



WORTH ABBEY

Twenty-Seventh Sunday of the Year (C) 05/10/2025

Principal Celebrant: Dom Paul

THE SEASON OF CREATION

Please gather in prayerful silence

Processional Hymn

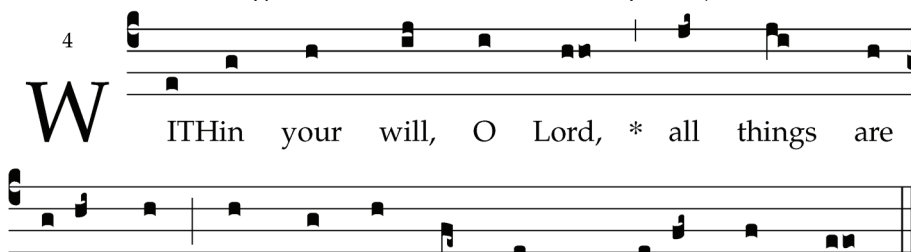
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1. Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour,
first-begotten from the dead,
thou alone, our strong defender,
liftest up thy people's head.
Alleluia, alleluia,
Jesus, true and living bread!
2. Paschal Lamb! thine offering,
finished
once for all when thou wast slain,
in its fullness undiminished
shall for evermore remain.
3. Life-imparting heavenly Manna,
stricken rock with streaming side,
heaven and earth with loud hosanna
worship thee, the Lamb who died.
Alleluia, alleluia,
risen, ascended, glorified!

Words: G H Bourne (1840-1925) – Music: H Smart (1930-1879)

Introit Chant: *sung as the Altar is incensed - repeat after the choir*

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WITHin your will, O Lord, * all things are
established, and there is none that can resist your will.

Introductory Rites:

Penitential Rite: *after invocation from the celebrant:*

- C: Lord have mercy. **All: Lord have mercy**
C: Christ have mercy **All: Christ have mercy**
C: Lord have mercy. **All: Lord have mercy**

Gloria:

Mass VIII Gregorian chant

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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-cámus 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-tíssimus,
 Ie-su Chri-ste. Cum Sancto Spí-ri-tu, in gló-ri-a De-i
 Pa-tris. A-men.

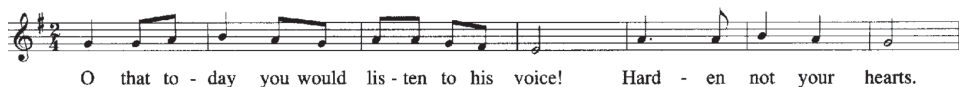
Collect:

First Reading: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4

The righteous shall live by his faith.

Responsorial Psalm:

Ps 95(94): 1-2, 6-7b, 7c-9 R.7c-8a.



O that to - day you would lis - ten to his voice! Hard - en not your hearts.

Dom A Gregory Murray: from Revised Responsorial Psalter@ McCrimmons

Come, let us ring out our joy to the LORD / hail the rock who saves us.
 Let us come into his presence, giving thanks; / let us hail him with a song of praise.

O come; let us bow and bend low. / Let us kneel before the LORD who made us,
 for he is our God, and we the people, / the people of his pasture, the flock of his
 hand.

O that today you would listen to his voice! / "Harden not your hearts as at Meribah,
 as on that day at Massah in the desert / when your forebears put me to the test;
 when they tried me, though they saw my work.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14

Do not be ashamed to testify about our Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: (Repeat after Cantor)



The word of the Lord remains for ever,
and this word is the good news that was preached to you.. Alleluia (1Pet 1:25)

Worth Chants 5: Dom Philip Gaisford.

Gospel: Luke 17: 5-10

If you had faith.

Homily: Dom Paul

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:

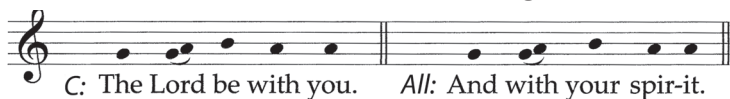
Cantor: *"Domine, refugium factus es nobis, a generatione et progenie"* - Graduale Romanum

Lord, thou hast been our refuge, from generation to generation. Before the mountains were made, or the earth and the world was formed; from eternity and to eternity thou art God.

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:

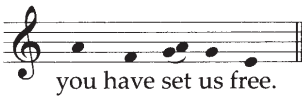


Holy, holy: *Mass of St Brelade*

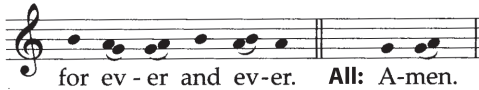


Memorial Acclamation:

All:  Save us, Sav-iour of the world, for by your Cross and Res-ur-rec-tion

 you have set us free.

Concluding Doxology and Great Amen:

 for ev - er and ev-er. All: A-men.

The Lord's Prayer:

 Our Fa-ther who art in heaven, hal - lowed be thy name;

 thy king - dom come, thy will be done on earth as it

 is in heaven give us this day our dai - ly bread,

 and for - give us our tres - pass - es,

 as we for - give those who tress-pass ag - ainst us;

 and lead us not in - to temp - ta - tion

 but de - li - ver us from e - vil.

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: *Mass of St Brelade*

Steadily (♩ = 80)

LAMB OF GOD, YOU TAKE A - WAY THE
SINS OF THE WORLD, HAVE MER - CY ON US. LAMB OF GOD, YOU
TAKE A - WAY THE SINS OF THE WORLD, HAVE MER - CY ON US.
LAMB OF GOD, YOU TAKE A - WAY THE SINS OF THE WORLD, GRANT US PEACE.

C: Behold the Lamb of God, ...

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Communion:

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

Communion Chant: *Though many, we are one bread, one body, for we all
partake of the one Bread and one Chalice. (1Cor 17:17)*

Cantor: *"The Call" from Five Mystical Songs. Text: George Herbert ,*

Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams

*Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: such a Way, as gives us breathe;
such a Truth, as ends all strife; such a Life, as killeth death.*

*Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength: such a Light, as shows a feast;
such a Feast, as mends in length; such a Strength, as makes his guest.*

*Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart: such a Joy, as none can move;
such a Love, as none can part; such a Heart, as joys in love.*

Prayer after Communion

Blessing:
Dismissal:

Recessional Hymn:

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| 1. For the healing of the nations,
Lord we pray with one accord;
for a just and equal sharing
of the things that earth affords.
To a life of love in action
help us rise and pledge our word. | 3. All that kills abundant living,
let it from the earth be banned;
pride of status, race or schooling,
dogmas that obscure your plan
In our common quest for justice
may we hallow life's brief span. |
| 2. Lead us, Father, into freedom,
from despair your world release;
that, redeemed from war and hatred,
all may come and go in peace.
Show us how through care and
goodness
fear will die and hope increase. | 4. You, creator—God, have written
your great name on humankind;
for our growing in your likeness
bring the life of Christ to mind;
that by our response and service
earth its destiny may find. |

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Postlude: *Toccata Giocosa - William Mathias (1934 –1992)*
Cantor: *Toby Watkin* **Organist:** *Philip White-Jones.*
All are invited for coffee or tea in the Narthex after Mass

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Lord enthroned

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Alleluia Sanctus & Agnus Dei

Dom Philip Gaisford Worth Abbey Trustees

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