

# All Saints' Margaret Street

## High Mass

The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2023, 11am

*The Mass is sung today to the Missa Dum complerentur by T.L. da Victoria (1548-1611)*

*The choir sings* **THE INTROIT:**  
Iustus es, Domine

### THE INTRODUCTION & GREETING

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

The Lord be with you.  
**And with thy spirit.**

### THE PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

Almighty God, **our heavenly Father, we have sinned against thee and against our neighbour, in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are heartily sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may serve thee in newness of life to the glory of thy name. Amen.**

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

**KYRIE ELEISON** *is sung by the choir*

Kyrie eleison	Lord, have mercy
Christe eleison	Christ, have mercy
Kyrie eleison	Lord, have mercy

**GLORIA IN EXCELSIS** *is sung by the choir*

Glory be to God on high, and in earth peace, good will towards men. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O

Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ: O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### THE COLLECT

Almighty God, whose only Son hath opened for us a new and living way into thy presence: grant that, with pure hearts and constant wills, we may worship thee in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**THE FIRST READING:** Ezekiel 33.7-11

So you, mortal, I have made a sentinel for the house of Israel; whenever you hear a word from my mouth, you shall give them warning from me. If I say to the wicked, "O wicked ones, you shall surely die," and you do not speak to warn the wicked to turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but their blood I will require at your hand. But if you warn the wicked to turn from their ways and they do not turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but you will have saved your life. Now you, mortal, say to the house of Israel: Thus you have said: "Our transgressions and our sins weigh upon us, and we waste away because of them; how then can we live?" Say to them: As I live, says the Lord God, I have no pleasure in the death of

the wicked but that the wicked turn from their ways and live; turn back, turn back from your evil ways, for why will you die, O house of Israel?

This is the word of the Lord:  
**Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 119.33-40** *is sung by the choir*

33. Teach me, O Lord, the way of thy statutes: and I shall keep it unto the end.

34. Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law: yea, I shall keep it with my whole heart.

35. Make me to go in the path of thy commandments: for therein is my desire.

36. Incline my heart unto thy testimonies: and not to covetousness.

37. O turn away mine eyes, lest they behold vanity: and quicken thou me in thy way.

38. O stablish thy word in thy servant: that I may fear thee.

39. Take away the rebuke that I am afraid of: for thy judgements are good.

40. Behold, my delight is in thy commandments: O quicken me in thy righteousness.

**THE SECOND READING:** Romans 13.8-14

Owe no one anything, except to love one another, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery; you shall not murder; you shall not steal; you shall not covet," and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, "You shall love your neighbour as yourself." Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law. Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is already the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone; the day is near. Let us then throw off the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; let us walk decently as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in illicit sex and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus

Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

This is the word of the Lord:  
**Thanks be to God.**

**THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.  
**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

O come, let us sing unto the Lord: let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation.

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

**THE HOLY GOSPEL:** Matthew 18.15-20

The Lord be with you.  
**And with thy spirit.**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

**Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

"If your brother or sister sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If you are listened to, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If that person refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church, and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a gentile and a tax collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

**THE SERMON**

Fr. Michael Bowie, Vicar of St. Peter's,  
Eastern Hill, Melbourne, Australia

*All sing* **THE CREED**

*Text and music are found on p.562 of the hymnal*

**THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

*The response is:*

Lord, hear us. **Lord, graciously hear us.**

*The prayer concludes:*

Merciful Father, **accept these prayers for the sake of thy 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 with thy spirit.**

**THE OFFERTORY**

*Please note that a collection is raised after the service, rather than at this point.*

*The choir sings* **THE MOTET:**

Peter Philips (1560-1628), Ave verum

Hail the true body, born of the Virgin Mary: You who truly suffered and were sacrificed on the cross for the sake of man. From whose pierced flank flowed water and blood: Be a foretaste for us in the trial of death. O sweet, O holy, O Jesus, Son of Mary. Have mercy on me.

*(Latin Eucharistic hymn)*

Pray, my brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the almighty Father.

**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at thy hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.**

We pray thee, O Lord: to look down in mercy on thy people, and on the oblations which they offer unto thee; that being thereby rendered acceptable in thy sight, we may obtain of thee the remission of all our sins, and the effectual fulfilment of all our desires; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**

The Lord be with you.

**And with thy spirit.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.

**It is meet and right so to do.**

*The preface continues.*

**SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS** *are sung by the choir*

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts,  
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory,  
Glory be to thee, O Lord most high.  
Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.

*The canon continues.*

Great is the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died,**

**Christ is risen,**

**Christ will come again**

*The canon concludes:*

O Father Almighty, world without end.

**Amen.**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**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.**

**AGNUS DEI** *is sung by the choir*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

Behold the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

**Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof, but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.**

*The choir sings* **THE COMMUNION CHANT:**  
Quemadmodum desiderat cervus

*Holy Communion is received at either of the two stations. Gluten-free hosts are available at the Lady Altar station. Those with mobility issues are advised to use the Lady Altar station.*

*All sing* **THE COMMUNION HYMN:**  
**74 O for a heart to praise my God**

### **THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

O Lord God, who art the source of all truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and in the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

### **THE BLESSING**

*To which all respond:* **Amen.**

### **THE DISMISSAL**

Go in the peace of Christ. **Thanks be to God.**

*All sing* **THE FINAL HYMN:**  
**395 Let bells peal forth the universal fame**

*All sing* **THE ANGELUS:**

The Angel of the Lord brought tidings to Mary.  
**And she conceived by the Holy Ghost.**

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

**Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.**

Behold the handmaid of the Lord.  
**Be it unto me according to thy word.**

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

**Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.**

And the Word was made flesh.  
**And dwelt among us.**

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

**Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.**

Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.  
**That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.**

We beseech thee, O Lord, pour thy grace into our hearts; that as we have known the Incarnation of thy Son, Jesus Christ, by the message of an angel, so by his cross and passion we may be brought to the glory of his resurrection; through the same Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**VOLUNTARY:** Dieterich Buxtehude (1637-1707), Praeludium in E major

*A retiring collection is raised. Please make donations in the collection plate or tap your debit or credit card on the machine.*

*The bar will open at 12.30 for one hour, for members and their guests. New members are welcome.*