

HOOGLANDSE KERK, 11 June 2023

FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

CHORAL EVENSONG

sung by **The Leidse Cantorij** conducted by Hans Brons

Organ: Willeke Smits

Preacher: ds. Harold Schorren



PRELUDE: Processional, Chorale – William Mathias (1934 – 1992)

INTROIT: Call to remembrance – Richard Farrant (1525 – 1580)

RESPONSES: Richard Shephard (1949 – 2021)

READINGS: Jesaja 30:15-18; Lucas 15:1-10

CANTICLES: Evening Service in D – George Dyson (1883 – 1964)

ANTHEM 1: Let the people praise thee – William Mathias

ANTHEM 2: How dazzling fair – Charles Wood (1866-1926)

VOLUNTARY: Toccata Giocosa – William Mathias

Introit

Call to remembrance, O Lord, thy tender mercies and thy loving kindness, which hath been ever of old. O remember not the sins and offences of my youth: but according to thy mercy think Thou on me, O Lord, for Thy goodness.

Hymn – CP 200 (St Matthew) – choir: verse 1



1. Affirm anew the threefold name
of Father, Spirit, Son,
our God whose saving acts proclaim
a world's salvation won.
In him alone we live and move
and breath and being find,
the wayward children of his love
who cares for humankind.

2. Declare in all the earth his grace,
to every heart his call,
the living Lord of time and place
whose love embraces all.
So shall his endless praise be sung,
his teaching truly heard,
and every culture, every tongue,
receive his timeless word.

4. Renew once more the ancient fire,
let love our hearts inflame;
renew, restore, unite, inspire
the church that bears your name;
one name exalted over all,
one Father, Spirit, Son,
O grant us grace to heed your call
and in that name be one.

Psalm 99 – *Dominus regnavit* – chant by Edgar Frederick Day (1891-1983)

The Lord is King, be the people never so unpatient : he sitteth between the cherubims, be the earth never so unquiet.

The Lord is great in Sion : and high above all people.

They shall give thanks unto thy Name : which is great, wonderful, and holy.

The King's power loveth judgement; thou hast prepared equity: thou hast executed judgement and righteousness in Jacob.

O magnify the Lord our God : and fall down before his footstool, for he is holy.

Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel among such as call upon his Name : these called upon the Lord, and he heard them.

He spake unto them out of the cloudy pillar : for they kept his testimonies, and the law that he gave them.

Thou heardest them, O Lord our God : thou forgavest them, O God, and punishedst their own inventions.

O magnify the Lord our God, and worship him upon his holy hill : for the Lord our God is holy.

All stand

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.

All sit

Hymn – *NEH 150* (t: *Latin, 8th century or earlier*) – choir: *verse 1 + 3*



1. O blest Creator of the light,
Who makest day with radiance bright,
And o'er the forming world didst call
The light from chaos first of all.

2. Whose wisdom joined in meet array
The morn and eve, and named them Day:
Night comes with all its darkling fears;
Regard Thy people's prayers and tears.

3. Lest, sunk in sin and whelmed with strife,
They lose the gift of endless life;
While thinking but the thoughts of time,
They weave them chains of guilt and crime.

4. But grant them grace that they may strain
The heavenly gate and prize to gain:
Each harmful lure aside to cast,
And purge away each error past.

5. O Father, that we ask be done,
Through Jesus Christ, thine only Son;
Who with the Spirit and with thee
Doth live and reign eternally. Amen.

Anthem – *Psalm 67 adapted*

Let the people praise thee, O God : yea, let all the people praise thee.
O let the nations rejoice and be glad : for thou shalt judge the folk righteously, and govern the nations upon earth.
Let the people praise thee, O God : yea, let all the people praise thee.
Then shall the earth bring forth her increase : and God, even our own God, shall give us his blessing.
God shall bless us : and all the ends of the world shall fear him.
God be merciful unto us, and bless us : and shew us the light of his countenance, and be merciful unto us.
That thy way may be known upon earth : thy saving health among all nations.
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.

Anthem – *t: George Ratcliffe Woodward (1848-1934), after Johann Scheffler (1624-77)*

1. How dazzling fair art thou, my Life, my Light!
How comely is thy countenance, how bright!
Sun uncreate, how keen is the enjoyment
That Saints and Angels find in thine employment!
In view thereof sing I, by day and night,
How dazzling fair art thou, my Life my Light!

2. My soul, O Lord, is sore athirst for thee:
My heart doth yearn thy seemly face to see:
Dim is my sight; but one ray of thy kindness
Should quickly skill to cure mine eyes of blindness:
Mean while my song and my complaint shall be,
“My soul, O Lord, is sore a thirst for thee.”

3. When shall I come to hear that Angel song?
Nay, swell the chorus of the heav'nly throng?
Then join the noble company of Sages,
Who chaunt thee Lauds through everlasting ages?
Now ev'ry day me thinks and all day long,
“When shall I come to hear that Angel song?” Amen.

Hymn – NEH 146 (Nicaea) – choir verse 1



Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

Holy, holy, holy! All saints adore thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and Seraphim falling down before thee,
Which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
Though the sinful human eye thy glory may not see,
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
Perfect in power, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy Name, in earth, and sky, and sea;
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

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