

## 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity Order of Service

### *Introit*

### *Welcome and Introduction*

### *Hymn*

**He who would valiant be 'gainst all disaster,  
let him in constancy follow the Master.  
There's no discouragement shall make him once relent  
his first avowed intent to be a pilgrim.**

**Who so beset him round with dismal stories,  
do but themselves confound - his strength the more is.  
No foe shall stay his might, though he with giants fight;  
he will make good his right to be a pilgrim.**

**Since, Lord, Thou dost defend us with Thy Spirit,  
we know we at the end shall life inherit.  
Then, fancies, flee away! I'll fear not what men say.  
I'll labour night and day to be a pilgrim.**

### *Penitence*

The Lord spoke to Moses, saying: Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them: You shall be holy, for I the Lord your God am holy.

Let us confess our sins to Almighty God.

**Lord God, we have sinned against you and done evil in your sight.  
We are sorry and repent.  
Have mercy on us according to your love.  
Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from our sin.  
Renew a right spirit within us and restore us to the joy of your salvation;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### *The Absolution*

### *The Collect*

*Old Testament Reading*

*Genesis 2:18-24*

*read in Welsh by John.*

<sup>8</sup> Then the Lord God said, 'It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper as his partner.' <sup>19</sup> So out of the ground the Lord God formed every animal of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called each living creature, that was its name. <sup>20</sup> The man gave names to all cattle, and to the birds of the air, and to every animal of the field; but for the man there was not found a helper as his partner. <sup>21</sup> So the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. <sup>22</sup> And the rib that the Lord God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. <sup>23</sup> Then the man said,

'This at last is bone of my bones  
and flesh of my flesh;  
this one shall be called Woman,  
for out of Man this one was taken.'

<sup>24</sup> Therefore a man leaves his father and his mother and clings to his wife, and they become one flesh.

*New Testament Reading*

Hebrews 2:5-12

*read by John.*

*Song*

**As the deer pants for the water, so my soul longs after you.  
You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship you.  
You alone are my strength, my shield: to you alone may my spirit yield.  
You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship you.**

**I want you more than gold or silver: only you can satisfy.  
You alone are the real joy giver and the apple of my eye...**

**You're my friend and you are my brother, even though you are king  
I love you more than any other, so much more than anything...**

*The Address*

## *Hymn*

**Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the holy One, is here;  
Come bow before him now, with reverence and fear.  
In him no sin is found: we stand on holy ground.  
Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the holy One, is here.**

**Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around;  
He burns with holy fire, with splendour he is crowned.  
How awesome is the sight: our radiant king of light!  
Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.**

**Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.  
He comes to cleanse and heal, to minister his grace.  
No work too hard for him: in faith receive from him.  
Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.**

## *Prayers*

### *The Lord's Prayer*

**Ein Tad yr hwn wyt yn y nefoedd, sancteiddier dy enw,  
Deled dy dernas, gwneuler dy ewyllys,  
    megis yn y nef, felly ar y ddaear hefyd.  
Dyro i ni heddiw ein bar beunyddiol, a maddau i ni ein dyledion,  
    fel y maddeuwn ninnau i'n dyledwyr.  
Ac nac arwain ni i brofedigaeth; eithr gwared ni rhag drwg.  
Canys eiddot ti yw'r deyrnas, a'r gallu a'r gogoniant, yn oes oesoedd.**

**Amen.**

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name;  
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us today 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 the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,  
Now and forever.**

**Amen.**

### *The Intercessions*

*by Anthea.*

*Hymn*

**Lord, the light of your love is shining: in the midst of the darkness, shining.  
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us: set us free by the truth you now bring us.  
Shine on me, shine on me.  
*Shine, Jesus, shine: fill this land with the Father's glory.  
Blaze, Spirit, blaze: set our hearts on fire.  
Flow, river, flow: flood the nations with grace and mercy.  
Send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.***

**Lord, I come to your awesome presence: from the shadows into your radiance.  
By the blood I may enter your brightness, search me, try me, consume all my darkness:  
Shine on me, shine on me...**

**As we gaze on your kingly brightness, so our faces display your likeness.  
Ever changing from glory to glory, mirrored here may our lives tell your story:  
Shine on me, shine on me...**

*Blessing*