



# CHORAL EVENSONG

Tuesday 15 October 2024

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

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## VOLUNTARY

Fantasia of four parts

Gibbons

*INTROIT sung from the Ante-Chapel*

Almighty and everlasting God

Almighty and everlasting God,  
mercifully look upon our infirmities,  
and in all our dangers and necessities,  
stretch forth thy right hand to help and defend us:  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Words: Collect for the Third Sunday after Epiphany  
Music: Orlando Gibbons (1583–1625)

*All stand as the choir and clergy enter*

## RESPONSES

Byrd

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 78: 1-8*

Hear my law, O my people : incline your ears unto the words of my mouth.  
I will open my mouth in a parable : I will declare hard sentences of old;  
Which we have heard and known : and such as our fathers have told us;  
That we should not hide them from the children of the generations to come : but to shew the honour of the Lord, his mighty and wonderful works that he hath done.

He made a covenant with Jacob, and gave Israel a law : which he commanded our forefathers to teach their children;  
That their posterity might know it : and the children which were yet unborn;  
To the intent that when they came up : they might shew their children the same;  
That they might put their trust in God : and not to forget the works of God, but to keep his commandments.  
Glory be to the Father...

*The FIRST LESSON is read*

Proverbs 31: 10–end  
(NRSV pp. 565–6)

*All stand for the MAGNIFICAT*

Second 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*

Luke 10: 38–end  
(NRSV pp. 68–69)

*All stand for the NUNC DIMITTIS*

Second 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 King.  
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

O almighty and most merciful God, of thy bountiful  
goodness keep us, we beseech thee, from all things that  
may hurt us; that we, being ready both in body and soul,  
may cheerfully accomplish those things which thou  
wouldest have done; 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*

Praise our Lord, all ye gentiles

Praise our Lord, all ye Gentiles, praise him, all ye  
people:  
Because his mercy is confirmed upon us, and his truth  
remaineth for ever. Amen.

Words: Psalm 117 vv. 1–2  
Music: William Byrd (c. 1540–1623)

*All sit or kneel for the PRAYERS*

*All stand for the HYMN*

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TALLIS' CANON

#### FINAL RESPONSES

Marlow

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

#### VOLUNTARY

Praeludium in g, BuxWV 150

Buxtehude