



THE HOLY EUCHARIST  
& HOLY BAPTISM  
*on the*  
ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

20 August 2023 at 10 a.m.

**Organ Prelude**

**Hymn**

306 O for a thousand tongues to sing

*All stand as the celebrant and assistants enter.*

**The Our Father**

**Collect for Purity**

*All.* Almighty God, unto whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Summary of the Law**

*Celebrant.* OUR Lord Jesus Christ said: Hear O Israel, The Lord our God is one Lord; and thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength. This is the first and great commandment And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

*All.* **Lord, have mercy upon us and write both these thy laws in our hearts, we beseech thee.**

**Kyrie Eleison**

*Merbecke*

Lord, have mercy upon us.  
Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.

**The Collect of the Day**

*Celebrant.* The Lord be with you.

*People.* **And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant.* Let us pray.

*All kneel.*

O GOD, who declarest thy almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Mercifully grant unto us such a measure of thy grace, that we, running the way of thy commandments, may obtain thy gracious promises, and be made partakers of thy heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

*Please be seated.*

*A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah (56:1, 6-7)*

Thus says the Lord: Maintain justice, and do what is right, for soon my salvation will come, and my deliverance be revealed. And the foreigners who join themselves to the Lord, to minister to him, to love the name of the Lord, and to be his servants, all who keep the sabbath, and do not profane it, and hold fast my covenant— these I will bring to my holy mountain, and make them joyful in my house of prayer; their burnt-offerings and their sacrifices will be accepted on my altar; for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples. *The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.*

*Psalm (67)*

GOD be merciful unto us, and bless us, / and show us the light of his countenance, and be merciful unto us;  
2 That thy way may be known upon earth, / thy saving health among all nations.  
3 Let the people praise thee, O God; / yea, let all the people praise thee.  
4 O LET the nations rejoice and be glad; / for thou shalt judge the folk righteously, and govern the nations upon earth.  
5 Let the people praise thee, O God; / yea, let all the people praise thee.  
6 THE earth hath brought forth her increase; / and God, even our own God, shall give us his blessing.  
7 God shall bless us; / and all the ends of the world shall fear him.

### The Gospel Acclamation

*All stand.*

*Alleluia. Alleluia.*

Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom  
and cured every disease among the people.

*Alleluia.*

### The Gospel Reading

*Reader* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And with thy spirit.**

*Reader.* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew (15:21-28).

*People* **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Jesus left that place and went away to the district of Tyre and Sidon. Just then a Canaanite woman from that region came out and started shouting, 'Have mercy on me, Lord, Son of David; my daughter is tormented by a demon.' But he did not answer her at all. And his disciples came and urged him, saying, 'Send her away, for she keeps shouting after us.' He answered, 'I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.' But she came and knelt before him, saying, 'Lord, help me.' He answered, 'It is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs.' She said, 'Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters' table.' Then Jesus answered her, 'Woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.' And her daughter was healed instantly.

*Reader* The Gospel of Christ.

*People* **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

### The Homily

*Please be seated.*

## THE LITURGY OF BAPTISM

*All stand.*

*Priest.*

DEARLY beloved in Christ, seeing that God willeth all men to be saved from the fault and corruption of the nature which they inherit, as well as from the actual sins which they commit, and that our Saviour Christ saith, None can enter into the kingdom of God, except he be born anew of Water and of the Holy Spirit, I beseech you to call upon God the Father, through our Lord Jesus Christ, that he will grant to this Child that which by nature he cannot have; that he may be baptized with Water and the Holy Spirit, and received into Christ's holy Church, and be made a living member of the same.

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, who through thy well-beloved Son Jesus Christ didst sanctify Water to the mystical washing away of sin: We beseech thee mercifully to look upon this Child; wash him and sanctify him with the Holy Spirit; that he may be received into thy holy Church; and being stedfast in faith, joyful through hope, and rooted in charity, may so pass through the dangers of this troublesome world, that finally he may come to the land of everlasting life, there to reign with thee world without end; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### The Promises

*Then shall the Priest say to the Parents and Godparents:*

*Priest.*

DEARLY beloved, you have prayed that our Lord Jesus Christ may be pleased to receive, cleanse, and sanctify this Child, and grant unto him the blessing of eternal life, which things Christ, for his

part, will most surely perform. And now this Child, on his part, must through you, his parents and godparents, promise and vow that he will renounce the devil and all his works, believe in Christ, and obediently keep God's commandments.

I demand therefore: DO you, in the name of this Child, renounce the devil and all his works, the vain pomp and glory of the world, with all covetous desires of the same, and the sinful desires of the flesh, so that you will not follow nor be led by them?

*Answer.* I do.

*Priest.* Let us recite the Articles of our Belief.

*All.* **I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell; The third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; The holy Catholic Church; The Communion of Saints; The Forgiveness of sins; The Resurrection of the body, And the Life everlasting. Amen.**

*Then shall the Priest say to the Parents and Godparents:*

*Priest.* DO you, in the name of this Child, profess this faith?

*Answer.* I do.

*Priest.* DO you, in the name of this Child, seek Baptism into this faith?

*Answer.* I do.

*Priest.* DO you, in the name of this Child, acknowledge the duty to keep God's holy will and commandments, walking stedfastly in the Way of Christ?

*Answer.* I do.

*Priest.* WILL you pray for this Child, and take care that he may learn and do all these things?

*Answer.* I will.

*Then shall the Priest make the following supplications as he, along with the parents and godparents, proceed to the font.*

O MERCIFUL God, grant that all sinful desires may die in this Child, and that all things belonging to the Spirit may live and grow in him. **Amen.**

GRANT that he may have power and strength to have victory, and to triumph against the devil, the world, and the flesh. **Amen.**

GRANT that whosoever here shall begin to be of thy flock may evermore continue in the same. **Amen.**

GRANT that whosoever is here dedicated to thee by our office and ministry may also be endued with heavenly virtues, and everlastingly rewarded, through thy mercy, O blessed Lord God, who dost live, and govern all things, world without end. **Amen.**

## **The Baptism**

*Priest.* THE Lord be with you;

*People.* **And with thy spirit.**

*Priest.* Lift up your hearts;

*People.* **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

*Priest.* Let us give thanks unto our Lord God;

*People.* **It is meet and right so to do.**

*Priest.* IT is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God, for that thy most dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ upon the Cross, for the forgiveness of our sins, did shed out of his most precious side both water and blood; and after his glorious Resurrection gave commandment to his disciples, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.

REGARD, we beseech thee, the prayers of thy Church. Sanctify this Water to the mystical washing away of sin; and grant that this Child, now to be baptized therein, may receive the fulness of thy

grace and ever remain in the number of thy faithful and elect children; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, throughout all ages, world without end.

*All.* **Amen.**

*The priest says to the parents and godparents:*  
Name this Child.

*And then, naming him after them, he shall pour water upon him, saying:*

*Elliot Daniel Charles, I BAPTIZE thee In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*Priest.* WE receive this Child into the Congregation of Christ's flock, and do sign him with the sign of the Cross, in token that hereafter he shall not be ashamed to confess the faith of Christ crucified, and manfully to fight under his banner against sin, the world, and the devil, and to continue Christ's faithful soldier and servant unto his life's end. Amen.

*The priest then presents a lighted candle to the parents, saying,*

Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven. *St Matthew 5.16.*

*Priest.* SEEING now, dearly beloved brethren, that this Child is regenerate and grafted into the body of Christ's Church, let us give thanks unto Almighty God for these benefits, and with one accord make our prayers unto him, that this Child may lead the rest of his life according to this beginning.

WE yield thee hearty thanks, most merciful Father, that it hath pleased thee to regenerate this Child with thy Holy Spirit, to receive him for thine own Child by adoption, and to make him a member of thy holy Church. Grant, O Lord, that being baptized into the death of Christ, he may also be made partaker of his resurrection, so that serving thee here in newness of life, he may finally, with all thy holy Church, inherit thine everlasting kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

### The Offertory

*All remain standing. The baptismal party returns to their seats. Gifts of bread and wine are set on the altar and the collection is brought forward.*

508 I heard the voice of Jesus say

### The Prayer over the Gifts

*Celebrant.* Blessed be thou, Lord God of Israel, for ever and ever.  
All that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine.

*All.* **All things come of thee, and of thine own have we given thee.**

### The Confession & Absolution

*Minister.* Ye that do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways: Draw near with faith, and take this holy Sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to Almighty God, meekly kneeling upon your knees.

*All.* Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all: We acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness, Which we from time to time most grievously have committed, By thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*The celebrant gives the Absolution, at the end of which all respond, Amen.*

## The Comfortable Words

### The Thanksgiving & Consecration

*Celebrant.* The Lord be with you;

*People.* **And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant.* Lift up your hearts;

*People.* **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

*Celebrant.* Let us give thanks unto our Lord God;

*People.* **It is meet and right so to do.**

*The celebrant continues with the Preface.*

*All sing together the Sanctus & Benedictus.*

*All.* **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.**

*All kneel. The priest continues with The Consecration.*

*At the end of the Consecration, all respond Amen.*

### The Our Father

*Celebrant.* As our Saviour Christ hath commanded and taught us, we are bold to say:

*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 them that 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.**

### The Peace

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

*People.* **And with thy spirit.**

### The Prayer of Humble Access *(together)*

WE do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, Trusting in our own righteousness, But in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy So much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord, Whose property is always to have mercy: Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, So to eat the Flesh of thy 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 *(sung together)*

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 upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world,  
grant us thy peace.

## THE COMMUNION

*If you have been baptised in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, you are welcome to receive Holy Communion today. Please proceed to the altar rail or to the communion station at the side altar if you wish to receive. The chalice being offered at the high altar. If you do not wish to receive the chalice, cross your arms over your chest. Intinction (dipping the host into the chalice) is not permitted at St. Paul's. If you would like Holy Communion brought to your pew, please notify a sidesperson prior to the beginning of the liturgy.*

### Hymn during Communion

615 Just as I am

### Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Celebrant.* Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee that thou dost graciously feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; assuring us thereby of thy favour and goodness towards us; and that we are living members of his mystical body, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of thy everlasting kingdom.

*All.* **And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee. And although we are unworthy, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offences; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. Amen.**

### **The Blessing**

*Celebrant.* The peace of God, which passeth 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 Ghost, be amongst you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

### **Hymn**

486 Love divine, all loves excelling

### **Organ Postlude**

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