

HOLY INNOCENTS
FALLOWFIELD



Sunday, October 2nd 2022
The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

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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 regular givers small cards are available to put in the collection plate. 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:

**Have faith in God, my heart,
trust and be unafraid;
God will fulfil in every part
each promise he has made.
Have faith in God, my mind,
though oft your light burns low;
God's mercy holds a wiser plan
than you can fully know.**

**Have faith in God, my soul,
his cross for ever stands;
and neither life nor death can pluck
his children from his hands.
Lord Jesus, make me whole;
grant me no resting place,
until I rest, heart, mind, and soul,
the captive of your grace.**

The president 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.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

God knows the innermost thoughts of our hearts. In sorrow for our sin, we turn to him for mercy and for grace.

A time of silent prayer follows, then:

Remember, Lord, your compassion and love, for they are everlasting. Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions, but think on me in your goodness, O Lord, according to your steadfast love. Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

O keep my soul and deliver me; let me not be put to shame, for I have put my trust in you. Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

May the God of love and power forgive you and free you from your sins, heal and strengthen you by his Spirit, and raise you 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 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 Habakkuk 1.1-4, 2.1-4

The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw. O LORD, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen? Or cry to you "Violence!" and you will not save? Why do you make me see wrong-doing and look at trouble? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. So the law becomes slack and justice never prevails. The wicked surround the righteous-- therefore judgment comes forth perverted. I will stand at my watch-post, and station myself on the rampart; I will keep watch to see what he will say to me, and what he will answer concerning my complaint. Then the LORD answered me and said: Write the vision; make it plain on tablets, so that a runner may read it. For there is still a vision for the appointed time; it speaks of the end, and does not lie.

If it seems to tarry, wait for it; it will surely come, it will not delay. Look at the proud! Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faith.

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

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 137.1-6

By the Babylonian rivers,
We sat down in grief and wept
Hung our harps upon a willow,
Mourned for Zion while we slept.

There, our captors, in derision,
Did require of us as song;
So, we sat with staring vision,
And the days were hard and long.

Could we ever sing the Lord's song
In a strange and bitter land:
Can our voices veil the sorrow?
Lord God, hear your lonely band.

SECOND READING 2 Timothy 1.1-14

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

Thanks be to God.

Please stand for the Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

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I am the light of the world, says the Lord;
whoever follows me will never walk in
darkness but will have the light of life.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

GOSPEL READING Luke 17.5-10

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

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

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 Dr Marco Derks. After the
sermon there will be a time of silence. Then all
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.**

All exchange a sign of peace then join in:

**O Lord of every shining constellation -
That turns or glows in all the shining sky;
Grant us your Spirit's true illumination
To read the secrets of your work on high.**

You, Lord,

**have made all nature's hidden forces,
Your laws its mighty energies fulfill;
Teach us,**

**to whom you give such rich resources,
In all we use, to serve your holy will.**

You, Lord,

**have stamped your image on your creatures,
And though they mar that image,
love them still;**

**Lift up our eyes to Christ, that in his features
We may discern the beauty of your will.**

**You Lord, reveal in sacrament and symbol,
Your holy will as action and as sign,
And then you call guests to your holy table
Among us here in form of bread and wine.**

The offerings of the people are collected, and 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.

Those who wish draw near to the altar. Those who are baptized, 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 for the communion of those at home and there will be a time of silence. At the end of the silence all please STAND with the President.

Let us pray.

After a moment of silent prayer.

Almighty God,
you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law:
grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Please join in:

**Jesus, united by your grace,
and each to each endeared,
with confidence we seek your face,
and know our prayer is heard.**

**Help us to see in each a friend,
each other's cross to bear,
let all their friendly aid extend,
and feel the other's care.**

**Up into you, our living head,
let us in all things grow,
till you have made us free indeed
and faithful here below.**

**Drawn by the lodestone of your love,
let all our hearts unite;
let us toward each other move,
and move toward your light.**

Charles Wesley, 1707-88

Please sit for the announcements. Then please stand for the blessing and dismissal.

The God of hope
fill you with all joy and peace in believing, 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 3rd

1930 Eucharist

THURSDAY 6th

1930 Eucharist

SATURDAY 8th

1000 Foodbank

NEXT SUNDAY 9th

1000 Sung Eucharist

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The eternal gifts of Christ the King,
The Apostles' glorious deeds, we sing;
And while due hymns of praise we pay,
Our thankful hearts cast grief away.

'Twas thus the yearning faith of saints,
The unconquered hope that never faints,
The love of Christ that knows not shame,
The prince of this world overcame.

In these the Father's glory shone;
In these the will of God the Son;
In these exults the Holy Ghost;
Through these rejoice the heavenly host.

Redeemer, hear us of thy love,
That, with this glorious band above,
Hereafter, of thine endless grace,
Thy servants also may have place. Amen.