

St. George's Anglican Church

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Draw the circle wide. Draw it wider still.

Service of Holy Baptism

The Gathering of the Community

Processional Hymn #558 OB (Morning Light)

Stand Up, Stand Up, For Jesus

1. Stand up, stand up, for Jesus, ye soldiers of the Cross;
Lift high his royal banner, it must not suffer loss:
From victory unto victory his army he shall lead;
Till every foe is vanquished, and Christ is Lord indeed.
2. Stand up, stand up, for Jesus; the trumpet call obey;
Forth to the mighty conflict in this his glorious day:
Ye that are men now serve him against unnumbered foes;
Let courage rise with danger, and strength to strength oppose.
3. Stand up, stand up, for Jesus; stand in his strength alone;
The arm of flesh will fail you, ye dare not trust your own:
Put on the gospel armour, and watching unto prayer,
Where duty calls, or danger, be never wanting there.
4. Stand up, stand up, for Jesus; the strife will not be long;
This day the noise of battle, the next the victor's song:
To him that overcometh a crown of life shall be;
He with the King of glory shall reign eternally.

Greeting

Celebrant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: There is one body and one Spirit,

People: There is one hope in God's call to us;

Celebrant: One Lord, one faith, one baptism,

People: One God and Father of all.

The Collect of the Day *(Please remain standing)*

Celebrant: Let us pray.

The Proclamation of the Word

(please be seated)

First Reading: 1 Kings 21:1-10, 15-21a

Psalm 5:1-8 *(led by Cantor)*

REFRAIN

S. S. Mundra
June 7, 2010

For give me, O Lord, for I have sinned against You.

REFRAIN: Forgive me, O Lord, for I have sinned against You.

Give ear to my words, O Lord; give heed to my sighing. /
Listen to the sound of my cry, my King and my God,
for to you I pray. //

O Lord, in the morning you hear my voice; /
in the morning I plead my case to you, and watch. //REFRAIN

For you are not a God who delights in wickedness;
evil will not sojourn with you. /
The boastful will not stand before your eyes; you hate all evildoers. //
You destroy those who speak lies; /
the Lord abhors the bloodthirsty and deceitful. //REFRAIN

But I, through the abundance of your steadfast love, will enter your house, /
I will bow down towards your holy temple in awe of you. //
Lead me, O Lord, in your righteousness because of my enemies; /
make your way straight before me. //REFRAIN

Second Reading : Galatians 2:15-21

Gradual Hymn #651 OB (Ebenezer)

Once to Every Man & Nation

1. Once to every man and nation comes the moment to decide,
In the strife of truth with falsehood, for the good or evil side:
Some great cause, God's new Messiah, offering each the bloom or blight;
And the choice goes by for ever 'twixt that darkness and that light.
2. By the light of burning martyrs, Christ, thy bleeding feet we track,
Toiling up new Calvaries ever with the Cross that turns not back.
New occasions teach new duties; time makes ancient good uncouth;
They must upward still and onward who would keep abreast of truth.
3. Though the cause of evil prosper, yet 'tis truth alone is strong;
Though her portion be the scaffold, and upon the throne be wrong,
Yet that scaffold sways the future, and, behind the dim unknown,
Standeth God within the shadow, keeping watch above his own.

The Gospel: Luke 7:36-8:3 (*Please stand*)

Homily: Fr. Suren Nathan

Presentation and Examination of the Candidates

Parents &

Sponsors: I present Julia Elizabeth to receive the sacrament of baptism.

Celebrant: Will you be responsible...

(All stand)

Celebrant: Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support this person in her life in Christ?

People: We will.

The Prayers for the Candidates

Thanksgiving over the Water

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant: We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water...

The Baptismal Covenant

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Father?

**People: I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**People: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit,
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**People: I believe in God the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

Celebrant: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship,
in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you persevere in resisting evil and, whenever you fall
into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you proclaim by word and example the good news
of God in Christ?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your
neighbour as yourself?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people,
and respect the dignity of every human being?

People: I will, with God's help.

The Baptism

The Giving of the Light

Leader: Receive the light of Christ,
to show that you have passed from darkness to light.

**People: Let your light so shine before others that they may see
your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.**

Celebrant: Let us welcome the newly baptized.
**People: We receive you into the household of God.
Confess the faith of Christ crucified,
proclaim his resurrection,
and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

The Peace *(Please stand)*

Offertory Hymn #269 Red (CWM Rhonda)

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

1. Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more,
feed me till I want no more.
2. Open now the crystal fountain whence the healing stream doth flow;
let the fiery cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through.
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer, be thou still my strength and shield,
be thou still my strength and shield.
3. When I tread the verge of Jordan bid my anxious fears subside;
death of death, and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side:
songs of praises, songs of praises, I will ever give to thee,
I will ever give to thee.

The Celebration of the Eucharist

The Preparation of the Gifts

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant We give you thanks and praise, almighty God...
...to proclaim the glory of your name.

**All 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.**

Celebrant Holy and gracious God...
...now and for ever.

People Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant We break this bread
to share in the body of Christ.

**All We, being many, are one body,
for we all share in the one bread.**

The Communion

Prayer after Communion (*Please stand*)

The Doxology

Celebrant: Glory to God,
**All: whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than
we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation
to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for
ever and ever. Amen.**

The Blessing

Announcements

Recessional Hymn #428 OB (Lancashire)

Lead On, O King Eternal

1. Lead on, O King eternal: the day of march has come.
Henceforth in fields of conquest thy tents shall be our home.
Through days of preparation thy grace has made us strong,
and now, O King eternal, we lift our battle song.
2. Lead on, O King eternal, till sin's fierce war shall cease,
and holiness shall whisper the sweet Amen of peace;
for not with swords loud clashing, nor roll of stirring drums,
but deeds of love and mercy, the heavenly kingdom comes.
3. Lead on, O King eternal! We follow, not with fears;
for gladness breaks like morning where'er thy face appears.
Thy cross is lifted o'er us; we journey in its light;
the crown awaits the conquest: lead on, O God of might.

Dismissal