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### WEEKLY SUNDAY LITURGIES

8.00 am - Said Mass • 9.30 am - Sung Mass • 11.00 am - Solemn Mass



## ADVENT III

11 December 2011 – 4.30 pm

*Solemn Evensong, Advent Carols  
and Benediction*

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## Service of Light

V. Light and peace in Jesus Christ our Lord.      R. **Thanks be to God.**

### Advent Responses

Alan Wilson

Send us O Lord your saving power. Send your deliverance to us and to all men. You brought from chaos the light and darkness. Be the light in our lives and scatter our darkness. Bring us new birth and restore our hope. Send us O Lord your saving power. Come and redeem us with healing light.

### Hymn

### VENI EMMANUEL

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| <p>1. O come, o come, Emmanuel!<br/>Redeem thy captive Israel,<br/>That into exile drear is gone<br/>Far from the face of God's dear Son.<br/><i>Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel<br/>Shall come to thee, O Israel.</i></p> | <p>4. O come, thou root of Jesse! Draw<br/>The quarry from the lion's claw;<br/>From those dread caverns of the grave,<br/>From nether hell, thy people save.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <p>2. O come, thou Wisdom from on high!<br/>Who madest all in earth and sky,<br/>Creating man from dust and clay:<br/>To us reveal salvation's way.</p>                                                               | <p>5. O come, thou Lord of David's Key!<br/>The royal door fling wide and free;<br/>Safeguard for us the heavenward road,<br/>And bar the way to death's abode.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <p>3. O come, O come, Adonäi,<br/>Who in thy glorious majesty<br/>From Sinai's mountain, clothed with<br/>awe,<br/>Gavest thy folk the ancient law.</p>                                                               | <p><i>(Choir only)</i></p> <p>6. O come, O come thou Dayspring bright!<br/>Pour on our souls thy healing light;<br/>Dispel the long night's lingering gloom,<br/>And pierce the shadows of the tomb.</p> <p>7. O come, Desire of nations! Show<br/>Thy kingly reign on earth below;<br/>Thou Corner-stone, uniting all,<br/>Restore the ruin of our fall.</p> |

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The next Solemn Evensong and Benediction will be celebrated on

**Sunday, 22 January at 4.30 pm.**

The service on this occasion will be augmented by choral and instrumental music.

**Please plan to attend and consider inviting a guest.**

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*Celebrant:*

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People:*

It is right to give our thanks and praise

Antiphon: *Let us adore forever: the most holy sacrament.*

### Psalm 117

TONE VI



- 1 O PRAISE the Lord, all ye **na**-tions : laud him, **all** yē peo-ples.
- 2 For his merciful kindness is ever more and more to-**wards** us : and the truth of the Lord endureth for **ev**-ēr. Praise the<sup>^</sup>Lord.  
Glory be to the Father, and to **the** Son : and **to** thē Ho-ly<sup>^</sup>Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever **shall** be : world with-**out** end.  
A-men.

Antiphon: *Let us adore forever: the most holy sacrament.*

**Thanksgiving:** Blessèd are you, O Lord our God, ruler of the universe, creator of light and darkness. In this holy season, when the sun's light is swallowed up by the growing darkness of the night, you renew your promise to reveal among us the splendour of your glory, enfleshed and visible to us in Jesus Christ your Son. Through the prophets you teach us to hope for his reign of peace. Through the outpouring of his Spirit, you open our blindness to the glory of his presence. Strengthen us in our weakness. Support us in our stumbling efforts to do your will and free our tongues to sing your praise. For to you all honour and blessing are due, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### Evensong

Psalm 103 (*please sit from middle of first verse; and sing even numbered verses*)



- 1 PRAISE THE Lord, O my **soul** : and all that is within me **praise** his ho-ly<sup>^</sup>Name.
- 2 Praise the Lord, O my **soul** : and forget not **all** his ben-e<sup>^</sup>fits;
- 3 Who forgiveth all thy **sin** : and healeth all **thine** in-firm-i<sup>^</sup>ties;
- 4 Who saveth thy life from des-**truc**-tion : and crowneth thee with mercy and **lov**-ing kind-ness;
- 5 Who satisfieth thy mouth with **good** things : making thee young and lusty **as** an ea-gle.
- 6 The Lord executeth righteousness and **judge**-ment : for all them that are op-**press**-ed with wrong.
- 7 He showed his ways unto **Mo**-ses : his works unto the chil-**dren** of Is-ra<sup>^</sup>el.
- 8 The Lord is full of compassion and **gra**-cious : long-suffering, and **of** great good-ness.
- 9 He will not alway be **chi**-ding : neither keepeth he his an-**ger** for ev-er.
- 15 The days of man are but as **grass** : for he flourisheth as a **flower** of the field.
- 16 For as soon as the wind goeth over it, it is **gone** : and the place thereof shall **know** it no more.
- 17 But the merciful goodness of the Lord endureth for ever and ever upon them that **fear** him : and his righteousness unto **chil**-dren's chil-dren;
- 18 Even unto such as keep his **co**-ve<sup>^</sup>nant : and think upon his command-**ments** to do them.
- 19 The Lord hath established his throne in **hea**-ven : and his kingdom **ru**-leth o-ver<sup>^</sup>all.
- 20 O praise the Lord, ye angels of his, ye that excel in **strength** : ye that fulfil his commandment, and hearken unto the **voice** of his word.
- 21 O praise the Lord, all ye his **hosts** : ye servants of his that **do** his plea-sure.
- 22 O speak good of the Lord, all ye works of his, in all places of his do-**min**-ion :

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Assistant: Fr Theo Ipema

praise thou the **Lörd**, O my<sup>^</sup>soul.

Glory be to the Father, and to the **Son** : and **to** the Ho-ly<sup>^</sup>Ghost;

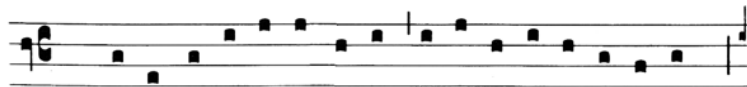
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever **shall** be : world with-**out** end.

A-men.

**First Lesson:** Isaiah 13: 6-13

**Office Hymn**

CONDITOR ALME



A - men.

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| 1. Creator of the stars of night,<br>Thy people's everlasting light,<br>O Jesu, Saviour of us all,<br>Regard thy servants when they call.              | 4. At thy great name, exalted now,<br>All knees must bend, all hearts must bow,<br>And things in heaven and earth shall own<br>That thou art Lord and King alone. |
| 2. Thou, grieving at the bitter cry<br>Of all creation doomed to die,<br>Didst come to save a ruined race<br>With healing gifts of heavenly grace      | 5. To thee, O holy One, we pray,<br>Our judge in that tremendous day,<br>Preserve us while we dwell below,<br>From every onslaught of the foe.                    |
| 3. Thou camest, Bridegroom of the bride,<br>As drew the world to evening-tide,<br>Proceeding from a virgin shrine,<br>The Son of Man, yet Lord divine. | 6. All praise, eternal Son, to thee,<br>Whose advent sets thy people free,<br>Whom with the Father we adore,<br>And Spirit blest, for evermore. Amen.             |

V: Drop down ye heavens from above.

**R: And let the skies pour down righteousness.**

**Antiphon:** *Before me there was no God formed, nor shall there be after me: for to me shall ev'ry knee be bowed and me shall ev'ry tongue confess.*

**Magnificat**

Fauxbourdons by Healey Willan

My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

For he hath regarded the lowliness of his handmaiden. For behold, from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed. For he that is mighty hath magnified me; and holy is his Name. And his mercy is on them that fear him throughout all generations. He hath showed strength with his arm; he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts. He hath

**Hymn**

Pange Lingua



1. Therefore we, before him bending,  
This great sacrament revere:  
Types and shadows have their ending,  
For the newer rite is here;  
Faith, our outward sense befriending,  
Makes the inward vision clear.

2. Glory let us give and blessing  
To the Father and the Son,  
Honour, might and praise addressing,  
While eternal ages run;  
Ever too his love confessing,  
Who, from both, with both is one. Amen.

V: Thou gavest them bread from heaven.

**R: Containing in itself all sweetness.**

Collect

**Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament**

**The Divine Praises** (*repeat after the officiant*)

arr. John Kitchen

Blessèd be God.  
Blessèd be his holy name.  
Blessèd be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.  
Blessèd be the Name of Jesus.  
Blessèd be his most sacred Heart.  
Blessèd be Jesus Christ in the most holy Sacrament of the altar.  
Blessèd be the Holy Spirit, the Comforter  
Blessèd be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy.  
Blessèd be the name of Mary, virgin and Mother.  
Blessèd be God in his Angels and in his Saints.  
Blessèd be God.

**Carol:** *Resonemus Laudibus*

14<sup>th</sup>-century carol arr. David Willcocks

*Resonemus laudibus in jocunditatibus ecclesiam fidelibus.*

*Apparuit quem genuit Maria*

Let us make this church resound with the merry praises of the faithful. He has appeared, whom Mary bore.

## Hymn

BRISTOL

1. Hark the glad sound! the Saviour comes,  
The Saviour promised long!  
Let every heart prepare a throne,  
And every voice a song
2. He comes the prisoners to release  
In Satan's bondage held;  
The gates of brass before him burst,  
The iron fetters yield.
3. He comes the broken heart to bind,  
The bleeding soul to cure,  
And with the treasures of his grace  
Enrich the humble poor.
4. Our glad hosannas, Prince of peace,  
Thy welcome shall proclaim,  
And heaven's eternal arches ring  
With thy beloved name.

## Benediction

*(Please kneel when the bell rings and remain kneeling, if able.)*

## Hymn

Verbum Supernum

1. O saving Victim, opening wide  
The gate of heaven to man below;  
Our foes press hard on every side,  
Thine aid supply, thy strength bestow.
2. All praise and thanks to thee ascend  
For evermore, blest One in Three;  
O grant us life that shall not end,  
In our true native land with thee. Amen.

**Motet:** At thy great name

Stephanie Martin

*At thy great name, exalted now, all knees must bend, all hearts must bow,  
All things in heaven and earth shall own that thou art Lord and King alone.  
To God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit three in one,  
Praise, honour, might and glory be from age to age eternally. Amen.*

put down the mighty from their seat, and hath exalted the humble and meek. He hath filled the hungry with good things; and the rich he hath sent empty away. He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel; As he promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed for ever. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**Second Lesson:** John 5: 30-47

## Nunc Dimittis

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Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word. For mine eyes have seen thy salvation which thou hast prepared before the face of all people; To be a light to lighten the Gentiles and to be the glory of thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

## Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried, He descended into hell; The third day he rose again from the dead, He ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; The holy Catholic Church; The Communion of Saints; The Forgiveness of sins; The Resurrection of the body, And the life everlasting. Amen.

V: The Lord be with you. **R: And with thy spirit.**

V: Let us pray. *(Please kneel)* Lord, have mercy upon us. **R: Christ, have mercy upon us.**

V: Lord, have mercy upon us.

## Lord's Prayer

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. Amen.

## Suffrages

V: O Lord, show thy mercy upon us; **R: And grant us thy salvation.**

V: O Lord, save the Queen; **R: And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.**

V: Endue thy Ministers with righteousness; **R: And make thy chosen people joyful.**

V: O Lord, save thy people; **R: And bless thine inheritance.**

V: Give peace in our time, O Lord; **R: And evermore mightily defend us.**  
 V: O God, make clean our hearts within us; **R: And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.**

Collects

**Anthem of Our Lady:** *Alma Redemptoris*

*Alma Redemptoris Mater, quae pervia  
 caeli porta manes, et stella maris, succurre  
 cadenti, surgere qui curat populo: Tu quae  
 genuisti, natura mirante, tuum sanctum  
 Genitorem: Virgo prius ac posterius,  
 Gabrielis ab ore sumens illud Ave,  
 peccatorum miserere.*

Loving Mother of the Redeemer,  
 who remains the gate by which we  
 mortals enter heaven, and star of the  
 sea, help your fallen people who  
 strive to rise: You who gave birth,  
 amazing nature, to your sacred Creator:  
 Virgin prior and following, taking from  
 the mouth of Gabriel that: Hail!  
 Have mercy on us sinners.

V: The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.  
**R: And she conceived by the Holy Ghost.**

Collect

**Advent Music**

**Carol:** *Adam lay ybounden*

Boris Ord

Adam lay ybounden, bounden in a bond, Four thousand winter thought he not too long;  
 And all was for an apple, an apple that he took, As clerkes finden written in their book.  
 Ne hadde the apple taken been, Ne hadde never oure Lady ybeen hevne Queen.  
 Blessed be the time that apple taken was: Therefore we mown singen *Deo Gratias*.

**Advent Prose** (*congregation sings refrain as below – please kneel*) RORATE COELI, Tone I

Drop down, ye hea - vens, from a - bove,\*  
 and let the skies pour down right - eous - ness.

**Carol:** *I saw a maiden*

Old Basque Noël arr. Edgar Pettman

I saw a maiden sitten sing: She lulled a child, a sweete Lording.

*Refrain: Lullay, my dear son my sweeting, my dear heart, my own dear darling*

This very Lord, he made alle thing: Of lordes the Lord, of kinges the King.

There was mickle melody at that childes birth: And all in heaven's bliss, they made mickle mirth.  
 Angels sang that night and saiden to that child: Now blest be thou and she, both meek and mild.  
 Pray we to that child and to his mother dear, His blessing to them that maken now cheer.

**Hymn** (*during which an offering is taken up*)

IRISH

1. Thy king - dom come! on bend - ed knee  
 2. But the slow watch - es of the night  
 3. And lo, al - rea - dy on the hills

The pas - sing a - ges pray; And  
 Not less to God be - long; And  
 The flags of dawn ap - pear; Gird

faith - ful souls have yearned to see  
 for the ev - er last - ing right  
 up your loins ye pro - phet souls,

On earth that king - dom's day.  
 The si - lent stars are strong.  
 Pro - claim the day is near.

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| <p>4. The day in whose clear-shining light<br/>         All wrong shall stand revealed,<br/>         When justice shall be throned in might,<br/>         And every hurt be healed;</p> | <p>5. When knowledge, hand in hand, with peace<br/>         Shall walk the earth abroad:<br/>         The day of perfect righteousness,<br/>         The promised day of God.</p> |
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