



CHORAL EVENSONG

Thursday 11 May 2017

VOLUNTARY

Rockingham

Leighton

INTROIT *sung from the Ante-Chapel*

I praise the tender flower, Op. 17 No. 1

I praise the tender flower, / That on a mournful day
Bloomed in my garden bower / And made the winter
gay. / Its loveliness contented / My heart tormented.

I praise the gentle maid / Whose happy voice and
smile / To confidence betrayed / My doleful heart
awhile; / And gave my spirit deploring / Fresh wings
for soaring.

The maid for very fear / Of love I durst not tell: / The
rose could never hear, / Though I bespake her well: /
So in my song I bind them / For all to find them.

Words: Robert Seymour Bridges (1844–1930)

Music: Gerald Finzi (1901–56)

All stand when the choir and clergy enter

RESPONSES

Leighton

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 60

O God, thou hast cast us out, and scattered us abroad:
thou hast also been displeased; O turn thee unto us
again.

Thou hast moved the land, and divided it: heal the
sores thereof, for it shaketh.

Thou hast shewed thy people heavy things: thou hast
given us a drink of deadly wine.

Thou hast given a token for such as fear thee: that
they may triumph because of the truth.

Therefore were thy beloved delivered: help me with
thy right hand, and hear me.

God hath spoken in his holiness, I will rejoice, and
divide Sichem: and mete out the valley of Succoth.

Gilead is mine, and Manasses is mine: Ephraim also is
the strength of my head; Judah is my law-giver;

Moab is my wash-pot; over Edom will I cast out my
shoe: Philistia, be thou glad of me.

Who will lead me into the strong city: who will bring
me into Edom?

Hast not thou cast us out, O God: wilt not thou, O God,
go out with our hosts?

O be thou our help in trouble: for vain is the help of man.
Through God will we do great acts: for it is he that
shall tread down our enemies.

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 34: 1–10
(NRSV p. 77)

All stand for the MAGNIFICAT

Frankfurt Service

Pantcheff

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, 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.

All sit for the SECOND LESSON

Luke 4: 1–13
(NRSV p. 58)

All stand for the NUNC DIMITTIS

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

Almighty God, who shewest to them that be in error the
light of thy truth, to the intent that they may return into
the way of righteousness; Grant unto all them that are
admitted into the fellowship of Christ's Religion, that
they may eschew those things that are contrary to their
profession, and follow all such things as are agreeable to
the same; through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PEACE

THE COLLECT FOR AID AGAINST ALL PERILS

All sit for the ANTHEM

O give thanks unto the Lord (2016)

O give thanks unto the Lord; call upon his name: make
known his deeds among the people. Sing unto him,
sing psalms unto him: talk ye of all his wondrous works.
Glory he in his holy name: let the heart of them rejoice
that seek the Lord. Seek the Lord, and his strength:

seek his face evermore. Remember his marvellous works
that he hath done, his wonders and the judgements of
his mouth.

Music, thou Queen of Heaven, care-charming spell, /
That strik'st a stillness into hell: / Thou that tam'st
Tygers, and fierce storms (that rise) / With thy soul-
melting Lullabies; / Fall down, down, down, from
those thy chiming spheres, / To charm our souls, as
thou enchant'st our ears.

Sing unto him, sing psalms unto him: talk ye of all his
wondrous works.

Words: Psalm 105 vv. 1-5 &
To Music by Robert Herrick (1591-1674)
Music: James MacMillan (b. 1959)

All sit or kneel for the PRAYERS

All stand for the HYMN

NEH 445

PETRA

Words: Augustus Montague Toplady (1740-78)
Music: Richard Redhead (1820-1901)

FINAL RESPONSES

Marlow

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

VOLUNTARY

Koraal from Suite Modale, Op. 43

Peeters