

ST PETER

DE BEAUVOIR TOWN



EVE OF PENTECOST

CATHOLIC LIFE STUDY DAY LOW MASS 18TH MAY 10:00AM

Please stand as the Celebrant approaches the altar.

GATHERING

Celebrant In the name of the +Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit

All **Amen**

Celebrant The Lord be with you

All **And also with you**

CONFESSION

Celebrant Let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate these sacred mysteries.

Celebrant You came to heal the contrite of heart, Lord have mercy.

All **Lord, have mercy.**

Celebrant You came to call sinners, Christ have mercy.

All **Christ, have mercy.**

Celebrant You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us, Lord have mercy.

All **Lord, have mercy.**

Celebrant May Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, +have mercy upon us, pardon and deliver us from all our sins, confirm and strengthen us in all goodness, and keep us in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen**

COLLECT

Celebrant O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All **Amen**

FIRST READING (ACTS 28.16-20, 30 - END)

please be seated

Reader A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

When we came into Rome, Paul was allowed to live by himself, with the soldier who was guarding him. Three days later he called together the local leaders of the Jews. When they had assembled, he said to them, ‘Brothers, though I had done nothing against our people or the customs of our ancestors, yet I was arrested in Jerusalem and handed over to the Romans. When they had examined me, the Romans wanted to release me, because there was no reason for the death penalty in my case. But when the Jews objected, I was compelled to appeal to the emperor—even though I had no charge to bring against my nation. For this reason therefore I have asked to see you and speak with you, since it is for the sake of the hope of Israel that I am bound with this chain.’ He lived there for two whole years at his own expense and welcomed all who came to him, proclaiming the kingdom of God and teaching about the Lord Jesus Christ with all boldness and without hindrance.

Reader This is the word of the Lord

All **Thanks be to God**

GOSPEL (S. JOHN 21.20-25)

please stand

Gospeller Alleluia, alleluia. I will send you the Spirit of truth, says the Lord; he will lead you to the complete truth. Alleluia.

All **Alleluia.**

Gospeller The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Gospeller A reading from the Holy Gospel according to S. John

All **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Peter turned and saw the disciple whom Jesus loved following them; he was the one who had reclined next to Jesus at the supper and had said, 'Lord, who is it that is going to betray you?' When Peter saw him, he said to Jesus, 'Lord, what about him?' Jesus said to him, 'If it is my will that he remain until I come, what is that to you? Follow me!' So the rumour spread in the community that this disciple would not die. Yet Jesus did not say to him that he would not die, but, 'If it is my will that he remain until I come, what is that to you?' This is the disciple who is testifying to these things and has written them, and we know that his testimony is true. But there are also many other things that Jesus did; if every one of them were written down, I suppose that the world itself could not contain the books that would be written.

Gospeller This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

HOMILY

The Rt Rev'd Dr Joanne Woolway Grenfell

Bishop of Stepney

please be seated

PEACE

please remain standing

Celebrant God has made us one in Christ. He has set his seal upon us and, as a pledge of what is to come, has given the Spirit to dwell in our hearts. The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All **And also with you**

Celebrant Let us show to each other a sign of Christ's peace.

OFFERTORY HYMN

O God of Earth and Altar

please remain standing to sing



1. O God of earth and al - tar, bow_ down and hear our
2. From all that ter - ror teach - es, from lies of tongue and
3. Tie in a liv - ing te - ther the__ prince and priest and



1. cry, our_ earth - ly ru - lers__ fal - ter, our peo - ple drift and
2. pen, from all the ea - sy__ speech - es that com - fort cru - el
3. thrall, bind all our lives to - get - her, smite us and save us



1. die; the__ walls of gold en - tomb us, the swords of scorn di -
2. men, from sale and pro - fan - a - tion of hon - our and the
3. all; in__ ire and ex - ul - ta - tion a - flame with faith and



1. vide, take not thy thun - der from us, but take a - way our pride.
2. sword, from sleep and from dam - na - tion, de - li - ver us, good Lord!
3. free, lift up a liv - ing na - tion, a__ sin - gle sword to thee.

music: KING'S LYNN, traditional English; arr. Vaughan Williams; words: G. K. Chesterton; music © Oxford University Press,

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Celebrant Pray, friends, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, 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.**

Celebrant May the Holy Spirit coming near, we pray, O Lord, prepare our minds for the divine Sacrament, since the Spirit offers the remission of all sins, through Christ our Lord.

All **Amen**

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

All **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

Celebrant It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through Christ our Lord. For after his Resurrection he plainly appeared to all his disciples and was taken up to heaven in their sight, that he might make us sharers in his divinity. Therefore, overcome with paschal joy, every land, every people exults in your praise and even the heavenly Powers, with the angelic hosts, sing together the unending hymn of your glory, as they acclaim:

All **Holy, 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.**

Celebrant Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness; grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit, and according to your holy will, these gifts of bread and wine may be to us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ; 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.**

Celebrant And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross, his perfect sacrifice made once for the sins of the whole world; rejoicing in his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming in glory, we celebrate this memorial of our redemption. As we offer you this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, we bring before you this bread and this cup and we thank you for counting us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you. Send the Holy Spirit on your people and gather into one in your kingdom all who share this one bread and one cup, so that we, in the company of Mary our Lady, Peter our Patron, and all God's saints and martyrs, may praise and glorify you for ever, through Jesus Christ our Lord; by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever.

All **Amen**

LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

All **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**

AGNUS DEI

All **Lamb of God you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
grant us peace.**

Celebrant Behold, Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

All **Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word, and I shall be healed.**

GIVING OF COMMUNION

*All who receive Communion in their home churches are welcome to receive.
Any who do not wish to receive are welcome to come forward for a blessing.
During Communion the healing ministries of laying on of hands and
anointing with oil of the sick will be available.*

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

please kneel or stand

Celebrant Eternal God, giver of love and power, your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world to preach the gospel of his kingdom: confirm us in this mission, and help us to live the good news we proclaim; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

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.

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

please remain standing

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant The Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, give you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and strengthen you to proclaim the word and works of God; and the blessing of God almighty, the +Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

All **Amen.**

Celebrant Go, in the peace of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

All **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

REGINA COELI

We join with Mary and all the Saints in celebrating Christ's Resurrection!

Joy to thee, O Queen of Heav'n al - - le - lu - ia!
He whom thou wast meet to bear, al - - le - lu - ia!
As he pro - mised, hath a - ris'n, al - - le - lu - ia!
Pour for us to him thy prayer, Al - - le - lu - ia!

music: Ilanfair, Robert Williams; words: Charles Wesley; hymn in the public domain

Celebrant Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.

All

For the Lord is ris'n in - deed, al - le - lu - ia!

Celebrant Let us pray. Almighty God, who through the resurrection of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, has brought joy to the whole world, grant we beseech you, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, his Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life, we ask this through the same Christ our Lord.

All

A - men

CLOSING HYMN

Ye Who Own the Faith of Jesus

please remain standing to sing



1. Ye who own the faith of Je - sus sing the won - ders that were done,
2. Bless - ed were the cho - sen peo - ple out of whom the Lord did come,
3. Where - fore let all faith - ful peo - ple tell the hon - our of her name,
4. Praise, O Ma - ry, praise the Fa - ther, praise thy Sav - iour and thy Son,



1. when the love of God the Fa - ther o'er our sin the vic - t'ry won,
2. bless - ed was the land of pro - mise fash - ioned for his earth - ly home;
3. let the Church in her fore - shad - owed part in her thanks - giv - ing claim;
4. praise the ev - er - last - ing Spir - it, who hath made thee ark and throne;



1. when he made the Vir - gin Ma - ry mo - ther of his on - ly Son.
2. but more bless - ed was the mo - ther, she who bore him in her whom.
3. what Christ's mo - ther sang in glad - ness let Christ's peo - ple sing the same.
4. o'er all crea - tures high ex - alt - ed, low - ly praise the Three in One.



Hail Ma - ry, hail Ma - ry, hail — Ma - ry, full of grace.

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TODAY'S SCHEDULE

11am Baptism

Mthr Tina Beardsley
Sodality of Mary, Mother of Priests

12 Noon Justice

Fr Jarel Robinson-Brown
Vicar, S. Germans, Cardiff

1pm Lunch Break

2pm Evangelism

Mthr Katy Cunliffe
*Vicar, Holy Trinity Shaw & Ambassador,
Archbishops' College of Evangelists*

3pm Choral Evensong & Benediction

Preacher: Mthr Arwen Folkes, College of
Catholic Anglican Women

FESTIVAL EUCHARIST:

VOTIVE MASS FOR CORPUS CHRISTI

Friday 31st May 7pm

Preacher: Fr Peter Groves
Vicar, S. Mary Magdalen, Oxford

Organ Prelude: Bach - Fantasia and fugue
in G minor BWV 542; Mass Setting:
Dove, Missa Brevis; Anthem: Laudes
Regiae (Christus Vincit); Postlude: Widor,
Toccata (from Symphony for Organ No.
5).

*This celebration coincides with Fr Simon's
10th anniversary of priestly ordination
and will be followed by a sparkling wine
reception to which all are welcome!*



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