

HOLY INNOCENTS FALLOWFIELD

Sunday 22nd May, 2022
The Sixth Sunday of Easter

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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 for donations. Hearing aid users please switch devices to T position to access the loop system. If you require a gluten free wafer please speak to the sidespeople. Please 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 114

The president and preacher today is the Revd Richard Young. 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.**

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed, alleluia!

The risen Christ calls us to witness to him. Let us turn to him in penitence and faith, calling to mind those times when we have failed in love for him and for each other.

After a time of silent prayer:

God be gracious to us and bless us,
and make your face shine upon us:
Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

May your ways be known on the earth,
your saving power among the nations:
Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

You, Lord, have made known your salvation,
and reveal your justice in the sight of the
nations:

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.**

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.**

THE COLLECT The prayer for this Sunday

Let us pra

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 Acts 16.9-15

During the night Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, 'Come over to Macedonia and help us.' When he had seen the vision, we immediately tried to cross over to Macedonia, being convinced that God had called us to proclaim the good news to them. We set sail from Troas and took a straight course to Samothrace, the following day to Neapolis, and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city for some days. On the sabbath day we went outside the gate by the river, where we supposed there was a place of prayer; and we sat down and spoke to the women who had gathered there. A certain woman named Lydia, a worshipper of God, was listening to us; she was from the city of Thyatira and a dealer in purple cloth. The Lord opened her heart to listen eagerly to what was said by Paul. When she and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, 'If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home.' And she prevailed upon us.

At the end: This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 67 Please remain seated.

Response
v. 3 Let the peo- ples praise you, O God, let all the peo- ples praise you.

Verse

God be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face to shine upon us,
That your way may be known upon earth,
your saving power among all nations.

O let the nations rejoice and be glad,
Let all the people praise you, O Lord
for you will judge the peoples righteously and
govern the nations upon earth.

Then shall the earth bring forth her increase,
and God, our own God, will bless us.
The Lord our God will bless us,
and all the ends of the earth shall fear him.

SECOND READING Revelation 21.10-22. 5

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

"همانطور که پدر مرا دوست دارد، من نیز شما را دوست دارم، پس در محبت من بمانید.

(As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love)
Hamantor ke pedar man raa doost darad, man
niz shoma raa doos daram,
pas dar mohebate man bemanid.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

GOSPEL READING John 5.1-9

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to John.
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. After the sermon there will be a time of silence. Then we stand with the president for the Creed:
We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only 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; through him 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 worshipped 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.**

*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:

The risen Christ came and stood among his
disciple and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then
were they glad when they saw the Lord. The
peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also with you.

All exchange a sign of peace.

OFFERTORY HYMN 271

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

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.
Alleluia! Let us keep the feast.

Those who wish to receive the Sacrament or a blessing approach the altar. Children may prefer to receive only the consecrated bread. During communion we sing *O Holy City seen of John*. When all have received Holy Communion what remains of the consecrated bread will be placed in the tabernacle for the communion of those at home. At the end of a time of silent prayer all please stand with the President.

Let us pray.

After a moment of silent prayer.

God our Father, whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life:

**may we thirst for you,
the spring of life and source of goodness,
through him who is alive and reigns,
now and for ever. Amen.**

HYMN 376

PLEASE SIT for the announcements then STAND for the blessing and dismissal.

*God, who through the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ has given us the victory,
give you joy and peace in your faith;
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, alleluia, alleluia:

Thanks be to God, alleluia, alleluia.

Organ: Toccata (Dubois)

MONDAY May 23rd

1930 Eucharist

THURSDAY May 26th Ascension Day

1930 Sung Eucharist

SATURDAY 28th

1000 Foodbank

NEXT SUNDAY 29th Easter 7

1000 Sung Eucharist

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O holy city, seen of John,
where Christ, the Lamb, shall reign,
within whose foursquare walls shall come
no night, nor need, nor pain,
and where the tears are wiped from eyes that
shall not weep again.

Hark, how from those whose lives are held as
less than merchandise;
from people's daily fight for food,
to wounded children's cries,
there swells the constant human plaint
that bids these walls arise.

Lord, help us not to turn away,
while lies and greed for gain
in battlefields and borderlands
wring gold from human pain:
may faith and action hold as truth
that hope is not in vain.

Give us, O God, the strength to build
the city that might be
whose laws are love, whose justice shines
full bright for all to see
and where your grace and truth revealed
shall set your people free.

Already in the mind of God
that city rises fair:
see, how its splendour challenges
the souls that greatly dare—
yes, bids us seize the whole of life
and build its glory there.

