



CHORAL EVENSONG

Thursday 24 November 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*

*For those who wish to use them, copies of The New English
Hymnal melody edition are available in the stalls*

VOLUNTARY

Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland, BWV 599 Bach

INTROIT sung from the Ante-Chapel

There is no rose

There is no rose of such virtue
As is the rose that bare Jesu; *Alleluia.*
For in this rose contained was
Heaven and earth in little space; *Res miranda.*
By that rose we may well see
That he is God in persons three, *Pari forma.*
The angels sungen the shepherds to:
Gloria in excelsis Deo: *Gaudeamus.*
Leave we all this worldly mirth,
And follow we this joyful birth; *Transeamus.*

Words: from a 15th century carol roll, now in the College Library
Music: Anon, arr. Stevens

All stand when the choir and clergy enter

RESPONSES

Smith

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.

All sit for PSALM 119: 1–8

Blessed are those that are undefiled in the way: and
walk in the law of the Lord.
Blessed are they that keep his testimonies: and seek
him with their whole heart.
For they who do no wickedness: walk in his ways.

Thou hast charged: that we shall diligently keep thy
commandments.
O that my ways were made so direct: that I might
keep thy statutes!
So shall I not be confounded: while I have respect
unto all thy commandments.
I will thank thee with an unfeigned heart: when I shall
have learned the judgements of thy righteousness.
I will keep thy ceremonies: O forsake me not utterly.
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 Jeremiah 31: 10–17
(NRSV p. 671)

All stand for the MAGNIFICAT

Short Service Byrd

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 Matthew 16: 13–end
(NRSV p. 17)

All stand for the NUNC DIMITTIS

Short Service Byrd

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.**

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.

RESPONSES

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

Stir up, we beseech thee, O Lord, the wills of thy faithful
people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of
good works, may of thee be plenteously rewarded;
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

A great and mighty wonder

A great and mighty wonder, a full and holy cure!
The Virgin bears the infant, with virgin honour pure.

Repeat the hymn again!
'To God on high be glory,
and peace on earth to men!'

The Word becomes incarnate, and yet remains on high!
And cherubim sing anthems to shepherds from the sky.

And idol forms shall perish, and error shall decay,
And Christ shall wield his sceptre,
our Lord and God for ay.

Words: Germanus of Constantinople (c. 634–c. 734)
trans. John Mason Neale (1818–66)
Music: Michael Praetorius (1571–1621)
arr. Erling Pedersen (b. 1944)

All sit or kneel for the PRAYERS

All stand for the HYMN

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TALLIS' CANON

Words: Thomas Ken (1637–1711)
Music: Thomas Tallis (c. 1505–85)

FINAL RESPONSES

Marlow

*All remain standing as the choir, clergy and Fellows recess;
please remain quiet until the end of the organ voluntary*

VOLUNTARY

Herr Christ, der ein'ge Gottes Sohn, BWV 601

Bach