

**Trinity 5**  
**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2026**  
**All Age Eucharist**  
**Mass of St Thomas - Thorne**

**Processional Hymn**

Come, let us join our cheerful songs  
with angels round the throne;  
ten thousand thousand are their tongues,  
but all their joys are one.

‘Worthy the Lamb that died,’ they cry,  
‘to be exalted thus;’  
‘Worthy the Lamb,’ our lips reply,  
‘for he was slain for us.’

Jesus is worthy to receive  
honour and power divine;  
and blessings, more than we can give,  
be, Lord, for ever thine.

Let all creation join in one  
to bless the sacred name  
of him that sits upon the throne,  
and to adore the Lamb.

**Introduction**

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

The Lord be with you  
**and also with you.**

*The congregation sit and the president introduces the theme of the service.*

## Prayer of Preparation

**Almighty God,**  
to whom all hearts are open, all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleans 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 *introduced by the Deacon*

God so loved the world  
that he gave his only Son Jesus Christ  
to save us from our sins,  
to be our advocate in heaven,  
and to bring us to eternal life.  
Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith,  
firmly resolved to keep God's commandments  
and to live in love and peace with all.

*Silence is kept*

*Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.  
Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.*

## Absolution

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.**

## Gloria *please stand*

**Refrain: Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the Highest.**

**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.  
*Refrain***

**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.**

*Refrain*

**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.**

*Refrain*

## **The Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God,  
by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified:  
hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people,  
that in their vocation and ministry  
they may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name;  
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
**Amen.**

## **THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**Gospel Reading          *Matthew 11: 16-19, 25- end***

*We all stand and turn to face the Deacon as they prepare to read the Gospel.  
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.*

*A sentence from the scripture is sung and then we respond singing:*  
**Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to N.  
**Glory to you, O Lord.**

*At the end of the reading:*  
This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

# All Age Talk and Prayers

*please sit*

## THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

### The Peace *please stand*

*The president may use a sentence of introduction followed by:*

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

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

### Offertory Hymn

*A collection plate will be passed around during this hymn. Alternatively, please use our contactless card reader in the entrance lobby, or the QR code*



**Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father,  
there is no shadow of turning with thee;  
thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not;  
as thou hast been thou for ever will be:**

**Refrain:**

***Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
all I have needed thy hand has provided,  
great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.***

**Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,  
sun, moon and stars in their courses above,  
join with all nature in manifold witness  
to thy great faithfulness, mercy and love:**

***Refrain***

**Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
thy own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!**

***Refrain***

## **The Eucharistic Prayer** *please stand*

The Lord be with you

**and also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

*The president praises God for his mighty acts:*

**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 we use this acclamation:*

Great is the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**

*The prayer continues and ends with praise to God to which everyone responds*

**Amen.**

## **The Lord's Prayer** *please sit*

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.**

## **Breaking of the Bread**

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

**Though we are many, we are one body,**

**because we all share in one bread.**

## **Agnus Dei**

*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 an 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.

## **The Communion**

*Please wait to be called by a sidesperson. You will be guided to follow the walking route of the church.*

## **Solo Pieces sung by Maddy**

*I walk with God - Brodzky*

*For all the saints who showed your love – Trad (O Waly Waly)*

## **The Anthem**

*please sit*

*Day by day - How*

## **Prayer after Communion** *Silence is kept.*

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

**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.**

# **The Notices and Banns of Marriage** *please sit*

## **The Blessing** *please stand*

....and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,  
be among you and remain with you always.

**Amen.**

## **Recessional Hymn**

I danced in the morning when the world was begun,  
and I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,  
I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth;  
at Bethlehem I had my birth.

**Refrain:**

*Dance, then, wherever you may be;  
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,  
and I'll lead you all, wherever you may be,  
and I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.*

I danced for the scribe and the pharisee,  
but they would not dance and they would not follow me.  
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John—  
they came with me and the dance went on.

*Refrain*

I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame;  
the holy people said it was a shame.  
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me on high;  
they left me there on a cross to die.

*Refrain*

I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black—  
it's hard to dance with the devil on your back.  
They buried my body and they thought I'd gone;  
but I'm the dance and I still go on.

*Refrain*

They cut me down and I leapt up high;  
I am the life that will never, never die;  
I'll live in you if you'll live in me—  
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

*Refrain*

## **Dismissal**

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

## **Organ Voluntary**

**Please stay behind and join us for refreshments!**  
*This evening's service is Father Wa'el's first Eucharist at 18.30*