

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 hea-ven.
R: **Containing in itself all sweet-ness.**

Collect

The Divine Praises (*repeat after the officiant*)

Blessed be God.
Blessed be his holy name.
Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.
Blessed be the Name of Jesus.
Blessed be his most sacred Heart.
Blessed be Jesus Christ in the most holy Sacrament of the altar.
Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.
Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy.
Blessed be her holy Conception.
Blessed be the name of Mary, virgin and Mother.
Blessed be St Joseph, her most chaste Spouse.
Blessed be God in his Angels and in his Saints.
Blessed be God.

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[^]Lord.
Glory be to the Father, and to **the** Son : and **to** thē Ho-ly[^]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.*

The next Solemn Evensong and Benediction
will be celebrated on **Sunday, 20 March** at 4.30 pm.

THE CHURCH of ST MARY MAGDALENE

EPIPHANY VII

Sunday, 20 February 2011

4.30 pm Solemn Evensong and Benediction

Celebrant: Fr Harrison; Assistant: Fr Ipema

Sub-deacon: Phyllis McCurdy

Service of Light

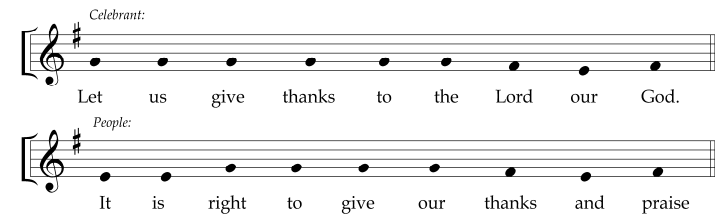
(Please stand as the sacred ministers enter the sanctuary.)

V: Light and peace in Jesus Christ our Lord.

R: **Thanks be to God.**

Hymn 247 (*small green book*)

NUNC DIMITIS



Blessèd are you, O Lord our God, ruler of the universe! Your word brings on the dusk of evening, your wisdom creates both night and day. You determine the cycles of time, arrange the succession of seasons, and establish the stars in their heavenly courses. Lord of the starry hosts is your name. Living and eternal God, rule over us always. Blessèd be the Lord, whose word makes evening fall.

R: **Amen.**

Evensong

Psalm 145 (*see Insert*) (*sit from middle of first verse. Sing even numbered verses.*)

First Lesson: Proverbs 1: 20-33

Office Hymn: 54 (*small green book – please stand*)

LUX BEATA

V: O be joyful in God, all ye **lands**.

R: Sing praises unto the honour of his **Name**.

Antiphon: *I am the Shepherd of the sheep; I am the Way and the Truth: I am the good Shepherd, and I know my sheep, and am known of mine, alleluya, alleluya.*

Magnificat (Choir) Text: BCP p.21

PLAINCHANT

Second Lesson: John 10: 7-16

Antiphon: *Preserve us, O Lord, while waking, and guard us while sleeping, that a-wake we may be with Christ, and in peace we may take our rest.*

Nunc Dimittis (Choir) Text: BCP p.22

PLAINCHANT

Apostles' 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. (*kneel*)

Lord, have mercy upon us.

R: **Christ, have mercy upon us.**

V: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Lord's Prayer (*together*)

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: *Ave Regina*

Ave, Regina Caelorum, Ave, Domina Angelorum: Salve, radix, salve, porta Ex qua mundo lux est orta: Gaude, Virgo gloriosa, Super omnes speciosa, Vale, o valde decora, Et pro nobis Christum exora. (Hail, O

Queen of Heav'n enthroned. Hail, by Angels mistress owned. Root of Jesse; Gate of Morn, whence the world's true Light was born. Glorious Virgin, joy to thee, Loveliest whom in Heav'n they see; Fairest thou, where all are fair, Plead with Christ our sins to spare.)

V: Vouchsafe that I may praise thee, O holy Vir-gin

R: **Give me strength against thine e-ne-mies.**

Collect

Hymn 244

TALLIS'S CANON

Benediction

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

Hymn 269 (Pt. 2)

VERBUM SUPERNUM, MODE VIII



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.

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: *Adoro Te* (Choir)

Hymn 268 [pt 2]

PANGE LINGUA, MODE III



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.