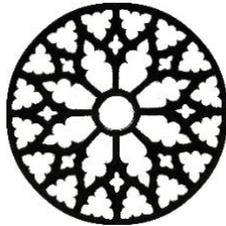




A Service of the Breaking of Bread

St Mary's Charlton Kings



The Gathering

Welcome and Introduction

The minister welcomes the people with a greeting, which may include

There is one God
And one mediator between heaven and earth,
The man Christ Jesus,
Who gave Himself as a ransom for all people.

Whoever is for the Lord,
Let them join with me,
That we may come to that vision of God almighty.

(Option A) **I make the cross of Christ upon my heart,
+ over the tablet of my soul, as I pray to the
living God of the universe,
that the light of lights may come to my dark heart
so that I may live forever in the power of His love.**

(Option B) **Hold me close dear Lord Jesus,
let your love surround me.
Bring me near to Your side;
and, as I wait, I will rise like an eagle,
to soar with You.
Your Spirit leads me on
by the power of Your love.**

HYMN:

Prayers of Penitence

The minister introduces the confession.

**Lord God,
we have sinned against you;
we have done evil in your sight.
We are sorry and repent.
Have mercy on us according to your love.
Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from our sin.
Renew a right spirit within us
and restore to us the joy of your salvation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

May God pour down upon us from heaven
the rich blessing of His forgiveness.
Grant to us, O Saviour of Glory, Your Love,
Your Grace & Your Pardon. **Amen.**

The Collect for the Day

The Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament/Epistle:

After each reading this response may be used

This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

HYMN:

Gospel: Luke 13:10-17

Sermon/Talk

Creed

The minister introduces the creed.

**There is one God, unbegotten and without beginning,
The Lord of the Universe, and His Son Jesus Christ,
whom we declare to have always been with the Father,
who of His Father is begotten and before the beginning of
the world, that by Him all things were made, all things visible
and invisible.**

**He was made man and defeated death
and was received into heaven by the Father,
who has given Him power over all people
in heaven and on earth, and under the earth,
to proclaim forgiveness and salvation.**

Every tongue will acknowledge Him as Lord and God.

**We believe we will receive according to our
deeds, and that He will pour out upon us; His love,
in all His abundance: giving us His faithful people,
the gift of eternal life.**

**We acknowledge and adore Him as Lord in the Trinity
of God's Holy Name.**

HYMN:

Prayers

Prayers of Intercession

The following response may be used

Lord, in your mercy.

Receive our prayer.

And at the end

Merciful Father,
**accept these prayers
for the sake of your Son,
our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

If there is no Eucharist the Lord's Prayer is used here followed by the final

The Eucharist

The Peace

The president may introduce the Peace with a suitable sentence, and then says

Christ, the king of tenderness,
bind us with a bond that cannot be broken.
Bind us in your love,
the love that cannot be taken away.

My brothers & sisters,
the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be always with you.
And also with you.

These words may be added

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

All may exchange a sign of peace.

Preparation of the Table

OFFERTORY HYMN:

*The table is prepared and bread and wine are placed upon it.
One or more of the prayers at the preparation of the table may be said.*

The Eucharistic Prayer

Look with kindness on your people
gathered here before You.
Send forth the power of Your Spirit
So that these gifts of bread and wine
may become for us the Body & Blood of
Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, the Christ
in whom we trust and have become Your own.

Therefore with angels and archangels,
and with all the company of heaven,
we proclaim your great and glorious name,
Forever praising you and *saying/singing*,

**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.

Accept our praises, heavenly Father,
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ,
and as we follow his example and obey his command,
grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit
these gifts of bread and wine
may be to us his body and his blood;

who, in the same night that he was betrayed,
took bread and gave you 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.

In the same way, after supper
he took the cup and gave you thanks;
he gave it to them, saying:
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.

Christ is the bread of life:

**When we eat this bread and drink this cup,
we proclaim your death, Lord Jesus,
until you come in glory.**

If you are thirsty, drink from the font of life.
If you are hungry, eat the Bread of life.
Blessed are all who hunger for the bread of life
and thirst for the cup of salvation.

**Blessing and honour and glory and power
be yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour has taught us, so we pray:

**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,
forever and ever. Amen.**

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ
**Though we are many, we are one body
because we all share in the one bread.**

Giving of Communion



After Communion

**Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us
with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies
to be a living sacrifice.
Send us out in the power of your Spirit
to live and work to your praise and glory.
Amen.**

Conclusion

FINAL HYMN:

May God our Father this day, strengthen your hearts
and guard your souls.
As you go out into the world may God fill you with His peace
and His love.

And the blessing of God Almighty
Father Son and Holy Spirit
Be upon you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

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



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