

**A warm welcome to St Thomas, Watchfield**  
*for*  
**Harvest Songs of Praise**



**Opening hymn:**

**Welcome and opening prayer**

**Hymn:**

**Harvest Collect**

Eternal God,  
you crown the year with your goodness  
and you give us the fruits of the earth in  
their season:  
grant that we may use them to your glory,  
for the relief of those in need and for our  
own well-being;  
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.**

**Bible Reading:**

**Hymn:**

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**Prayers**

*The response to Lord of the Harvest is in  
your mercy hear us*

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father, who 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 those who trespass against  
us.  
And lead us not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and  
the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen**

**Reading:**

**Hymn:**

**Blessing and dismissal**

*After the service. there will be a short,  
said, service of Holy Communion for  
those who wish to remain*

## Holy Communion

### The affirmation of faith

Do you believe and trust in God the Father,  
source of all being and life the one for  
whom we exist?

**We believe and trust in him**

Do you believe and trust in God the Son,  
who took our human nature died for us and  
rose again?

**We believe and trust in him**

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy  
Spirit who gives life to the people of God  
and makes Christ known in the world?

**We believe and trust in him**

This is the faith of the Church  
**This is our faith. We believe and trust in  
one God Father, Son and Holy Spirit  
Amen.**

### The Liturgy of the Sacrament

#### The Peace

The Peace of the Lord be always with you  
**and also with you.**

#### Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord be with you  
**and also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give thanks and praise.**

Father, we give you thanks and praise  
through your beloved Son Jesus Christ,  
your living Word ... *the priest continues*  
... for ever praising you and *saying*:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and  
might, heaven and earth are full of your  
glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is  
he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

Lord, you are holy indeed ... in  
remembrance of me.

**Christ has died: Christ is risen:  
Christ will come again.**

And so, .... all honour and glory be yours,  
almighty Father, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

#### Breaking of the Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of  
Christ.

**Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread.**

#### Agnus Dei

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

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the world, have mercy on us.**

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

#### Giving of Communion

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away  
the sin of the world. blessed are those who  
are called to his supper.

**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,  
but only say the word, and I shall be  
healed.**

#### Post Communion Prayer

**Almighty God, we thank you for feeding  
us with the body and blood of your Son  
Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you  
our souls and bodies to be a living  
sacrifice. Send us out in the power of  
your Spirit to live and work to your  
praise and glory. Amen.**

#### The Blessing and Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
**In the name of Christ. Amen.**