

Opening sentence

Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord
has risen upon you. *Isaiah 60 v 1*

Song of Praise

Blessed are you sovereign God, King of the nations
To you be praise and glory forever.

From the rising of the sun to its setting
Your name is proclaimed in all the world

As the Sun of righteousness dawns in our hearts

Anoint our lips with the seal of your Spirit

That we may witness to your gospel

And sing your praise in all the world,

Father, Son and Holy Spirit:

Blessed be God forever.

God in Christ has revealed his glory:

O come let us worship.

Hymn: To God be the glory great things He has done

Prayers of Penitence

The grace of God has dawned upon the world
through our Saviour Jesus Christ,
who sacrificed himself for us to purify a people as his own.
Let us confess our sins. *c.f. Titus 2 v 11 -14*

Confession

**Almighty God, have mercy on us,
Forgive us all our sins and deliver us from all evil,
Confirm and strengthen us in all goodness,
And bring us to everlasting life,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

Declaration of Forgiveness

Almighty God,
who forgives all who truly repent,
have mercy upon you,
pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,
and keep you in life eternal;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Opening Prayer

The night has passed, and the day lies open before us;
so let us pray with one heart and mind.

Silence is kept

As we rejoice in the gift of this new day,
so may the light of your presence, O God,
set our hearts on fire for you; now and for ever.

Amen

Collect for Second Sunday in Epiphany

Almighty God,
in Christ you made allthings new:
transform the poverty of our nature
by the riches of your grace,
and in the renewal of our lives
make known your heavenly glory;
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

Song: Meekness and majesty

First Bible Reading: John 2 v 1 - 11

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Hymn: Immortal invisible

Second Bible Reading: 1 Corinthians 12 v 1 - 11

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Talk

Listen to the hymn: Great your faithfulness

Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

Our Father in heaven,

Hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,

Your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours
now and forever.**

Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

Lord in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

Merciful Father

Accept these prayers

For the sake of your son,

Our saviour, Jesus Christ

Amen

Hymn: Love Divine, all loves excelling

Closing prayer

Christ the Son of God perfect in you the image of his glory
and gladden your hearts

with the good news of his kingdom;

and the blessing of God Almighty,

Father, Son and Holy Spirit,

Rest upon you now and always.

Amen.