



The Team Parish of Gainsborough and Morton

**A Service of Holy Communion during the period of mourning following
the death of the Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh**

The GREETING and PREPARATION

Introduction to the service

Hymn: All my hope on God is founded

So let us say together we pray...

**Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name;
through Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

Silence is kept.

You raise the dead to life in the Spirit:
Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

You bring pardon and peace to the broken in heart:
Christ, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.

You make one by your Spirit the torn and divided:
Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

May God our Father forgive us our sins and bring us to the eternal joy of
his kingdom, where dust and ashes have no dominion. **Amen.**

Let us pray.

Merciful Father
one God, world without end. **Amen.**

The Priest pronounces Absolution.

The Collect Prayer

President says The Collect Prayer

The Liturgy of the Word

We sit for the readings.

At the end of the reading, the reader may say This is the word of the Lord
The response is **Thanks be to God**

A reading from the book of Lamentations. (3.22-26, 31-33)

Psalm 121 is said or sung. (JC)

I lift up my eyes to the hills; *
from where is my help to come?
My help comes from the Lord, *
the maker of heaven and earth.
He will not suffer your foot to stumble; *
he who watches over you will not sleep.
Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel *
shall neither slumber nor sleep.
The Lord himself watches over you; *
the Lord is your shade at your right hand,
So that the sun shall not strike you by day, *
neither the moon by night.
The Lord shall keep you from all evil; *
it is he who shall keep your soul.
The Lord shall keep watch over your going out
and your coming in, *
from this time forth for evermore.

A reading from the second letter of Paul to the Corinthians. (4.16-5.4)

Hymn: Immortal Invisible God only wise

Gospel Reading

Alleluia , alleluia.

‘It is the will of him who sent me’, says the Lord, ‘that I should lose none of all that he has given me, but raise them up on the last day’.

Alleluia.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John. (6.35-40)

Glory to you, O Lord.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

The Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again 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. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness

of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers

Please sit or kneel for our prayers of intercession

The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The PEACE

PLEASE UNMUTE

The peace of the risen Lord be always with you
and also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

Hymn The Lords my Shepherd (Townsend)

Prayer at the PREPARATION OF THE TABLE

The EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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.

It is indeed right,.....ious name,
for ever 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.

All glory be to you,

Do this, as often as you drink it,

in remembrance of me
Praise to you, Lord Jesus:
**Dying you destroyed our death,
rising you restored our life:
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

Therefore, Lord and heavenly Father,
.....almighty Father, for ever and ever.
Amen.

We sit or kneel for the LORD'S PRAYER

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.
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 BREAKING OF THE BREAD

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

**HYMN: DURING COMMUNION BE STILL FOR THE PRESENCE OF THE LORD
+ THE LORDS MY SHEPHERD (TOWNSEND) [if possible]**

A prayer for spiritual communion for those joining on zoom

*Thanks be to you, Lord Jesus Christ,
for all the benefits you have given me,
for all the pains and insults you have born for me.*

*Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally,
I ask you to come spiritually into my heart.
O most merciful redeemer, friend and brother,
may I know you more clearly,
love you more dearly,*

*and follow you more nearly, day by day.
Amen.*

Post Communion Prayer for those in Church

*Father in Heaven, whose Church on earth is a sign of your heavenly peace,
an image of the new and eternal Jerusalem: grant to us in the days of our
pilgrimage that, fed with the living bread of heaven and united in the body
of your Son, we may be the temple of your presence, the place of your glory
on earth, and a sign of your peace in the world; through Jesus Christ, our
Lord. Amen.*

*The PRAYERS AFTER COMMUNION. The priest leads the congregation in prayer,
after which all join in saying:*

**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.**

Hymn: Praise my soul the king of Heaven

The Dismissal

The priest proclaims God's BLESSING and we are sent into His world...

Amen.

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

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