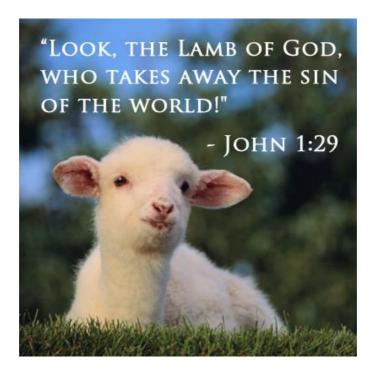
# All Saints, Clifton

# **All Age Eucharist**

19<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Theme: 'Jesus the Lamb of God.'



# The Greeting:

We meet in the name of God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The Lord be with you, And also with you.

Introduction

## **Hymn: NEH**

## A collection will be taken during this Hymn

1. There is a Redeemer, Jesus, God's own Son, precious Lamb of God, Messiah, holy One. Thank you, O my Father, for giving us Your Son, and leaving Your Spirit till the work on earth is done.

2. Jesus my Redeemer, name above all names, precious Lamb of God, Messiah, O for sinners slain: Thank you,... 3. When I stand in glory
I will see His face,
and there I'll serve my King for ever
in that holy place.
Thank you,...

#### The Priest introduces confession.

## We say together:

Most merciful God,
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
we confess that we have sinned
in thought, word and deed.
We have not loved you with our whole heart.
We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
In your mercy
forgive what we have been,
help us to amend what we are,
and direct what we shall be;
that we may do justly,
love mercy,
and walk humbly with you, our God. Amen.

#### **Absolution**

Almighty God who forgives all who truly repent, + have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## The Prayer for Today (Collect)

Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ your son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

(Lourdes Gloria 696 NEP – refrain only)

Gloria, Gloria in excelsis Deo Gloria, Gloria, in excelsis Deo.

The Reading for Today: John 1.29-42

John the Baptist saw Jesus coming towards him and declared, 'Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, "After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me." I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel.' And John testified, 'I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, "He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit." And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God.' The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he exclaimed, 'Look, here is the Lamb of God!' The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, 'What are you looking for?' They said to him, 'Rabbi' (which translated means Teacher), 'where are you staying?' He said to them, 'Come and see.' They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon. One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first found his brother Simon and said to him, 'We have found the Messiah' (which is translated Anointed). He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, 'You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas' (which is translated Peter).

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

Presentation: Fr Paul Hawkins

#### We Proclaim our Faith:

Do you believe and trust in God the Father? I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Do you believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ?

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe and trust in the Holy Spirit?

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen.

# Notices. The Peace and the Offertory:

#### Introduction to the Peace:

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

Let us offer one another a sign of peace

After we have exchanged the Peace please follow the Offertory procession into the Sanctuary and gather around the Altar in a large circle.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you, Father, Lord of all creation; in your love you made us for yourself.

When we turned away you did not reject us, but came to meet us in your Son.

You embraced us as your children and welcomed us to sit and eat with you.

In Christ you shared our life that we might live in him and he in us. He opened his arms of love upon the cross and made for all the perfect sacrifice for sin.

On the night he was betrayed, at supper with his friends he took bread, and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to them, saying:

Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.

Father, we do this in remembrance of him: his body is the bread of life.

At the end of supper, taking the cup of wine, he gave you thanks, and said:

Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins; do this in remembrance of me.

Father, we do this in remembrance of him:

his blood is shed for all.

As we proclaim his death and celebrate his rising in glory, send your Holy Spirit that this bread and this wine

may be to us the body and blood of your dear Son. As we eat and drink these holy gifts make us one in Christ, our risen Lord.

With your whole Church throughout the world we offer you this sacrifice of praise and lift our voice to join the eternal song of heaven:

## Sanctus and Benedictus p15 in the Parish Mass Book



Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord
Hosanna in the highest

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever.
Amen.

Every time we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.
Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.
Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us peace.

God's holy gifts for God's holy people. Jesus Christ is holy, Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

# The Giving of Communion

After the distribution of communion please stay in the Sanctuary.

## Hymn

Father, who in Jesus found us, God, whose love is all around us, Who to freedom new unbound us, Keep our hearts with joy aflame.

For the sacramental breaking, For the honour of partaking, For your life our lives remaking, Young and old we praise your name.

From the service of this table Lead us to a life more stable; For our witness make us able; Blessing on our work we claim.

Through our calling closely knitted, Daily to your praise committed, For a life of service fitted, Let us now your love proclaim

#### **Post Communion Collect**

God of glory, you nourish us with your Word who is the bread of life: fill us with your Holy Spirit that through us the light of your glory may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

**Blessing and Dismissal**