# The Parish of Cowbridge The Sixth Sunday of Easter Sunday 9th May 2021

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

# All Creatures of our God and King

All creatures of our God and King, Lift up your voice and with us sing: Alleluia, alleluia! Thou burning sun with golden beam, Thou silver moon with softer gleam:

O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong, Ye clouds that sail in heaven along, O praise Him, alleluia! Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice, Ye lights of evening, find a voice:

O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Thou flowing water, pure and clear,
Make music for thy Lord to hear,
Alleluia, alleluia!
Thou fire so masterful and bright,
That givest us both warmth and light:

O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Dear mother earth, who day by day, unfoldest blessings on our way, O praise him, alleluia! The flowers and fruits that in thee grow, let them his glory also show.

O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Let all things their Creator bless,
And worship Him in humbleness,
O praise Him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, Three-in-One:

O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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## The Gathering

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**.

Alleluia! Christ is risen. **He is risen indeed. Alleluia!** 

Eucharist 02a - Collect for Purity

Father of glory, holy and eternal, look upon us now in power and mercy. May your strength overcome our weakness, your radiance transform our blindness, and your Spirit draw us to that love, shown and offered to us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.** 

Kyrie - Mass of St Thomas

☐ Lord, have mercy.Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

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# **Prayers of Penitence**

Christ our passover lamb has been sacrificed for us. Let us therefore rejoice by putting away all malice and evil and confessing our sins with a sincere and true heart.

1 Corinthians 5.7,8

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.

#### Absolution

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy on you and set you free from sin, strengthen you in goodness and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

### Gloria in Excelsis

☐ Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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# The Collect Collect for the Sixth Sunday of Easter

God our redeemer, you have delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life, so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever **Amen.** 

Sunday first reading Acts 10 44 48.pdf Sunday Psalm 98.pdf Sunday second reading 1 John 5 1 6.pdf 2021 05 09 am Gospel.pdf

The Sermon

#### The Nicene Creed

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; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from 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.

**Notices** 

Prayer of Intercession Rogation Sunday, Christian Aid Week Gregory of Nazianzus (390), Bishop

From the Porvoo Diary we pray for:

Church of England: Diocese of Gloucester, Bishop Rachel Treweek, Bishop Robert Springett

Church of Sweden: Diocese of Västerås, Bishop Mikael Mogren

In Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Pray for The Church of Kenya.

In the Diocese we pray for: the Clergy and People of the Deanery of Cardiff and for Dyfrig Lloyd, Area Dean.

St. Teilo (CW) High School: lan Loynd the Headteacher, the staff & students

We pray for all who are in need and have asked for our prayers, particularly Dawn Conrad, Maureen Dixon,

Charlotte Carpenter,

Grayson Finn, Margaret Launder, Crispin Clay, Leah, Joanna Cory, Sharon Grainger, Eric Cooke, Barbara Ashley and Maz Parkinson.

Those who have recently departed this life, Elizabeth Davies, Helen Saunders and William Watkins.

Those whose 'years mind' fall during the coming week,

Sun: James Mansley, Jamie Raleigh, Megan Olwen David,

Walter Ernest Lever and Philip Howard Edward Francis.

Mon: Vera Florence Davies and Phyllis Catherine Morgan.

Tue: Gary Davies and Joan Phyllis Lloyd.

Wed: Paul Galton and Sir David Herbert Mervyn

Davies.

Thurs: Willie Jones

Fri: Clive Davies, Glyn Oakley and Francis Hayes. Sat: Arthur Tudor. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Lord, Hear us. **Lord, graciously hear us.** 

the following may be said to conclude the prayers
Merciful Father,
accept these prayers
for the sake of your Son,
our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### The Peace

The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples and said, 'Peace be with you.'
Then were they glad when they saw the Lord. Alleluia. John 20.19, 20

The peace of the risen Lord be always with you and also with you.
Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

# The Thanskgiving

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** 

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Worship and praise belong to you, Father, in every place and at all times.
All power is yours.
You created the heavens and established the earth; you sustain in being all that is.
In Christ your Son our life and yours are brought together in a wonderful exchange.

He made his home among us that we might for ever dwell in you.

Through your Holy Spirit you call us to new birth in a creation restored by love. As children of your redeeming purpose we offer you our praise, with angels and archangels and the company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending glory:

# Sanctus and Benedictus - Mass of St Thomas

☐ 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.

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Glory and thanksgiving be to you, most loving Father, for the gift of your Son born in human flesh.

He is the word existing beyond time, both source and final purpose, bringing to wholeness all that is made.

Obedient to your will he died upon the Cross. By your power you raised him from the dead. He broke the bonds of evil and set your people free to be his Body in the world.

On the night when he was given up to death, knowing that his hour had come, having loved his own, he loved them to the end. At supper with his disciples he took bread and offered you thanks. He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying: Take, eat.

This is my body: it is broken for you. After supper, he took the cup, he offered you thanks, and gave it to them saying: Drink this, all of you.

This is my blood of the new covenant; it is poured out for you, and for all, that sins may be forgiven.

Do this in remembrance of me.

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come in glory.

We now obey your Son's command.
We recall his blessed passion and death,
his glorious resurrection and ascension;
and we look for the coming of his Kingdom.
Made one with him, we offer you these gifts
and with them ourselves,
a single, holy, living sacrifice.

Hear us, most merciful Father, and send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon this bread and wine, that, overshadowed by his life-giving power, they may be the body and blood of your Son, and we may be kindled with the fire of your love and renewed for the service of your Kingdom.

Help us,

who are baptized into the fellowship of Christ's Body

to live and work to your praise and glory; may we grow together in unity and love until at last, in your new creation, we enter into our heritage in the company of the Virgin Mary, the apostles and prophets, and of all our brothers and sisters living and departed, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father,

for ever and ever.

Amen.

As our Saviour taught us, we boldly pray:
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.

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. Though we are many, we are one body for we all share in one bread.

# Agnus dei - Mass of St Thomas

□ Lamb of God,
 you take away the sins of the world:
 have mercy on us.
 Lamb of God,
 you take away the sins of the world:
 have mercy on us.
 Lamb of God,
 you take away the sins of the world:
 grant us peace.

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#### Invitation to communion

Alleluia. Christ our passover is sacrificed for us. **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.** 

**Eucharist - Post communion repsonses** 

Give thanks to the Lord for he is gracious: his love is everlasting.

# Post Communion prayer

Bountiful God, your Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life: may we thirst for you, the spring of life and source of goodness, through him who is alive and reigns, now and for ever, Amen.

Generous God, you have fed us at your heavenly table. Kindle us with the fire of your Spirit that when the Lord comes again we may shine as lights before him, who is alive and reigns in glory for ever. Amen.

# O Lord, my God when I in awesome wonder

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the works Thy Hands have made; I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder, Thy power throughout the universe displayed

Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art. Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing; Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in; That on the Cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin.

Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art. Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

acclamation And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow with humble adoration,

When Christ shall come with shout of

And then proclaim, "My God, how great Thou art!"

Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art. Then sings my soul, My Saviour God, to Thee, How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

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#### The Conclusion

May God the Father, by whose glory Christ was raised from the dead, awaken you to new life. Amen.

May Christ who walked with the disciples on the road to Emmaus. kindle in you the fire of his love and strengthen you to walk with him in his risen life. Amen.

May the Holy Spirit, whom the risen Lord breathed into his disciples, send you out to bring his new life to the world. Amen.

And the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you always. Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia! In the name of Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!