

19th July 2026

Welcome

The Lord be with you
and also with you

Beloved in Christ,
We come together to offer to Almighty
God Our worship and praise and
thanksgiving,
To confess our sins and to receive God's
forgiveness, To hear his holy word proclaimed, To
bring before him our needs and the needs of the
world, And to pray that in the power of his Spirit We
may serve him and know the greatness of his love.

Hymn: 77 – This day at thy creating word

Notices -

The minister says

Let us confess our sins to God our Father.

Silence is kept.

**Heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you and against our
neighbour in thought and word and deed,
through negligence, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault;
by what we have done
and by what we have failed to do.
We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ who
died for us, forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may serve you in newness
of life to the glory of your name. Amen.**

The absolution.

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent,
have mercy upon us,
pardon and deliver us from all our sins,
confirm and strengthen us in all goodness,
and keep you in eternal life
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

O Lord, open our lips
and our mouth will proclaim your praise
O God make speed to save us
O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be for ever.
Amen.

Praise the Lord.

The Lord's name be praised.

Canticle: Jubilate Hymn 701

1st Reading: Genesis 28:10-19

Psalm: Psalm 139:1-11, 23-24

1 O Lord, you have searched me out and known me; ♦

you know my sitting down and my rising up;

you discern my thoughts from afar.

2 You mark out my journeys and my resting place ♦

and are acquainted with all my ways.

3 For there is not a word on my tongue, ♦

but you, O Lord, know it altogether.

4 You encompass me behind and before ♦

and lay your hand upon me.

5 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me, ♦

so high that I cannot attain it. [R]

6 Where can I go then from your spirit? ♦

Or where can I flee from your presence?

7 If I climb up to heaven, you are there; ♦

if I make the grave my bed, you are there also.

8 If I take the wings of the morning ♦

and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea,

9 Even there your hand shall lead me, ♦

your right hand hold me fast.

10 If I say, 'Surely the darkness will cover me ♦

and the light around me turn to night,'

11 Even darkness is no darkness with you;

the night is as clear as the day; ♦

darkness and light to you are both alike. [R]

23 Search me out, O God, and know my heart; ♦

try me and examine my thoughts.

24 See if there is any way of wickedness in me ♦

and lead me in the way everlasting.

2nd Reading: Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Let's affirm our faith in the words of the Apostle's creed:

I believe in God, the Father almighty,

creator of heaven and earth.

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son,
our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy
Spirit,**

born of the Virgin Mary,

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,

**he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come again to judge the living and the
dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit,**

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

Hymn: 10 - All my Hope

The Prayers of the People

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

Let us pray.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

**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.
For thine is the kingdom, the
power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Show us your mercy, O Lord,
and grant us your salvation.

O Lord save the King,
and grant his government wisdom.

Let your ministers be clothed with righteousness
and let your servants shout for joy.

O Lord, save your people
and bless those whom you have chosen.

Give peace in our time, O Lord,
and let your glory be over all the earth.

O God, make clean our hearts within us
and renew us by your Holy Spirit.

Collects:

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Offertory Hymn: 509 - Your Kingdom Come

Sermon:

Hymn: 102 Name of All Majesty

Benediction

Dismissal