

HOLY INNOCENTS FALLOWFIELD



Sunday, November 7th 2021
Third Sunday Before Advent

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Welcome to Holy Innocents.

*This leaflet contains all you need to join in the service. Words in **bold print** are spoken or sung by all. Hymns are not announced.*

For visitors, Gift Aid envelopes are available.

It is our tradition be as still and quiet as possible before the service as we prepare together to celebrate the Eucharist.

When the bell rings, please stand to join in:

ENTRANCE HYMN 206

The president today is the Revd Jane Walker who introduces the service. Please remain standing for the greeting and act of penitence.

+ In the name of the Father,
and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

After a short silence:

Lord, you are gracious and compassionate:

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

You are loving to all and your mercy is over all your creation:

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Your faithful servants bless your name and speak of the glory of your kingdom:

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

May God forgive us our sins, heal and strengthen us by his Spirit, and raise us to new life in Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The setting for the Gloria is responsorial. Please join in the repeated refrain:

**Gloria 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. **R/**

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. **R/**

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. **R/**

THE COLLECT The prayer for this Sunday

Let us pray.

After a moment of silent prayer the president says the Collect.

*At the end: **Amen.***

Please sit down for the Ministry of the Word.

FIRST READING Jonah 3.1-5,10

The word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time, saying, 'Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you.' So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the Lord.

Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk.

And he cried out, 'Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!' And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth. When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

At the end:

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 62

Find rest, my soul, in God alone;
on him my hope depends.

He is my fortress and my rock;
salvation sure he sends.

My aid and honour come from God,
my refuge strong and sure.

Let all God's servants trust the Lord;
in him we are secure.

The great of earth are less than dust;
all mortal strength is vain.

And fools alone rely on wealth
or prize ill-gotten gain.

I know, O God, that you are strong,
a faithful, loving Lord.

Our every deed, for good or ill,
you surely will reward.

SECOND READING Hebrews 9.24-end

At the end:

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please stand for the Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia:

Listen to the Gospel,
good news for everyone.

Stories of Jesus, good news for everyone –
listen in faith and love to God's holy word!

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.....

GOSPEL READING Mark 1.14-20

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Mark.

Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end:

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Please sit down for the sermon. The preacher today is the Revd Richard Young. After the sermon there will be a time of silence. Then all please stand with the president for the Creed:

We believe in God the Father,

**from whom every family
in heaven and on earth is named.**

We believe in God the Son,
**who lives in our hearts through faith,
and fills us with his love.**

We believe in God the Holy Spirit,
who strengthens us with power from on high.

We believe in one God;

Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Please remain standing for the Prayer of the Faithful. After each section:

Lord, in your mercy

hear our prayer.

After the final section (for the departed) there will be a time of silent prayer. At the end:

Merciful Father,

accept these prayers

**for the sake of your son,
our saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

The president introduces THE PEACE:

We are the Body of Christ. In the one Spirit
we were all baptized into one body.

Let us then pursue all that makes for peace
and builds up our common life.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

All exchange a sign of peace, and then join in:

HYMN 335

The bread and wine are brought to the altar. The president says a prayer over the gifts to which we all respond:

Blessed be God for ever.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER follows.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give thanks and praise.

THE PRESIDENT continues the prayer, thanking God for his saving works, and then invites the people to join their praises with the whole company of heaven:

.....for ever praising you and 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.

THE PRESIDENT asks the Father to send the Holy Spirit to sanctify the bread and wine, and then repeats the Lord's own words over the bread and cup.....

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died: Christ is risen:

Christ will come again.

THE PRESIDENT CONTINUES, joining our offering with Christ's sacrifice of himself. At the end of the prayer the president says:

.....all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever:

Amen.

The President introduces the Lord's Prayer and all say together:

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.

We sit or kneel as the president breaks the consecrated bread in pieces for all to share:

We break this bread

to share in the body of Christ.

Though we are many we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

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.

The president addresses those who wish to come to Holy Communion:

Behold the Lamb of God

who takes away the sins of the world;

blessed are those

who are called to his supper.

Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I shall be healed.

All who wish draw near to the altar. Those who are baptized, whether or not yet confirmed, as well as communicant members of other Christian churches, are invited to receive Holy Communion. Others are asked to fold their arms for a blessing.

When all have received Holy Communion what remains of the consecrated bread will be placed in the tabernacle and there will be a time of silence. Then all please stand with the President.

Let us pray.

After a moment of silent prayer.

Gracious Lord,

in this holy sacrament

you give substance to our hope:

bring us at the last

to that fullness of life

for which we long;

through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

**When Jesus saw the fishermen
In boats upon the sea:
He called to them
'Come leave your nets –
and follow, follow me.'**
They followed where he healed the sick
And gave the hungry bread,
And others joined them as they went –
Wherever Jesus led.

**And now his friends are everywhere;
The circle once so small
Extends around the whole wide world
For Jesus calls us all.
In this great circle we belong,
Wherever we may be,
If we will answer when he calls
'Come follow, follow me.'**

*Please sit for the announcements and then stand
for the blessing and dismissal.*

God the Father,
who has given to his Son
the name above every name,
strengthen you to proclaim Christ as Lord;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son + and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always,
Amen.

Go in the peace of Christ:
Thanks be to God.

MONDAY 8th

1930 Eucharist

THURSDAY 11th

1200 Eucharist:

SATURDAY 13th

1000 Foodbank

NEXT SUNDAY November 14th

Remembrance Sunday

1000 Sung Eucharist

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of the green forms available at the back of
church to let us know who you are and keep in
touch.

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*Why should I feel discouraged,
Why should the shadows come,
Why should my heart be lonely,
And long for heav'n and home;
When Jesus is my portion?
My constant Friend is he;
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know he watches me;
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know he watches me.*

Refrain:

*I sing because I'm happy,
I sing because I'm free;
For his eye is on the sparrow,
And I know he watches me.
"Let not your heart be troubled,"
His tender word I hear,
And resting on his goodness,
I lose my doubts and fears;
Though by the path he leadeth,
But one step I may see;
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know he watches me;
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know he watches me.
Whenever I am tempted,
Whenever clouds arise;
When songs give place to sighing,
When hope within me dies,
I draw the closer to him,
From care he sets me free;
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know he watches me;
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know he watches me.*