



# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD, RITE II

## 10:30A

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The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

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## The Word of God

Prelude

### Entrance Rite

#### ENTRANCE OF THE MINISTERS

HYMN 470 'There's a wideness in God's mercy'

1 There's a wide-ness in God's mer-cy like the wide-ness of the sea;  
2 There is no place where earth's sor-rows are more felt than up in heaven;  
3 For the love of God is broad-er than the mea-sure of the mind;

there's a kind-ness in his jus-tice, which is more than lib-er-ty.  
there is no place where earth's fail-ings have such kind-ly judg-ment given.  
and the heart of the E-ter-nal is most won-der-ful-ly kind.

There is wel-come for the sin-ner, and more gra-ces for the good;  
There is plen-ti-ful re-demp-tion in the blood that has been shed;  
If our love were but more faith-ful, we should take him at his word;

there is mer-cy with the Sa-vior; there is heal-ing in his blood.  
there is joy for all the mem-bers in the sor-rows of the Head.  
and our life would be thanks-giv-ing for the good-ness of the Lord.

#### OPENING ACCLAMATION & COLLECT FOR PURITY

(P.355)

*Officiant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
*People* And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.  
Amen.

*Officiant* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: 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.

*People* Amen.

1. Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and  
 peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly King, al -  
 might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we  
 praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus Christ,  
 on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you  
 take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;  
 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -  
 ceive our prayer. 6. For  
 you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,  
 7. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the  
 Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of  
 God the Fa - ther. A - men.

## SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

(P.357)

*Officiant* The Lord be with you.*People* And also with you.*Officiant* Let us pray.

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

*People* Amen.

## The Lessons

LESSON   Jonah 3:1-5, 10

*Lector*   The word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time, saying, "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you." So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth.

When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

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The Word of the Lord.

*All*   Thanks be to God.

PSALM 62:6-14

*Cantor*   6 For God alone my soul in silence waits; \*  
              truly, my hope is in him.  
              7 He alone is my rock and my salvation, \*  
              my stronghold, so that I shall not be shaken.  
              8 In God is my safety and my honor; \*  
              God is my strong rock and my refuge.  
              9 Put your trust in him always, O people, \*  
              pour out your hearts before him, for God is our refuge.  
              10 Those of high degree are but a fleeting breath, \*  
              even those of low estate cannot be trusted.  
              11 On the scales they are lighter than a breath, \*  
              all of them together.  
              12 Put no trust in extortion;  
              in robbery take no empty pride; \*  
              though wealth increase, set not your heart upon it.  
              13 God has spoken once, twice have I heard it, \*  
              that power belongs to God.  
              14 Steadfast love is yours, O Lord, \*  
              for you repay everyone according to his deeds.

*Unison or harmony*

1 Je - sus calls us; o'er the tu - mult  
 2 as, of old, Saint An - drew heard it  
 3 Je - sus calls us from the wor - ship  
 4 In our joys and in our sor - rows,  
 5 Je - sus calls us! By thy mer - cies,

1 of our life's wild, rest - less sea, day by day his  
 2 by the Gal - i - le - an lake, turned from home and  
 3 of the vain world's gold - en store; from each i - dol  
 4 days of toil and hours of ease, still he calls, in  
 5 Sa - vior, make us hear thy call, give our hearts to

1 clear voice sound - eth, say - ing, "Chris - tian, fol - low me;"  
 2 toil and kin - dred, leav - ing all for his dear sake.  
 3 that would keep us, say - ing, "Chris - tian, love me more."  
 4 cares and plea - sures, "Chris - tian, love me more than these."  
 5 thine o - be - dience, serve and love thee best of all.

## THE GOSPEL Mark I:14-20

*Gospeller* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

*Gospeller* After John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news."

As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." And immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

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The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

**The Sermon** The Rev. Channing Smith, *Rector*

## The Nicene Creed

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*Officiant* We believe in one God,  
*All* 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:  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from 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.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He 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.

## The Prayers of the People

*Intercessor* Let us pray to God, who is made manifest in Jesus Christ.

¶ *After each petition:*

*People* Hear our prayer.

¶ *The Officiant adds a concluding Collect*

*Officiant* Lord Jesus, light of the world, hear our prayers, and make us reflections of your light,  
that the places of darkness in our world and in our lives would be pierced by your light,  
and that we and all people would be drawn to you and share in your presence.

*People* Amen.

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### We pray for those...

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#### In need of comfort

Jane  
Bart  
Claudia Highbaugh  
Angela  
Ruth  
Tom Toler  
Frank  
Jill  
Ric Trahan  
Charles McGaffey  
Jane Ryan  
Ann Bahan  
Martha Sheppard  
June Rector  
Nancy McAllister  
Elizabeth  
Will  
Ann  
Peter Fuller  
Ernie Dean  
Ann Whiting  
Ann Reysa  
Susan Novak  
Pat Jones  
Sam Perry  
Mollie Shands  
Tom  
Paul  
William  
Felicia Retiz  
Julie Harrington  
Will  
Charlotte Brady  
Melissa  
Marjorie  
Coleman Horton  
Leonard  
Anne  
Harriet Rutland  
Michael  
Taylor  
Netherton family  
Shands family  
Thurk family  
Koons family  
Edwards family  
Holman family  
Gelpi family

## Confession of Sin

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*Officiant* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

☞ *Silence may be kept*

*People* Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

*Officiant* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins  
through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all  
goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in  
eternal life.

*People* Amen.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN 660 'O Master let me walk with thee'

1 O Mas - ter, let me walk with thee in low - ly  
2 Help me the slow of heart to move by some clear,  
3 Teach me thy pa - tience; still with thee in clos - er,  
4 in hope that sends a shin - ing ray far down the

paths of ser - vice free; tell me thy se - cret;  
win - ning word of love; teach me the way - ward  
dear - er com - pa - ny, in work that keeps faith  
fu - ture's broad - ening way, in peace that on - ly

help me bear the strain of toil, the fret of care.  
feet to stay, and guide them in the home - ward way.  
sweet and strong, in trust that tri - umphs o - ver wrong,  
thou canst give, with thee, O Mas - ter, let me live.

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### Expecting the birth of a child

Courtney Moreland Lippe  
Jessica Sherrets  
Caroline Lomax  
Allison Sjoberg Leatherman  
Sarah Brayne  
Blair Nelson  
Courtney Schlegel  
Allyson Jones Clayton  
Kristen Dillavou  
Kathryn Richter  
Meagan Hunter

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### Births

Charles Cromwell Crowley  
Hooper James Duck  
Jack Edward Naumann  
Ford Emerson Aguiar

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### Deaths

H. W. (Bill) Netherton, Jr.  
Paul Thurk  
Jean Carter Koons

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### Serving in the armed forces

Staton Jobe  
Shay Archer  
Connor Downing  
Alexandra Mauro  
Michael Hart  
Nico Barrangan  
Joseph Turner  
Davis Brown  
Brandon Sharp  
Katy Whitbeck  
Clayton Baker  
Jim Lively  
Andrew Gray  
Claten Bechtol  
Zachary Pierce

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### The altar flowers

are given to the glory of God  
and in memory of Sandy  
Converse by her husband  
and family.

*Officiant* And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

*All* 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, and the power, and the glory  
for ever and ever. Amen.

## The Dismissal

### BLESSING

¶ *The Officiant blesses the people*

*People* Amen.

### DISMISSAL

¶ *The Officiant dismisses the people*

*People* Thanks be to God.

**“Walk in love as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.”**

EPHESIANS 5:2

Amid the ongoing pandemic, the Church's mission to embody the love of Christ continues.

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Thank you for your support.

## Postlude