

**KIDDERMINSTER WEST
TEAM MINISTRY**



EUCHARIST FOR LENT

PRAYER B

GREETING AND WELCOME

In the name of the Father and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

Welcome in the name of Christ.
God's grace, mercy and peace be with you;
and also with you.

PREPARATION

Cast your burden upon the Lord:
he will sustain you.
Create in us clean hearts, O God;
renew a right spirit within us.
Cast us not away from your presence;
take not your Holy Spirit from us.
Give us the joy of your saving help;
sustain us with your life-giving Spirit.
Blessed be the Lord day by day:
the God of our salvation, who bears our burdens.

INVITATION TO CONFESSION

The sacrifice of God is a broken spirit;
a broken and contrite heart God will not despise.
Let us come to the Lord, who is full of compassion, and
acknowledge our transgressions in penitence and faith.

*We bring to mind those things in our lives that harm our
relationships with God, with one another or with ourselves.*

Silence is kept

CONFESSION

**Lord God, we have sinned against you;
we have done evil in your sight.
We are sorry and repent.
Have mercy on us, according to your love.
Wash away our wrongdoing
and cleanse us from our sin.
Renew a right spirit within us
and restore us to the joy of your salvation,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

ABSOLUTION *We are assured of God's forgiveness.*

The almighty and merciful Lord
grant *you* pardon and forgiveness of all *your* sins,
time for amendment of life,
and the grace and strength of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

THE KYRIES

Lord, have mercy;
Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy;
Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy;
Lord, have mercy.



THE COLLECT

The Collect prayer for the day.

READINGS;

At the end; For the word of the Lord
We reply; **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL READING

Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.
The Lord is a great God,
O that today you would listen to his voice.
Harden not your hearts.
Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.

At the beginning; Hear the gospel of
our Lord Jesus Christ according to
We reply; **Glory to you, O Lord.**

At the end; This is the gospel of the Lord
We reply; **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON OR ADDRESS

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Do you believe and trust in God the Father?
**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ?
**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe and trust in the Holy Spirit?

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

This response may be used;

Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

This ending may be used;

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

THE PEACE

God will speak peace to his people,
to those who turn to him in their hearts.
The peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also with you.

We share a sign of peace with one another.



THE PREPARATION OF THE TABLE

God of mercy and compassion,
your Word calls us home to faith and love.

**Accept all we offer you this day;
in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

Or

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation:
through your goodness we have this bread to set before you,
which earth has given and human hands have made.
It will become for us the bread of life.

Blessed be God for ever.

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation:
through your goodness we have this wine to set before you,
fruit of the vine and work of human hands.
It will become for us the cup of salvation.

Blessed be God for ever.

Pray, my brothers and sisters, that our sacrifice may be
acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

**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 Church.**



EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER (B)

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.

The president offers thanksgiving

...forever praising you and *saying:*

**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 prayer continues

Christ is the bread of life.
**When we eat this bread and drink this cup,
we proclaim your death, Lord Jesus,
until you come in glory.**

The prayer concludes

... all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father,
for ever and ever.

Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Trusting in the compassion of God,
as our Saviour has 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.
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 for ever. Amen.**

THE FRACTION

*The president breaks the consecrated
bread.*

Every time we eat this bread and drink this cup,
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

THE AGNUS DEI

**Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.
Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.
Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us peace**



INVITATION TO 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.**

or

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin 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.**

Before receiving communion we pray;

**Loving Father,
your Son Jesus Christ comes to us
in word and Spirit, in bread and cup.
Make us holy and bring us to perfection
when we stand before him
as he comes to judge the living and the dead.
Amen**

If you are used to receiving the bread and wine, you are welcome to receive it here. If not, you are warmly invited to come forward for a blessing; please carry your service sheet or hymn book with you in this case, so that we are aware what you are seeking.

If you will not be receiving Holy Communion, you may like to use the prayer which follows in silence.

I worship and adore you, Lord Jesus Christ,
present in bread and wine, and present in your people,
who are gathered in body and in spirit.
Although I do not receive your body and your blood,
in this moment I join with them to receive you in my heart.

May you, who died for love of me,
be now welcomed in my heart,
May you, present in bread and wine, feed and renew my soul.
May you, who give yourself again,
fill me with grace, and heavenly blessing.
Even as I am fed, may my hunger for you,
and for your reign of justice and peace, increase,
that I may, with your Spirit,
work for that day when your kingdom shall come on earth
as it is heaven.
Amen

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

**Lord God, you feed us with the living bread from heaven;
renew our faith, increase our hope
and strengthen our love.
Teach us to hunger for Christ
who is the true and living bread,
and to live by every word
that comes from your mouth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*Notices and Banns of Marriage
may be read.*



BLESSING

Christ give you grace to grow in holiness,
to deny yourselves,
take up your cross, and follow him;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.
Amen.

THE DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen.



