

SATURDAY MORNING HYMNS & PRAYER

23rd March 2024

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

By all your saints still striving, for all your saints at rest, your holy name, O Jesus, for evermore be blessed. You rose, our King victorious, that they might wear the crown and ever shine in splendour reflected from your throne.

Apostles, prophets, martyrs, and all the noble throng who wear the spotless raiment and raise the ceaseless song: for them and those whose witness is only known to you by walking in their footsteps we give you praise anew.

Then let us praise the Father and worship God the Son and sing to God the Spirit, eternal Three in One, till all the ransomed number who stand before the throne, ascribe all pow'r and glory and praise to God alone.

Responsorial Psalm

R Lord, let your mercy be on us

COMMUNION RELECTION

Refrain. Lord, let your mercy be on us

The word of the Lord is faithfulness and love, this love can never be measured;
God's beauty is like nothing we have ever seen, so let us place our trust in God. *Refrain*

The word of the Lord means a patient, gentle God, whose love can never grow weary.

God's mercy is as though our sins have never been, if we can place our trust in God. *Refrain*

The word of the Lord is fire burning strong and love that never grows weary.

God will seek and save the lost until we all return, so let us place our trust in God. *Refrain*

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Servant of the Word, handmaid of the Lord, blest are you, O Mary! Mother of God's only Son, chosen as the holy one; pray for us and lead us to the Son of God.

Bearer of God's Son, woman of great faith, blest are you, O Mary! Docile to the will of God, holy Mary, heart of love; pray for us and lead us to the Son of God.

Mary full of grace, woman truly chaste, blest are you, O Mary! Mother of the Word made flesh, guide the Church to holiness; pray for us and lead us to the Son of God.

Christ, by all adored, is your Son and Lord; blest are you, O Mary! Blest the fruit of your own womb, Jesus risen from the tomb; pray for us and lead us to the Son of God.

MARIAN PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ at your last supper you prayed to the Father that all should be one.

Send your Holy Spirit upon all who bear your name and seek to serve you.

Through the intercession of the Virgin Mary and all the Saints we ask that you strengthen our faith and make us love one another in humility.

May we, who have been reborn in one baptism, be united in one faith under one shepherd.

Amen

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