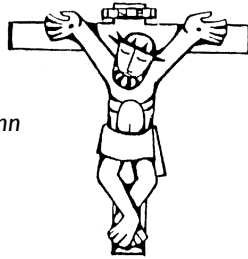


The Eucharist during LENT

¶ The Gathering

The Notices are usually given by the Warden on duty after which please stand for the opening hymn



Opening Hymn

The Greeting

Grace, mercy, and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all **and also with you.**

The president introduces the day's liturgy

Prayers of Penitence

We are invited to confess our sins. Please remain standing

The president leads the sentences of confession, each ending with the response

.... Lord have mercy,
Lord have mercy

.... Christ have mercy,
Christ have mercy

.... Lord have mercy,
Lord have mercy

The following may then be sung

**Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy
Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy
Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy**

The Absolution is given

(Then the children's groups, if present, gather in the centre of the church to leave for their own ministry of the Word)



The Collect

¶ The Liturgy of the Word

Please sit for the Reading

At the end the reader may say

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

Please stand for the
Gradual Hymn and Gospel

Gospel Reading

When the Gospel is announced the reader says

Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory. Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.
Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to
Glorify to you, O Lord.

The Gospel is read

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Please sit for the **Sermon**

Stand for the Affirmation of Faith

Let us affirm our faith in Jesus Christ the Son of God.

**Though he was divine,
he did not cling to equality with God,
but made himself nothing.
Taking the form of a slave,
he was born in human likeness.
He humbled himself
and was obedient to death,
even the death of the cross.
Therefore God has raised him on high,
and given him the name above every name:**

that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, and every voice proclaim that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. **Amen.**

Please sit or kneel for the
Prayers of Intercession

Either of these responses may be used

Lord, in your mercy
hear our prayer.

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

¶ The Liturgy of the Sacrament

Please stand for **The Peace**

The peace of the Lord be always with you
and also with you.

All may exchange a sign of peace.

Offertory Hymn

during which the collection is taken

Preparation of the Table

The bread and wine are placed on the altar.
The collection is taken.

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation: through your goodness we have this bread to set before you, which earth has given and human hands have made. It will become for us the bread of life.
All Blessed be God for ever.

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation: through your goodness we have this wine to set before you, fruit of the vine and work of human hands. It will become for us the cup of salvation.
All Blessed be God for ever.

Please remain standing for the Eucharistic Prayer

The Eucharistic Prayer (Prayer B, E or F)

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All The Lord be with you
and also with you.

All Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

All Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give thanks and praise.

*The president praises God for his mighty acts
and all respond*

All **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.**

*The prayer continues and may include
the following acclamations*

(Prayer B & E)

All Jesus Christ is Lord:
**Lord, by your cross
and resurrection
you have set us free.
You are the Saviour
of the world.**

*The Prayer continues
at the end all respond*

All **Amen.**

(Prayer F)

Amen. Lord, we believe.
All **Amen. Lord, we believe.**

Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.
All **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.
All **Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

*The Prayer continues
at the end all respond*

All **Amen.**

*Please KNEEL or SIT We have
a time for private prayer,
reflection and meditation.*

*The children's groups rejoin
us for the Lord's Prayer.*



The Lord's Prayer *is said*

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*As our saviour taught us
so we pray*

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today
our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Lead us not
into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom,
the power, and the
glory are yours now
and for ever. Amen.**

*Let us pray with confidence as
our Saviour has 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,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Breaking of the Bread

*The President breaks the
consecrated bread, saying*



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

All **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 peace.**

Giving of Communion

Before the distribution the president says

Jesus is the Lamb of God
who takes away the sin of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.
All **Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word, and I shall be healed.**

The president and people receive communion.

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*You are encouraged to come forward straight away to
receive communion or a blessing (following the choir if
there is one!)*

During the distribution hymns and anthems may be sung.

Prayer after Communion

All **Father of all,
we give you thanks and praise,
that when we were still far off you met us in
your Son and brought us home.
Dying and living, he declared your love,
gave us grace, and opened the gate of glory.
May we who share Christ's 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 we and all your children shall be
free, and the whole earth live to praise your
name; through Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

¶ The Dismissal

*Please stand for the **Final Hymn***

The Clarendon Team Prayer

All **Lord God,
the source of our unity,
faith and love:
bless the Clarendon Team,
that sharing our gifts
we may proclaim the gospel
and reveal your glory,
in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

Blessing

The president gives a blessing, then a minister says

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

Please do not take this order of service away with you

