All Saints Bearsden

Liturgies for blended worship

Said Eucharist and A Service of The Word

Scottish Liturgy 1982

Welcome

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

Collect for Purity

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.*

Confession and Absolution

God is love and we are God's children. There is no room for fear in love. We love because God loved us first.

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith.

Silence

God our Father, we confess to you

and to our fellow members in the Body of Christ that we have sinned in thought, word and deed, and in what we have failed to do. We are truly sorry. Forgive us our sins, and deliver us from the power of evil, for the sake of your Son who died for us, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

God, who is both power and love, forgive *us* and free *us* from *our* sins, heal and strengthen *us* by the Holy Spirit, and raise *us* to new life in Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Gloria

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 of the day

Reading

Gospel

When it is announced: *Glory to Christ our Saviour.*

At end: Give thanks to the Lord for his glorious Gospel. **Praise to Christ our Lord.**

Sermon

Affirmation of Faith

Do you believe in God the Creator, who made the world? *I believe.*

Do you believe in God the Saviour, who redeemed humanity? *I believe.*

Do you believe in God the Sanctifier, who gives life to God's people? *I believe.*

Intercessions

Peace

We meet in Christ's name. *Let us share his peace.*

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 him thanks and praise.

Worship and praise belong to you, Father, in every place and at all times. You made us, all the people of the world, and everything that is. You give us the daylight. Your Word lights up our minds. Jesus was born among us to be light in our darkness. Your Spirit lives in us so that we can look at the world with your eyes. One day we will be with you in heaven, but already we laugh with the saints and angels, and sing their joyful song:

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.

You never forget us or turn away from us, even when we fail you. You sent your Son Jesus who gave his life for us. He healed those who were sick, cared for those who were poor, and cried with those who were sad. He forgave sinners and taught us to forgive. For all your love we give you thanks in the way that Jesus showed us. On the night before he died, while he was having supper with his friends, he took bread and offered you thanks. He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying: "Take, eat. This is my Body: it is broken for you." After supper, he took the cup, he offered you thanks, and gave it to them saying: "Drink this, all of you. This is my Blood of the new covenant; it is poured out for you, and for all, that sins may be forgiven. Do this in remembrance of me."

So, as we do what he told us, we open our hearts to him; we remember how he died and rose again to live now in us. Together with him we offer you these gifts: in them we give you ourselves.

Send your Holy Spirit on us and on this bread and this wine, that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ, and that, sharing your life, we may travel in your company to our journey's end. With all your people we give you thanks and praise through the Son and in the Spirit, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Breaking of the Bread

The living bread is broken for the life of the world. *Lord, unite us in this sign.*

Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour has taught us, so we pray: 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. Do not bring us to the time of trial but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Communion

THANKSGIVING AND SENDING OUT

Sentence

Give thanks to our gracious God. *Whose mercy endures for ever.*

Post Communion Prayer

Blessing

Dismissal

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

A Service of The Word

Preparation

Greeting

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit: And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

We meet in Christ's name. Let us share his peace.

PRAYERS OF PENITENCE AND FORGIVENESS

Return to the Lord, who will have mercy: to our God, who will richly pardon.

(Isaiah 55.7)

Penitential Psalm

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness.

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I know my transgressions: and my sin is ever before me.

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness.

Purge me from my sin and I shall be pure: wash me and I shall be clean indeed.

Kyrie

Creator of the world, have mercy *Kyrie eleison.* Source of all goodness, have mercy *Kyrie eleison.* Wash away our sins *Kyrie eleison.*

Light of the world, have mercy *Christe eleison.* Strength of the faithful, have mercy *Christe eleison.* Look on us, wounded by sin *Christe eleison.*

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, have mercy *Kyrie eleison* One God in three persons, have mercy *Kyrie eleison* Renew your Spirit within us, and give us new life *Kyrie eleison*

(Based on the Sarum Orbis factor Kyrie)

God of mercy, we acknowledge that we are sinners. We turn from the wrong that we have thought and said and done, and are mindful of all that we have failed to do. For the sake of Jesus, who died for us, forgive us for all that is past, and help us to live each day in the light of Christ our Lord. Amen

(Common Worship)

A short silence is kept before saying

May the Lord forgive what we have been, help us to amend what we are and direct what we shall be, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(SEC Daily Prayer 1988)

Response

Blessed is the Lord: *Who has heard the voice of our prayer.* Therefore shall our hearts dance for joy: *And in our song will we praise our God*

(From Psalm 28)

Gloria

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Collect of the day

READINGS FROM HOLY SCRIPTURE

Exposition of the Word

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Prayers of intercession

The prayers conclude with -

Lord, have mercy. *Christ, have mercy.* Lord, have mercy. *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. Do not bring us to the time of trial but deliver us from evil. Amen.*

CONCLUSION

Act of Dedication

Responsory

Your word is a lantern to my feet. Your word is a lantern to my feet. A light upon my path. A lantern to my feet. Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. Your word is a lantern to my feet.

(Psalm 119.105)

Almighty God, we thank you for the gift of your holy word: may it be a lantern to our feet, a light upon our paths, and a strength to our lives. Take us and use us to love and serve all people in the power of the Holy Spirit and in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(Common Worship)

Dismissal

Let us bless the Lord. Thanks be to God. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all, evermore. Amen.

(2 Corinthians 13.14)

Let us go in peace to love and serve the Lord. *In the name of Christ. Amen.*