

(Taking and breaking the bread) Among friends, gathered round a table, Jesus took bread, broke it and said, "This is my body; it is broken for you."

(Taking the cup of wine) And later, he took the cup of wine and said, "This is the new relationship with God, made possible because of my death. Take this - all of you - to remember me."

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us your peace

Look, here is the Lord coming to us in bread and wine. These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

(Communion is distributed)

The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

Not an easy peace, not an insignificant peace, not a half-hearted peace, but the peace of the Lord Jesus Christ is with us now let us share it with each other.

Concluding Prayer and Blessing

Lord Jesus Christ, you have put your life into our hands; now we put our lives into yours. Take us, renew and remake us. What we have been is past; what we shall be, through you, still awaits us. Lead us on. Take us with you. Amen

Closing Hymn - 70 Be Thou my Vision

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Working days this week Tues & Wed mornings,
all day Thursday

What's on in St Andrew's

Monday 7th February, Quiz Night, 7pm for 7:30
Quiz Master, George, entertainment Keith and Dorothy
Tuesday 8th 7pm Transformed Life – a study on the book of Ephesians

The cost of maintaining the chaplaincy of St. Andrew's is completely self-financed locally. If you would like to support the ministry of the Anglican Church in Puerto Pollensa bank details are below.

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Saint Andrew's*

11am, Iona Communion 6th February 2022

The Fourth Sunday before Lent

Led by Rev'd Bill Boyce

Next Sunday 13th February,

Holy Communion @ 11am Rev Bill Boyce

Welcome

Hymn 650 - The Lord is King

Opening Sentences

As if this were the only time, and this the only place, and we the only people, **Jesus Christ will meet us.**

As if this were the only time, and this the only place, and we the only people, **Let us worship God.**

Prayer

You found out what we were doing and you intervened. "Come and do it together, come and do it with me," you said. **So, thank you, Lord, for intervening in our private lives.**

You promised us nothing by way of success, recognition, possessions or reward. "These things will come at the right time when you walk with me," you said. **So, thank you, Lord, for promising us nothing.**

You gave us no resources apart from ourselves - hands meant for caring, lips meant for praising. Hearts meant for loving and the Holy Spirit to make us restless until we change. **So, thank you Lord, for the essential gifts.**

Then just when we think we've got it right as to where we should go and what we should do; just when we're ready to take on the world, you come, humbly to us, saying, "This is the way. I am the way." And offering us bread and wine. **So, thank you, lord, for coming again and keeping your word, and showing you care for us and for all people. Amen**

A reading from 1 Corinthians 15

Now I should remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you—unless you have come to believe in vain.

3 For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, 4and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, 5and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. 6Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters* at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died.* 7Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. 8Last of all, as to someone untimely born, he appeared also to me. 9For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. 10But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace towards me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them— though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. 11Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

This is the Word of the Lord- **Thanks be to God**

Hymn –411 Lord Jesus Christ

THE GOSPEL Hear the gospel of our Saviour Christ according to Luke. **Glory to you o Lord**

Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, 2he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. 3He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. 4When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, 'Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch.' 5Simon answered, 'Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets.' 6When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. 7So they signalled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. 8But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, 'Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!' 9For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; 10and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, 'Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people.' 11When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord - **Praise to you O Christ.**

Sermon

Hymn – 104 Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning

Celtic Creed

We believe in God above us, maker and sustainer of all life,of sun and moon, of water and earth, of male and female.

We believe in God beside us, Jesus Christ, the word made flesh,born of a woman, servant of the poor, tortured and nailed to a tree.

A man of sorrows, he died forsaken.

He descended into the earth to the place of death.On the third day he rose from the tomb.

He ascended into heaven, to be everywhere present,and His kingdom will come on earth.

We believe in God within us, the Holy Spirit of Pentecostal fire,life-giving breath of the Church, Spirit of healing and forgiveness,source of resurrection and of eternal life.Amen

Intercessions

Collect for the Fourth Sunday before Lent

O God,you know us to be set in the midst of so many and great dangers,that by reason of the frailty of our naturewe cannot always stand upright:

Grant to us such strength and protectionas may support us in all dangersand carry us through all temptations;through Jesus Christ our Lord.

The Lord's Prayer

Lord God, as we come to share the richness of your table, we cannot forget the rawness of the earth. We cannot take bread and forget those who are hungry. Your world is one world and we are stewards of its nourishment.

Lord, put our prosperity at the service of the poor.

We cannot take wine and forget those who are thirsty. The ground and the rootless, the earth and its weary people cry out for justice.

Lord, put our fullness at the service of the empty.

We cannot hear your words of peace and forget the world at war or, if not at war, then preparing for it.

Show us quickly, Lord, how to turn weapons into welcome signs, and the lust for power into a desire for peace.

We cannot celebrate the feast of your family and forget our divisions. We are one in spirit, but not in fact. History and hurt still dismember us.

Lord, heal your Church in every brokenness.

Confession

Before God, with the people of God, I confess to my brokenness:To the ways I wound my life, the lives of others and the life of the world

May God forgive you, Christ renew you, and the Spirit enable you to grow in love.Amen.

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