



Saint Philip's IN THE HILLS

-Choral Evensong-

Information about tonight's music is in the handout.

We hope you will join your own silent prayers with those sung by the Choir. As you participate in the liturgy, know that it is customary to cross oneself at the moments indicated by ✠ and to bow at mention of the Holy Trinity (as indicated by italics). This is not required; you are encouraged to participate in whatever way is meaningful for you.

Please stand as the Ministers and Choir enter.

Preces (sung by Officiant and Choir, all standing)

V: O Lord, open thou our lips.

R: **And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.**

V: O God, make ✠ speed to save us.

R: **O Lord, make haste to help us.**

V: *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;*

R: **As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

V: Praise ye the Lord.

R: **The Lord's name be praised.**

Psalm(s) (sung by Choir, all seated - reference the handout)

The First Lesson (read by Lector, all seated - reference the handout)

Magnificat (sung by Choir, all standing) BCP 65

My ✠ soul doth magnify the Lord ...

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

The Second Lesson (read by Lector, all seated - reference the handout)

Nunc Dimittis (sung by Choir, all standing) BCP 66

Lord ✠ now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace ...

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Apostles' Creed (sung by all, standing)

I believe in God, **the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life ✠ everlasting. Amen.**

Responses (*sung by Officiant and Choir, all standing*)

V: The Lord be with you.

R: **And with thy spirit.**

V: Let us pray. (*all kneel as able*)

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ have mercy upon us

Lord have mercy upon us

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, ✠ but deliver us from evil. Amen.

V. O Lord, shew thy mercy upon us.

R. **And grant us thy salvation.**

V. O Lord, save the State.

R. **And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.**

V. Endue thy Ministers with righteousness.

R. **And make thy chosen people joyful.**

V. O Lord, save thy people.

R. **And bless thine inheritance.**

V. Give peace in our time, O Lord.

R. **Because there is none other that fighteth for us, but only thou, O God.**

V. O God, make clean our hearts within us.

R. **And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.**

The Collects (*sung by Officiant and Choir, all remain kneeling as able*)

The Anthem (*sung by Choir, all seated - reference the handout*)

The Prayer for the Clergy and People (*said by Officiant, all kneeling as able*)

...for the honour of our Advocate and Mediator, Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

The Prayer of St. Chrysostom (*said by Officiant, all kneeling as able*)

...and in the world to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

The Grace (*said by Officiant, all kneeling as able*)

The grace ✠ of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all, evermore. **Amen.**

Closing Hymn (*sung by all, standing - reference the handout*)



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