HARVEST THANKSGIVING 7th October, 2018





10:00 a.m. SUNG EUCHARIST (Book of Alternative Services)

Presiding Celebrant The Very Rev'd Paul Millward

Those who sowed with tears will reap with songs of joy. Psalm 126:6

Setting Communion Service in A minor

Harold Darke

Processional Hymn For the Beauty of the Earth

Blue Book 429

The Gathering of the Community

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Apostolic Greeting

Children's Sharing

Collect for Purity

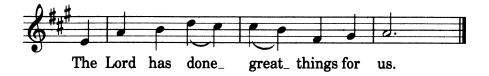
Gloria Blue Book 679

Collect of the Day Creator of the fruitful earth, you made us stewards of all things. Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness, and steadfast wills to use your bounty well, that the whole human family, today and in generations to come, may with us give thanks for the riches of your creation. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Old Testament Reading Joel 2:21–27
Psalm 126

read by Roland Vishnu

Psalm 126



New Testament Reading *Timothy 2:1–7*

read by Marilyn Papple

Gradual Hymn Gradual Hymn Lord Of Beauty, Thine the Splendour

Tune: RHUDDLAN
Blue Book 594

1 Lord of beauty, thine the splendour shown in earth and sky and sea, burning sun and moonlight tender, hill and river, flower and tree: lest we fail our praise to render touch our eyes that they may see. 2 Lord of wisdom, whom obeying mighty waters ebb and flow, while unhasting, undelaying, planets on their courses go: in thy laws thyself displaying, teach our minds thyself to know.

3 Lord of life, alone sustaining all below and all above, Lord of love, by whose ordaining sun and stars sublimely move: in our earthly spirits reigning, lift our hearts that we may love. 4 Lord of beauty, bid us own thee, Lord of truth, our footsteps guide, till as Love our hearts enthrone thee, and, with vision purified, Lord of all, when all have known thee, thou in all art glorified.

Cyril Arlington 1872-1955

The Rev'd Deacon Pat Henderson The Rev'd Michael E. DeKay

Holy Gospel *Matthew 6:25–33*

Homily

Nicene Creed

Prayers of the People

The Response to each petition: Leader: Lord, in your mercy,

People: Hear our prayer.

At the conclusion:

Leader: God of steadfast love,

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

Confession & Absolution

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John Fooks

Peace
Offertory Hymn All Creatures of Our God and King

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Prayer over the Gifts Source of all life, the heaven and earth are yours, yet you have given us dominion over all things. Receive the symbols of our labour and love which we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer: 3

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Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

sung by the Cathedral Choir

Lord's Prayer

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Breaking of the Bread: 2

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Communion

Communion Antiphon

(sung by the Cathedral Choir)

O taste and see how gracious the Lord is; blessed is the man who trusts in him.

Lamb of God

sung by the Cathedral Choir

Motet The heavens are telling the glory of God

Franz Joseph Haydn

The heavens are telling the glory of God,

The wonder of His work displays the firmament.

In all the lands resounds the word.

Never perceived, ever understood,

ever, ever, ever understood. The heavens are telling the glory of God,

The wonder of His work,

The wonder of His work displays the firmament.

Prayer after Communion Please stand

God of our hope, in this eucharist we find the source of all your blessings. Nourished in these holy mysteries may we, with our lives, give you continual thanks and praise. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

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Commissioning of Lay Eucharistic Ministers

Presider: In the name of this congregation,

All: we send you forth bearing these holy gifts that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. Assure those to whom you go that they continue to be in our thoughts and prayers.

Post Communion Hymn *God, Whose Almighty Word* **Blessing & Dismissal**

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