



# CHORAL EVENSONG

Tuesday 1 March 2016

*Welcome to this service of Choral Evensong  
sung by The Choir of Trinity College Cambridge*

*Please ensure that all electronic devices,  
including cameras, are switched off*

## VOLUNTARY

Prelude in F Stanford

*INTROIT sung from the Ante-Chapel*

Drop, drop slow tears

Drop, drop, slow tears, and bathe those beauteous feet,  
which brought from Heav'n the news and Prince of Peace.

Cease not, wet tears, his mercies to entreat; to cry for  
vengeance: Sin doth never cease.

In your deep floods drown all my faults and fears;  
nor let His eye see Sin, but through my tears.

Words: Phineas Fletcher (1582–1650)  
Music: Orlando Gibbons (1583–1625)

*All stand when the choir and clergy enter*

RESPONSES Rose

O Lord, open thou our lips.  
And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

O God, make speed to save us.  
O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy  
Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be:  
world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.  
The Lord's name be praised.

*All sit for PSALM 8*

O Lord our Governor, how excellent is thy Name in all the  
world : thou that hast set thy glory above the heavens!  
Out of the mouth of very babes and sucklings hast thou  
ordained strength, because of thine enemies : that thou  
mightest still the enemy and the avenger.  
For I will consider thy heavens, even the works of thy  
fingers : the moon and the stars, which thou hast ordained.  
What is man, that thou art mindful of him : and the son of  
man, that thou visitest him?  
Thou madest him lower than the angels : to crown him with  
glory and worship.

Thou makest him to have dominion of the works of thy hands :  
and thou hast put all things in subjection under his feet;  
All sheep and oxen : yea, and the beasts of the field;  
The fowls of the air, and the fishes of the sea : and  
whatsoever walketh through the paths of the seas.  
O Lord our Governor : how excellent is thy Name in  
all the world!  
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son : and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be :  
world without end. Amen.

*The FIRST LESSON is read* Exodus 15: 22–27  
(NRSV p. 59)

*All stand for the MAGNIFICAT*

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My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced  
in God my Saviour. For he hath regarded the lowliness of his  
handmaiden. For behold, from henceforth all generations shall  
call me blessed. For he that is mighty hath magnified me: and  
holy is his Name. And his mercy is on them that fear him  
throughout all generations. He hath shewed strength with his arm;  
he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.  
He hath put down the mighty from their seat, and hath exalted  
the humble and meek. He hath filled the hungry with good things;  
and the rich he hath sent empty away. He remembering his mercy  
hath holpen his servant Israel, as he promised to our forefathers,  
Abraham and his seed, for ever. Glory be to the Father...

*All sit for the SECOND LESSON* Hebrews 10: 32–end  
(NRSV p. 213)

*All stand for the NUNC DIMITTIS* Łukaszewski

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to  
thy word. For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, Which thou  
hast prepared before the face of all people; To be a light to lighten  
the Gentiles, and to be the glory of thy people Israel. Glory be  
to the Father...

*All turn East and say the APOSTLES' CREED*

**I believe in God  
the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth:**

**And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried:  
he descended into hell;  
the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand  
of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and  
the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost;  
the Holy Catholick Church;  
the Communion of Saints;  
the forgiveness of sins;  
the Resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.  
Amen.**

## RESPONSES

The Lord be with you.  
And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

*All kneel*

Lord, have mercy upon us.  
Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Our Father which art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, in earth as it is in  
heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us  
our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
Amen.

O Lord, shew thy mercy upon us.  
And grant us thy salvation.

O Lord, save the Queen.  
And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Endue thy ministers with righteousness.  
And make thy chosen people joyful.

O Lord, save thy people.  
And bless thine inheritance.

Give peace in our time, O Lord.  
Because there is none other that fighteth for us,  
but only thou, O God.

O God, make clean our hearts within us.  
And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

We beseech thee, Almighty God, look upon the hearty desires  
of thy humble servants, and stretch forth the right hand of thy  
Majesty, to be our defence against all our enemies; through  
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## THE COLLECT FOR LENT

Almighty and everlasting God, who hatest nothing that thou  
hast made, and dost forgive the sins of all them that are  
penitent: Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that  
we worthily lamenting our sins, and acknowledging our  
wretchedness, may obtain of thee, the God of all mercy,  
perfect remission and forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our  
Lord. Amen.

## THE COLLECT FOR PEACE

O God, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all  
just works do proceed: Give unto thy servants that peace which  
the world cannot give; that both our hearts may be set to obey  
thy commandments, and also that by thee we being defended  
from the fear of our enemies may pass our time in rest and  
quietness; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour.  
Amen.

## THE COLLECT FOR AID AGAINST ALL PERILS

Lighten our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy  
great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night;  
for the love of thy only Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

*All sit for the* ANTHEM

O Lord, support us (2005)

O Lord, support us all the day long, until the shadows  
lengthen and the evening comes, and the busy world is  
hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done.  
Then in thy mercy grant us a safe lodging, and a holy rest,  
and peace at the last. Amen.

Words: John Henry Newman (1801–90)  
Music: David Briggs (b. 1962)

*All sit or kneel for the* PRAYERS

*All stand for the* HYMN

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ABERYSTWYTH

FINAL RESPONSES

Marlow

*All remain standing as the choir, clergy and Fellows  
recess*

VOLUNTARY

Wenn mein Stündlein vorhanden ist

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