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The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity
Anticipation of the Feast of St. Bartholomew, Apostle (24 August)
20 August 2023

Low Mass

Processional
King's Lynn

Hymn 521
Traditional English Melody



1. O God of earth and al - tar, Bow down and hear our cry,
2. From all that ter - ror tea - ches, From lies of tongue and pen,
3. Tie in a li - ving te - ther The prince and priest and thrall,



Our earth - ly ru - lers fal - ter, Our peo - ple drift and die;
From all the ea - sy spee - ches that com - fort cru - el men,
Bind all our lives to - ge - ther, Smite us and save us all;



The walls of gold en - tomb us, The swords of scorn di - vide,
From sale and pro - fa - na - tion Of ho - nor, and the sword,
In ire and ex - ul - ta - tion A - flame with faith and free,



Take not thy thun - der from us, But take a - way our pride. A - men.
From sleep and from damn - a - tion, De - li - ver us, good Lord!
Lift up a li - ving na - tion, A sin - gle sword to thee.

Gilbert Keith Chesterton, 1906

Collect for Purity
Introit

BCP 67

The Decalogue (*may be said here*)

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Deacon: GOD spake these words, and said:

I am the LORD thy God; Thou shalt have none other gods but me.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Deacon: Thou shalt not make to thyself any graven image, nor the likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or in the earth beneath, or in the water under the earth; thou shalt not bow down to them, nor worship them;

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Deacon: Thou shalt not take the Name of the LORD thy God in vain

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Deacon: Remember that thou keep holy the Sabbath-day.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Deacon: Honour thy father and thy mother;

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Deacon: Thou shalt do no murder.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Deacon: Thou shalt not commit adultery.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Deacon: Thou shalt not steal.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Deacon: Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Deacon: Thou shalt not covet.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and write all these thy laws in our hearts, we beseech thee.

Summary of the Law 69

Kyrie Eleison 70

Celebrant: Lord, have mercy upon us.
 People: Christ, have mercy upon us.
 Celebrant: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Gloria in Excelsis 84

GLORY be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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O GOD, who declarest thy almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity; Mercifully grant unto us such a measure of thy grace, that we, running the way of thy commandments, may obtain thy gracious promises, and be made partakers of thy heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

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O ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, who didst give to thine Apostle Bartholomew grace truly to believe and to preach thy Word; Grant, we beseech thee, unto thy Church, to love that Word

which he believed, and both to preach and receive the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Lesson

II Chronicles 7:12-16

And the Lord appeared to Solomon by night, and said unto him, I have heard thy prayer, and have chosen this place to myself for an house of sacrifice. If I shut up heaven that there be no rain, or if I command the locusts to devour the land, or if I send pestilence among my people; If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land. Now mine eyes shall be open, and mine ears attent unto the prayer that is made in this place. For now have I chosen and sanctified this house, that my name may be there for ever: and mine eyes and mine heart shall be there perpetually.

Te Deum laudamus

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WE praise thee, O God; we acknowledge thee to be the Lord.
All the earth doth worship thee, the Father everlasting.
To thee all Angels cry aloud; the Heavens, and all the Powers therein;
To thee Cherubim and Seraphim continually do cry;
Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Sabaoth;
Heaven and earth are full of the Majesty of thy glory.
The glorious company of the Apostles praise thee.
The goodly fellowship of the Prophets praise thee.
The noble army of Martyrs praise thee.
The holy Church throughout all the world doth acknowledge thee;
The Father, of an infinite Majesty;
Thine adorable, true, and only Son;
Also the Holy Ghost, the Comforter.

THOU art the King of Glory, O Christ.
Thou art the everlasting Son of the Father.
When thou tookest upon thee to deliver man, thou didst humble thyself to be born of a Virgin.
When thou hadst overcome the sharpness of death, thou didst open the Kingdom of Heaven to all believers.
Thou sittest at the right hand of God, in the glory of the Father.
We believe that thou shalt come to be our Judge.
We therefore pray thee, help thy servants, whom thou hast redeemed with thy precious blood.
Make them to be numbered with thy Saints, in glory everlasting.

O LORD, save thy people, and bless thine heritage.
Govern them, and lift them up for ever.
Day by day we magnify thee;
And we worship thy Name ever, world without end.
Vouchsafe, O Lord, to keep us this day without sin.
O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us.
O Lord, let thy mercy be upon us, as our trust is in thee.
O Lord, in thee have I trusted; let me never be confounded.

The Epistle

I Corinthians 15:1-11

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BRETHREN, I declare unto you the gospel which I preached unto you, which also ye have received, and wherein ye stand; by which also ye are saved, if ye keep in memory what I preached unto you, unless ye have believed in vain. For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures; and that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures: and that he was seen of Cephas, then of the twelve: after that, he was seen of above five hundred brethren at once; of whom the greater part remain unto this present, but some are fallen asleep. After that, he was seen of James; then of all the apostles. And last of all he was seen of me also, as of one born out of due time. For I am the least of the apostles, that am not meet to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am: and his grace which was bestowed upon me was not in vain; but I laboured more abundantly than they all: yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me. Therefore whether it were I or they, so we preach, and so ye believed.

Gradual and Alleluia

The Gospel

St. Luke 18:9-14

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People: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

AT that time; Jesus spake this parable unto certain which trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and despised others: Two men went up into the temple to pray; the one a Pharisee, and the other a publican. The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess. And the publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner. I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other: for every one that exalteth himself shall be abased; and he that humbleth himself shall be exalted.

People: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

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I BELIEVE in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible:

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man: And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets: And I believe one Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: And I look for the Resurrection of the dead: And the Life of the world to come. *Amen.*

Announcements

Sermon Hymn
Babylon's Streams

Hymn 60
Thomas Campian, 1613



1. With bro - ken heart and con - trite sigh, A trem - bling sin - ner,
2. I smite up - on my trou - bled breast, With deep and con - scious
3. Far off I stand with tear - ful eyes, Nor dare up - lift them
4. Nor alms, nor deeds that I have done, Can for a sin - gle
5. And when, re - deemed from sin and hell, With all the ran - somed



Lord, I cry: Thy par - d'ning grace is rich and free:
guilt op - prest, Christ and his cross my on - ly plea:
to the skies; But thou dost all my an - guish see:
sin a - tone; To Cal - va - ry a - lone I flee:
throng I dwell, My rap - tured song shall ev - er be,



O God, be mer - ci - ful to me. A - men.
O God, be mer - ci - ful to me.
O God, be mer - ci - ful to me.
O God, be mer - ci - ful to me.
God has been mer - ci - ful to me.

Cornelius Elven, 1852

Sermon

The Rt. Rev. Anthony F. Rasch

Offertory Verse and Sentences

Offertory Hymn

Woodworth

Hymn 409, 3rd Tune

William B. Bradbury, 1849



1. Just as I am, with - out one plea, But that thy blood was
2. Just as I am, though tossed a - bout With ma - ny a con - flict,
3. Just as I am, poor, wretch-ed, blind; Sight, rich - es, heal - ing
4. Just as I am: thou wilt re - ceive; Wilt wel - come, par - don,
5. Just as I am, thy love un - known Has bro - ken eve - ry
6. Just as I am, of thy great love The breadth, length, depth, and



shed for me, And that thou bidd'st me come to thee
ma - ny a doubt; Fight - ings and fears with - in, with - out,
of the mind, Yea, all I need, in thee to find,
cleanse, re - lieve, Be - cause thy pro - mise I be - lieve,
bar - rier down; Now to be thine, yea, thine a - lone,
height to prove, Here for a sea - son, then a - bove:



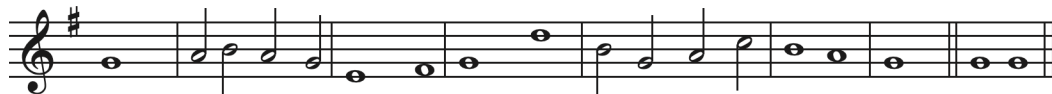
O Lamb of God, I come, I come. A - men.

Charlotte Elliott, 1836, alt.

Doxology (Hymnal 139, 1st verse)



Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; Praise him, all crea-tures here be - low;



Praise him above, ye heav'n-ly host: Praise Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost. A-men.

Bidding Prayers

Orate, Fratres

Celebrant: Brethren, pray that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the Father Almighty.

People: The Lord receive this sacrifice at thy hands, to the praise and glory of his Name; both to our benefit and that of all his holy Church. *Amen.*

Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church

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General Confession

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ALMIGHTY God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men; We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, Which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, By thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty, Provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; The remembrance of them is grievous unto us; The burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve

and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution 76

The Comfortable Words 76

Sursum Corda 76

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People: It is meet and right so to do.

Preface 79

Sanctus and Benedictus 77

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY, Lord God of hosts, Heaven and earth are full of thy glory: Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

✠ Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord, Hosanna in the highest.

Prayer of Consecration 80

Celebrant: And now, as our Saviour Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say,

The Lord's Prayer 82

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, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with thy spirit.

Agnus Dei

Celebrant: O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

People: Have mercy upon us.

Celebrant: O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

People: Have mercy upon us.

Celebrant: O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

People: Grant us thy peace.

Prayer of Humble Access 82

Communion of the Faithful

Celebrant: Behold the Lamb of God; behold Him that taketh away the sins of the world.

People: (3x) Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof, but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.

For those attending in person, we have resumed the custom of kneeling or standing at the Altar Rail to Receive. Here are the various Ways of Receiving:

1. *Receive the Host into your hands, or directly onto the tongue.
Receive directly from the Chalice, guiding it gently by the base.*
2. *Receive by Intinction, receiving the Host into your hands and leaving it there; the Deacon will take it and dip it in the Chalice and place it onto your tongue.*
3. *You may receive only the Host of itself, either in your hands or on your tongue. Our Lord is equally present in either Form.*

As a precaution and courtesy to others and for your own safety, we respectfully request that in the event you are currently suffering from a cold or other communicable illness, please refrain from receiving from the Chalice.

For those attending remotely: Please take a moment of silence to realize the presence of Jesus Christ in your soul and make your spiritual communion.

In union, O Dear Lord, with the faithful at every Altar of Thy Church, where Thy blessed Body and Blood have been offered to the Father, I desire to offer Thee praise and thanksgiving. I present to Thee my soul and body, with the earnest wish that I may ever be united to Thee. And since I cannot now receive Thee sacramentally, I beseech Thee to come spiritually into my heart. I unite myself to Thee, and embrace Thee with all the affections of my soul. O let nothing ever separate me from Thee. Let me live and die in Thy love. Amen.

Grant, O Lord Jesus Christ, that as the hem of Thy garment, touched in faith, healed the woman who could not touch Thy Body, so the soul of Thy servant may be healed by like faith in Thee, Whom I cannot now sacramentally receive; through Thy tender mercy, Who livest and reignest with the Father in the unity of the Holy Ghost ever one God. Amen.

Communion Hymn

Caswall

Hymn 335

Friedrich Filitz, 1847



1. Glo - ry be to Je - sus, Who in bit - ter pains
2. Grace and life e - ter - nal In that blood I find,
3. Blest through end - less a - ges Be the pre - cious stream
4. Oft as earth ex - ult - ing Wafts its praise on high,
5. Lift ye then your voi - ces; Swell the might - y flood;



Poured for me the life - blood From his sa - cred veins! A - men.
 Blest be his com - pas - sion In - fi - nite - ly kind!
 Which from sin and sor - row Doth the world re - deem!
 An - gel hosts, re - joi - cing, Make their glad re - ply.
 Loud - er still and loud - er Praise the pre - cious blood.

Italian, 18th cent.; Tr. Edward Caswall, alt.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

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Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee, for that thou dost vouchsafe to feed us who have duly received these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favour

and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of thy everlasting kingdom, by the merits of his most precious death and passion. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

Communion Verse and Post-Communion Prayers

Dismissal

Final Blessing

Celebrant: The Peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: And the ✠Blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

Retiring Processional:

Lancashire

Hymn 553

Henry Smart, 1836



1. Go for - ward, Christ - ian sol - dier, Be - neath his ban - ner true:
 2. Go for - ward, Christ - ian sol - dier, Fear not the se - cret foe;
 3. Go for - ward, Christ - ian sol - dier, Nor dream of peace - ful rest,
 4. Go for - ward, Christ - ian sol - dier, Fear not the gath - 'ring night:



The Lord him - self, thy Lead - er, Shall all thy foes sub - due.
 Far more o'er thee are watch - ing Than hu - man eyes can know:
 Till Sa - tan's host is van - quished And heav'n is all pos - sess'd;
 The Lord has been thy shel - ter; The Lord will be thy light.



His love fore - tells thy tri - als; He knows thine hour - ly need;
 Trust on - ly Christ, thy Cap - tain; Cease not to watch and pray;
 Till Christ him - self shall call thee To lay thine ar - mor by,
 When morn his face re - veal - eth, Thy dan - gers all are past:



He can with bread of hea - ven Thy faint - ing spi - rit feed.
 Heed not the treach - 'rous voi - ces That lure thy soul a - stray.
 And wear in end - less glo - ry The crown of vic - to - ry.
 O pray that faith and vir - tue May keep thee to the last!

Laurence Tuttiert, 1861

Announcements

Celebrant
 Assisting
 Epistoler

The Right Reverend Anthony F. Rasch
 The Reverend Deacon John Yeager
 Robert Jones

Lector
Acolyte
Acolyte in Training
Choir
Zoom Wrangler
Altar Guild

Tony Shehata
Robert Yeager
Patrick Dempsey
Landon Melamed
Gretchen Martin

Midweek Mass will be celebrated this week on Wednesday at 10 am (St. Bartholomew).

Happy Birthday!

Kira Kubo (20 August)

Happy 17th Ordination Anniversary to Deacon Yeager (26 August)

The Altar flowers were donated to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the 22nd birthday of Kira Kubo by Beth Kubo.

A special word of thanks to Sandy Wood for hosting and providing the delicious meal for our Patronal Festival Supper last Sunday evening. Thanks also to Landon Melamed for entertaining us with his guitar and vocals. The Bishop also wishes to thank Sandy for providing a humongous, delicious birthday cake. In all, eighteen were in attendance. Several went swimming and even used the waterslide. What a delightful evening it was!

Bishop Rasch wishes to thank our Congregation for joining him in celebration of his 84th Birthday Anniversary and for your cards of congratulations and other expressions of kindness.