



WORTH ABBEY

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time(B) 21/01/2024

Principal Celebrant: Dom James

Sunday during the Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity

Please note that the JUNIOR CHURCH with songs and worship is available for children: Pre-School in the Unity Room & those at school in the Seminar Room (Choir Vestry)

Gathering Hymn

Tune L 349 Orientis Partibus

1 On this day, the first of days,
God the Father's name we praise;
Who, creation's Lord and Spring,
Did the world from darkness bring.

3 On this day his people raise
One pure sacrifice of praise,
And with all the saints above,
tell of Christ's redeeming love.

2 On this day th'eternal Son
Over death his triumph won;
On this day the Spirit came
With the gifts of living flame.

4 Praise, O God, to you be given,
Praise on earth, and praise
in heaven.
Praise to the eternal Son,
who this day our victory won.

Text: H.W Baker(1821-77)

Introit Chant: as the altar is incensed

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O sing a new song to the Lord; * sing to the Lord,

all the earth.

Introductory Rites

Penitential Act: *after the celebrant's invocations*

Lord have mercy
Christ have mercy
Lord have mercy

R Lord have mercy
R Christ have mercy
R Lord have mercy

Gloria: Mass VIII – Please sing those parts underlined

Celebrant: *Cantor:*

G Ló-ri-a in excélsis De-o. Et in terra pax ho-
 mí-ni-bus bonae vo-luntá-tis. Laudá-mus te. Be-ne-dí-
 cimus te. Ado-rá-mus te. Glo-ri-fi-cá-mus te. Grá-
 ti-as á-gimus ti-bi propter magnam gló-ri-am tu-am.
 Dómi-ne De-us, Rex caelé-stis, De-us Pa-ter omní-pot-ens.
 Dómi-ne Fi-li u-ni-gé-ni-te Ie-su Chri-ste. Dómi-ne
 De-us, Agnus De-i, Fí-li-us Pa-tris. Qui tol-lis peccá-
 ta mun-di, mi-se-ré-re no-bis. Qui tol-lis peccá-ta mun-
 di, sú-sci-pe de-pre-ca-ti-ó-nem no-stram. Qui se-des ad

déxte-ram Pa-tris, mi-se-ré-re no-bis. Quó-ni-am tu so-lus
 sanctus. Tu so-lus Dó-mi-nus. Tu so-lus Al-tís-simus,
 Ie-su Chri-ste. Cum Sancto Spí-ri-tu, in gló-ri-a De-i
 Pa-tris. A-men.

First Reading: Jonah 3:1-5. 10
 The people of Nineveh renounced their evil behaviour.

Responsorial Psalm:

Ps24(25) 4-5, 6-7. 8-9 R.v10

Lord, make me know your ways.

Lord, make me know your ways. / Lord, teach me your paths.
 Make me walk in your truth, and teach me: / for you are God my saviour.

Remember your mercy, Lord, / and the love you have shown from of old.
 Do not remember the sins of my youth. / In your love remember me.

The Lord is good and upright. / He shows the path to those who stray,
 He guides the humble in the right path, / He teaches his way to the poor.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:29-31

The world as we know it is passing away.

Gospel Acclamation:



The kingdom of God is close at hand;
believe in the Good News. (Mk :15.)

Gospel: Mark 1:14-20

Repent and believe the Good News.

Homily: Dom James

Profession of Faith: Niceno-Constantinopolitan Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father,
through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven (all bow)
*and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.*

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day
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.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins

and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Universal Prayer:

Procession of the Gifts:

Abbey Choir: *Locus iste*: Anton Bruckner (1824 - 1896)

This place was made by God, a priceless mystery; it is without reproof.

C: Pray brethren (brothers and sisters), ... the almighty Father.

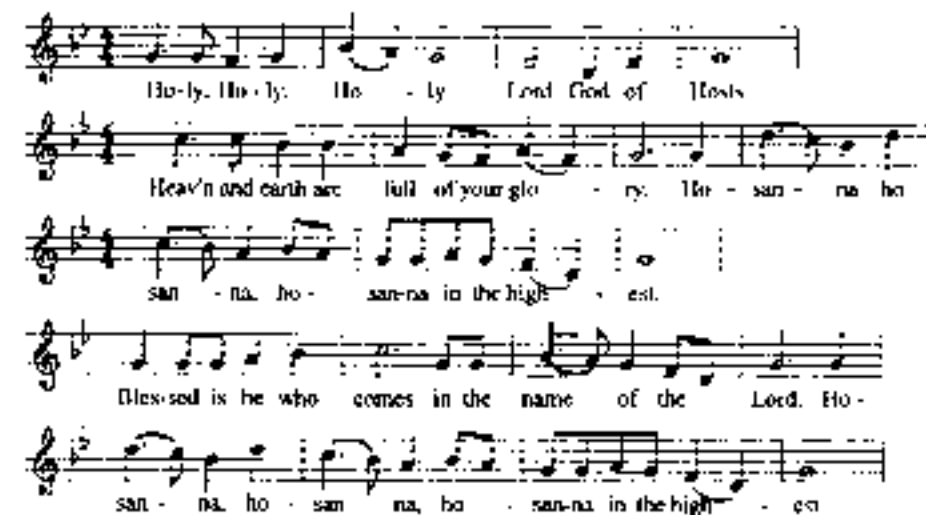
All: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise
and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his
holy Church.**

Eucharistic Acclamations & the Breaking of Bread:



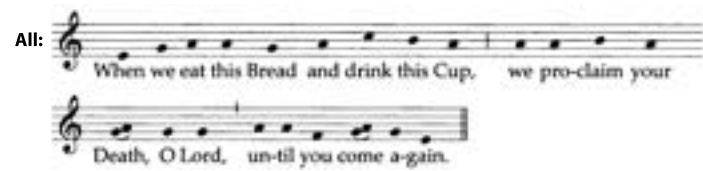
Holy, holy:

Ferial Mass

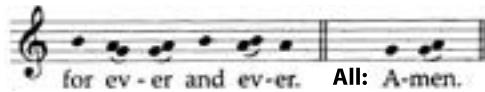


EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER III

Memorial Acclamation:



Doxology & Great Amen



The Lord's Prayer: music on separate sheet

C: Deliver us. Lord ... Jesus Christ.

All: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now
and for ever.

Rite of Peace:

Agnus Dei: *Ferial Mass*



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Communion:

*Those who do not receive Communion for any reason
are invited to come forward and ask for a Blessing.*

Communion Chant (sung by choir)

*I am the light of the world, says the Lord. Whoever follows me
will not walk in darkness but will have the light of life.*

Abbey Choir: *Caro mea: Fransico Guerro (1528-1599)*

My flesh is meat indeed, and my blood is drink indeed.

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him.

Post Communion Prayer

Blessing and Dismissal:

Recessional Hymn:

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| 1. All my hope on God is founded;
he doth still my trust renew.
Me through change and chance
he guideth,
only good and only true.
God unknown, he alone
calls my heart to be his own. | 3. God's great goodness ay
endureth,
Deep his wisdom, passing
thought;
Splendour, light and life attend
him,
Beauty springeth out of nought.
Evermore, from his store
New-born worlds rise and adore. |
| 2. Human pride and earthly glory,
Sword and crown betray his trust;
What with lavish care man
buildeth,
Tower and temple fall to dust.
But God's power, hour by hour,
Is my temple and my tower. | 4. Still from man to God eternal
sacrifice of praise be done,
high above all praises praising
for the gift of Christ his Son.
Christ doth call one and all:
ye who follow shall not fall. |

Robert S Bridges (1844-1930) based on a hymn by J Neander

Postlude: Noël X – Louis-Claude Daquin (1694-1772)

*Thank you for refraining from clapping during Advent,
we would be grateful if this prayerful atmosphere could continue as the norm on
Sundays.*

**If you wish to show your appreciation to the organist - they are usually in the Narthex
after Mass.**

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On this day
Sing a new song
Lord make me know your ways
Alleluia 17 P Gaisford +OSB
Sanctus Agnus Dei :Ferial Mass -
All my hope on God is founded

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