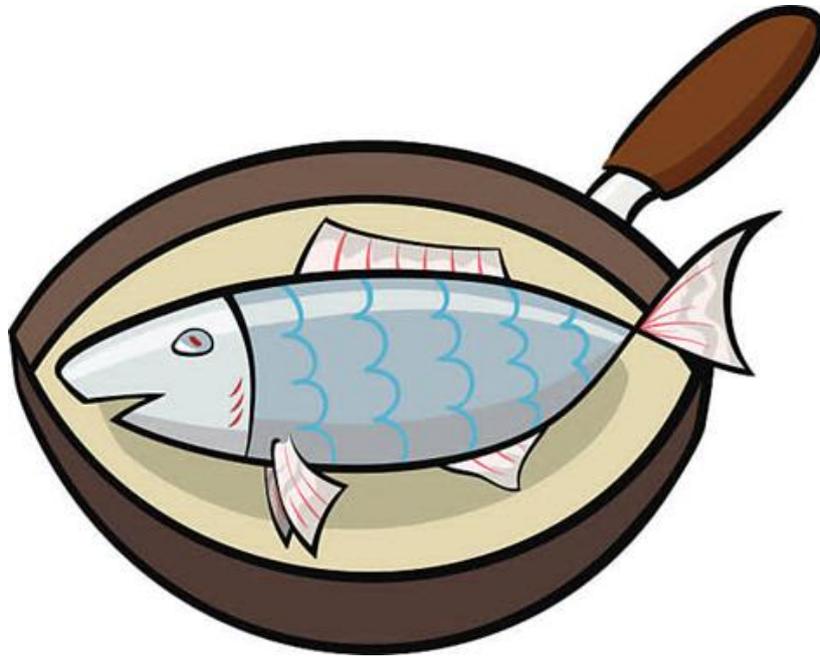


The Church at Carrs Lane

Sunday, 5th May 2019



***We are an inclusive and affirming Church.
You are welcome just as you are.***

Opening music: Prière à Notre-Dame
(from Suite Gothique) L. Boëllmann

Welcome & Notices

Call to Worship: Psalm 30 (808)

Hymn: 94 “To God be the glory”

Prayers of Adoration & Confession

Hymn: 425 “God of forgiveness, your people you freed”

New Testament: Revelation 5:11-14

Gospel: John 21:1-19

Sermon

Hymn: 348 “He is Lord, he is Lord”

Offering: Interlude X

Dom G. Murray

*An opportunity to give financially to the church
- there is no obligation to give, it is just as you decide or
are able.*

Anthem: ‘In my heart’

Lord, help me be a Christian in my heart.

Lord, help me be more loving in my heart.

Lord, help me be more prayerful in my heart.

Lord, help me be like Jesus in my heart.

(American Spiritual, alt., Arr. Alan Bullard)

Prayers of Intercession / Prayer Requests

The Lord’s Prayer

The Peace

We proclaim that Jesus Christ is the Prince of Peace;

So, may the peace of Jesus be with you:

And also with you.

Hymn: 588 “I come with joy, a child of God”

Responsive Reading: ‘A Song of Resurrection’ (796)

Introduction to Communion

*The bread is gluten-free and wine in small cups is non-
alcoholic. All are welcome.*

Communion: Prelude on 'Repton' R Pantcheff
 Nocturn (*from 6 Miniatures*) A Milner

Communion Scripture:

“For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, “This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.” In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.” For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes.”

(1 Corinthians 11:23-26 NRSV)

Prayer as the Body of Christ:

Loving God, as we receive this bread and wine let us be one with Jesus Christ, united as the Body of Christ, the community of your Kingdom on earth. Amen.

Responses:

We eat this bread as we recall Jesus’ words:

“I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.”

(John 6:35 NRSV)

We drink this wine as we recall Jesus’ words:

“I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing.”

(John 15:1 NRSV)

Prayer of the Heavenly Banquet:

**We thank you, gracious God,
that you have fed us in this sacrament,
united us with Jesus Christ,
giving us a taste of your Heavenly Banquet, here and
now. Amen.**

Hymn: 297 “Christ is alive! Let Christians sing”

Prayer of Blessing

Closing music: Allegro Festivo N Rawsthorne
(from 36 Miniatures)

There will be music as the service ends. You are welcome to listen or go through to the foyer for a cuppa. If you are visiting or it's your first time here, please introduce yourself to a steward.



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