

St Bartholomew's RC Church
Norbury/Streatham



30th June 2017 at 7.00pm

Celebrant:

The Right Reverend
Bishop Patrick Lynch, SS CC

Processional Hymn ~ Here I am Lord.

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin,
my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

Chorus

*Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them.
They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my words to them.
Whom shall I send?

Chorus

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide,
till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?

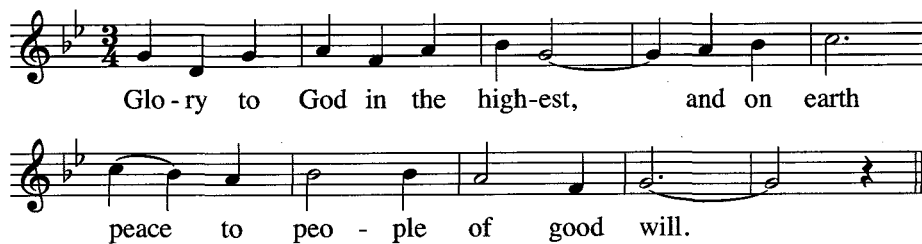
Chorus

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Gloria

Refrain:



We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
God, almighty Father.

Refrain

Lord Jesus Christ, Only-begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer.
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

Refrain

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.

Refrain

*Marty Haugen***

First Reading

A Reading from the book of Isaiah 11:1-4a

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 103(104): 1ab, 24. 27-28. 30-31. 33-34. ± 30

Response:

Send forth your Spirit, O Lord and renew the face of the earth

Second Reading

A Reading from Acts 2:1-6, 14, 22b-23, 32-33

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful,
and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Alleluia, alleluia alleluia!

Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke (8:4–10a, 11b–15)

Homily: Bishop Patrick Lynch

Rite of Confirmation

Bishop: Do you reject Satan, and all his works,
and all his empty promises?

Candidates: **I do**

Bishop: Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty,
creator of heaven and earth?

Candidates: **I do**

Bishop: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, Our Lord,
who was born of the Virgin Mary, was crucified,
died and was buried, rose from the dead,
and is now seated at the right hand of the Father?

Candidates: **I do**

Bishop: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who came upon the Apostles at Pentecost
and today is given to you sacramentally in Confirmation?

Candidates: **I do**

Bishop: Do you believe in the holy Catholic Church,
the Communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting?

Candidates: **I do**

*The Bishop confirms their Profession of Faith
by proclaiming the Faith of the Church:*

Bishop: This is our Faith. This is the Faith of the Church.
We are proud to profess it in Christ Jesus Our Lord.

Whole Congregation: Amen

All Stand

Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Bishop: My dear friends:

In Baptism God our Father
gave the new birth of eternal life
to his chosen sons and daughters.
Let us pray to our Father
that he will pour out the Holy Spirit
to strengthen his sons and daughters
with his gifts and anoint them
to be more like Christ the Son of God.

All pray in silence for a short time.

The Bishop extends his hands over the candidates and says:

All-powerful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
by water and the Holy Spirit
you freed your sons and daughters from sin
and gave them new life.
Send your Holy Spirit upon them
to be their Helper and Guide.
Give them the spirit of wisdom and understanding,
the spirit of right judgement and courage,
the spirit of knowledge and reverence.
Fill them with the spirit of wonder and awe
in your presence.
We ask this through Christ Our Lord.

Whole Congregation: Amen.

All Sit

The Anointing with Chrism

*Each candidate, accompanied by their sponsor, goes to the Bishop.
The sponsor places their right hand on the candidate's right shoulder.*

The Bishop dips his right thumb in the Chrism and makes the sign of the cross on the forehead of the person to be confirmed, as he says:

N....., be sealed with the Gift of the Holy Spirit.

The newly-confirmed responds:

Amen.

The Bishop says:

Peace be with you.

The newly-confirmed responds:

And with your spirit.

During Confirmation ~ Sequence of Pentecost

Holy Spirit, Lord of Light, from the clear celestial height,
thy pure beaming radiance give; come, thou Father of the poor,
come with treasures which endure; come, thou Light of all that live!

Thou, Of consolers best, thou, the soul's delightful guest,
dost refreshing peace bestow: thou in toil art comfort sweet;
pleasant coolness in the heat; solace in the midst of woe.

Light immortal, light divine, visit thou these hearts of thine,
and our inmost being fill: if thou take thy grace away,
nothing pure in us will stay; all his good is turned to ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew; on our dryness pour thy dew;
wash the stains of guilt away: bend the stubborn heart and will;
melt the frozen, warm the chill; guide the steps that go astray.

Thou, on those who evermore thee confess and thee adore,
in thy sevenfold gifts descend: give them comfort when they die;
give them life with thee on high; give them joys that never end.

Ascribed to Stephen Langton (d. 1228)
tr. Edward Caswall (1814-78)

Amazing Grace

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
that saved a wretch like me.
I once was lost, but now I'm found,
was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
and grace my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear
the hour I first believed.

Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come.
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,
and grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me;
his word my hope secures.
He will my shield and portion be
as long as life endures.

John Newton (1725-1807)

Prayers of Intercession



Offertory ~ All that I am

All that I am, all that I do,
all that I'll ever have, I offer now to you.
Take and sanctify these gifts
for your honour, Lord.
Knowing that I love and serve you
is enough reward.
All that I am, all that I do,
all that I'll ever have I offer now to you.

All that I dream, all that I pray
all that I'll ever make, I give to you today.
Take and sanctify these gifts
for your honour, Lord.
Knowing that I love and serve you
is enough reward.
All that I am, all that I do,
all that I'll ever have I offer now to you.

Sebastian Temple (1928 –

1997)

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Holy, Holy

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts.
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, hosanna in the highest.

Marty Haugen**

Memorial Acclamation

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again.

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Doxology and Amen

Amen, Amen, Amen (*Repeat*)

Marty Haugen**

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world;
have mercy on us. (*Repeat*)
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world;
grant us peace.

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Communion Hymns

Be still, for the presence of the Lord

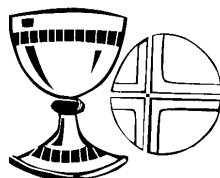
Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here.
Come, bow before him now, with reverence and fear.
In him no sin is found, we stand on holy ground.
Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord, is shining all around;
He burns with holy fire, with splendour he is crowned.
How awesome is the sight, our radiant King of light!
Be still, for the glory of the Lord, is shining all around.

Be still, for the power of the Lord, is moving in this place,
He comes to cleanse and heal, to minister his grace.
No work too hard for him, in faith receive from him;
Be still, for the power of the Lord, is moving in this place.

David J. Evans

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This Is My Body

This is my body, broken for you,
bringing you wholeness, making you free.
Take it and eat it, and when you do,
do it in love for me.

This is my blood poured out for you,
bringing forgiveness, making you free.
Take it and drink it, and when you do,
do it in love for me.

Back to my Father soon shall I go.
Do not forget me; then you will see
I am still with you, and you will know
you're very close to me.

Filled with my Spirit, how you will grow!
You are my branches; I am the tree.
If you are faithful, others will know
you are alive in me.

Love one another – I have loved you,
and I have shown you how to be free;
serve one another, and when you do,
do it in love for me.

Verses 1 and 2 Jimmy Owens; verses 3-5 Damian Lundy

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Recessional hymn ~ Shine, Jesus, Shine

Lord, the light of Your love is shining
in the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the World, shine upon us,
set us free by the truth you now bring us,
shine on me, shine on me.

Refrain:

*Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory;
blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy;
send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.*

Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
from the shadows into your radiance;
by the blood I may enter your brightness,
search me, try me, consume all my darkness.
Shine on me, shine on me.

Refrain:

As we gaze on your kingly brightness
so our faces display your likeness,
ever changing from glory to glory,
mirrored here may our lives tell your story.
Shine on me, shine on me.

Refrain:

Graham Kendrick

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Alicia Griesel, Shaun Grimstone, Joseph Harries, Benjamin Hembry,
Melanie Johnjelasal, Ashvini Joseph, Timothy Lee, Aidan Lopeman,
Alessandro MacKinnon-Botti, Denzel Marfo, Celine McCready,
Paige Meyern, Jessica Moneke, Millie Morgan, Ricardo Morrison,
Chidimma Muoghalu, Molly Murphy, Safiyah Odewale,
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Gabriel Spennato, Alexander Szymaniak, Sarah Vella,
Paula Walasiak, Kwesi-gyima Winney and Bethany Yates.*

Confirmation Catechists

*Linette Fernandes, Savio Fernandes, Lynette Fernandes,
David Haddad, David Ivens, Chris Jones, Maria Lopeman,
Jackie MacKinnon, Maria Newey, Valentine Newey,
Victoria Onwuekwe, Niall Rowan
Deacon Ged Perkins, Fr Innocent and Fr Deo.*

*Candidates and their families are invited to go across to the hall
to greet Bishop Patrick Lynch.*