

# The Priory Church of St. Mary Bridlington



## Eucharist for Ascension to Pentecost

### The Eucharist

OPENING HYMN

#### The Greeting and prayer of Preparation

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

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

**Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**

#### Prayer of Penitence

The Spirit of the Lord fills the world and knows our every word and deed. Let us then open ourselves to the Lord and confess our sins in penitence and faith.

You raise the dead to life in the Spirit:  
Lord, have mercy.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

You bring pardon and peace to the broken in heart:  
Christ have mercy.  
**Christ have mercy.**

You make one by your Spirit the torn and divided.  
Lord, have mercy.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

*The president pronounces God's forgiveness*

## The Gloria

**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.**

## The Collect

*After a time of silence the prayer for the day, the Collect, is said. All respond Amen.*

## The Liturgy of the Word

### Readings (sit)

*At the end the reader says*  
This is the word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

HYMN

### Gospel Reading (stand)

Alleluia, alleluia.  
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful people and kindle in them the fire of your love.  
**Alleluia!**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to N.  
**Glory to you, O Lord.**

*In response to the Gospel:*  
This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## Sermon

### The Creed (stand)

**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, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and 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.**

### Prayers of Intercession (sit or kneel)

Let us pray for the Church and the World, and let us thank God for his goodness.

*The following response may be used:*  
Lord, in your mercy  
**hear our prayer.**

At the end:  
Merciful Father,  
**accept these prayers  
for the sake of your Son,  
our Saviour Jesus Christ.  
Amen.**

## **The Liturgy of the Sacrament**

### **The Peace** *(stand)*

The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace.  
If we live in the Spirit, let us walk in the Spirit.

*cf Galatians 5: 22, 23*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
**And also with you.**

Let us offer one another a sign of God's peace.

### **The Preparation of the Table and the Taking of the Bread and Wine**

#### OFFERTORY HYMN

*The gifts of the people are gathered and presented. The table is  
prepared and bread and wine are placed upon it.*

Generous God, creator, redeemer, sustainer, at your table we  
present this money, symbol of the work you have given us to do;  
use it, use us, in the service of your world to the glory of your  
name.  
**Amen.**

### **The Eucharistic Prayer** *(remain standing)*

The Lord is here.  
**His Spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them to the Lord.**

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

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to  
give you thanks, holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through  
Jesus Christ our Lord. For he is our great high priest who has  
entered once for all into the heavenly sanctuary, evermore to pour  
upon your Church the grace and comfort of your Holy Spirit. He  
is the one who has gone before us, who calls us to be united in  
prayer as were his disciples in the upper room while they awaited  
his promised gift, the life-giving Spirit of Pentecost. Therefore all  
creation years with eager longing as angels and archangels sing the  
endless hymn of praise:

**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.**

We praise and bless you, loving Father, through Jesus Christ, our  
Lord; and as we obey his command, send your Holy Spirit, that  
broken bread and wine outpoured may be for us the body and  
blood of your dear Son.

On the night before he died he had supper with his friends  
and, taking bread, he praised you. He broke the bread, gave it to  
them and said: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do  
this in remembrance of me.

When supper was ended he took the cup of wine. Again he  
praised you, gave it to them and said: Drink this, all of you; this is  
my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many  
for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in  
remembrance of me.

So, Father, we remember all that Jesus did, in him we plead with  
confidence his sacrifice made once for all upon the cross. Bringing  
before you the bread of life and cup of salvation, we proclaim his  
death and resurrection until he comes in glory.

Great is the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died:**

**Christ is risen:**

**Christ will come again.**

Lord of all life, help us to work together for that day when your kingdom comes and justice and mercy will be seen in all the earth. Look with favour on your people, gather us in your loving arms and bring us with the blessed Virgin Mary, St. John of Bridlington and all the saints to feast at your table in heaven.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, O loving Father, for ever and ever.

**Amen.**

### **The Lord's Prayer**

Lord, remember us in your kingdom, as we pray in the words you gave us.

**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.**

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

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

**Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.  
Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.  
Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us peace.**

### **Giving of Communion**

*The President invites the people to communion.  
We receive the bread and the wine.*

### **Prayer after communion**

*The president may say a post communion prayer.*

**Almighty God,  
we thank you for feeding us  
with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.  
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies  
to be a living sacrifice.  
Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
to live and work  
to your praise and glory.  
Amen.**

### **The Dismissal**

#### FINAL HYMN

The Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, give you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and strengthen you to proclaim the word and works of God; 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. Amen. Alleluia, alleluia!**