



**HOLY INNOCENTS
KINGSBURY
TRINITY 13**

14TH SEPTEMBER 2025

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome to Holy Innocents.

To use the loop system, switch your hearing aid to 'T'.

Please stand to sing when the hymn begins.

Processional hymn:

**1. Let us build a house where love can dwell and all can safely live,
a place where saints and children tell
how hearts learn to forgive.
Built of hopes and dreams and visions,
rock of faith and vault of grace;
here the love of Christ shall end
divisions:
all are welcome, all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.**

**2. Let us build a house where prophets speak, and words are strong and true,
where all God's children dare to seek
to dream God's reign anew.
Here the cross shall stand as witness
and as symbol of God's grace;
here as one we claim the faith of
Jesus:**

WE GATHER

In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

SERVICES TODAY

10.00am Eucharist

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Tuesday 10.00am Morning Prayer & coffee

Thursday 10.00am Said Eucharist followed
by coffee

NEXT SUNDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER –

TRINITY 14

8.30am Said Eucharist

10.00am Eucharist

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Amos 8.4–7; Psalm 113;

1 Timothy 2.1–7; Luke 16.1–13

**all are welcome, all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.**

**3. Let us build a house where all are
named their songs and visions heard
and loved and treasured, taught and
claimed as words within the Word.
Built of tears and cries and laughter,
prayers of faith and songs of grace,
let this house proclaim from floor to
rafter:
all are welcome, all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.**

Marty Haugen (1995) AM365



WE CONFESS

We take a moment to remember the ways in which our words, actions and thoughts have separated us from God and from each other.

We come to God as one from whom no secrets are hidden, to ask for his forgiveness and peace.

**Most merciful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
we confess that we have sinned in thought, word and deed.**

We have not loved you with our whole heart.

We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.

**In your mercy forgive what we have been,
help us to amend what we are, and direct what we shall be;
that we may do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with you, our God.**

Amen.



May the God of love and power forgive you and free you from your sins, heal and strengthen you by his Spirit, and raise you to new life in Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE COLLECT *(a special prayer for today)*

Almighty God,
you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Please sit as we listen to a reading from the Bible

FIRST READING (EXODUS 32.7–14)

A reading from the book of Exodus.

⁷ The Lord said to Moses, 'Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; ⁸they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshipped it and sacrificed to it, and said, "These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!" ' ⁹The Lord said to Moses, 'I have seen this people, how stiff-necked they are. ¹⁰Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation.'

¹¹ But Moses implored the Lord his God, and said, 'O Lord, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with

great power and with a mighty hand? ¹²Why should the Egyptians say, “It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth”? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people. ¹³Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, “I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it for ever.” ’ ¹⁴And the Lord changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

For the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Please stand to sing

Gradual hymn:

**Seek ye first the kingdom of God
and His righteousness,
and all these things shall be added
unto you;
Allelu-, alleluia:**

***Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,
allelu-, alleluia!***

**Ask, and it shall be given unto you
seek and ye shall find;
knock, and the door shall be opened
unto you;
Allelu-, alleluia:**

GOSPEL READING (*Luke 15.1-10*)

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke
Glory to you, O Lord

Now all the tax-collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to [Jesus]. ²And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, ‘This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them.’ ³So he told them this parable: ⁴‘Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it? ⁵When he has found it, he lays it on his

**We shall not live by bread alone,
but by every word
that Proceeds from the mouth of the
Lord;
Allelu-, alleluia:**

Karen Lafferty (b.1948) (AM775)



shoulders and rejoices. ⁶And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbours, saying to them, "Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost." ⁷Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who need no repentance.

⁸'Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? ⁹When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbours, saying, "Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost." ¹⁰Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.'

This is the gospel of the Lord
Praise to you, O Christ.

TALK

WE AFFIRM OUR FAITH

Please stand as we affirm our faith in God: the Father who made us and loves us; Jesus Christ his Son, who came among us to reveal that love; and the Holy Spirit, who sustains us and enables us to share God's love with others:

Let us declare our faith in God.

**We believe in God the Father,
from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named.**

**We believe in God the Son,
who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love.**

We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who strengthens us with power from on high.

We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Amen.



WE PRAY

Please sit or kneel as we pray for the church, the world, the local community, those who suffer and those who have died.

This response may be used:

Lord, in your mercy:

Hear our prayer.



And at the end:

Merciful Father:

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

Amen.

THE PEACE

Please stand as we share the peace



We are all one in Christ Jesus.

We belong to him through faith, heirs of the promise of the Spirit of peace.

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

OFFERTORY HYMN:

During this hymn there may be a collection for the work of the church; please give as generously as you can

**1 Breathe on me, Breath of God,
fill me with life anew,
that I may love what thou dost
love,
and do what thou wouldst do.**

**2 Breathe on me, Breath of God,
until my heart is pure;
until with thee I will one will,
to do and to endure.**

**3 Breathe on me, Breath of God,
till I am wholly thine;
until this earthly part of me
glows with thy fire divine.**

**4 Breathe on me, Breath of God:
so shall I never die,
but live with thee the perfect life
of thine eternity.**

Edwin Hatch (1835-1889) AM 236

WE SHARE IN COMMUNION (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 right to praise you, Father, Lord of all creation; in your love you made us for yourself. When we turned away you did not reject us, but came to meet us in your Son.

You embraced us as your children and welcomed us to sit and eat with you.

In Christ you shared our life that we might live in him and he in us.

He opened his arms of love upon the cross and made for all the perfect sacrifice for sin.

On the night he was betrayed, at supper with his friends he took bread, and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to them, saying: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.

Father, we do this in remembrance of him: his body is the bread of life.

At the end of supper, taking the cup of wine, he gave you thanks, and said: Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins; do this in remembrance of me.

Father, we do this in remembrance of him: his blood is shed for all.

As we proclaim his death and celebrate his rising in glory, send your Holy Spirit that this bread and this wine may be to us the body and blood of your dear Son.

As we eat and drink these holy gifts make us one in Christ, our risen Lord.

With your whole Church throughout the world we offer you this sacrifice of praise and lift our voice to join the eternal song of heaven:

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 LORD'S PRAYER

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour taught us:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;

Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done;

On earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.

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

For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever.

Amen.

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

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

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.

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.



All are welcome; if you usually receive communion you are welcome to receive here. If you have not received communion (the bread/wine) before, or you do not wish to do so today, please do still come forward and carry this service book or bow your head and the priest will pray a blessing for you instead

Please sit while you wait to come forward and after returning to your seat.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**God our creator,
you feed your children with the true manna,
the living bread from heaven:
let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage
until we come to that place
where hunger and thirst are no more;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen**



NOTICES

WE GO OUT

Please stand for the blessing, final hymn and dismissal.

The Lord bless you and watch over you,
the Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you,
the Lord look kindly on you and give you peace;
and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among
you and remain with you always.

Amen

RECESSIONAL HYMN:

**1 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us
o'er the world's tempestuous sea;
guard us, guide us, keep us, feed us,
for we have no help but thee;
yet possessing every blessing,
if our God our Father be.**

**2 Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er
us:
all our weakness thou dost know;
thou didst tread this earth before us,**

**thou didst feel its keenest woe;
lone and dreary, faint and weary,
through the desert thou didst go.**

**3 Spirit of our God, descending,
fill our hearts with heavenly joy,
love with every passion blending,
pleasure that can never cloy:
thus provided, pardoned, guided,
nothing can our peace destroy.**

James Edmeston (1791-1867)

AM 702

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

All are welcome to stay for tea or coffee after the service.

NOTICES

Birthday Song

Happy Birthday to you,
Dear Jesus loves you,
God's mercies and blessings
Rain down upon you

The McMilliam coffee morning will be on
Tuesday 23rd September after morning
prayers. Donations of cakes would be
much appreciated.

Please pray for our confirmation
candidates: Elena and Monika CEPAITYTE
and Andy PANG.

For your prayers; Dominic; Patricia;
Martin; Ivy; Phyllis; Marylin; Coral; Robin;
Ann; Desmond; Sam; Winfield; Heather &
Martin F; Jenny; Angela.

Anniversary of death: Daniel Davies;
Mary Harris; William Baker; Arthur
Thompson.

Diary of upcoming events: for details see notices above/below or signs in church.

Day	Date	Time	EVENT	Place
Wed	17 th September	2.30-3.30pm	PRAYER GROUP	Church
Tuesday	23 rd September	1.30-4pm	SEWING AFTERNOON	Church
Sunday	28 th September	10am	EUCCHARIST WITH CONFIRMATION	Church

Contact Details

Vicar- Revd Sophie Schuil-Brewer 020 8204 9255 Sophie.Schuil-Brewer@london.anglican.org

Parish Administrator - Dianna Wong Kingsbury.holy.innocents@gmail.com

Parish Safeguarding Officers - Angelyn & Mark Easton (07849394424,
angelyn.easton@gmail.com or markeaston1@live.co.uk)

DETAILS FOR HOLY INNOCENTS, KINGSBURY:



*All hymns and songs covered by CCL are reproduced with permission, CCLI 424001 dated 30.04.26
Material included in this service is taken from Common Worship: Services and Prayers for the Church of England, ©
The Archbishops' Council 2000, 2006.*