15th November 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: To God be the Glory

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

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 6:4–9

Psalm: Psalm 127

Unless the Lord builds the house, ♦
those who build it labour in vain.

2 Unless the Lord keeps the city, ♦
the guard keeps watch in vain.

3 It is in vain that you hasten to rise up early
and go so late to rest, eating the bread of toil, ♦
for he gives his beloved sleep. [*R*]

4 Children are a heritage from the Lord ♦
and the fruit of the womb is his gift.

5 Like arrows in the hand of a warrior, ♦
so are the children of one's youth.

6 Happy are those who have their quiver full of them: ♦
they shall not be put to shame

when they dispute with their enemies in the gate.

2nd Reading: Matthew 7:24–27

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: **Blessed be Your Name**

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:

Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil

and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life:

Grant that we, having this hope,

may purify ourselves even as he is pure;

that when he shall appear in power and great glory,

we may be made like him

in his eternal and glorious kingdom;

where he is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Offertory Hymn: There is a Higher Throne

Sermon:

Hymn: Seek Ye First

Benediction

Dismissal