, we give you thanks and praise ...

...Joining in the song of the universe we proclaim your glory singing: *(continued...)*