The Third Sunday after Epiphany Order of Service

Introit

Welcome and Introduction

Hymn

Wele'n sefyll rhwng y myrtwydd wrthrych teilwng o fy mryd; Er mai o ran, yr wy'n adnabod ei fod uwchlaw gwrthrychau'r byd: Henffych fore y caf ei weled fel y mae.

Rhosyn Saron yw ei enw, gwyn a gwridog, o'm holl fryd Ar ddeng mil y mae'n rhagori o wrthrychau penna'r byd: Ffrind pechadur, dyma ei beilat ar y môr.

Beth sy imi mwy a wnelwyf ag eilunod gwael y llawr? Tystio'r wyf nad yw eu cwmni i'w cystadlu â Iesu mawr: O! am aros yn ei gariad ddyddiau f'oes.

Penitence

From today's gospel reading: Jesus said, 'The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour

Let us confess our sins to Almighty God.

Lord God, we have sinned against you and done evil in your sight.

We are sorry and repent.

Have mercy on us according to your love.

Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from our sin.

Renew a right spirit within us and restore us to the joy of your salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Absolution.

The Collect for the third Sunday after Epiphany.

Old Testament Reading: from Nehemiah chapter 8 Read by Anthea.

New Testament Reading 1 Corinthians 12.12–31a.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus! Vast, unmeasured, boundless, free, rolling as a mighty ocean in its fullness over me.

Underneath me, all around me, is the current of thy love; leading onward, leading homeward, to thy glorious rest above.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus! Spread his praise from shore to shore; how he loveth, ever loveth, changeth never, nevermore; how he watches o'er his loved ones, died to call them all his own; how for them he intercedeth, watcheth o'er them from the throne.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus! Love of every love the best: 'tis an ocean vast of blessing, 'tis a haven sweet of rest.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus! 'Tis a heaven of heavens to me; and it lifts me up to glory, for it lifts me up to thee.

The Address

Songs:

You are my hiding place;
You always fill my heart
With songs of deliverance.
Whenever I am afraid,
I will trust in You, I will trust in You
Let the weak say I am strong
In the strength of the Lord.

Give thanks with a grateful heart; Give thanks to the Holy One; Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son.

And now let the weak say, "I am strong"
Let the poor say, "I am rich,
Because of what the Lord has done for us"

The Lord's Prayer

Ein Tad yr hwn wyt yn y nefoedd, sancteiddier dy enw,
Deled dy dernas, gwneler dy ewyllys,
megis yn y nef, felly ar y ddaear hefyd.
Dyro i ni heddiw ein bara beunyddiol, a maddau i ni ein dyledion,
fel y maddeuwn ninnau i'n dyledwyr.
Ac nac arwain ni i brofedigaeth; eithr gwared ni rhag drwg.
Canys eiddot ti yw'r deyrnas, a'r gallu a'r gogoniant, yn oes oesoedd.

Amen.

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name;
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today 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 the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,
Now and forever.

Amen.

Intercessions Led by Richard.

Hymn

When the music fades, all is stripped away and I simply come, longing just to bring something that's of worth, that will bless your heart

I'll bring You more than a song,
For a song in itself is not what You have required.
You search much deeper within through the way things appear
You're looking into my heart:
I'm coming back to the heart of worship
And it's all about You; it's all about You, Jesus.
I'm sorry, Lord, for the thing I've made it,
When it's all about You; it's all about You, Jesus.

King of endless worth, no one could express how much you deserve Though I'm weak and poor, all I have is yours, every single breath

Epiphany Blessing.