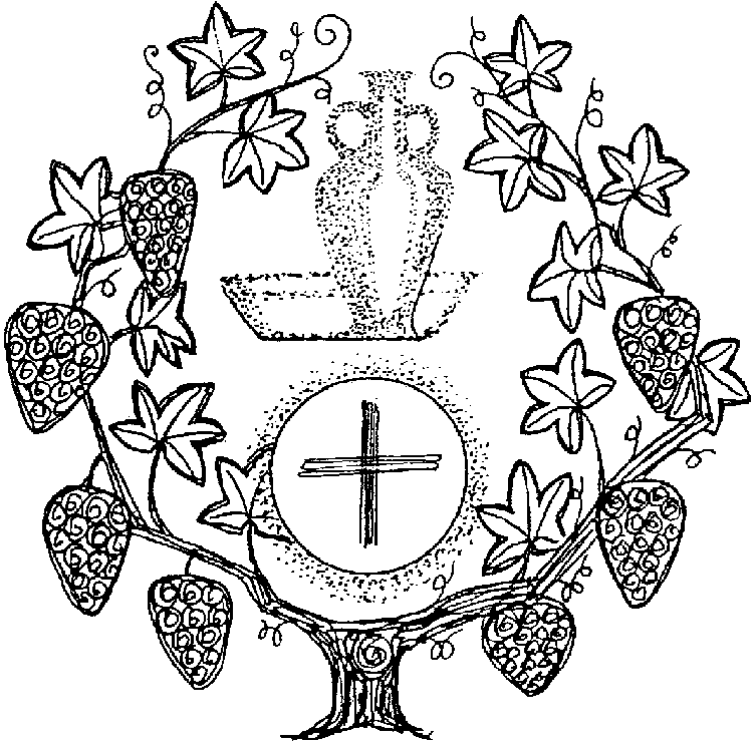


# Sung Eucharist



**Sunday 1 August, 10.30am**  
**The Ninth Sunday after Trinity**  
**President: Canon David Holgate**  
**Preacher: The Rev'd Steve Hilton**

Communion Service  
*John Merbecke*

## **Welcome to Manchester Cathedral for this celebration of Holy Communion**

Welcome to the Cathedral and Collegiate Church of St Mary, St Denys and St George in the heart of the City of Manchester. The building is the old mediaeval Parish Church of Manchester. King Henry V first granted it Collegiate status in 1421 and it became Manchester's Cathedral on the creation of the Diocese of Manchester in 1847. It is believed that there has been a church on or near this site for over a thousand years.

### **Trinity**

From the Monday after the Day of Pentecost the Church returns to 'Ordinary Time', except for the Sunday after Pentecost when we celebrate Trinity Sunday. This is the great festival of the Godhead, revealed as three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

We pray that you will be blessed through participation in our worship.

### **Celebrating 600 years**

2021 is a special year for Manchester Cathedral as it marks the 600th anniversary of the granting of our first Royal charter establishing a collegiate church. Even in these uncertain times, an exciting programme of events for the whole family is planned and we hope to be able to share more details in due course.

### **Safeguarding**

Manchester Cathedral works hard to create safe environments where children and young people are protected and where all people, especially those who may be vulnerable for any reason, are able to worship and pursue their faith journey with encouragement and in safety. We follow the policies and procedures detailed within the Cathedral Safeguarding Handbook. We act promptly on any complaints made, and work in partnership with Manchester Diocese, the police and social care services whenever appropriate to do so. Details of our policy and how to voice a concern can be found on a dedicated page of our website and on the noticeboard at the south porch.

### **Live streaming**

Please note that most acts of worship in Manchester Cathedral are now live streamed. Although cameras are focused on those leading worship, please be aware that your image may be inadvertently captured and streamed. If you would like further information on the position of the camera at a particular act of worship, please ask Cathedral Staff upon arrival.

## **Visiting Manchester Cathedral from 19 July 2021**

For your personal safety, the Dean and Chapter strongly encourage you to continue to wear face masks and use the hand sanitisers provided when visiting the Cathedral.



### **Hearing-loop**

The Cathedral has a hearing-loop.  
Please set your hearing aid to setting T.

### **Have you turned off your mobile phone?**

Please make sure that you have turned off your mobile phone and any other electronic equipment that might interrupt the service.

### **Photography**

Please do not use cameras, photo-imaging devices or recording equipment during the service.

### **Welcome to the Cathedral**

We offer a very warm welcome to any who are visiting us today. If you would normally receive communion in your own church you are very welcome to do so here. If you do not receive communion please feel free to come up for a blessing instead. Just bow your head when you come up so the Eucharistic Minister will know.

### **Gluten Free Wafer**

If you require a gluten free communion wafer please indicate this by pointing to the Altar table as you come up to receive.

### **Today's Service**

#### **President**

Canon David Holgate

#### **Preacher**

The Rev'd Steve Hilton

#### **Musician**

The organ is played by Geoffrey Woollatt,  
Sub-Organist

### **Music before the service**

Sursum Corda

*John Ireland (1879-1962)*

# The Gathering

*The President welcomes the congregation*

*Please stand*

## Hymn

sung by all

Jesu, the very thought of thee  
With sweetness fills my breast;  
But sweeter far thy face to see,  
And in thy presence rest.

Nor voice can sing, nor heart can frame,  
Nor can the memory find,  
A sweeter sound than thy blest name,  
O Saviour of mankind!

O hope of every contrite heart,  
O joy of all the meek,  
To those who fall, how kind thou art!  
How good to those who seek!

But what to those who find? Ah, this  
Nor tongue nor pen can show;  
The love of Jesus, what it is  
None but his loved ones know.

Jesu, our only joy be thou,  
As thou our prize wilt be;  
Jesus, be thou our glory now,  
And through eternity.

*St Botolph NEH 385*  
*Gordon Slater (1896-1979)*

*Latin c 12<sup>th</sup> century*  
*tr Edward Caswall (1814-78)*

## The Greeting

President In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit  
All **Amen.**

President Grace, mercy and peace  
from God our Father  
and the Lord Jesus Christ  
be with you.

All **and also with you.**

## Prayer of Preparation

All            **Almighty God,**  
                 to whom all hearts are open,  
                 all desires known,  
                 and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
                 cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
                 by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
                 that we may perfectly love you,  
                 and worthily magnify your holy name;  
                 through Christ our Lord.  
                 **Amen.**

## Prayers of Penitence

Deacon        God so loved the world  
                 that he gave his only Son Jesus Christ  
                 to save us from our sins,  
                 to be our advocate in heaven,  
                 and to bring us to eternal life.

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith,  
firmly resolved to keep God's commandments  
and to live in love and peace with all.

*Silence is kept*

All            **Most merciful God,**  
                 **Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,**  
                 we confess that we have sinned  
                 in thought, word and deed.  
                 **We have not loved you with our whole heart.**  
                 **We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.**  
                 **In your mercy**  
                 **forgive what we have been,**  
                 **help us to amend what we are,**  
                 **and direct what we shall be;**  
                 **that we may do justly,**  
                 **love mercy,**  
                 **and walk humbly with you, our God.**  
                 **Amen.**

President 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.

All **Amen.**

### Gloria in excelsis

*Cantor* *All*

(Glo-ry be to God on high;) and in earth peace, good-will to-wards men.


4 We praise thee, we bless thee, we wor-ship thee, we glo - ri - fy thee,


8 we give thanks to thee for thy great glo - ry, O Lord God, hea-ven - ly King,


10 God the Fa-ther al-migh-ty. O Lord the on - ly be-got-ten Son, Je - sus Christ:


14 O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa-ther, that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world,

18 have mer-cy up-on us. Thou that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world, re-ceive our prayer.

21  

 Thou that sit-test at the right hand of God the Fa - ther, have mer-cy up-on us.

23  

 For thou on - ly art ho - ly; thou on - ly art the Lord;

25  

 thou on - ly, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,

26  

 art Most High in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

## The Collect

President Almighty God,  
 who sent your Holy Spirit  
 to be the life and light of your Church:  
 open our hearts to the riches of your grace,  
 that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit  
 in love and joy and peace;  
 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.

All **Amen.**

*Please sit*

# The Liturgy of the Word

## Reading

Ephesians 4. 1-16

### A reading from Ephesians

I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift. Therefore it is said,

“When he ascended on high he made captivity itself a captive;  
he gave gifts to his people.”

(When it says, “He ascended,” what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower parts of the earth? He who descended is the same one who ascended far above all the heavens, so that he might fill all things.) The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ. We must no longer be children, tossed to and fro and blown about by every wind of doctrine, by people's trickery, by their craftiness in deceitful scheming. But speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by every ligament with which it is equipped, as each part is working properly, promotes the body's growth in building itself up in love.

*At the end of the reading*

This is the word of the Lord.

All

**Thanks be to God.**



## Psalm 78. 23-29

So he commanded the clouds above  
and opened the doors of heaven.

All **He rained down upon them manna to eat  
and gave them the grain of heaven.**

So mortals ate the bread of angels;  
he sent them food in plenty.

All **He caused the east wind to blow in the heavens  
and led out the south wind by his might.**

He rained flesh upon them as thick as dust  
and winged fowl like the sand of the sea.

All **He let it fall in the midst of their camp  
and round about their tents.**

So they ate and were well filled,  
for he gave them what they desired.

*Please stand*

## Gospel Reading

All Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.  
**Glory to you O Lord.**

John 6. 24-35

So when the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus.

When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you come here?" Jesus answered them, "Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal." Then they said to him, "What must we do to perform the works of God?" Jesus answered them, "This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent." So they said to him, "What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'"

Then Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.” They said to him, “Sir, give us this bread always.”

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

*At the end of the reading*

All                    This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you O Christ.**

*Please sit*

**Sermon**

The Rev'd Steve Hilton

*After the sermon silence is kept for reflection.*

*Please stand*

**The Creed**

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is,  
seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit  
and the Virgin Mary  
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son  
is worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic  
and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism  
for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come.**

**Amen.**

*Please sit*

### **Prayers of Intercession**

Minister     Lord in your mercy:  
All            **hear our prayer.**

*At the end*

Minister     Merciful Father,  
All            **accept these prayers  
for the sake of your Son,  
our Saviour Jesus Christ.  
Amen.**

# The Liturgy of the Sacrament

## The Peace

*Please stand*

President Blessed are the peacemakers:  
they shall be called children of God.  
We meet in the name of Christ and share his peace.  
The peace of the triune God be always with you

All **And also with you.**

Deacon Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

## Hymn

sung by all



Bread of the world in mercy broken,  
Wine of the soul in mercy shed,  
By whom the words of life were spoken,  
And in whose death our sins are dead:  
Look on the heart by sorrow broken,  
Look on the tears by sinners shed,  
And be thy feast to us the token--  
That by thy grace our souls are fed!

*Rendez à Dieu* NEH 277

Reginald Heber (1783-1826)

*Psalm 118 in the Genevan Psalter 1543*

*Adapted or composed by Louis Bourgeois (c 1510-61)*

*Harmony by Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)*

*based on the Scottish version of 1664*

## Preparation of the Table and Taking of the Bread and Wine

President Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power,  
the glory, the splendour, and the majesty;  
for everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

All **All things come from you,  
and of your own do we give you.**

## The Eucharistic Prayer

President The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

President Lift up your hearts.

All **We lift them to the Lord.**

President Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

President It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation,  
always and everywhere to give you thanks,  
holy Father, almighty and eternal God.  
From sunrise to sunset this day is holy,  
for Christ has risen from the tomb  
and scattered the darkness of death  
with light that will not fade.  
This day the risen Lord walks with your gathered people,  
unfolds for us your word,  
and makes himself known in the breaking of the bread.

And though the night will overtake this day  
you summon us to live in endless light,  
the never-ceasing sabbath of the Lord.  
And so, with choirs of angels  
and with all the heavenly host,  
we proclaim your glory  
and join their unending song of praise:

*Organ*

3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of hosts,  
 5 hea-ven and earth are full of thy glo-ry. Glo-ry be to Thee, O Lord most high.  
 Bles-sed is he that co-meth in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

President Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness;  
 grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit,  
 and according to your holy will,  
 these gifts of bread and wine  
 may be to us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ;  
 who, in the same night that he was betrayed,  
 took bread and gave you thanks;  
 he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
 Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;  
 do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper  
 he took the cup and gave you thanks;  
 he gave it to them, saying:  
 Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant,  
 which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.  
 Do this, as often as you drink it,  
 in remembrance of me.

Deacon Jesus Christ is Lord:  
 All **Lord, by your cross and resurrection  
 you have set us free.  
 You are the Saviour of the world.**

And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross,  
his perfect sacrifice made once for the sins of the whole world;  
rejoicing in his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension,  
and looking for his coming in glory,  
we celebrate this memorial of our redemption.  
As we offer you this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving,  
we bring before you this bread and this cup  
and we thank you for counting us worthy  
to stand in your presence and serve you.

Send the Holy Spirit on your people  
and gather into one in your kingdom  
all who share this one bread and one cup,  
so that we, in the company of The Blessed Virgin Mary,  
St Denys, St George and all the saints,  
may praise and glorify you for ever,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord;  
by whom, and with whom, and in whom,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father,  
for ever and ever.

All **Amen.**

*Please sit*

### **The Lord's Prayer**

President As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

All **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 for ever. Amen.**

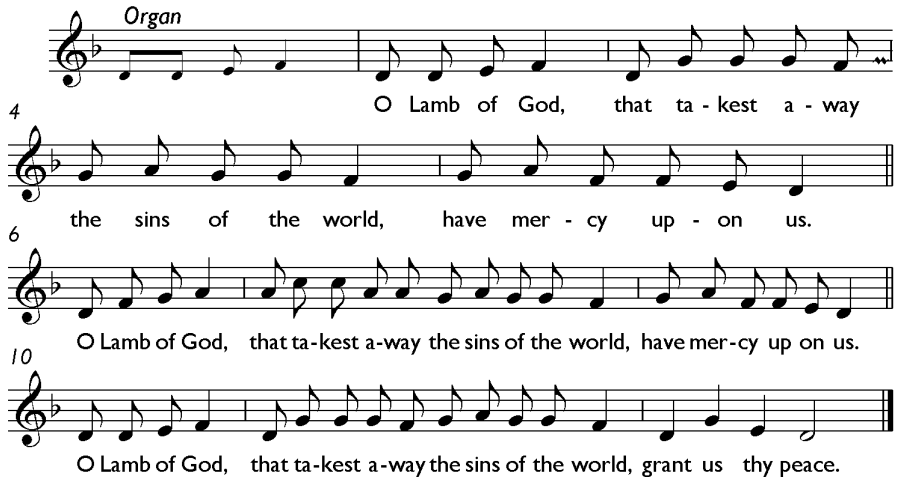
## The Breaking of the Bread

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

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

## Agnus Dei

*Organ*



4 O Lamb of God, that ta - kest a - way  
6 the sins of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.  
10 O Lamb of God, that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up on us.  
O Lamb of God, that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

## The Giving of Communion

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

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

## Prayer for Spiritual Holy Communion

I believe that you, O Jesus, are in the most holy Sacrament. I love you and desire you. Come into my heart. I embrace you. Never leave me. May the burning and most sweet power of your love, O Lord Jesus Christ I beseech you, absorb my mind that I may die through love of your love, who were graciously pleased to die through love of my love.

*Prayer of St Francis*



*The President receives communion and then says:*

All           The body of Christ  
**Amen.**

All           The blood of Christ  
**Amen.**

**Please bring your offering with you and place it in the collection tray as you come up for communion.**

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**Thank you for your kindness and generosity.**

President    Holy Father,  
who gathered us here around the table of your Son  
to share this meal with the whole household of God:  
in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace,  
gather people of every race and language  
to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All           **Amen.**

All           **Father of all, we give you thanks and praise,  
that when we were still far off  
you met us in your Son and brought us home.  
Dying and living, he declared your love,  
gave us grace, and opened the gate of glory.  
May we who share Christ's body live his risen life;  
we who drink his cup bring life to others;  
we whom the Spirit lights give light to the world.  
Keep us firm in the hope you have set before us,  
so we and all your children shall be free,  
and the whole earth live to praise your name;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## Hymn

sung by all

Rock of ages, cleft for me,  
Let me hide myself in thee;  
Let the water and the blood,  
From thy riven side which flowed,  
Be of sin the double cure,  
Cleanse me from its guilt and power.

Not the labours of my hands  
Can fulfil thy law's demands;  
Could my zeal no respite know,  
Could my tears for ever flow,  
All for sin could not atone;  
Thou must save, and thou alone.

Nothing in my hand I bring,  
Simply to thy cross I cling;  
Naked, come to thee for dress;  
Helpless, look to thee for grace;  
Foul, I to the fountain fly;  
Wash me, Saviour, or I die.

While I draw this fleeting breath,  
When mine eyes are closed in death,  
When I soar through tracts unknown,  
See thee on thy judgement throne;  
Rock of ages, cleft for me,  
Let me hide myself in thee.

*Petra* NEH 445

*Richard Redhead (1820-1901)*

*using the shape of a Spanish Tantum ergo*

*Augustus Toplady (1740-78) †*

## **The Dismissal**

### **The Blessing**

President    God the Holy Trinity make you strong in faith and love,  
                  defend you on every side,  
                  and guide you in truth and peace;  
                  and the blessing of God almighty,  
                  the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,  
                  be among you and remain with you always.

All            **Amen.**

Deacon      Go in the peace of Christ.

All            **Thanks be to God.**

### **Music after the service**

Alla Marcia

*John Ireland*

***Please leave the building promptly, taking your order of service  
with you. Thank you.***

**Weekly Notices**  
**1 August 2021**  
**Upcoming Special Events and Services**

**Sunday 1 August - The Ninth Sunday after Trinity**

4.30pm Evening Prayer

**Monday 2 August**

9am Morning Prayer

4.30pm Evening Prayer

**Tuesday 3 August**

9am Morning Prayer

1.10pm Holy Eucharist - not live-streamed

4.30pm Evening Prayer

**Wednesday 4 August**

9am Morning Prayer

1.10pm Holy Eucharist - not live-streamed

4.30pm Evening Prayer

**Thursday 5 August**

9am Morning Prayer

1.10pm Holy Eucharist - not live-streamed

4.30pm Evening Prayer

**Friday 6 August**

9am Morning Prayer

4.30pm Evening Prayer

**Saturday 7 August**

9am Morning Prayer

4.30pm Evening Prayer

**Sunday 8 August - The Tenth Sunday after Trinity**

10.30am The Eucharist

4.30pm Evening Prayer



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# JOGLE

I'm doing the ride for several different charities close to my heart, including **The Manchester Cathedral Choir**. The ride itself will come to around 950 miles in total and will be spread 17 days with 3 rest days at various points.

**START** Wed 28th July  
Friday 13th August **FINISH**

Five days in Scotland starting at John O'Groat's and taking in Dornoch, Aviemore, Pitlochry, Edinburgh and Dumfries along the way.

I reach Shap in England by the end of day 6 with further stops at Chorley, Market Drayton, Tewkesbury, Weston-Super-Mare, Tiverton, Okehampton, Truro and finally Land's End.

On average I'll be doing around 65-70 miles a day. En route I'll be camping and will have my family and friends as my support team.

Please support me by giving whatever you can to my charities.

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/graham-robinson-71>

Thanks in advance  
Graham





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