

# ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR



## Holy Communion in Ordinary Time

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## Welcome to St John's - it's good to see you!

You will find most of what you need for the service in this booklet. Please join in with the text in **bold**. Hymn numbers can be found on the pew sheet or on the hymn boards at the front.

### Communion

We are the family of God and all are welcome at his table. If you are used to receiving communion you are welcome to do so here.

If you do not wish to receive communion but would like to receive a blessing, please indicate this by bringing this leaflet up to the altar step with you.

### Refreshments

Do feel welcome to stay for a drink and a chat after the service. If you're visiting or you're new to St John's, be brave and introduce yourself! It would be great to get to know you.

You may wish to use this prayer as part of your **preparation for worship**:

Lord Jesus, I receive your love  
poured out for me  
in bread and wine.  
Accept this gift of my life,  
brought to the altar  
without conditions.  
Do your work in me,  
and let me be, like you,  
taken, blessed,  
and given for others;  
for, in spite of my failings,  
you know that I love you.  
Amen



# Welcome

## Processional Hymn

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

*All* **Amen.**

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

*All* **and also with you.**

## Prayer of Preparation

*All* **Almighty God,  
to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## Prayers of Penitence

*After words of introduction:*

*All* **Almighty God, our 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.  
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 Kyrie may be sung by the choir:*

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

## **Absolution**

*The president pronounces God's forgiveness and all respond:*

*All*      **Amen.**

**Gloria in Excelsis** *is said or sung using these or other words:*

**1. 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  
**Glory to God in the highest  
And peace to His people on earth**  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father  
Lord God, Lamb of God  
You take away the sins of the world  
Lord, have mercy on us  
You are seated at the right hand of the  
Father  
Receive our prayer  
**Glory to God in the highest  
And peace to His people on earth**  
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,  
Amen  
**Glory to God in the highest  
And peace to His people on earth**

**2. Glory to God, glory in the highest.  
Peace to his people, peace on earth.  
Glory to God, glory in the highest.  
Peace to his people, peace on earth.**  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father.  
**Glory to God, glory in the highest.  
Peace to his people, peace on earth.**  
We worship you. **Glory in the highest,  
Give you thanks. Glory in the highest,  
Praise you for your glory.  
Glory to God, glory in the highest.  
Peace to his people, peace on earth.**  
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; **Have mercy on us.**  
You are seated at the right hand of the  
Father:  
Receive our prayer, **Receive our prayer.**  
Glory to God, glory in the highest.  
Peace to his people, peace on earth.  
**Glory to God, glory in the highest.  
Peace to his people, peace on earth.**  
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 glory of God the Father.  
**Glory to God, glory in the highest.  
Peace to his people, peace on earth.**  
Amen. **Amen.**

## The Collect

### Reading(s)

*At the end the reader may say*

This is the word of the Lord.

*All*      **Thanks be to God.**

### Gradual Hymn

### Gospel Reading

*Please stand for the Gospel Allelulia. When the Gospel is announced the reader says:*

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

*All*      **Glory to you, O Lord.**

*At the end:*

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

*All*      **Praise to you, O Christ.**

### Sermon

*Please stand*

### The Creed

*All*      **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 from 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.

*Please sit or kneel*

### Prayers of Intercession

*This response may be used*

*All* Lord, in your mercy  
hear our prayer.

*And at the end*

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

*Please stand*

### The Peace

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

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

*All may exchange a sign of peace.*

## Offertory Hymn

### The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord is here.

*All* **His Spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.

*All* **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*All* **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

*The president praises God for his mighty acts and the choir responds*

Holy, holy, holy Lord,

God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

*The president recalls the Last Supper, and this acclamation is used*

Great is the mystery of faith:

*All* **Christ has died:**

**Christ is risen:**

**Christ will come again.**

*The Prayer continues and at the end all respond boldly*

*All* **Amen.**

## 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.

Let us pray with confidence  
as our Saviour taught us

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.

## Breaking of the Bread

*The president breaks the consecrated bread.*

We break this bread  
to share in the body of Christ.

*All*      **Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread.**

## *Agnus Dei the choir sings*

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.

## Giving of Communion

*The president says the invitation to communion*

Draw near with faith.  
Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ  
which he gave for you,  
and his blood which he shed for you.  
Eat and drink  
in remembrance that he died for you,  
and feed on him in your hearts  
by faith with thanksgiving.

*All*      **We do not presume  
to come to this your table, merciful Lord,  
trusting in our own righteousness,  
but in your manifold and great mercies.  
We are not worthy  
so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table.  
But you are the same Lord  
whose nature is always to have mercy.  
Grant us therefore, gracious Lord,  
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ  
and to drink his blood,  
that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body  
and our souls washed through his most precious blood,  
and that we may evermore dwell in him and he in us. Amen.**

*Motet details of which can be found on the notice sheet.*

**Prayer after Communion is said, to which all respond**

*All*      **Amen**

*All*      **Almighty God,  
we thank you for feeding us  
with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.  
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies  
to be a living sacrifice.  
Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
to live and work  
to your praise and glory. Amen.**

## Notices and banns of marriage

Hymn

Blessing

*A minister says*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

*All* **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

*Please remain standing as the choir and clergy process out*

*You are warmly invited to stay for refreshments after the service*

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