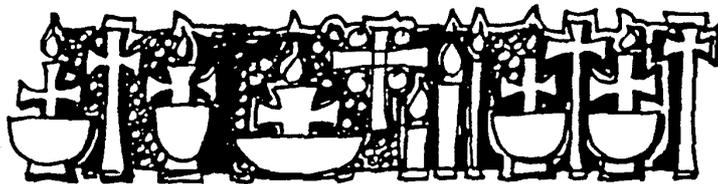


## Morning Prayer 6<sup>th</sup> January 2014



We three kings of Orient are; bearing gifts we traverse afar;  
field and fountain, moor and mountain, following yonder star.  
O Star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright,  
westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light.

Born a King on Bethlehem plain, gold I bring to crown him again,  
King forever, ceasing never, over us all to reign.  
O Star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright,  
westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light.

O God, come to our aid . . . . .

Glory to the Father . . . .

### Psalm 42



Like\_ the deer that yearns for run - ning streams, so my soul is thirst-ing for you.

My soul is thirsting for God, the God of my life.  
When can I enter, when can I enter and see the face of God?

**Like the deer that yearns for running streams  
So my soul is thirsting for you.**

These things will I remember as I pour out my soul;  
how I would lead the rejoicing crowd into the house of God.

**Like the deer that yearns for running streams  
So my soul is thirsting for you.**

O send forth your light and your truth, let these be my guide;  
Let them bring me to the holy mountain, to the place where you dwell.  
**Like the deer that yearns for running streams**  
**So my soul is thirsting for you.**

And I will come to the altar of God, the God of my joy;  
My Redeemer, I will thank you on the harp, O God, my God.  
**Like the deer that yearns for running streams**  
**So my soul is thirsting for you.**

Glory to the Father, glory to the Son,  
Glory to the Holy Spirit now and for ever. Amen.  
**Like the deer that yearns for running streams**  
**So my soul is thirsting for you.**

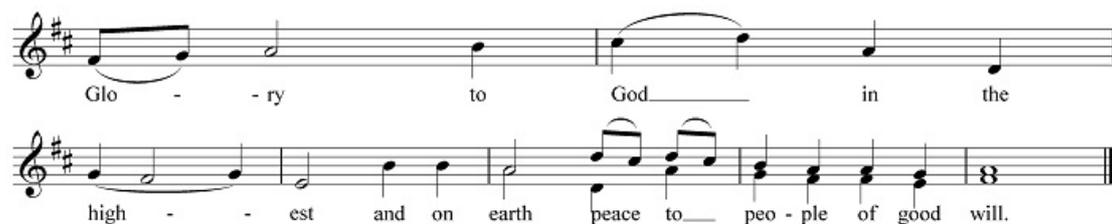
### Let us pray

Let us find contentment and joy  
in our worship of you, Lord God,  
both when we pray in the privacy of our homes  
and when we are together in church.  
And let our prayers reflect your love for all your people.  
We ask this through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

A Canticle from the Letter to the Colossians verse 1

Let's give thanks to God our Father who allows us all to share  
in the joys of all the saints who live in light, as God's true heirs.  
God has brought us out of darkness to the kingdom of his Son:  
Jesus is God's most beloved who redeems us from our sin.

### Gloria



Glo - - ry to God in the  
high - - est and on earth peace to peo - ple of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

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

## **Reading**

### **Gospel Verse**

Alleluia . . . . .

We saw his star as it rose and have come to do him homage,  
we saw his star as it rose. Alleluia . . . . .

## **Gospel**

### **Intercessions**

Christ is the salvation sent by God, the salvation seen by the furthest ends of the earth. Let us give him praise and joyfully cry:

– *Glory to you, Christ and Lord.*

You are our Redeemer: you came and broke down the wall that separated Jew from Gentile.

Break down all divisions that harm the dignity of human kind.

– *Glory to you, Christ and Lord.*

By your incarnation and birth you began your abiding presence among us: teach us to recognise the many ways you are present in Church and people.

– *Glory to you, Christ and Lord.*

You revealed God clearly to the human race:

show us how to live in harmony with your word, in what we believe and what we do. – *Glory to you, Christ and Lord.*

God Emmanuel, you have renewed all things:

make us new as well, in our hearts, in our voices, in our actions.

– *Glory to you, Christ and Lord.*

Sanctus: St Andrew

Memorial

When we eat\_ this bread and\_ drink this cup, we\_\_ pro-claim your

Death, O Lord, un - til you come a- gain, un - til you come.

## St Andrew Agnus Dei

### After Communion

Blest be the Lord the God of Israel,  
 who came to us; and brought us back from sin.  
 God raised for us a Saviour who is mighty;  
 his Saviour-Son from David's house and line.  
 God promised this through holy men and women  
 who spoke for him down through the mists of time.

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