



LINCOLN CATHEDRAL

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CHRIST THE KING: 24th NOVEMBER 2024 (Sunday next before Advent) and the coming week at the cathedral

COLLECT PRAYER: Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

7 45am **The Litany** in St Hugh's Choir

The Book of Common Prayer, or page 115 of Common Worship.

8am **Holy Communion** at the High Altar

The Book of Common Prayer, or Common Worship booklet (p. 229).

9 30am **Mattins** in the Morning Chapel

The Book of Common Prayer, or Common Worship (p. 65).

10 30am **SUNG EUCHARIST** in St Hugh's Choir

President: The Very Rev'd Dr Simon Jones, Dean

Preacher: The Rev'd Canon Nick Brown, Precentor and Subdean
The Order of Service begins on page 4 of this booklet.

12 30pm **Holy Communion (BCP)** at the Shrine of St Hugh

The Book of Common Prayer, or Common Worship (p. 229).

3 45pm **CHORAL EVENSONG** in St Hugh's Choir

The Order of Service can be found in the cream booklets in the stalls of St Hugh's Choir. Music and hymns as follows:

Introit: A Prayer of King Henry VI *Ley*

Responses: *Smith*

Office Hymn: 128, 'Eternal monarch, King most high'

Psalm: 71.1-7

Canticles: *Stanford* in C

Anthem: Lift up your heads *Mathias*

Hymn: NEH352, 'Crown him with many crowns',

during which a collection will be taken.

NOTICES AND FUTURE DATES

Monday 25th November: 'Tea at 4' Bible study and reflection group

The next meeting will take place in the Wickham Reading Room at 4 pm on Monday 25th November when we will finish the group of sessions on the Lord's Prayer that we used during Lent. ALL WELCOME!

Monday 25th November: LCCA Annual General Meeting 2024

The Annual General Meeting of the Lincoln Cathedral Community Association will take place on Monday 25th November 2024 in the Chapter House at 7.00pm with refreshments available from 6.30pm. If you would like to help us by joining the committee, please contact Andrea, LCCA secretary at lcca@lincolncathedral.com for details, or talk to a committee member at coffee after Sunday morning Eucharist. We hope that as many LCCA members as possible will attend to show your support for your cathedral community.

Reintroducing the weekday morning Eucharist

From Monday 2 December there will be a Eucharist at 8.30am each weekday, following Morning Prayer. It will last about 20 minutes. The weekly service schedule will indicate where the Eucharist will be celebrated. Do join us!

Special Services in the coming weeks...

Advent Procession

at 6pm on Saturday 30th November 2024

Christmas Carol Services

at 4pm on 23rd and 24th December 2024

Carols for Families

at 10 30am on Tuesday 24th December 2024

Midnight Mass of Christmas

at 11 30pm on Tuesday 24th December 2024

Sung Eucharist for Christmas Day

at 10 30am on Wednesday 25th December 2024

Festal Evensong for Christmas Day

at 3 45pm on Wednesday 25th December 2024

THE ORDER FOR SUNG EUCHARIST

WELCOME TO LINCOLN CATHEDRAL

This service, and the other sung services during the week, are available online and we welcome all those both near and far joining our worship as it is live streamed on the cathedral's Facebook page and YouTube channel.

We kindly request that you do not take photographs or make sound recordings during the service, or during the rehearsals beforehand.

Any indications for sitting, kneeling or standing are given for guidance. If you need to sit at any point during the service, please feel free to do so.

Any young people are more than welcome to join the Sunday School that meets during the Sung Eucharist. If you would like more information, please ask one of the Cathedral Stewards.

All baptised Christians who usually receive communion are invited to do so. Please follow the directions of the stewards. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please carry this service booklet as a signal to the priest.

During the time before the service you may wish to use the following prayer as you prepare for worship:

**Most merciful God, your love compels us to come in.
Our hands were unclean, our hearts were unprepared;
we were not fit even to eat the crumbs from under your
table. But you, Lord, are the God of our salvation, and
share your bread with sinners. So cleanse and feed us
with the precious body and blood of your Son, that he
may live in us and we in him, and that we, with the
whole company of Christ, may sit and eat in your
kingdom. Amen.**

ORGAN MUSIC BEFORE THE SERVICE

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The Gathering

INTROIT: Dignus est agnus *Plainsong*

Dignus est Agnus, qui occisus est,
accipere virtutem, et divinitatem, et
sapientiam, et fortitudinem, et
honorem. Ipsi gloria et imperium in
saecula saeculorum. Deus, iudicium
tuum Regi da: et iustitiam tuam
Filio Regis.

The Lamb that was slain is worthy to
receive power and divinity and
wisdom and strength and honour; To
Him be glory and empire for ever.
Give to the King, O God, Thy justice,
and to the King's Son Thy judgement.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Please stand to sing the hymn, during which the choir and ministers enter, and the altar is censed. (NEH377)

**Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.**

**Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,
Nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;
Thy justice, like mountains high soaring above
Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.**

**To all life thou givest—to both great and small;
In all life thou livest, the true life of all;
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,
And wither and perish—but naught changeth thee.**

**Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,
Thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
All laud we would render; O help us to see
'Tis only the splendour of light hideth thee.**

Words: W. Calmers Smith

Music: John Roberts

GREETING

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

All **Amen.**

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

All **and also with you.**

PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

The president welcomes the congregation, and invites them to confess their sins:

**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 president gives the absolution, to which all respond

Amen.

GLORIA *sung by the choir*

As the choir sing the Gloria, the young people of the Sunday School receive a blessing and carry a Bible and Cross as they begin their time of learning and prayer. Any young visitors are more than welcome to join them – please feel free to follow them as they move from St Hugh’s Choir to the Cloisters.

Gloria in excelsis Deo
et in terra pax hominibus bonae
voluntatis.

Laudamus te, benedicimus te,
adoramus te, glorificamus te
gratias agimus tibi propter magnam
gloriam tuam.

Domine Deus, Rex caelestis,
Deus Pater omnipotens.

Domine Fili unigenite, Iesu Christe,
Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris,
qui tollis peccata mundi,
miserere nobis;
qui tollis peccata mundi,
suscipe deprecationem nostram;
qui sedes ad dexteram Patris,
miserere nobis.

Quoniam tu solus sanctus,
tu solus Dominus,
tu solus Altissimus, Iesu Christe,
cum Sancto Spiritu
in gloria Dei Patris. Amen.

Glory be to God on high,
and in earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee,
we worship thee, we glorify thee,
we give thanks to thee for thy great glory.

O Lord God, heavenly King,
God the Father almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Iesu Christ.
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of
God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy;
thou only art the Lord;
thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
art the Most High,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Setting: Truro Eucharist Briggs

COLLECT

The president introduces a time of silent prayer and then prays the Collect of the day, to which all respond

Amen.

The Liturgy of the Word

Sit

FIRST READING

DANIEL 7.9-10, 13, 14

At the end the reader says

This is the word of the Lord

All

Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL

Psalm 93

Dominus regnavit

The Lord is King, and hath put on glorious apparel: the Lord hath put on his apparel, and girded himself with strength.

He hath made the round world so sure: that it cannot be moved.

Ever since the world began hath thy seat been prepared: thou art from everlasting.

The floods are risen, O Lord, the floods have lift up their voice: the floods lift up their waves.

The waves of the sea are mighty, and rage horribly: but yet the Lord, who dwelleth on high, is mightier.

Thy testimonies, O Lord, are very sure: holiness becometh thine house for ever.

SECOND READING

REVELATION 1.4b-8

At the end the reader says

This is the word of the Lord

All

Thanks be to God.

Stand

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Choir Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

All **Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

Choir 'For this I was born and for this I came into the world to testify to the truth.'

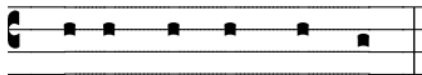
All **Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

GOSPEL READING JOHN 18.33-37

Gospeller The Lord be with you

All **and also with you.**

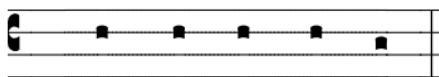
Gospeller Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.



All **Glory to you, O Lord.**

At the end of the Gospel the reader says

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



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

Sit

SERMON The Rev'd Canon Nick Brown, Precentor and Subdean

Stand, and turn to face east.

THE NICENE 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.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Kneel or sit once the prayers of intercession have been introduced.

During this, the following, or a similar, response may be used.

Reader Lord, in your mercy

All **hear our prayer.**

At the conclusion of the intercessions the intercessor says a prayer or the following
Merciful Father,

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

Stand

The Liturgy of the Sacrament

THE PEACE

The president introduces the Peace and then says these words

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

All

We offer each other a sign of peace.

OFFERTORY HYMN, *during which the table is prepared, gifts are offered, together with the prayer intentions made by those visiting the cathedral during the week. A collection to support the life work and ministry of the cathedral is taken and presented, and the altar is censed.*

**Christ triumphant, ever reigning,
Saviour, Master, King!
Lord of heaven, our lives sustaining,
hear us as we sing:
*Yours the glory and the crown,
the high renown, the eternal name.***

**Word incarnate, truth revealing,
Son of Man on earth!
power and majesty concealing
by your humble birth:
*Yours the glory and the crown,
the high renown, the eternal name.***

**Suffering servant, scorned, ill - treated,
victim crucified!
death is through the cross defeated,
sinners justified:
*Yours the glory and the crown,
the high renown, the eternal name.***

**Priestly king, enthroned for ever
high in heaven above!
sin and death and hell shall never
stifle hymns of love:
*Yours the glory and the crown,
the high renown, the eternal name.***

So, our hearts and voices raising
 through the ages long,
 ceaselessly upon you gazing,
 this shall be our song:

*Yours the glory and the crown,
 the high renown, the eternal name.*

Words: Michael Seward

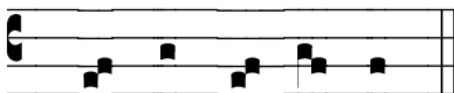
Tune: John Barnard

PRAYER AT THE PREPARATION OF THE TABLE

The president says the prayer of preparation, at the end of which all respond

All **Amen.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER



President The Lord be with you.

All **and al - so with you.**

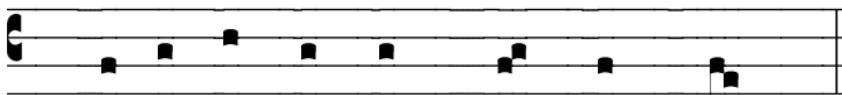


President Lift up your hearts.

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



President 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 sings the **Sanctus & Benedictus***

Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus

Dominus Deus Sabaoth.

Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua.

Hosanna in excelsis.

Benedictus qui venit

in nomine Domini.

Holy, holy, holy,

Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Glory be to thee, O Lord most high.

Blessed is he that cometh

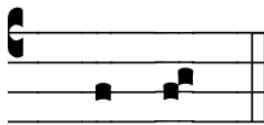
in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in excelsis. Hosanna in the highest.
The president recalls the Last Supper, and this acclamation is sung
 Great is the mystery of faith:



Christ has died. Christ is ris-en. Christ will come a-gain.

The Prayer continues and leads into the doxology, which ends
 ...for ever and ever.



All **A - men.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

President Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour taught us

All **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.**

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

President 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.**

THE GIVING OF COMMUNION

The president invites the people to receive communion

God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

**All Jesus Christ is holy, Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.**

President If you are worshipping with us online, you are invited to make your spiritual communion, praying that by God's grace, united with all the baptised and with Christ who gave his life for us, you may be filled with his indwelling presence.

Sit

Act of Spiritual Reception to say at home: O loving God, in union with Christian people throughout the world and across the centuries gathered to make Eucharist, hearing your holy Word and receiving the Precious Body and Blood of your dear Son, I offer you praise and thanksgiving. Even though I am exiled from tasting the Bread of Heaven and drinking the Cup of Life I pray that you will unite me with all the baptised and with your Son who gave his life for us. Come Lord Jesus, dwell in me and send your Holy Spirit that I may be filled with your presence. Amen.

All baptised Christians who usually receive communion are invited to do so. Please follow the directions of the stewards. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please carry this service booklet as a signal to the priest.

Those who wish to receive communion in both kinds are reminded that intinction (dipping an individual host into the wine) is not permitted in order to prevent the spread of infection, or contamination for those who are gluten intolerant. Also, please assist those administering the chalice by gently guiding the chalice to your lips and tilting it sufficiently.

ORGAN MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

AGNUS DEI

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins
miserere nobis of the world: have mercy upon us.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins
miserere nobis of the world: have mercy upon us.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins
dona nobis pacem. of the world: grant us thy peace.

Setting: Truro Eucharist Briggs

ANTHEM DURING COMMUNION: You will keep him *Tambling*
(Composed for the occasion of the Ordination of the Revd Ann Mazur in June 2004)

PRAYERS AFTER COMMUNION

After a time of silence, all stand and the president prays the post-communion prayer after which all join in praying:

**We thank you, Lord, that you have fed us in this sacrament,
united us with Christ, and given us a foretaste of the
heavenly banquet prepared for all peoples.
Amen.**

The president gives out any notices.

POST-COMMUNION HYMN

(NEH373)

**How shall I sing that majesty
Which angels do admire?
Let dust in dust and silence lie;
Sing, sing, ye heavenly choir.
Thousands of thousands stand around
Thy throne, O God most high;
Ten thousand times ten thousand sound
Thy praise; but who am I?**

**Thy brightness unto them appears,
Whilst I thy footsteps trace;
A sound of God comes to my ears,
But they behold thy face.
They sing because thou art their Sun;
Lord, send a beam on me;
For where heaven is but once begun
There alleluias be.**

**How great a being, Lord, is thine,
Which doth all beings keep!
Thy knowledge is the only line
To sound so vast a deep.
Thou art a sea without a shore,
A sun without a sphere;
Thy time is now and evermore,
Thy place is everywhere.**

*Words: John Mason
Music: Kenneth Naylor*

The Dismissal

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

The president gives the blessing, to which all respond
Amen.

Gospeller Go in the peace of Christ.
All **Thanks be to God.**

RECESSIONAL: Psalm 150

Please stand as the choir and ministers process out of St Hugh's Choir.

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Please stand as the choir and ministers process out of St Hugh's Choir.

You are warmly invited to join us for coffee in the Chapter House. If you are a newcomer or visitor, please make yourself known to one of the clergy or stewards.

Who to go to for Pastoral Care and Safeguarding

- For Pastoral Care, please contact the Duty Chaplain, speak to the Canon-in-Residence, or contact the Pastoral Team via the Verger's Vestry. Messages can be left there for Ann Mazur (Co-Ordinator of Duty Chaplains) and Ian Taylor (Cathedral Reader) who lead the team, which is overseen by the Missioner. Home Communion can also be arranged by contacting Ann or Ian.
- For Safeguarding (where there are concerns for the safety or wellbeing of a child, young person or vulnerable adult), please contact the Cathedral's Safeguarding Officer or the Diocesan Safeguarding Team (see below for contact details).

Promoting a Safer Church

In an emergency, call the Police on 999

If you are reporting an allegation or concern but are unable to reach our Safeguarding Team or the Diocesan Safeguarding Team and the matter is urgent, please contact the police on 999 or 101. You can also come in person to Lincoln Cathedral and a member of our staff or volunteer team will ensure you are supported in accessing the support you require or help in reporting a concern.

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LINCOLN CATHEDRAL

Services for the week beginning 25th November 2024



The cathedral is open all day for prayer and reflection, opening for the first service and closing after the last service of the day. Between 10am and 4pm (Monday to Saturday) and 11 30am and 2 30pm (Sundays) admission charges normally apply, but access to all services is free of charge, and part of the cathedral always remains freely accessible for prayer and reflection. Services marked ‘†’ include the use of incense.

Monday 25th November In Residence: The Dean	8am	Morning Prayer	St Hugh's Shrine
	12 30pm	Eucharist	St Hugh's Shrine
	5 30pm	CHORAL EVENSONG	St Hugh's Choir and online
		<i>Prentice responses Long in F</i> <i>Praise Dyson</i>	Psalms 140 and 141 Hymns OH3 and 443
Tuesday 26th November	8am	Morning Prayer	St Hugh's Shrine
	8 30am	Holy Communion	Morning Chapel
	12 30pm	Eucharist	St Hugh's Shrine
	5 30pm	CHORAL EVENSONG	St Hugh's Choir and online
	<i>Clucas responses Bairstow in D</i> <i>And I saw a new heaven Bainton</i>	Psalm 142 Hymns OH4 and 433 (omit*)	
Wednesday 27th November	8am	Morning Prayer	St Hugh's Shrine
	12 30pm	Eucharist (BCP)	St Hugh's Shrine
	2pm	Wednesday Intercessory Prayer Group	Longland Chantry
	5 30pm	Evening Prayer	St Hugh's Shrine
Thursday 28th November	8am	Morning Prayer	St Hugh's Shrine
	8 30am	Holy Communion	
	12 30pm	Eucharist	St Hugh's Shrine
	5 30pm	CHORAL EVENSONG	St Hugh's Choir and online
	<i>Moore responses Noble in B minor</i> <i>If the Lord had not helped me Bairstow</i>	Psalms 145 and 146 Hymns OH6 and 499	
Friday 29th November <i>First evensong of St Andrew</i> In Residence: The Precentor	8am	Morning Prayer	St Hugh's Shrine
	12 30pm	Eucharist	St Hugh's Shrine
	5 30pm	†FESTAL EVENSONG	St Hugh's Choir and online
		<i>Lead me, Lord Wesley Clucas responses</i> <i>Humfrey in E minor</i> <i>E'en so, Lord Jesus, quickly come Manz</i>	Psalm 48 Hymns 214 and 200
Saturday 30th November In Residence: The Dean	9am	Morning Prayer	St Hugh's Shrine
	12 30pm	Eucharist	St Hugh's Shrine
	6pm	†ADVENT PROCESSION	Nave, St Hugh's Choir and Shrine of St Hugh
		Special order of service.	
1st December FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT	7 45am	Litany (BCP)	St Hugh's Choir
	8am	Holy Communion (BCP)	High Altar
	9 30am	Mattins (BCP)	Morning Chapel
	10 30am	†SUNG EUCHARIST	St Hugh's Choir and online
		<i>Ad te levavi Plainsong Messe solennelle Vierne</i> <i>Tantum ergo sacramentum Duruflé</i>	Psalm 25.1-9 Hymns 11, 16 and 3
	12 30pm	Holy Communion (BCP)	St Hugh's Shrine
	3 45pm	CHORAL EVENSONG, with Lighting of the Lincoln Peace Light	St Hugh's Choir and online
	<i>Tomkins responses The fifth service Tomkins</i> <i>My lovely one Finzi</i>	Psalm 9.1-8 Hymns 1 and 'Peace, perfect peace'	

The Rev'd Canon Nick Brown, Precentor and Subdean
The Very Rev'd Dr Simon Jones, Dean

Mr Aric Prentice, Director of Music and Master of the Choristers
Mr Jeffrey Makinson, Organist and Asst Director of Music