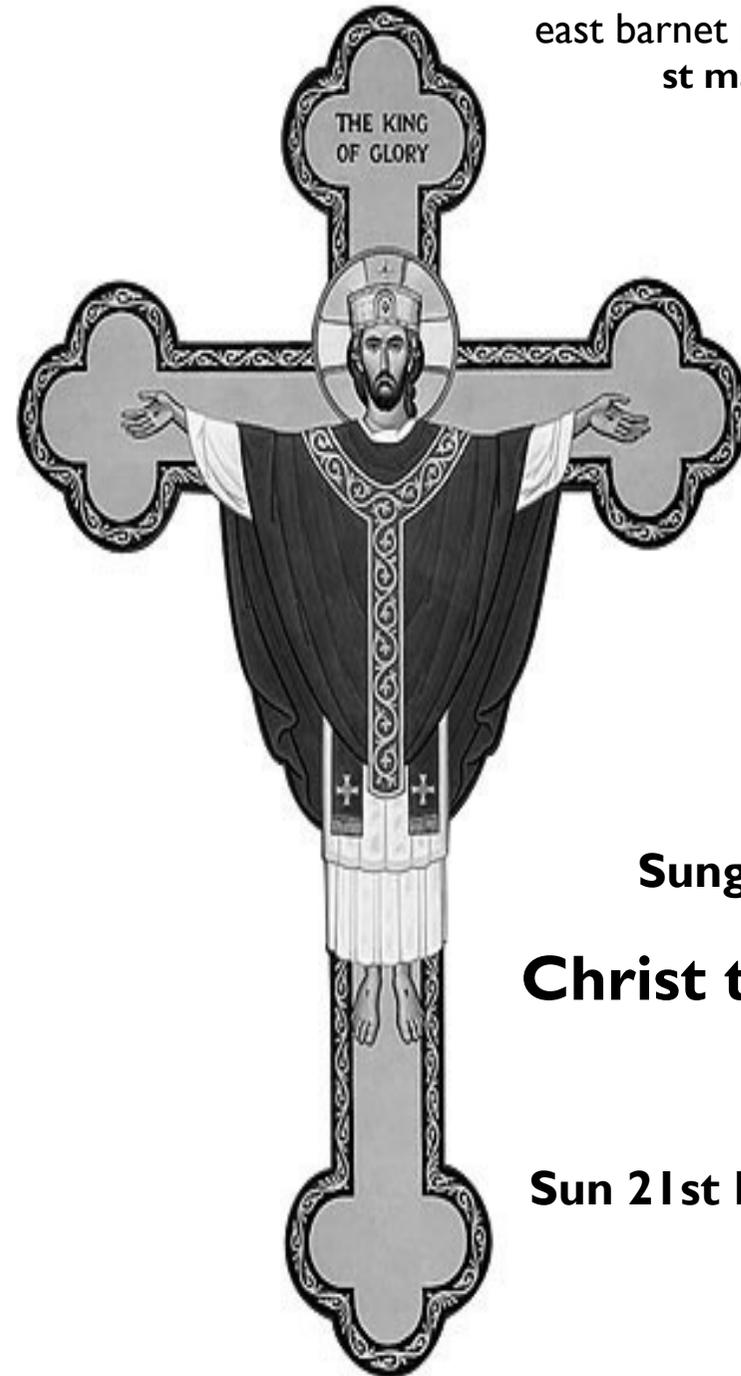


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Sung Eucharist
for the feast of
Christ the King

Sun 21st November
10am

Blessing

To him who is able to keep us from falling
and to present us without blemish
before the presence of his glory with rejoicing,
to the only God, our Saviour through Jesus Christ our Lord,
be glory, majesty, dominion and authority,
before all time and now and for ever.
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.
Amen.

Go in the peace of Christ our King.
Thanks be to God

The ministers and people depart.

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Please wait quietly for the liturgy to begin

The Gathering

Welcome

Please stand

Hymn

**At the name of Jesus
every knee shall bow,
every tongue confess him
King of Glory now.
'Tis the Father's pleasure
we should call him Lord,
who from the beginning
was the mighty Word:**

**At his voice creation
sprang at once to sight,
all the angel faces
all the hosts of light,
thrones and dominations,
stars upon their way,
all the heavenly orders
in their great array.**

**Humbled for a season,
to receive a name
from the lips of sinners
unto whom he came,
faithfully he bore it
spotless to the last,
brought it back victorious
when from death he passed.**

**Bore it up triumphant
with its human light,
through all ranks of creatures
to the central height,
to the throne of Godhead,
to the Father's breast;
filled it with the glory
of that perfect rest.**

**In your hearts enthrone him;
there let him subdue
all that is not holy,
all that is not true:
He is God the Saviour,
he is Christ the Lord,
Ever to be worshipped,
Trusted and adored.**

**Brothers, this Lord Jesus
shall return again,
with his Father's glory,
with his angel train;
for all wreaths of empire
meet upon his brow,
and our hearts confess him
King of Glory now.**

The Greeting

The President says

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.

**Crown him the Lord of love,
behold his hands and side,
rich wounds, yet visible above,
in beauty glorified.
No angel in the sky
can fully bear that sight,
but downward bends his burning eye
at mysteries so bright.**

**Crown him the Lord of peace,
whose power a sceptre sways
from pole to pole, that wars may cease,
absorbed in prayer and praise.
his reign shall know no end,
and round his piercèd feet
fair flowers of paradise extend
their fragrance ever sweet.**

**Crown him the Lord of years,
the Potentate of time,
Creator of the rolling spheres,
ineffably sublime.
Glassed in a sea of light,
Where everlasting waves
Reflect his throne—the Infinite!
Who lives—and loves—and saves.**

Father of all, we give you thanks and praise,
that when we were still far off
you met us in your Son and brought us home.
Dying and living, he declared your love,
gave us grace, and opened the gate of glory.
May we who share Christ's body live his risen life;
we who drink his cup bring life to others;
we whom the Spirit lights give light to the world.
Keep us firm in the hope you have set before us,
so we and all your children shall be free,
and the whole earth live to praise your name;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Dismissal

Hymn

Crown him with many crowns,
the Lamb upon his throne.
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns
all music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing
of him who died for thee,
and hail him as thy matchless King
through all eternity.

Crown him the Virgin's Son,
the God incarnate born,
whose arm those crimson trophies won
which now His brow adorn;
fruit of the mystic rose,
as of that rose the stem;
the root whence mercy ever flows,
the Babe of Bethlehem. 16

We come together to celebrate the feast of Christ the King.
Let us offer praise and thanksgiving to God
who through the suffering of Jesus has rescued us
from the power of darkness
and brought us into the kingdom of his beloved Son.

Prayer of Preparation

The Deacon leads the people

**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.**

Prayers of Penitence

Jesus says, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand.'
So let us turn away from sin and turn to Christ,
confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you
and against our neighbour
in thought and word and deed,
through negligence, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault.
We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
who died for us, forgive us all that is past
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life
to the glory of your name.
Amen.**

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent,
 have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
 confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,
 and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

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 For you a-lone are the ho - ly one; you a-lone are the Lord.
 You a lone are the most high Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly
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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 one bread.**

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin_____ of the world,_____ have mer -
 cy on us.
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 Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin_____ of the world,_____ grant___ us peace.

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.

Prayer after Communion

Let us pray:

Please stand

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people;
 that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works,
 may by you be plenteously rewarded;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Bringing before you the bread of life and cup of salvation,
we proclaim his death and resurrection until he comes in glory.

The Deacon says

Great is the mystery of faith

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

Lord of all life, help us to work together for that day
when your kingdom comes
and justice and mercy will be seen in all the earth.

Look with favour on your people, gather us in your loving arms
and bring us with Blessed Mary, Alban and all the saints
to feast at your table in heaven.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all honour and glory are yours, O loving Father,
for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please sit or kneel

The Lord's Prayer

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has 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.**

The Collect

The President says

Let us pray:

Silence is kept

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ
ascended to the throne of heaven
that he might rule over all things as Lord and King;
keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit
and in the bond of peace,
and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please sit

† The Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

*Please remain seated for the **Psalm**
(see notice sheet)*

Second Reading

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please stand

Cantor Full
 Al - le - lu - ia al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia al - le - lu - ia.
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Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord.
 Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heaven.
Alleluia

Gospel Reading

The Deacon says

The Lord be with you
And also with you

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

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

Please sit

Sermon

Please stand

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
 7 pow'r and might. Hea - ven and earth are full of your glo -
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 29 Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

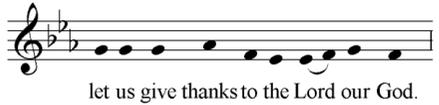
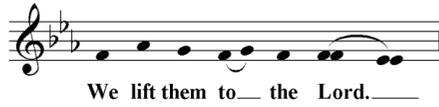
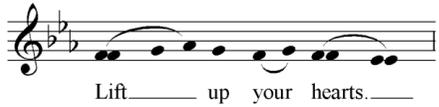
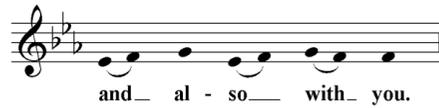
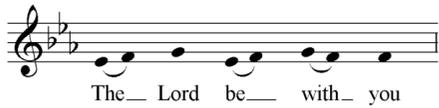
We praise and bless you, loving Father,
 through Jesus Christ, our Lord;
 and as we obey his command, send your Holy Spirit,
 that broken bread and wine outpoured
 may be for us the body and blood of your dear Son.

On the night before he died he had supper with his friends
 and, taking bread, he praised you.
 He broke the bread, gave it to them and said:
 Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;
 do this in remembrance of me.

When supper was ended he took the cup of wine.
 Again he praised you, gave it to them and said:
 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.

So, Father, we remember all that Jesus did,
 in him we plead with confidence his sacrifice
 made once for all upon the cross.

The Eucharistic Prayer



It is indeed right,
our duty and our joy,
always and everywhere to give you thanks,
holy Father, almighty and eternal God.
For with the oil of gladness
you have anointed Christ the Lord, your only Son,
to be our great high priest
and king of all creation.
As priest, he offered himself once for all
upon the altar of the cross
and redeemed the human race
by this perfect sacrifice of peace.

As king he claims dominion over all your creatures,
that he may bring before your infinite majesty
a kingdom of truth and life,
a kingdom of holiness and grace,
a kingdom of justice, love and peace.
And so with angels and archangels
and all the heavenly host,
we proclaim your glory
and join in their unending hymn of praise:

Affirmation of Faith

from the Athanasian Creed

We proclaim the Church's faith in Jesus Christ.
**We believe and declare that our Lord Jesus Christ,
the Son of God, is both divine and human.**
God, of the being of the Father,
the only Son from before time began;
human from the being of his mother, born in the world;
**fully God and fully human;
human in both mind and body.**
As God he is equal to the Father,
as human he is less than the Father.
**Although he is both divine and human
he is not two beings but one Christ.**
One, not by turning God into flesh,
but by taking humanity into God;
**truly one, not by mixing humanity with Godhead,
but by being one person.**
For as mind and body form one human being
so the one Christ is both divine and human.
**The Word became flesh and lived among us;
we have seen his glory,
the glory of the only Son from the Father,
full of grace and truth.**

Prayers of Intercession

In the power of the Spirit, and in union with Christ,
let us pray to the Father:

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Lord, in your mercy
hear our prayer.

And at the end

Heavenly Father,
you have rescued us from the power of darkness.
Help us to walk in this world
as citizens of your kingdom of light
where Christ reigns as King
in glory for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please stand

† The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The Peace

To crown all things there must be love,
to bind all together and complete the whole.

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

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

All exchange a sign of peace.

Hymn

Hail the day that sees him rise, Alleluia!
Glorious to his native skies; Alleluia!
Christ, awhile to mortals given, Alleluia!
enters now the highest heaven! Alleluia!

There the glorious triumph waits; Alleluia!
lift your heads, eternal gates! Alleluia!
Christ hath vanquished death and sin; Alleluia!
take the King of glory in! Alleluia!

See! he lifts his hands above; Alleluia!
See! he shows the prints of love: Alleluia!
Hark! his gracious lips bestow, Alleluia!
blessings on his Church below. Alleluia!

Still for us he intercedes, Alleluia!
his prevailing death he pleads, Alleluia!
near himself prepares our place, Alleluia!
Harbinger of human race. Alleluia!

Lord, though parted from our sight, Alleluia!
far above the azure height, Alleluia!
grant our hearts may thither rise, Alleluia!
seeking thee beyond the skies. Alleluia!

There we shall with thee remain, Alleluia!
partners of thine eternal reign, Alleluia!
there thy face unclouded see, Alleluia!
find our heaven of heavens in thee, Alleluia!

The President says

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.

Please remain standing