

Minister THE COLLECTS

*Collect for 24th Sunday after Trinity*

O LORD, we beseech thee, absolve thy people from their offences; that through thy bountiful goodness we may all be delivered from the bands of those sins, which by our frailty we have committed. Grant this, O heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our blessed Lord and Saviour. Amen.

*Collect for Peace*

O God, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels and all just works do proceed; give unto thy servants that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey thy commandments, and also that by thee, we being defended from the fear of our enemies, may pass our time in rest and quietness; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

*Collect for Aid*

Lighten our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of thy only Son our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Minister ANNOUNCEMENTS and OFFERING

Choir ANTHEM – *Insanae et vanae curae* Franz Joseph Haydn  
*Insanae et vanae curae invadunt mentes nostras, saepe furore replent corda, privata spe, Quid prodest O mortalis conari pro mundanis, si coelos negligas, Sunt fausta tibi cuncta, si Deus est pro te.*

Foolish, vain cares wear away our minds, often filling us with anger, and stealing all hope. What is the use, O mortal of striving only towards earthly things, if you neglect Heaven? All will turn out well with God on your side.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

All HYMN 250 – Lord, Thy word abideth (Ravenshaw)

HOMILY *REST FOR TODAY* **The Rev. Carolyn King**

All RECESSIONAL HYMN 52 – God is love (Abbot's Leigh)

Minister BENEDECTION (*Choral Amen, Rose*)

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## *Choral Evensong*

November 14, 2010

6:45 p.m. PRELUDES (*The service of worship begins with the music of the organ*)  
O Welt, ich muss dich lassen *Johannes Brahms*  
Prelude on 'Flight of the Earls' *William Maddox*

7:00 p.m.  
All PROCESSIONAL HYMN \*SHB 37 – How bright these glorious spirits shine  
(Flight of the Earls)

Minister OPENING SENTENCE (*remain standing*) **The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes**  
Dearly beloved, I pray and beseech you, as many as are here present, to accompany me with a pure heart, and humble voice, unto the throne of the heavenly grace, saying after me:

All PRAYER OF PENITENCE AND PARDON (*congregation seated*)  
Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against thy holy laws, we have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done, and there is no health in us. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us miserable offenders. Spare thou them, O God, which confess their faults. Restore thou them that are penitent; according to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of thy holy Name. Amen.

Minister 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 us in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

All THE LORD'S PRAYER (*sung Amen*)

\*SHB=Supplementary Hymn Book "Sing to God's Glory"

Choir      VERSICLES AND RESPONSES      Bernard Rose

V. O Lord, open thou our lips:

R. And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

V. O God, make speed to save us;

R. O Lord, make haste to help us.

(all stand) V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

R. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen.

V. Praise ye the Lord;

R. The Lord's name be praised.

Choir      *THE PSALM – 112 (congregation seated)*      (Chant: Herbert Brewer)

Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord; he hath great delight in his commandments.  
His seed shall be mighty upon earth; the generation of the faithful shall be blessed.  
Riches and plenteousness shall be in his house; and his righteousness endureth for ever.  
Unto the godly there ariseth up light in the darkness; he is merciful, loving, and righteous. It is well with the man that is merciful, and lendeth, and ordereth his affairs with justice. For he shall never be moved, and the righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance. He will not be afraid of any evil tidings; for his heart standeth fast, and believeth in the Lord. His heart is established, and will not shrink, until he see his desire upon his enemies. He hath dispersed abroad, and given to the poor, and his righteousness remaineth for ever; his horn shall be exalted with honour.  
The ungodly shall see it, and it shall grieve him; he shall gnash with his teeth, and consume away. The desire of the ungodly shall perish.

Minister      OLD TESTAMENT: Isaiah 26:1-5 (O.T. p.723)      **The Rev. Carolyn King**

Choir      MAGNIFICAT (Herbert Murrill in E)  
For words see Hymn Book, No. 779 (congregation remains seated)

Minister      NEW TESTAMENT: Hebrews 3:7-19 (N.T. p.235-6)      **The Rev. Carolyn King**

Choir      NUNC DIMITTIS (Herbert Murrill in E)  
For words see Hymn Book, No. 781

All      THE APOSTLES' CREED (*congregation stands*)

I believe in God 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 catholic church; the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Minister      The Lord be with you;

All      And with thy spirit.

Minister      Let us pray.  
(*Congregation seated*)

Choir      V. Lord, have mercy upon us.  
R. Christ, have mercy upon us.  
V. Lord, have mercy upon us.

Our Father, which 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 that trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

V. O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;  
R. And grant us thy salvation.  
V. O Lord, save the Queen;  
R. And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

V. Endue thy ministers with righteousness;  
R. And make thy chosen people joyful.  
V. O Lord, save thy people;  
R. And bless thine inheritance.

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

V. O God, make clean our hearts within us;  
R. And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.