

Palm Sunday 2023 Online Order of Service

Introit

Welcome and Introduction

Hymn:

**Ride on, ride on in majesty! Hark! All the tribes hosanna cry.
O Saviour meek, pursue your road, with palms and scattered garments strowed.**

**Ride on, ride on in majesty! In lowly pomp ride on to die.
O Christ, your triumphs now begin o'er captive death and conquered sin.**

**Ride on, ride on in majesty! The wing-ed squadrons of the sky
look down with sad and wondering eyes to see the approaching sacrifice.**

**Ride on, ride on in majesty! Your last and fiercest strife is nigh.
The Father on his sapphire throne awaits his own anointed Son.**

**Ride on, ride on in majesty! In lowly pomp ride on to die.
Bow your meek head to mortal pain, then take, O God, your power and reign.**

Penitence

Our Lord Jesus Christ said, "The first commandment is this:
'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God is the only Lord.
You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart,
with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.'

The second is this: 'Love your neighbour as yourself.'
There is no other commandment greater than these.
On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets."

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Lord Jesus, you were sent to heal the contrite.
Lord, have mercy.

Lord have mercy.

Lord Jesus, you came to call sinners.
Christ, have mercy.

Christ have mercy.

Lord Jesus, you plead for us at the right hand of the Father.
Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Let us confess our sins to Almighty God.

**Heavenly Father,
we have sinned in thought, word and deed,
and have failed to do what we ought to have done.
We are sorry and truly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ who died for us,
forgive us all that is past
and lead us in his way
to walk as children of light. Amen.**

The Absolution.

The Collect for Palm Sunday.

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 50.4–9a. Read by John.

Reader: Dyma'r air y'r Arglwydd: **All: Diolch fo I Dduw.**

New Testament Reading: Philippians 2.5–11.

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

Hymn:

**Wele'n sefyll rhwng y myrtwydd wrthrych teilwng o'm holl fryd:
Er mai o ran yr wy'n adnabod ei fod uwchlaw gwrthrychau'r byd:
Henffych fore, henffych fore, y caf ei weled fel y mae; y caf ei weled fel y mae.**

**Rhosyn Saron yw ei enw, gwyn a gwridog, teg o bryd;
Ar ddeng mil y mae'n rhagori o wrthrychau penna'r byd:
Ffrind pechadur, ffrind pechadur; dyma'r beilat ar y môr; dyma'r beilat ar y môr.**

**Beth sydd imi mwy a wnelwyf ag eilunod gwael y llawr?
Tystio'r wyf nad yw eu cwmni i'w gystadlu a'm Iesu mawr:
O! am aros, O! am aros yn ei gariad ddyddiau f'oes;
yn ei gariad ddyddiau f'oes.**

The Address

Hymn

Dear Lord and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways;
re clothe us in our rightful mind, in purer lives thy service find,
in deeper reverence, praise.

In simple trust like theirs who heard beside the Syrian sea
the gracious calling of the Lord, let us, like them, without a word
rise up and follow thee.

O Sabbath rest by Galilee, O calm of hills above,
where Jesus knelt to share with thee the silence of eternity,
interpreted by love!

Drop thy still dews of quietness, till all our strivings cease;
take from our souls the strain and stress, and let our ordered lives confess
the beauty of thy peace.

Breathe through the heats of our desire thy coolness and thy balm;
let sense be dumb, let flesh retire; speak through the earthquake, wind, and fire,
O still, small voice of calm!

Prayers

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.

Ein Tad yr hwn wyt yn y nefoedd,
sancteiddier dy enw,
deled dy dernas
gwneled dy ewyllys,
megis yn y nef, felly ar y ddaear hefyd.
Dyro i ni heddiw ein bara 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 yw'r deyrnas,
a'r gallu a'r gogoniant,
yn oes oesoedd. Amen

Intercessions.

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 foes 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.

The Blessing.