



EMMANUEL CHURCH WEST HAMPSTEAD

“God is with us”

THE HOLY EUCHARIST – EPIPHANY SEASON

A recording of a hymn, a solo piece by a cantor or a piece of music may be played

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

Amen.

Grace, mercy and peace
from God our Father
and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
and also with you

The presiding priest introduces the liturgy and warmly welcomes the congregation before leading us in the penitential rite in these or other appropriate or seasonal words:

The grace of God has dawned upon the world through our Saviour Jesus Christ, who sacrificed himself for us to purify a people as his own. In God’s light and love we call to mind and confess our sins.

God be gracious to us and bless us,
and make your face shine upon us:
Lord, have mercy
Lord, have mercy

May your ways be known upon earth,
your saving power among the nations:
Christ, have mercy
Christ, have mercy

You, Lord, have made known
your salvation,
and reveal your justice
in the sight of the nations:
Lord, have mercy
Lord, have mercy

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.

**Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you,
we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ,
only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away
the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated
at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen**

COLLECT

*The presiding priest says “Let us pray”,
inviting us to keep a few moments of silence
At the end of the Collect, all respond
Amen.*

THE READINGS

There are two readings, interspersed by a responsorial psalm, which are to be found on the inside of the weekly sheet.

At the end of each the reader says:

This is the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

*This acclamation precedes the Gospel
As you are able, please stand*

Alleluia, **alleluia!**
Christ was revealed in flesh,
proclaimed among the nations
and believed in throughout the world
Alleluia!

As you are able please remain standing

THE GOSPEL

The Lord be with you
And also with you

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

At the end the deacon or priest says

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

Please sit for the homily

*At the end of the homily
we keep a few moments silence for reflection*

THE NICENE CREED

*A summary of Christian belief
dating from the fourth century is said
on Sundays and Principal holy days*

**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,**

*It is customary to bow during the next
few lines in celebration of God's radical
clothing in our humanity*

**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.**

THE PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

At the end of each bidding

Lord, in your mercy
Hear our prayer

or Lord, hear us
Lord, graciously hear us

At the end of the prayers

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

THE PEACE

*The presiding priest introduces the peace in these
or other appropriate or seasonal words*

Our Saviour Christ is the Prince of Peace.
Of the increase of his government
and of peace there shall be no end

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

There is no general sharing of the peace

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR

If there is no music at this point, the priest says aloud

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.

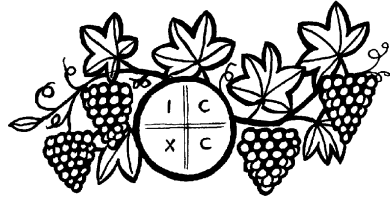
Blessed be God for ever.

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.

THE PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

*The presiding priest says a seasonal prayer over
the gifts of bread and wine and all respond
Amen.*



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

*The presiding priest says the Preface which leads
into us all saying the Sanctus & Benedictus together*

**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!**

Please kneel or sit

The Priest recalls the last supper

Great is the mystery of faith.

Christ has died:

Christ is risen:

Christ will come again!

*The priest continues the Eucharistic Prayer
with the anamnesis, calling to mind the mighty
works of God.*

At the of the prayer all respond boldly

Amen.

As you are able, please stand

Believing the promises of God
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,
forever 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.**

**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.**

Behold Jesus, 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.**

The presiding priest says

The Body of Christ, the bread of heaven
Amen
The Blood of Christ, the cup of salvation
Amen

*You may like to make an act of spiritual communion
and adoration as follows*

**My Jesus,
I believe that you are present
in the most holy Sacrament.
I love you above all things,
and I desire to receive you into
my soul. Since I cannot at this
moment receive you
sacramentally, come at least
spiritually into my heart.
I embrace you as if you were
already there, and unite myself
wholly to you. Never permit me
to be separated from you.
Amen.**

*The presiding priest says the post-communion
prayer*

THE BLESSING & DISMISSAL

The Lord be with you
and also with you

*The priest says the following or other seasonal or
suitable blessing*

Christ the Son of God, perfect in you the
image of his glory and gladden your hearts
with the good news of his kingdom, and the
blessing of God almighty, the Father ✠ the
Son and the Holy Spirit, come down upon
you and remain with you always.
Amen.

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

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