

S.^TJAMES'

9:30am Choral Matins



Sunday 20th July

THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

As Sydney's oldest church, St James' is a place of soul-stirring worship, challenging preaching and fine music. We are a progressive community that welcomes all people regardless of age, race, sexual orientation, gender identity, or religion.

We also acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which we worship
—the Gadigal of the Eora Nation.

Order of Service

Please stand as the Cantors and Ministers enter.

Welcome

Officiant ✠ In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
All Amen.

The Officiant welcomes the people and introduces the Opening Hymn.

Hymn 497

You will find the words of the hymn in the green hymn book provided.

Confession

Officiant Dear friends in Christ, we come together to meet with God,
and to take our part in the building up of his Church.
We will lift up our hearts in thanks and praise, hear from God's holy
word, and pray for this world, and for ourselves.
The Scriptures tell us to approach God confidently,
through our Lord Jesus Christ.
As we do so, we must confess our sins,
seeking forgiveness through God's boundless goodness and mercy.

Please sit or kneel.

Officiant Let us draw near to God with sincerity and confidence,
and pray together,
All **Most merciful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
we confess that we have sinned
in thought, word and deed.
We have not loved you with our whole heart.
We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
In your mercy forgive what we have been,
help us to amend what we are,
and direct what we shall be;
that we may do justly, love mercy,
and walk humbly with you, our God.
Amen.**


Absolution

Officiant May the almighty and merciful Lord
grant unto you ✠ pardon and remission of all your sins,
time for amendment of life,
and the grace and comfort of the Holy Spirit.


All Amen.

Please stand. The Preces and Responses are sung by the cantors and congregation together.

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 ♪ O God, make speed to save us, ♪ O Lord, make haste to help us.

♩ Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost.



As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. A-men.

Musical notation for the hymn. The first line is a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody for 'Praise ye the Lord.' is written on a single staff, with a repeat sign at the end. The second line is a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody for 'The Lord's name be praised.' is written on a single staff, with a repeat sign at the end.

♪ Praise ye____ the Lord._ ♪ The Lord's name_ be prais - ed.

The Venite

We remain standing to sing the Venite together.

J. G. Elvey



O come let us | sing un • to the | Lord :

Let us heartily rejoice in the | strength of | our sal- | vation.

Let us come before his | presence • with | thanksgiving :

And shew ourselves | glad in | him with | psalms.

For the Lord is a | great_ | God :

And a great | King a- | bove all | gods.

In his hand are all the | corners • of the | earth :

And the strength of the | hills is | his_ | also.

The sea is | his and • he | made it :

And his | hands pre- | pared the • dry | land.

O come let us worship and | fall_ | down :

And | kneel be • fore the | Lord our | Maker.

For he is the | Lord our | God :

And we are the people of his | pasture •

and the | sheep • of his | hand.

Today if ye will hear his voice | harden • not your | hearts:

As in the provocation *

and as in the day of temp- | tation | in the | wilderness.

Glory | be • to the | Father:

And to the Son * | and • to the | Holy | Ghost.

As it was in the beginning is now and | ever | shall be:

World without | end. * A- | - - | men.

Please sit.

Acknowledgement of Children

The children come forward to the Chancel step.

Officiant Today we hold the monthly Children's Eucharist in the Children's Chapel which today will be led by Fr Christopher. I invite all children, with their parents if they wish, to come forward.

Children of God, we acknowledge you and now we send you forth to Kids@Church. May the Scriptures light your way, may God's love fill your hearts with love, and may your lives be marked by hope and joy.

Children **We go on our way in the strength of Christ. Amen.**

The organist plays a short improvisation and the children process to the Children's Chapel.

Please sit.

Psalm 82

The cantors sing the psalm.

Deus stetit

*God standeth in the congregation of princes :
he is a Judge among gods.*

*How long will ye give wrong judgement :
and accept the persons of the ungodly?*

*Defend the poor and fatherless :
see that such as are in need and necessity have right.*

*Deliver the outcast and poor :
save them from the hand of the ungodly.*

*They will not be learned nor understand, but walk on still in darkness :
all the foundations of the earth are out of course.*

*I have said, Ye are gods :
and ye are all the children of the most Highest.*

*But ye shall die like men :
and fall like one of the princes.*

*Arise, O God, and judge thou the earth :
for thou shalt take all heathen to thine inheritance.*

Gloria Patri...

Here begins the 30th chapter of the Book of Deuteronomy.

When all these things have happened to you, the blessings and the curses that I have set before you, if you call them to mind among all the nations where the LORD your God has driven you, and return to the LORD your God, and you and your children obey him with all your heart and with all your soul, just as I am commanding you today, then the LORD your God will restore your fortunes and have compassion on you, gathering you again from all the peoples among whom the LORD your God has scattered you. Even if you are exiled to the ends of the world, from there the LORD your God will gather you, and from there he will bring you back. The LORD your God will bring you into the land that your ancestors possessed, and you will possess it; he will make you more prosperous and numerous than your ancestors.

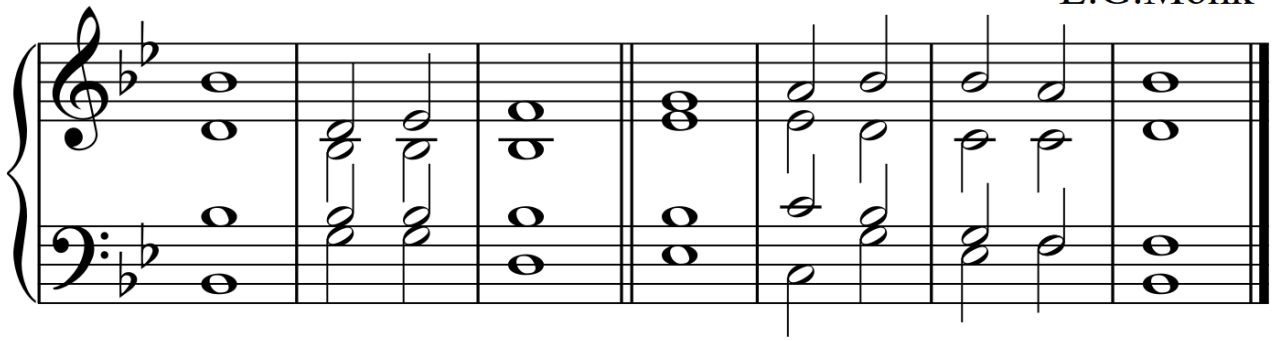
Moreover, the LORD your God will circumcise your heart and the heart of your descendants, so that you will love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, in order that you may live. The LORD your God will put all these curses on your enemies and on the adversaries who took advantage of you. Then you shall again obey the LORD, observing all his commandments that I am commanding you today, and the LORD your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all your undertakings, in the fruit of your body, in the fruit of your livestock, and in the fruit of your soil. For the LORD will again take delight in prospering you, just as he delighted in prospering your ancestors, when you obey the LORD your God by observing his commandments and decrees that are written in this book of the law, because you turn to the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul.

Here ends the First Reading.

Te Deum

Please stand. The cantors and congregation sing the Te Deum

E.G.Monk



We praise | thee O | God :
we acknowledge | thee to | be the | Lord.

All the earth doth | worship | thee :
the | Father | ever- | lasting.

To thee all Angels | cry a- | loud :
the Heavens and | all the | Powers there- | in.

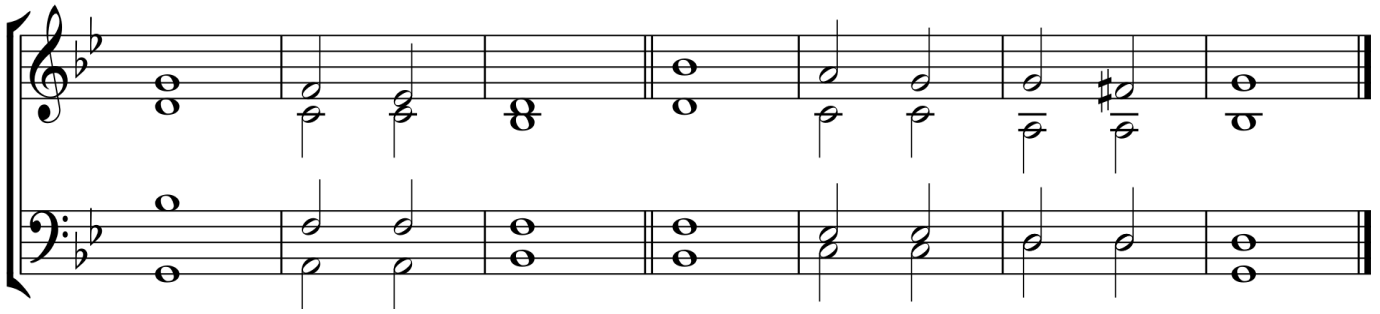
To thee | Cherubim • and | Seraphim | | Con- | tinual- | ly do | cry,
Holy | Holy | Holy :
Lord | God of | Saba- | oth;

Heaven and | earth are | full | | of the | Majes·ty | of thy | glory.

The glorious company of the A- | pos-tles | praise thee :
The goodly fellowship of the | Proph-ets | praise_ | thee.

The noble army of Martyrs | praise_ | thee :
The holy Church throughout all the | world • doth ac- |
knowl-edge | thee;

The Father of an | infi·nite | Majesty;
thine honourable | true and | only | Son :



Thou art the King of | Glory · O | Christ :

Thou art the ever- | last-ing | Son · of the | Father.

When thou tookest upon thee to de- | liv-er | man :

thou didst not ab- | hor the | Vir-gin's | womb.

When thou hadst overcome the | sharpness · of | death :

thou didst open the Kingdom of | Heav'n to | all be- | lievers.

Thou sittest at the | right hand · of | God :

in the | Glo-ry | of the | Father.

We be- | lieve that | thou | | shalt | come to | be our | Judge.

We therefore pray thee | help thy | servants :

whom thou hast re- | deemed · with thy | pre-cious | blood.

Make them to be numbered | with thy | Saints || in | glo-ry |
ever- | lasting.

O Lord, save thy people and | bless thine | heritage :

Govern them and | lift them | up for | ever.

Day by day we | magni-fy | thee :

And we worship thy | Name · ever | world with-out | end.

Vouchsafe O Lord to keep us this | day with-out | sin :

O Lord, have mercy up- | on us · have | mercy · up- | on us.

O Lord let thy mercy lighten upon us as our | trust · is in | thee :

O Lord, in thee have I trusted;

* let me | nev-er | be con- | founded.

Please sit.

Here begins the 8th verse of the 3rd chapter of the First Letter of Peter.

Finally, all of you, have unity of spirit, sympathy, love for one another, a tender heart, and a humble mind. Do not repay evil for evil or abuse for abuse; but, on the contrary, repay with a blessing. It is for this that you were called—that you might inherit a blessing.

For ‘Those who desire life and desire to see good days, let them keep their tongues from evil and their lips from speaking deceit; let them turn away from evil and do good; let them seek peace and pursue it. For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous, and his ears are open to their prayer. But the face of the Lord is against those who do evil.’

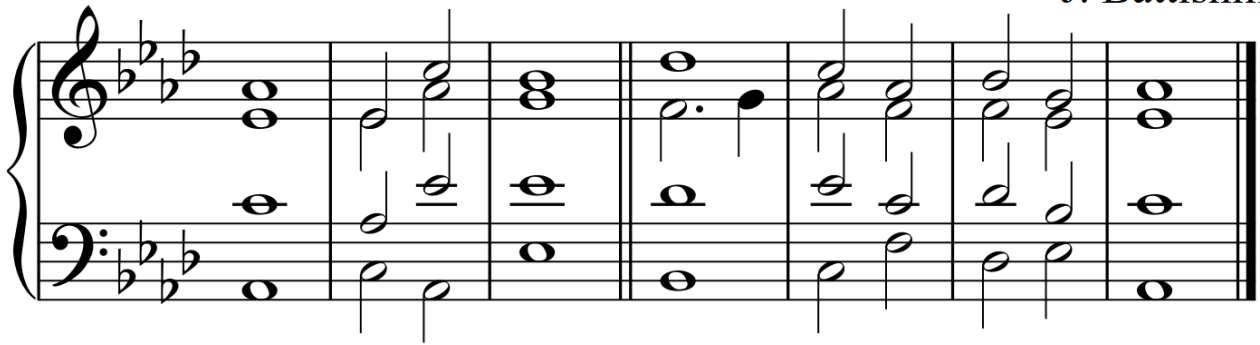
Now who will harm you if you are eager to do what is good? But even if you do suffer for doing what is right, you are blessed. Do not fear what they fear, and do not be intimidated, but in your hearts sanctify Christ as Lord. Always be ready to make your defence to anyone who demands from you an account of the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and reverence. Keep your conscience clear, so that, when you are maligned, those who abuse you for your good conduct in Christ may be put to shame. For it is better to suffer for doing good, if suffering should be God’s will, than to suffer for doing evil. For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit.

Here ends the Second Reading.

Jubilate

Please stand. The cantors and congregation sing the Jubilate.

J. Battishill



O be joyful in the Lord | all ye | lands :
serve the Lord with gladness *
and come before his | presence | with a | song.

Be ye sure that the | Lord · he is | God :
it is he that hath made us and not we ourselves *
we are his people and the | sheep_ | of his | pasture.

O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving *
and into his | courts with | praise :
be thankful unto him and | speak good | of his | Name.

For the Lord is gracious his mercy is | ever-|lasting :
and his truth endureth from gene-|ration · to | gene-|ration.

Glory | be • to the | Father:
And to the Son * | and • to the | Holy | Ghost.

As it was in the beginning is now and | ever | shall be:
World without | end. * A- | - - | men.

Please remain standing.

Apostles' Creed

Officiant	I believe in God
All	the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried, He descended into hell; The third day he rose again from the dead, He ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; The holy Catholick Church; The Communion of Saints; The Forgiveness of sins; The Resurrection of the body, ✠ And the Life everlasting. Amen.

The Responses are sung by the cantors and congregation together.

Officiant All

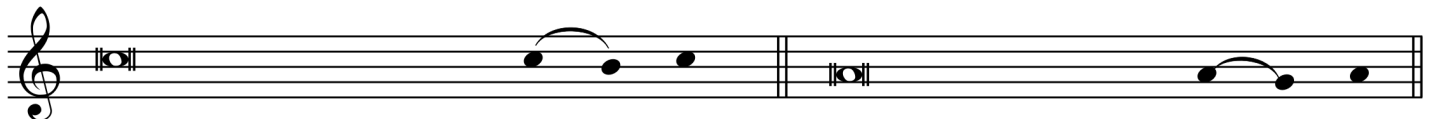


Ÿ The Lord be____ with____ you. R And with thy____ spi - rit.

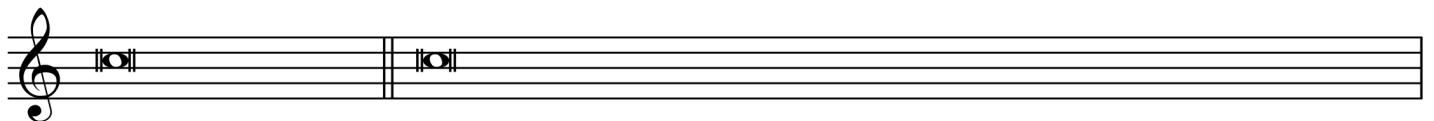
Please sit or kneel.




Ÿ Let us____ pray. Lord, have mercy up - on____ us.




R Christ, have mercy up - on____ us. Ÿ Lord, have mercy up - on____ us.



Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name,
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,
in earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
And forgive us our trespasses,
As we forgive them that trespass against us;



And lead us not into temp - ta - tion, But deliver us from evil. A - men.



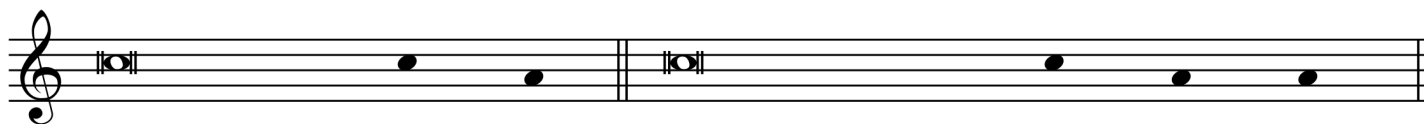
Ÿ O Lord, shew thy mercy up - on us. R And grant us thy sal - va - tion.



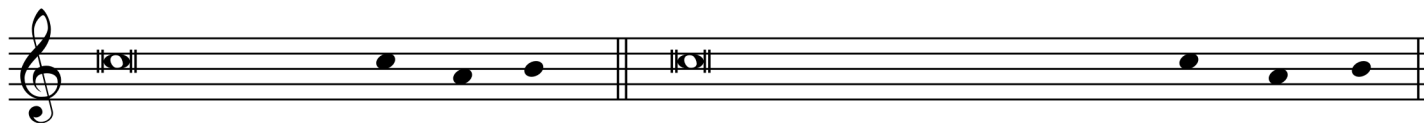
Ÿ O Lord, save the King. R And mercifully hear us
when we call up - on thee.



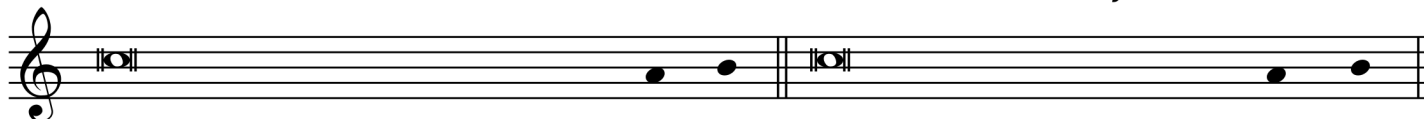
Ÿ Endue thy ministers with right-eous-ness. R And make thy chosen people joy-ful.



Ÿ O Lord, save thy peo - ple. R And bless thine in - he - ri - tance.

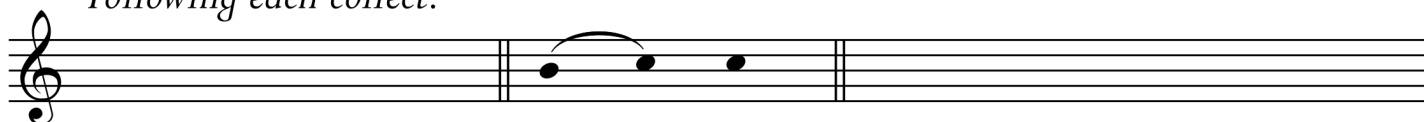


Ÿ Give peace in our time, O Lord. R **Because there is none
other that fighteth for us,
but only thou, O God.**



Ÿ O God, make clean our hearts with - in us. R **And take not
thy holy Spirit from us.**

Following each collect:



R A - men.

Collects

The Collect for the Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Grant, O Lord, we beseech thee, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by thy governance, that thy Church may joyfully serve thee in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Collect for Peace

O God, who art the author of peace and lover of concord,
in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life,
whose service is perfect freedom:
Defend us thy humble servants in all assaults of our enemies;
that we, surely trusting in thy defence,
may not fear the power of any adversaries;
through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Collect for Grace

O Lord, our heavenly Father, Almighty and everlasting God,
who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day:
Defend us in the same with thy mighty power;
and grant that this day we fall into no sin,
neither run into any kind of danger;
but that all our doings may be ordered by thy governance,
to do always that is righteous in thy sight;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Hymn 494

You will find the words of the hymn in the green hymn book provided.

Sermon

Hymn 500

*You will find the words of the hymn in the green hymn book provided.
During this hymn a collection for the church's ministry will be received.
You may wish to make your offering at sjks.org.au/donate, using the tap
machines in the church or via the QR code provided.*



Blessing

Officiant The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts
and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus
Christ our Lord and the blessing of God Almighty
✠ the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be upon you and remain with you always.
Amen.

Organ Voluntary

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