



The Eucharist Christ the King 20 November 2022 1030

Welcome to Bradford Cathedral

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Our purpose is serving Christ and transforming lives through welcome, worship and encounter.

- Welcome to Bradford Cathedral, particularly if you are visiting or with us for the first time – if you are, please do introduce yourself to a Steward or member of the Clergy. We hope you will stay and enjoy refreshments with us after the service, which will be served at the West End of the Cathedral.
- Large print copies are available from the stewards at the main door.
- You are invited to join in the words in **bold type** in this order of service and sit or stand as directed as you are able.
- This morning's worship is led by the Cathedral Choir. The Choir sings the Communion Service in B_b and F by Stanford (1852-1924).
- During the offertory hymn, a plate will be passed around for offerings. You can also make an offering: via the contactless card reader at the back, online via https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/get-involved/donate/ or by texting SEED followed by the amount you wish to give (max $\pounds 20$) to 70450 (e.g. text "Seed 15" to give \pounds 15). NB texts cost gift value, plus one standard message.
- Communion please follow the directions of the Stewards when the time comes. If you wish to receive a gluten-free wafer, please indicate this to the Eucharistic Minister. For health reasons, we do not permit intinction (dipping the bread in the wine), but you are welcome to receive only the bread if you prefer. If you wish to receive communion in your seat, please speak with one of the stewards at the main door before the start of the service.
- Please be aware that today's service is being livestreamed and will be available online for two weeks. If you do not want to appear on the livestream please speak to one of the stewards who will direct you to a suitable seat.
- Please do not take pictures or videos during the service, and please either switch off your mobile phone or silence the ringer.
- Lavatories, including disabled facilities, are available towards the back of church.
- If you use a hearing aid, please turn it to the T position.
- In the event of an emergency, please remain calm and seated. Stewards will direct you out of the Cathedral.

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WHOLENESS Bradford Cathedral, Stott Hill, Bradford, BD1 4EH 01274 777720

Voluntary

Alla Marcia – by John Ireland (1879-1962)

Welcome & Notices

The Revd Canon Myra Shackley, Cathedral Chaplain

We stand.

Processional Hymn

Christ is the King! O friends rejoice; brothers and sisters with one voice tell all the world he is your choice. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

O magnify the Lord, and raise anthems of joy and holy praise for Christ's brave saints of ancient days. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

They with a faith for ever new followed the King, and round him drew thousands of faithful hearts and true. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

O Christian women, Christian men, all the world over, seek again the Way disciples followed then. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Christ though all ages is the same: place the same hope in his great name, with the same faith his word proclaim. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Let love's unconquerable might your scattered companies unite in service to the Lord of light. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

So shall God's will on earth be done, new lamps be lit, new tasks begun, and the whole church at last be one. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

The Greeting

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.**

We remain standing.

Prayer of Preparation

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.

Prayers of Penitence

Jesus says, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand.' So let us turn away from sin and turn to Christ, confessing our sins in penitence and faith. *cf Matthew 4.17*

The kingdom is yours, but we turn away from your just rule: Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

The power is yours, but we trust in our own power and strength: Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

The glory is yours, but we fall short of the glory of God: Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Silence.

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.**

We remain standing as the choir sings the Gloria:

Gloria

Glory be to God on high, and in 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 Jesu 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 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.

Collect

Let us pray.

Silence is kept.

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

We sit.

First Reading Colossians 1.11.20 read by June Kelley

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully ¹² giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. ¹³ He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

¹⁵ He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; ¹⁶ for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. ¹⁷ He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. ¹⁹ For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰ and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Silence.

We stand.

Gospel Acclamation



Choir Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord. Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heaven. Luke 19.38 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel Reading Luke 23.33-43

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

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. ³⁴ [Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing."^a] And they cast lots to divide his clothing. ³⁵ And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" ³⁶ The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, ³⁷ and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" ³⁸ There was also an inscription over him,^a "This is the King of the Jews."

³⁹ One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" ⁴⁰ But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? ⁴¹ And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." ⁴² Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into^a your kingdom." ⁴³ He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

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

Sermon

The Revd Pete Gunstone, Interim Precentor.

After an opening prayer, we sit.

An organ interlude will follow the sermon.

We stand.

The Creed

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, 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.

We kneel or sit.

Prayers of Intercession led by Una Barry

In the power of the Spirit and in union with Christ, let us pray to the Father.

After each section this response is used:

Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

At the end:

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

We stand.

Giving and Receiving Peace

To crown all things there must be love, to bind all together and complete the whole. Let the peace of Christ rule in our hearts. *Colossians 3.14,15*

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

We offer one another a sign of peace and offer our gifts to God.

The Table is set with bread and wine.

During the Offertory Hymn the collection will be taken. Please see the inside front cover for details of other ways to make an offering.

Offertory Hymn

Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne; hark, how the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own! Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee, and hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity. Crown him the Virgin's Son, the God incarnate born, whose arm those crimson trophies won which now his brow adorn: Fruit of the mystic Rose, as of that Rose the Stem; the Root whence mercy ever flows, the Babe of Bethlehem.

Crown him the Lord of love; behold his hands and side, those wounds yet visible above in beauty glorified: no angel in the sky can fully bear that sight, but downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.

Crown him the Lord of peace, whose power a sceptre sways from pole to pole, that wars may cease, and all be prayer and praise: his reign shall know no end, and round his piercèd feet fair flowers of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time, creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime: all hail, Redeemer, hail! for thou hast died for me; thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.

> Words: Matthew Bridges, based on Revelation 19.12 (1800-1894) Tune: DIADEMATA CP 166

Prayer at the Preparation of the Table

To you we come, Father of lights, with angels and saints, where heaven and earth unite. May Jesus meet us in the breaking of the bread. **Amen.**

Great Thanksgiving Prayer

Prayer A

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.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give you thanks, holy Father, almighty and eternal God.

For with the oil of gladness you have anointed Christ the Lord, your only Son, to be our great high priest and king of all creation. As priest, he offered himself once for all upon the altar of the cross and redeemed the human race by this perfect sacrifice of peace. As king he claims dominion over all your creatures, that he may bring before your infinite majesty a kingdom of truth and life, a kingdom of holiness and grace, a kingdom of justice, love and peace.

And so with angels and archangels and all the heavenly host, we proclaim your glory and join their unending hymn of praise:

Choir Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts, heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord most high. Amen.

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

Accept our praises, heavenly Father, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, and as we follow his example and obey his command, grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit these gifts of bread and wine may be to us his body and his blood; who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to them, saying: Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

Therefore, heavenly Father, we remember his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross; we proclaim his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; we look for the coming of your kingdom, and with this bread and this cup we make the memorial of Christ your Son our Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus: Dying you destroyed our death, rising you restored our life: Lord Jesus, come in glory.

Accept through him, our great high priest, this our sacrifice of thanks and praise, and as we eat and drink these holy gifts in the presence of your divine majesty, renew us by your Spirit, inspire us with your love and unite us in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, with all who stand before you in earth and heaven, we worship you, Father almighty, in songs of everlasting praise:

Blessing and honour and glory and power Be yours for ever and ever. Amen.

We kneel or sit in silence.

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour 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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

Breaking of the Bread

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.**

Giving of Communion

Draw near with faith. Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ which he gave for you, and his blood which he shed for you. Eat and drink in remembrance that he died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

As the ministers receive communion the choir sings:

- Choir O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world: have mercy upon us.
 - O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world: have mercy upon us.
 - O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world: grant us Thy peace.

Please come forward to receive communion as directed by the stewards. Please indicate to those serving communion if you would like a gluten-free wafer. If you would like to receive a blessing rather than communion, please keep your hands down.

Communion Motet

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King! The heavens are not too high, his praise may thither fly; the earth is not too low, his praises there may grow. Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King! The Church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out; but above all the heart must bear the longest part. Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

> Words: George Herbert (1593–1633) Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872–1958) from Five Mystical Songs

Prayer after Communion

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

We stand.

Hymn

Rejoice! The Lord is King, your Lord and King adore; mortals, give thanks and sing, and triumph evermore:

> Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; rejoice, again I say, rejoice.

Jesus the Saviour reigns, the God of truth and love; when he had purged our stains, he took his seat above:

Lift up your heart...

His kingdom cannot fail; he rules o'er earth and heaven; the keys of death and hell are to our Jesus given:

Lift up your heart...

He sits at God's right hand till all his foes submit, and bow to his command, and fall beneath his feet:

Lift up your heart...

Rejoice in glorious hope; Jesus the judge shall come, and take his servants up to their eternal home:

> We soon shall hear the archangel's voice; the trump of God shall sound: rejoice!

> > Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788) Tune: GOPSAL CP 563

The Blessing

God the Father, who has given to his Son the name above every name, strengthen you to proclaim Christ Jesus as Lord. **Amen.**

God the Son, who is our great high priest passed into the heavens, plead for you at the right hand of the Father. **Amen.**

God the Holy Spirit, who pours out his abundant gifts upon the Church, make you faithful servants of Christ our King. **Amen.**

And the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

The Dismissal

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

Voluntary

Canonnade – by Claude Balbastre (1724-1799)

The concluding organ voluntary is offered as part of our worship.

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BRADFORD CATHEDRAL 2022 REVIVE. REFLECT. REJOICE

20 - 27 November and beyond – Revd Pete and Revd Ned are in residence Online Morning and Evening Prayer are held Monday-Saturday at 9am and 5.30pm

TODAY	8.00am	Holy Communion
SUNDAY	10.30am	The Eucharist
20 November CHRIST THE KING	11.30am	Just a Minute Reflection Group
	3.30pm	Choral Evensong
Monday	10.00am	School visit
21 November	5.30pm	Choral Evensong especially to remember Bori
	6.30pm	Special supper in Bori's memory – all are welcome
Tuesday	9.45am	Carers' Crafts
22 November	10.00am	School visit
	7.00pm	Bradford Episcopal Area Forum
Wednesday	8.15am	Holy Communion
23 November	10.15am	Holy Communion
	1.00pm	Wednesday@One Organ Recital with Timothy Hone from York
Thursday	10.00am	School Visit
24 November		
Friday	The cathedral will be closing at 2pm due to drone flying	
25 November		
Saturday	9am and	Morning and Evening Prayer
26 November	5.30pm	
SUNDAY	8.00am	Holy Communion
27 November	10.30am	The Eucharist with staff introductions
ADVENT SUNDAY	11.30am	Just A Minute Reflection Group
	4.45pm	Bell Ringing for Advent
	6.00pm	Advent Procession

The flowers this week have been chosen and given in loving memory of Bori by her family.

REMEMBERING BORI All are invited to gather at a special **Choral Evensong at 5.30pm on Monday** to remember Bori. This will be followed by a light [cold food only] faith supper, starting at 6.30pm, organised by the Community Committee in honour of Bori's love of sharing food with others.

You can come to supper even if you can't make the service, but to help with our planning, please let Churchwardens Monica or Jenny know if you are expecting to be at the supper. The service will be livestreamed and the link is <u>https://youtu.be/qZPpslfV-T0</u>

The next **BRADFORD EPISCOPAL AREA FORUM** will take place at the cathedral this **Tuesday at 7pm.** Elli Wort will share her reflections and research looking at how faith groups interacted with the City of Culture Year in Hull and there will be discussion about the current Cost of Living crisis and what help there may be for parishes and communities. All are welcome. It will also be streamed via our YouTube channel - <u>https://youtu.be/ckwYlopYgoU</u>

The Wednesday@One Organ Recital is at Ipm with Timothy Hone from York. There will be the usual buffet lunch (£4) is at 12.30pm and the recital itself is free, but there will be a retiring collection.

This FRIDAY we will be closing from 2pm due to drone flying taking place over the cathedral. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

A WELCOME EVENING will be held on Tuesday 29 November at 6.30pm in the Deanery.

This is a chance to get to know a few people and where you might find your place as part of our worshipping and serving community. Please speak to or contact Revd Ned if you are interested so that we have an idea of numbers.

ADVENT The season of Advent begins next week with our Advent Procession on **Sunday 27th at 6.00pm.** The choir will be singing and candles will be lit as we celebrate the beginning of the Christian year. The service is truly the start of our special Advent journey, so do come along if you can to share in the experience. You can find out more about our upcoming events and services, our opening hours and much more at <u>https://bradfordcathedral.org.uk/adventand-christmas</u>

MINCE PIES During the Advent and Christmas seasons we will host extra services, when we will welcome many people, some who may have never been into the Cathedral before. One of our key values is Hospitality and at Christmas this extends to mince pies whenever a drink is offered! - and we need mince pies in order to do this. If you are able to donate any we would be really grateful, please hand them in to either the Office or to any of the staff. Thank you.

CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS CARDS This year's design is now available in the Cathedral Shop, alongside other festive gifts. A pack of 10 cards is $\pounds 6$ and cards are also available from the online shop, with additional postage costs for UK delivery.

BLACK DYKE BAND/CATHEDRAL CHOIR CONCERT. Please note that this concert on the 10th December has now **sold out**. If you would like to be added to the waiting list for any tickets that become available, please e-mail <u>events@bradfordcathedral.org</u>

Various copies of 'Daily Bread' Bible Reading Notes are available now in the Cathedral shop. These are free to take away although any donations would be gratefully received.

A new book - 'Cathedral Treasures of England and Wales' - is out now and features Bradford Cathedral. It is published in conjunction with the Association of English Cathedrals and a copy can be purchased from Christian Publishing and Outreach www.cpo.org.uk/cathedral-treasures-shop