

Parish of Kidderminster East Zoom Morning Service
with sharing of bread and wine 23rd August 2020

Come people, of the risen King - REJOICE



Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father
and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you
And also with you.

We worship with Christians near and far,
living and departed, old and young,
to celebrate the guiding light of Christ,
the warmth of God's love,
and our unity in the Holy Spirit.

**God our Father,
you have given each of us a part to play
in the great witness of your church.
Help us to grow together and to learn from one another.
Keep us thankful for the gifts you have given us.
Help us to be eager to use them in your service.
Amen**

We sing ...

**He is the Lord, and He reigns on high
He is the Lord
Spoke into the darkness, created the light
He is the Lord
Who is like unto Him, never ending in
days?
He is the Lord
And He comes in power when we call on
His name
He is the Lord**

***Show Your power, O Lord our God
Show Your power, O Lord our God, Our God***

**Your gospel, O Lord, is the hope for our
nation
You are the Lord
It's the power of God for our salvation
You are the Lord
We ask not for riches, but look to the cross
You are the Lord
And for our inheritance give us the lost
You are the Lord**

***Send Your power, O Lord our God
Send Your power, O Lord our God, Our God***

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Confession

Jesus said: before you offer your gift, go and be reconciled. As sisters and brothers in God's family, we have come to ask God through Jesus for forgiveness.

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 act justly, love mercy,
and walk humbly with you, our God.
Amen.

May the God of love and power forgive you and free you from your sins, heal and strengthen you by His spirit, and raise you to new life in Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Gloria in Excelsis

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,
Almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.

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

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.

The Collect

First Reading - Romans 12:1-8 read by Hilary Hildred

Gospel Reading Matthew 16:13-23 read by Hilary Hildred

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew
Glory to you, O Lord.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon - The Revd Robert Legge

We sing ...

This is my desire you to honour you
Lord, with all my heart I worship you
All I have within me I give You praise
All that I adore is in you

*Lord I give you my heart
I give you my soul
I live for you alone
Every breath that I take
Every moment I'm awake
Lord have Your way in me*

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Declaring our Faith

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day He rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified,

who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come
Amen.

Prayers of intercession led by Katy Cornwell

Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Merciful Father,
accept these prayers
for the sake of your Son,
our Saviour, Jesus Christ.
Amen.

The Peace

Christ is our peace. He has reconciled us to God in one body by the cross.
We meet in his name and share his peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you
and also with you.

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

with the visual aids of bread and wine

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray;
Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever.
Amen.

Together we say

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us peace.

The bread and wine are consumed.

We sing ...

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,
naught be all else to me, save that thou
art;
thou my best thought in the day and the
night,
waking and sleeping, thy presence my
light.

Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true
word,
I ever with thee and thou with me Lord.
thou my great Father, and I thy true heir;
be thou in me dwelling, and I in thy care.

The Blessing

The peace of God,
which passes 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
now and always. Amen.

The Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen.

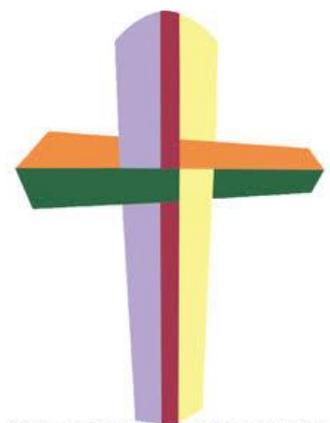
Please stay, if you can, and meet some people in a breakout room for a chat and to reflect on today's service. If others in your room have to go, then do try rejoining the main room where there might be others to meet.

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Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the
fight;
be thou my armour, and be thou my might;
thou my soul's shelter, and thou my high
tower:
raise thou me heavenward, great Power of
my power.

Riches I need not, nor all the world's
praise:
thou mine inheritance through all my days;
thou and thou only the first in my heart;
high of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, when battle is done,
grant heaven's joys to me, bright heaven's
sun;
Christ of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O Ruler of all.



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