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ASCENSION | PENTECOST · 2023

HOLY COMMUNION

*Please join in **bold** texts.*

THE ACCLAMATION

Alleluia! Christ is Risen!
The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Day of Pentecost

The Lord will pour out his Spirit upon all flesh,
And your sons and daughters shall prophesy.
Your old men shall dream dreams,
And your young men shall see visions.
You shall know that the Lord is in the midst of his people,
That he is the Lord and there is none else.
And it shall come to pass
That everyone who calls on the Name of the Lord shall be saved.

JOEL 2:27-28, 32; ACTS 2:17, 21

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: 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.

THE SUMMARY OF THE LAW

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says:

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: You shall love your neighbour as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.

MATTHEW 22:37-40

Lord, have mercy upon us, and write both these your laws in our hearts, we beseech you.

THE KYRIE

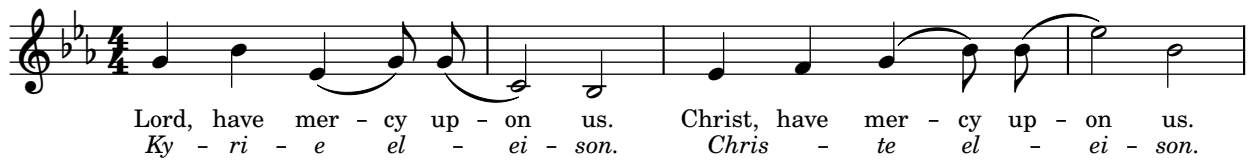
Sung or spoken:

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

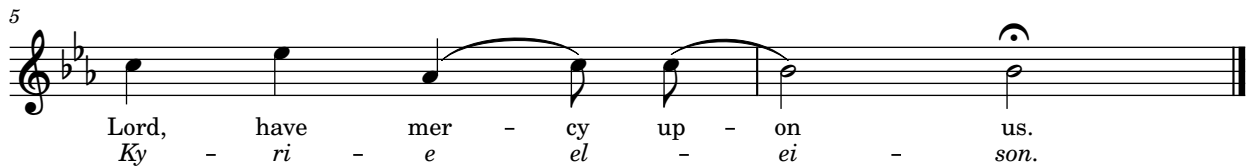
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Edward Norman



Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us.
Ky - ri - e el - ei - son. Chris - te el - ei - son.

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Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.
Ky - ri - e el - ei - son.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Let us pray.

THE SUNDAY AFTER THE ASCENSION *May 21*

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Saviour Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

DAY OF PENTECOST *May 28*

Almighty God, on this day, through the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, you revealed the way of eternal life to every race and nation: Pour out this gift anew, that by the preaching of the Gospel your salvation may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE LESSONS

Psalm 47

Omnes gentes, plaudite

- 1 O clap your hands together, all you peoples;
O cry aloud unto God with shouts of joy.
- 2 For the LORD Most High is to be feared;
he is the great King over all the earth.
- 3 He shall subdue the peoples under us,
and the nations under our feet.
- 4 He shall choose our inheritance for us,
the pride of Jacob whom he loved.
- 5 God has gone up with a shout of triumph,
the LORD with the sound of the trumpet.
- 6 O sing praises, sing praises unto our God;
O sing praises, sing praises unto our King.
- 7 For God is the King of all the earth;
think upon his mighty acts and praise him with a song.
- 8 God reigns over the nations;
God sits on his holy throne.
- 9 The princes of the peoples are gathered with the people of the God
of Abraham;
**for the mighty upon earth have become the servants of the
Lord, and he is very highly exalted.**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;
**as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.**

Psalm 104
Benedic, anima mea

- 24 O LORD, how manifold are your works;
**in wisdom you made them all; the earth is full of your
creatures.**
- 25 So is the great and wide sea also,
**in which are things creeping innumerable, creatures both small
and great.**
- 26 There go the ships, and there is that Leviathan,
whom you made to take its pleasure therein.
- 27 These all wait upon you,
that you may give them food in due season.
- 28 When you give it to them, they gather it,
and when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.
- 29 When you hide your face, they are troubled;
**when you take away their breath, they die, and are turned again
to their dust.**
- 30 When you let your breath go forth, they shall be made,
and you shall renew the face of the earth.
- 31 The glorious majesty of the LORD shall endure for ever;
the LORD shall rejoice in his works.
- 32 He looks at the earth and it trembles;
if he even touches the hills, they shall smoke.
- 33 I will sing unto the LORD as long as I live;
I will praise my God while I have my being,
- 34 And so shall my words please him;
my joy shall be in the LORD.
- 35 As for sinners, they shall perish from the earth, and the ungodly shall
come to an end.
Praise the LORD, O my soul. Praise the LORD.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;
**as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.**

THE NICENE CREED

Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
by whom all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE SERMON

St. Paul's Letter to the Ephesians

THE OFFERTORY

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

EPHESIANS 5:2

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Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for everything in heaven and on earth is yours; yours is the Kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as Head above all. All things come from you, O Lord,

And of your own have we given you.

I CHRONICLES 29:11, 14

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Lord in your mercy:

Hear our prayer.

Please send requests for prayer to:
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THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SIN

All who truly and earnestly repent of your sins, and seek to live in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking in his holy ways: draw near with faith and make your humble confession to Almighty God.

Kneel or sit

**Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
maker and judge of us all:**

**We acknowledge and lament our many sins and offences,
which we have committed by thought, word, and deed
against your divine majesty,
provoking most justly your righteous anger against us.**

**We are deeply sorry for these our transgressions;
the burden of them is more than we can bear.**

Have mercy upon us,

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;

for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,

forgive us all that is past;

**and grant that we may evermore serve and please you in
newness of life, to the honour and glory of your Name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon 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. **Amen.**

THE COMFORTABLE WORDS

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

Come to me, all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

MATTHEW 11:28

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

JOHN 3:16

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

I TIMOTHY 1:15

If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world. I JOHN 2:1-2

THE SURSUM CORDA

Stand

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Preface of the Ascension

Through your dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who after his most glorious resurrection appeared to his Apostles, and in their sight ascended into heaven to prepare a place for us; that where he is, there we might also ascend, and reign with him in glory.

Preface of Pentecost

Through Jesus Christ our Lord; according to whose most true promise, the Holy Ghost came down as at this time from heaven, lighting upon the Apostles, to teach them, and to lead them into all truth; giving them boldness with fervent zeal constantly to preach the Gospel unto all nations; whereby we have been brought out of darkness and error into the clear light and true knowledge of thee, and of thy Son Jesus Christ.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

THE SANCTUS

Spoken:

**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.

Sung:

**Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of
Thy glory. Glory be to Thee, O Lord most high.**

Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord:

Hosanna in the highest.

Edward Norman

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of Hosts: Hea - ven and earth are

5 full of Thy glo - ry, Glo-ry be to Thee, O - Lord most high.

9 Bless-ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord: Ho - san - na in the -

14 high - est.

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

Kneel or sit

We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord,
trusting in our own righteousness,
but in your abundant and great mercies.

Apart from your grace, we are not worthy so much as to gather up
the crumbs under your table;
but you are the same Lord
whose character 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.

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

All praise and glory is yours, O God our heavenly Father, for in your tender mercy, you gave your only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the Cross for our redemption. He made there, by his one offering of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, offering, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and he instituted, and in his Holy Gospel commanded us to continue, a perpetual memory of his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

So now, O merciful Father, in your great goodness, we ask you to bless and sanctify, with your Word and Holy Spirit, these gifts of bread and wine, that we, receiving them according to your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

For on the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body, which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me." **Amen.**

THE AGNUS DEI

Spoken:

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

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

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

Sung:

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world,
have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world,
Grant us Thy peace.

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O Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the world, have

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THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion, and all are welcome forward to be blessed and for prayer.

The chalice or personal cups are available for those receiving wine.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

In confidence and hope, let us pray to the Father in the words our Saviour taught us:

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,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty and everliving God,
we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries,
with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood
of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ;
and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favour and
goodness towards us:
that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son,
the blessed company of all faithful people;
and are also heirs, through hope,
of your everlasting kingdom.
And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father,
to assist us with your grace,
that we may continue in that holy fellowship,
and do all the good works that you have prepared for us to
walk in;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be all honour and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

THE GLORIA

Stand

Spoken:

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Sung:

Glory be to God on high,
and on earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee,
we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,

O Lord God, heavenly King,
God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,
have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy;
thou only art the Lord;

Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

THE BLESSING

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

THE DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.



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