



THE LITURGY OF THE WORD, RITE II 10:30 A

The First Sunday in Lent

FEBRUARY 21, 2021

The Liturgy of the Word, Rite II

The Word of God

Prelude

Entrance Rite

ENTRANCE OF THE MINISTERS

HYMN 149 'Eternal Lord of love'



Eternal Lord of love, behold your Church walking once more the pilgrim way of Lent, led by your cloud by day, by night your fire, moved by your love and toward your presence bent: far off yet here; the goal of all desire.

So daily dying to the way of self, so daily living to your way of love, we walk the road, Lord Jesus, that you trod, knowing ourselves baptized into your death: so we are dead and live with you in God.

If dead in you, so in you we arise, you the first-born of all the faithful dead; and as through stony ground the green shoots break, glorious in springtime dress of leaf and flower, so in the Father's glory shall we wake.

A Penitential Order

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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Officiant Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People His mercy endures for ever.

THE SUMMARY OF THE LAW

Officiant Jesus said, "The first commandment is this: Hear, O Israel: The Lord your God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these."

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

¶ Silence may be kept

All 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,

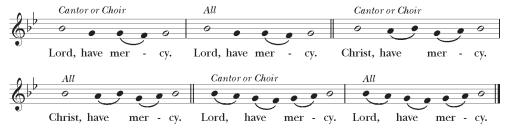
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

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.

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SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

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Officiant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Officiant Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose blessed Son was led by the Spirit to be tempted by Satan: Come quickly to help us who are assaulted by many temptations; and, as you know the weaknesses of each of us, let each one find you mighty to save; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People Amen.

The Lessons 10:30 am [3]

LESSON Genesis 9:8-17

Lector God said to Noah and to his sons with him, "As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you, and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark. I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth." God said, "This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth." God said to Noah, "This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth."

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 25:1-9

Lector I To you, OLORD, I lift up my soul;

my God, I put my trust in you; *

let me not be humiliated,

nor let my enemies triumph over me.

- 2 Let none who look to you be put to shame; * let the treacherous be disappointed in their schemes.
- 3 Show me your ways, O LORD,*

and teach me your paths.

4 Lead me in your truth and teach me,*

for you are the God of my salvation;

in you have I trusted all the day long.

5 Remember, O LORD, your compassion and love, *

for they are from everlasting.

6 Remember not the sins of my youth and my transgressions; *

remember me according to your love

and for the sake of your goodness, O LORD.

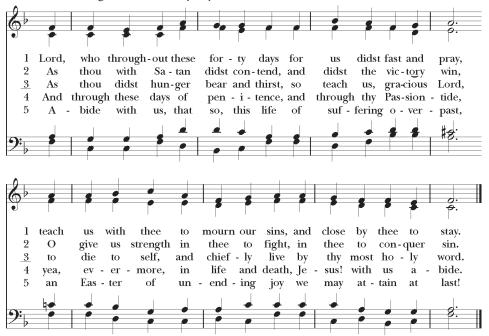
7 Gracious and upright is the LORD;*

therefore he teaches sinners in his way.

8 He guides the humble in doing right *

and teaches his way to the lowly.

9 All the paths of the LORD are love and faithfulness* to those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.



THE GOSPEL Mark 1:9-15

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospeller In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

> And the Spirit immediately drove him out into the wilderness. He was in the wilderness forty days, tempted by Satan; and he was with the wild beasts; and the angels waited on him.

> Now 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." NRSV

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Channing Smith, *Rector*

We pray for those...

In need of comfort

Elizabeth Lowman George Sharon Elizabeth Judy Sargent Paul White Kathleen Girard Jean Matthers Mark Schlesinger Kathy Beth Jim Prentice Claudia Highbaugh Ric Trahan Charles McGaffey Ann Bahan Martha Sheppard June Rector Nancy McAllister Will Ann Peter Fuller Ernie Dean Ann Whiting Susan Novak Pat Jones Sam Perry Mollie Shands Tom Paul William Julie Harrington Charlotte Brady Melissa Marjorie Coleman Horton Leonard Anne Harriet Rutland Michael Taylor Cavander family Lowman family Umstattd family Avila family Terhune family

McVean family Buchanan family Cole family Dodson family Shands family

The Nicene Creed (P.358) 10:30 am [5]

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 In peace, let us pray to the Lord, saying, Lord, have mercy.

¶ After each of the following petitions:

People Lord, have mercy.

¶ The Officiant adds a concluding Collect

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Expecting the birth of a child

Sarah Brayne Blair Nelson Courtney Schlegel Allyson Jones Clayton Kristen Dillavou Kathryn Richter Meagan Hunter Sara Oswalt Amy Rogers

Births

Eliza Grace Goehring Hayden James Higgins

Deaths

Stuart Cavander Jeanne "Scooter" Umstattd Arcelia Avila

Serving in the armed forces

Caleb Hayen
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

THE LORD'S PRAYER (P.364) 10:30 am [6]

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.

HYMN 147 'Now let us all with one accord'



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

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Thank you for your support.