

Communion hymn 75: *With the body that was broken*

PANIS VITAE

Please stand, as able, for the prayer after communion.

Prayer after Communion

BAS, p. 269

Doxology

Priest: Glory to God,

**All: whose power, working in us,
can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine.**

**Glory to God from generation to generation,
in the Church and in Christ Jesus,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Blessing

Closing hymn 99: *Break, day of God*

CHRISTCHURCH

Dismissal

Priest: Go forth in the name of Christ.

All: Thanks be to God.

Welcome to everyone here today!

*Please join us after Mass for refreshments
and conversation in the parish hall.*

Intercessions List

A list is available each Sunday on the small table at the entrance.

Please feel free to add your own petitions, and the names of those you would like prayed for during Mass.

Prayers have been asked today for:

Dave, Yvonne, Phyllis, Montelle, Tannis, Vanesta, Marcelle, Cuthbert, Beckie, Lovena, Leonie, Richard, Evernese, Mark, Kadeem, Jermaine, Nida, Rita, Anne, Tracey, Brenda, Alex, Alisa, Tejah, Chris

*For announcements and up-coming events,
see the separate take-home leaflet.*



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1st Sunday of Advent

November 30th, 2014

SUNG MASS AT 10:30

**Look up and raise your heads,
because your redemption is drawing near.**

Luke 21.28

The service begins on page 185 of the green *Book of Alternative Services* (BAS). Hymns and service music are found in the blue *Common Praise* hymnal.

Priest: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with be with you all.

All: And also with you.

Procession: Great Litany (*see separate insert*)

Collect of the Day BAS, p. 268

The first candle of the Advent wreath will be lit after the Collect.

Liturgy of the word

(A period of silence is observed after each reading and the homily).

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 64.1-9

Psalm 80.1-7, 16-18: *Qui regis Israel*

- 1 Hear, O Shepherd of Israel, leading Jo-seph like a flock; /
shine forth, you that are enthroned up-on the che-ruˆ**bim.**
- 2 **In the presence of Ephraim, Benja-min, and Man-as^ˆseh, /**
stir up your strength and come to help us.
- 3 Restore us, O God of hosts; /
show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.
- 4 **O Lord God of hosts, /**
how long will you be angered
despite the prayers of your peo-ple?
- 5 You have fed them with the bread of tears; /
you have given them bowls of tears to drink.
- 6 **You have made us the derision of our neigh-bours, /**
and our e-ne-mies laugh us to^ˆscorn.
- 7 Restore us, O God of hosts; /
show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.
- 16 **Let your hand be upon the man of your right hand, /**
the son of man you have made so strong for your^ˆself.
- 17 And so will we never turn a-way from you; /
give us life, that we may call up-on your name.
- 18 **Restore us, O Lord God of hosts; /**
show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1.3-9

Gradual: Advent Prose

Refrain (All): Drop down, ye heavens, from above, and let the skies pour forth righteousness: let the earth be fruitful, and bring forth a Saviour.

Cantor Be not very angry, O Lord,
neither remember our iniquity forever:
thy holy cities are a wilderness, Jerusalem a desolation:
our holy and our beautiful house,
where our fathers praised thee. *Refrain.*

We have sinned, and are as an unclean thing,
and we all do fade as a leaf:
our iniquities, like the wind, have taken us away;
thou hast hid thy face from us:
and hast consumed us, because of our iniquities.
Refrain.

Ye are my witnesses, saith the Lord,
and my servant whom I have chosen;
that ye may know me and believe me:
I, even I, am the Lord,
and beside me there is no Saviour:
and there is none that can deliver out of my hand.
Refrain.

Comfort ye, comfort ye my people,
my salvation shall not tarry:
I have blotted out as a thick cloud thy transgressions:
fear not for I will save thee:
for I am the Lord thy god,
the holy one of Israel, thy Redeemer. *Refrain.*

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint Mark.

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Holy Gospel: Mark 13.24-37

Priest: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily: Rev'd Mtr Andrea Budgey

Nicene Creed BAS, p. 188

Because the litany is a very comprehensive prayer of intercession and repentance, the Prayers of the People and the Confession will not be used in their usual place.

Laying on of hands

(Please come forward if you desire prayer for healing or a blessing).

Peace

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you

All: And also with you

Announcements

Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory hymn 599: *Awake! Awake! Fling off the night*

CHURCH TRIUMPHANT

Prayer over the Gifts BAS, p. 269

Eucharistic Prayer 3 BAS, p. 198

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Proper Preface: *Preface of Advent* BAS, p. 219

Sanctus (*Common Praise 689*) Hurd

Lord's Prayer (BAS p. 918) McNeil Robinson

Breaking of the Bread BAS, p. 212

Agnus Dei (*Common Praise 690*) Hurd

All baptized persons are welcome to receive communion.

If you wish to receive a blessing rather than communion, please cross your arms over your chest when the priest approaches. Feel free either to stand or to kneel – we ask that you not lean on the rail.