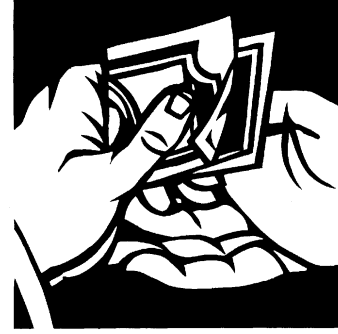




PRAYER



FASTING



ALMSGIVING

Full Text Bulletin for the Sundays in Lent

The Holy Eucharist Rite II (*Book of Common Prayer*, BCP, p. 355 ff.)
with resources from *Enriching our Worship I*— found in the *Worship Folder*)

Welcome to worship at St. John’s!!! The entire text for the service, as well as the service music, is contained in this packet. Hymns may be found in the blue *Hymnal 1982* or in the *Worship Folder*. Please ask an usher if you have any questions. After the service, please leave this *Full Text Bulletin* in the church entrance for reuse. You may take the *Short Bulletin & Announcements* with you or leave it by the church door for recycling. **Thank you!**

Restrooms may be found in the parish hall; from the main church, you may enter the parish hall through the hallway near the eagle lectern.

* Opening Hymn:

For the first Three Sundays in Lent, we will sing S-237 – “Kyrie Pantokrator.”

The Choir will sing the verses.

The Congregation will join in singing the *Antiphon* at the beginning, after the Fourth (4th), Ninth (9th), Eleventh (11th) & final (14th) verses.

Antiphon Text:

**“Your merciful promise is beyond all measure;
it surpasses all that our minds can fathom.”**

Otherwise, please see shorter bulletin or hymn boards for hymn number, which may be found in the blue Hymnal 1982 or the Worship Folder.

* Please stand, if you are able.

Presider: Blessed be the God of our salvation:

People: **Who bears our burdens and forgives our sins. Amen.**

Presider: Let us confess our sins to God.

(Worship Folder, p. 9)

Silence. The people kneel or stand.

Presider & People:

God of all mercy,

**we confess that we have sinned against you,
opposing your will in our lives.**

**We have denied your goodness in each other,
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.**

**We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
the evil we have done,
and the evil done on our behalf.**

**Forgive, restore, and strengthen us
through our Savior Jesus Christ,
that we may abide in your love
and serve only your will. Amen.**

Absolution – Presider & People Together:

ALMIGHTY God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through the grace of
Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit
keep us in eternal life.

* S-89 *Lord Have Mercy, Christ Have Mercy*

Unison or harmony

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

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THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

The Presider prays the Collect.

The weekly Collect may be found in the Book of Common Prayer, pp. 218-219.

Please be seated for the First Reading, which may be found in the the Pew Bibles.

1st Reader: A Reading from . . .

At the end of the First Reading:

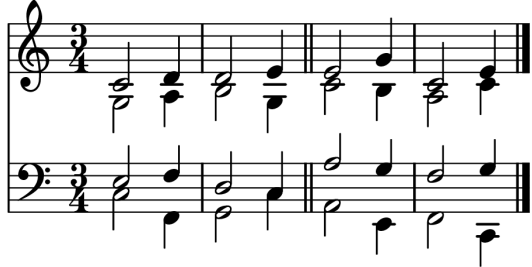
1st Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*** The Psalm.**

The Psalm text may be found in the red Book of Common Prayer. The Choir will lead the Congregation in singing the Antiphon at the beginning & the end of the Psalm every week. The verses of the Psalms will be chanted to the following Simplified Anglican Chant tone:

S415 Jerome Webster Meachen (b. 1930)



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Antiphon Text:
“The Lord is my light and my salvation.”

Please be seated for the Second Reading, which may be found in the Pew Bibles.

Worship Leader: A Reading from . . .

At the end of the Second Reading:

Worship Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*** Gospel Hymn** *Please see the shorter bulletin or hymn boards for hymn number, which may be found in the blue Hymnal 1982 or the Worship Folder.*

Presider: The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ, according to . . .

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

At the end of the Gospel Reading,

Presider: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON

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**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:
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.

* PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE.

Form I (BCP, p. 383)

*At the End of each Petition, the Prayer Leader will say, "Let us pray to the Lord saying. . ." The
Congregation will respond by Singing:*

**O Lord Hear my Prayer. O Lord Hear my Prayer.
When I Call, Answer me.
O Lord Hear my Prayer. O Lord Hear my Prayer.
Come and Listen to me. (from Psalm 102)**

* THE PEACE

Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People: **And also with you.**

Please exchange a sign of Christ's peace with your neighbors.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

* S-117 Holy, Holy, Holy *Sanctus*

Unison or harmony

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and
 earth are full of thy glo - ry. Glo-ry be to thee, O Lord Most High.
 Bless - ed is he that com - eth in the name of the
 Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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HOLY and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said,

“TAKE, EAT: THIS IS MY BODY, WHICH IS GIVEN FOR YOU.

DO THIS FOR THE REMEMBRANCE OF ME.”

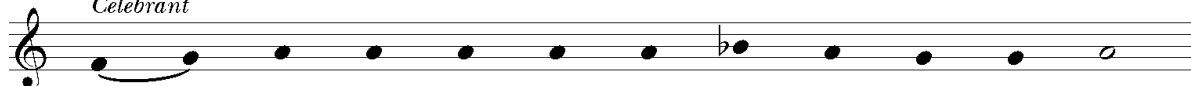
After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said,

“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.

WHENEVER YOU DRINK IT, DO THIS FOR THE REMEMBRANCE OF ME.”

Celebrant



There - fore we pro - claim the mys - ter - y of faith:

Celebrant and People



Christ has died. Christ is ris - en. Christ will come a - gain.

Music: Ambrosian chant; adapt. Mason Martens (1933–1991)

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We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom. All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,

Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed
be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our
dai - ly bread. And for - give us our tres - pas - ses,
as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead
us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us
from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,
and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

The Lord's Prayer (Traditional)

Music: Plainsong; adapt. Charles Winfred Douglas (1867–1944)

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

FRACTION ANTHEM

Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;
There-fore let us keep the feast.

This setting may be sung full by all, or by the choir, or as a versicle and response.

Music: Ambrosian chant; adapt. Mason Martens (1933–1991)

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Presider:

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

COMMUNION

*If you are able, please come to the altar rail to receive communion. If you are unable to come to the front, but would like to receive communion, please let an usher know and communion will be brought to you. All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion. If you are not baptized and feel called to receive communion, please do so. We can talk about baptism later. **Everyone is invited to come forward to receive either communion or a blessing.** Healing Prayer is offered near the Pulpit after communion has been distributed.*

Communion Anthem and/or Hymn - Please see the shorter bulletin or hymn boards for hymn number, which may be found in the blue Hymnal 1982 or the Worship Folder.

Presider: Let us pray.

Presider and People:

(Worship Folder, p. 23, B)

**Loving God, we give you thanks
for restoring us in your image
and nourishing us with spiritual food
in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood.
Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed;
that we may proclaim your love to the world
and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

The Bishop when present, or the Priest, gives the blessing.

* Final Hymn Please see the shorter bulletin or hymn boards for hymn number, which may be found in the blue Hymnal 1982 or the Worship Folder.

Presider: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

Scheduled Office Hours: The office is generally staffed on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday mornings from 9:00 a.m. – 12 noon. . Please call the office at 314-772-3970 or call Pastor Teresa directly at 314-503-7415 to schedule an appointment.

- Pastor Teresa's day off is MONDAY.

Childcare is available for infants and young children. All children are welcome to stay with parents or guardians during the entire service. **Restrooms** are in the Parish Hall – enter the hallway adjacent to the Eagle lectern. **Handicapped access** is available from the rear of the Parish Hall. Please ask an usher for assistance. *Thank you for worshipping the Lord at St. John's!*