

The Parish of Acton
St Mary and All Saints

All Age Eucharist for September 2021



Christ Pantocrator, Palermo Cathedral, Sicily

THE GATHERING

*Music is played. The President greets the congregation at the church door.
All stand.*

Processional Hymn, sung by the congregation

See notice sheet.

The Greeting

The President says:

We meet in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Invitation to Confession

The Deacon says:

St Paul says

'Be imitators of God;

love as Christ loved;

do not grieve the Holy Spirit;
put away all anger and bitterness,
all slander and malice.’
So let us confess our sins to God,
who forgives us in Christ.

**All: Lord our God,
in our sin we have avoided your call.
Our love for you is like a morning cloud,
like the dew that goes away early.
Have mercy on us;
deliver us from judgement;
bind up our wounds and revive us;
in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**



The President says,
May almighty God have mercy on you,
forgive you your sins,
and bring you to everlasting life.

The Collect

The President leads the collect prayer (see notice sheet), after which all sit.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading. *See notice sheet*

At the end, the reader says:
Hear the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

All stand.

Gospel Reading. *See notice sheet*

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to...
Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end, the reader says:
Hear the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

All sit.

Sermon, followed by musical reflection

Prayers of Intercession

Lord in your mercy **Hear our prayer.**

at the end

Merciful Father
accept these prayers, for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

The Peace

All stand. The President introduces the Peace with this, or another form of words:

We are all one in Christ Jesus.
We belong to him through faith,
heirs of the promise of the Spirit of peace.
We meet in the name of Christ and share his peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

All exchange a sign of peace from their places.

Taking of the Bread and Wine

The Altar is prepared: bread and wine are placed upon it.

Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power,
the glory, the splendour, and the majesty;
for everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

**All things come from you,
and of your own do we give you.**

The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord is here.

His Spirit is with us.

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.

It is indeed right,
it is our duty and our joy,
at all times and in all places
to give you thanks and praise,
holy Father, heavenly King,
almighty and eternal God,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

For he is our great high priest,
who has loosed us from our sins
and has made us to be a royal priesthood to you,
our God and Father.

Therefore with angels and archangels,
and with all the company of heaven,
we proclaim your great and glorious name,
for ever praising you and *singing*:

All **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.**

All glory be to you, our heavenly Father,
who, in your tender mercy,
gave your only Son our Saviour Jesus Christ
to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption;
who made there by his one oblation of himself once offered
a full, perfect and sufficient sacrifice, oblation and satisfaction for the sins of the whole
world;
he instituted, and in his holy gospel commanded us to continue,
a perpetual memory of his precious death until he comes again.

Hear us, merciful Father, we humbly pray,
and grant that, by the power of your Holy Spirit,
we receiving these gifts of your creation, this bread and this wine,
according to your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ's holy institution,
in remembrance of his death and passion,
may be partakers of his most blessed body and blood;
who, in the same night that he was betrayed,
took bread and gave you thanks;
he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;
do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper
he took the cup and gave you thanks;
he gave it to them, saying:
Drink this, all of you;
this is my blood of the new covenant,
which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it,
in remembrance of me.

Great is the mystery of faith:

All **Christ has died:**
Christ is risen:
Christ will come again.

Therefore, Lord and heavenly Father,
in remembrance of the precious death and passion,
the mighty resurrection and glorious ascension
of your dear Son Jesus Christ,
we offer you through him this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving.
Grant that by his merits and death,
and through faith in his blood,
we and all your Church may receive forgiveness of our sins
and all other benefits of his passion.
Although we are unworthy, through our manifold sins,
to offer you any sacrifice,
yet we pray that you will accept this
the duty and service that we owe.
Do not weigh our merits, but pardon our offences,
and fill us all who share in this holy communion
with your grace and heavenly blessing;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
by whom, and with whom, and in whom,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father,
for ever and ever.

All Amen.

All sit.

The Lord's Prayer *(sung)*

As our saviour taught us, so we pray

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name;
your kingdom come; your will be done; on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

And forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.

lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Breaking of the Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

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

Giving of Communion

God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

Jesus Christ is holy, Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

The president and people receive Communion. Music is played.



Post Communion Prayers

The President leads the post-communion prayer, after which all say:

**Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us
with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.**

Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice.

Send us out in the power of your Spirit

to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

THE DISMISSAL

The Blessing. *The President uses this or another form of words:*

Christ, who has nourished us with himself the living bread,
make you one in praise and love,
and raise you up at the last day;
and the blessing **Amen.**

The Deacon says:

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.