



Holy Innocents Kingsbury

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7th April 2019,

Passiontide, Year C

Welcome to Holy Innocents.

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If you would like someone to be mentioned in the prayers today please ask one of the ministers before the service begins.

Readings & Hymns for today

Stand when the hymn begins.

Processional hymn:

- 1 Praise to the Holiest in the height,
And in the depth be praise:
In all his words most wonderful,
Most sure in all his ways.**
- 2 O loving wisdom of our God!
When all was sin and shame,
A second Adam to the fight
And to the rescue came.**
- 3 O wisest love! that flesh and blood,
Which did in Adam fail,
Should strive afresh against the
foe,
Should strive and should prevail;**
- 7 Praise to the Holiest in the height,
And in the depth be praise:
In all his words most wonderful,
Most sure in all his ways.**

John Henry Newman (1801-1890) AM763

Services Today

10.00am Sung Eucharist

Services this week

Tuesday 10.15am Morning Prayer

Thursday 10.00am Said Eucharist

Thursday 11.00am Lent Group

Coffee morning

Tuesday 10.30-11.30am

Memory Cafe

Friday 2-4pm

Next Sunday 14th April

Palm Sunday

8.30am Said Eucharist

10.00am Eucharist with procession

COLLECT

Most merciful God, who by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ delivered and saved the world: grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross we may triumph in the power of his victory; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah43: 16-21

A reading from the book of Isaiah.

Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick: Do not remember

the former things, or consider the things of old. I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. The wild animals will honour me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people, the people whom I formed for myself so that they might declare my praise.

For the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn:

- 1 How deep the Father's love for us,
How vast beyond all measure,
That he should give his only Son
To make a wretch his treasure.
How great the pain of searing loss;
The Father turns his face away,
As wounds which mar the chosen
One
Bring many souls to glory.**
- 2 Behold the man upon a cross,
My sin upon his shoulders;
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice
Call out among the scoffers.
It was my sin that held him there,
Until it was accomplished;
His dying breath has brought me
life --
I know that 'it is finished.'**

- 3 I will not boast in anything,
No gifts, no power, no wisdom;
But I will boast in Jesus Christ,
His death and resurrection.
Why should I gain from his reward?
I cannot give an answer;
But this I know with all my heart,
His wounds have paid my ransom.**

Stuart Townend (b.1963)

AM 144

GOSPEL READING

John 12: 1-8

The Lord be with you
And also with you

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus
Christ according to John.

Glory to you O Lord

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, 'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?' (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for

the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.'

This is the gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Offertory Hymn:

- 1 My song is love unknown,
My Saviour's love to me,
Love to the loveless shown,
That they might lovely be.
O who am I,
That for my sake
My Lord should take
Frail flesh, and die?
- 2 He came from his blest throne,
Salvation to bestow;
But men made strange, and none
The longed-for Christ would know.
But O, my Friend,
My Friend indeed,
Who at my need
His life did spend!
- 3 Sometimes they strew his way,
And his sweet praises sing;
Resounding all the day
Hosannas to their King.
Then 'Crucify!'
Is all their breath,
And for his death
They thirst and cry.
- 5 They rise, and needs will have
My dear Lord made away;
A murderer they save,
The Prince of Life they slay.

**Yet cheerful he
To suffering goes,
That he his foes
From thence might free.**

- 7 Here might I stay and sing:
No story so divine;
Never was love, dear King,
Never was grief like thine!
This is my Friend,
In whose sweet praise
I all my days
Could gladly spend.

Samuel Crossman (c.1624-1683)

AM 147

Communion Hymn:

- 1 All I once held dear, built my life
upon
All this world reveres, and wars to
own
All I once thought gain I have
counted loss
Spent and worthless now,
compared to this

*Knowing you, Jesus
Knowing you, there is no greater
thing
You're my all, you're the best
You're my joy, my righteousness
And I love you, Lord*
- 2 Now my heart's desire is to know
you more
To be found in you and known as
yours
To possess by faith what I could not
earn
All-surpassing gift of righteousness.

**3 Oh, to know the power of your
risen life
And to know You in Your sufferings
To become like you in your death,
my Lord
So with you to live and never die**

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POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for you: give us the will to be the servant of others as you were the servant of all, and gave up your life and died for us, but are alive and reign, now and for ever. **Amen**

Recessional Hymn:

***Lift high the cross, the love of
Christ proclaim
Till all the world adore his sacred
name.***

**1 Come, let us follow where our
Captain trod,
Our King victorious, Christ the Son of
God:**

**7 O Lord, once lifted on the glorious
tree,
As thou hast promised, draw us
unto thee:**

**10 Set up thy throne, that earth's
despair may cease
Beneath the shadow of its healing
peace:**

**11 For thy blest cross which doth for
all atone
Creation's praises rise before thy
throne:**

George William Kitchin (1827-1912)
and Michael Robert Newbolt (1874-1956)*
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Dated 7.04.19*

Notices

Diary of upcoming events: for details see notices below or notices in church

Day	Date	Time	Event	Place
Sun	7 April	11am	Annual Parish Meetings <i>No 8.30am service today</i>	<i>Church</i>
Thu	11 April	2pm	MU	<i>Church</i>
Sun	14 April	10am	Palm Sunday	<i>Church</i>

See separate leaflet for services for Holy Week and Easter

Our services on Tuesday (10am) and Wednesday (8pm) of Holy Week will continue the theme of our Lent course, using pictures from the National Gallery to reflect on the last days of Jesus' earthly life.

Next MU meeting, Thursday April 11th 2pm in church, making Easter Bonnets. If members could let me know if they are able to make it I will then know how many bonnets to buy.

May Market Sat 18th May

If you are planting, sowing or dividing flower or vegetables plants then please think of the May Market.

We need as many plants and varieties as possible this year - we don't want to run short. Thank you.

Our diocese's Lent appeal this year is to help those who are or have been subject to **modern day slavery**. See separate leaflet with more detail. Place your gift for the appeal in an envelope and **mark it clearly 'Lent Appeal'** and put it in the donation box or add to the collection during the service.

There will be no Sunday session of the Lent course today.

*If you are **ill or in hospital** please let us know if possible so that the church community can pray for you and we can be in touch. Contact Carl Berry or any member of the ministry team.*

*It is a great help if those who are able to contribute to the cost of running the church join the **planned giving** scheme, using weekly envelopes or by standing order from your bank eg monthly. Contact Christopher Beels for more information (christopherbeels@btinternet.com, 020 82046448). You can also give by card or paypal online from our website.*

These notices are uploaded each week to our website – so if you are away and would like to keep in touch look at www.holyinnocentskingsbury.org.uk Email any new notices or amendments to the parish administrator or put them in her in tray in the narthex by Wednesday evening for inclusion the following Sunday.

For your prayers

The Sick: Dorothy, Karina, Sarah, Marylin.

Others in need of prayer: Ann, Germaine, Phyllis.

Anniversary of death: Rowena Doonan; Sheila Dix; James Williams; Kenneth Belsham; Charles Keech; Cecil Patterson; Robert Dolton.

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Other parish office holders' contact details are now on a separate document available in the narthex, if you would like a copy contact the parish administrator.