

ST. ANDREW'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Denver, Colorado



Choral Evensong: November 19, 2020
St. Elizabeth of Hungary (1207-1231)

Welcome to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

We are glad you are on this journey with us in this season of all-virtual worship. If we experience technical difficulties during the service, we will pause the service until the issue is resolved and the livestream has resumed. You are the congregation; there is no worship without you.

As we gather for worship together in our different locations, we are making different choices of how to participate. Some are standing, sitting, and kneeling as they would in church, and singing with enthusiasm. Others are participating in silence. Please know that, just as you are welcome to “come as you are” in the physical church, so we hope you will participate here “as you will.”

Please join us after the service for a virtual sherry and cider reception on Zoom at this link:
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We Depend on Your Generous Support!

Please remember that though the physical church is closed, our financial needs continue. We are committed to offering ongoing financial support to those in need through our fundamental partners in outreach ministry, to paying our staff, maintaining our buildings and grounds, and offering worship and formation opportunities.

Please give generously to support our mission and ministries in one or more of the following ways:

- Go to the St. Andrew's website (www.standrewdenver.org) and use the **Donate** button at the bottom of the page using a credit or debit card.
- Text to donate: text to 310-582-5828 (For your first text you will have to set up an account and provide a credit/debit card number. After that it is as easy as texting! Please contact our Treasurer Bob Mosher (bobdmosher@gmail.com) for details on setting this up.)
- Automatic withdrawal: arrange for a monthly (or any frequency) withdrawal directly from your checking account. No need to remember whether you have donated or not. (To set this up there is a simple form. Contact our Treasurer Bob Mosher (bobdmosher@gmail.com) for details)
- Mail your check to the church (2015 Glenarm Place, Denver CO 80205)



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Elizabeth, *Princess of Hungary*, Nun

Derived from the ancient monastic evening offices of Vespers and Compline, Evensong (literally “Evening Song”) is an almost entirely sung service. Thomas Cranmer, the first Anglican Archbishop of Canterbury, combined the above two Roman Catholic monastic offices into one Anglican lay office, characterized by the chanting of psalms and the singing of the principal canticles from each – the Magnificat from Vespers and the Nunc dimittis from Compline. This felicitous pairing, and the mystical atmosphere of a church at dusk, have fired the imaginations of many of the Anglican Church’s greatest musicians. Please note that the texts to some of the sung items may differ slightly from what is printed in the modern Book of Common Prayer, particularly the Suffrages.

Numbers preceded by “BCP” are found in the Book of Common Prayer (Black Book)

Numbers preceded by “S” are in the front portion of the 1982 Hymnal (Red Book)

The Organ Voluntaries: Lord, forever at thy side

Percy Whitlock (1903-1946)

Word of Welcome

All stand at the ringing of the entrance bells, here and throughout the service as you are comfortable

The Invitatory and Psalter

The Invitatory: *Preces*

setting by David Drinkell (1955-2019)

Officiant O Lord, open thou our lips;

Choir And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

Officiant O God, make speed to save us;

Choir O Lord, make haste to help us.

Officiant Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

Choir As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Officiant Praise ye the Lord;

Choir The Lord’s Name be praised.

The People sit. All stand when the Choir concludes the psalm with the Gloria Patri (“Glory to the Father...”)

The Psalm: 109:20-30

Deus, lauden

Plainchant: Tone II.a.

- 20 But you, O Lord my God, oh, deal with me according to your Name; *
for your tender mercy’s sake, deliver me.
- 21 For I am poor and needy, * and my heart is wounded within me.
- 22 I have faded away like a shadow when it lengthens; * I am shaken off like a locust.
- 23 My knees are weak through fasting, * and my flesh is wasted and gaunt.
- 24 I have become a reproach to them; * they see and shake their heads.
- 25 Help me, O Lord my God; * save me for your mercy’s sake.
- 26 Let them know that this is your hand, * that you, O Lord, have done it.
- 27 They may curse, but you will bless; *
let those who rise up against me be put to shame, and your servant will rejoice.

- 28 Let my accusers be clothed with disgrace * and wrap themselves in their shame as in a cloak.
29 I will give great thanks to the Lord with my mouth; *
in the midst of the multitude will I praise him;
30 Because he stands at the right hand of the needy, *
to save his life from those who would condemn him.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; *
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

The People sit.

The Lessons

The First Lesson

Tobit 12:6-9

Bless God and acknowledge him in the presence of all the living for the good things he has done for you. Bless and sing praise to his name. With fitting honor declare to all people the deeds of God. Do not be slow to acknowledge him. It is good to conceal the secret of a king, but to acknowledge and reveal the works of God, and with fitting honor to acknowledge him. Do good, and evil will not overtake you. Prayer with fasting is good, but better than both is almsgiving with righteousness. A little with righteousness is better than wealth with wrongdoing. It is better to give alms than to lay up gold. For almsgiving saves from death and purges away every sin. Those who give alms will enjoy a full life.

The People stand.

The Magnificat

A. Herbert Brewer (1865-1928)

Evening Service in D

My soul doth magnify the Lord, * and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Savior.
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 showed 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

The People sit.

The Second Lesson

John 21:15-17

Jesus said to his disciples, "But love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return. Your reward will be great, and you will be children of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful. Do not judge, and you will not be judged; do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven; give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back."

The People stand.

The Nunc dimittis

*A. Herbert Brewer
Evening Service in D*

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, 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 Reflection

All say together

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 catholic Church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers

The People kneel.

The Suffrages & Collects: *(sung by the Choir)*

setting by David Drinkell

Officiant The Lord be with you;

Choir And with thy spirit.

Officiant Let us pray:

Choir Lord, have mercy on us; Christ, have mercy upon us; Lord have mercy upon us.

All 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, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Officiant O Lord, show they mercy upon us;

Choir And grant us thy salvation.

Officiant O Lord, bless this land:

Choir And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Officiant Endue thy ministers with righteousness;

Choir And make thy chosen people joyful.

Officiant O Lord, save thy people:

Choir And bless thine inheritance.

Officiant Give peace in our time, O Lord;

Choir Because there is none other that fighteth for us, but only thou, O God.

Officiant O God, make clean our hearts within us;

Choir And take not thy Holy Spirit from us..

The Collect of the Day

Officiant Almighty God, by whose grace thy servant Elizabeth of Hungary recognized and honored Jesus in the poor of this world: Grant that we, following her example, may with love and gladness serve those in any need or trouble, in the Name and for the sake of Jesus Christ; who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Choir Amen.

A Collect for Evening

Choir Amen.

A Collect for Mission

Choir Amen.

The People sit.

The Anthem: Give almes of thy goods

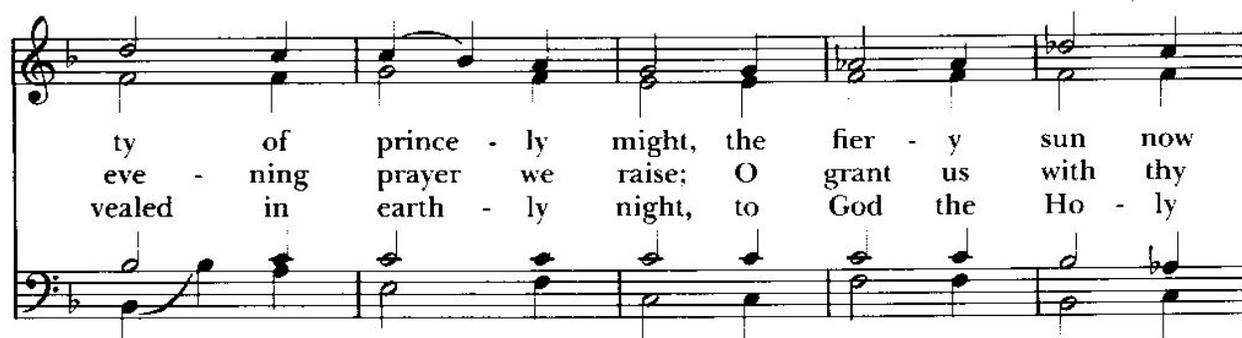
Christopher Tye (c. 1505-1572)

Give almes of thy goods, and turn never thy face away from the poor: and then the face of the Lord shall not be turned away from thee.

Tobit 4:7



1 O Trin - i - ty of bless - ed light, O U - ni -
2 To thee our morn - ing song of praise, to thee our
3 To God the Fa - ther, heaven - ly Light, to Christ re -



ty of prince - ly might, the fier - y sun now
eve - ning prayer we raise; O grant us with thy
vealed in earth - ly night, to God the Ho - ly



goes his way; shed thou with - in our hearts thy ray.
saints on high to praise thee through e - ter - ni - ty.
Ghost we raise our e - qual and un - ceas - ing praise.

Words: Latin, 6th cent.; tr. John Mason Neale (1818-1866). St. 3, Charles Coffin (1676-1749);
tr. John Chandler (1806-1876)
Music: Bromley, Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809), alt.

LM

All say

The Prayer of St. Chrysostom

Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication unto thee, and hast promised through thy well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name thou wilt be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. Amen.

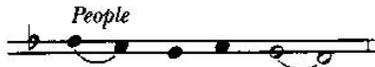
All sing

The Concluding Versicle & Response

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Let us bless the Lord.



Thanks be to God.

The People sit.

The Organ Voluntary: The Archbishop's Fanfare

Francis Jackson (b. 1917)



*Please join us at an online reception (in place of the former
sherry and cider reception) immediately following the service, at the following link:*

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There will be no Evensong next Thursday, Thanksgiving Day



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