



# THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT A CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

MARCH 20, 2022

## CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

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## AN ORDER FOR HOLY COMMUNION

PRELUDE Michael McCrae

OPENING SONG Slane, Irish ballad melody

Be thou my vision

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart All else be nought to me, save that thou art Thou my best thought, by day or by night Waking or sleeping, thy presence my light

Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord Thou my great Father; thine own may I be Thou in my dwelling, and I one with thee

High King of heaven, when victory is won May I reach heaven's joys, bright heaven's sun! Heart of my heart, whatever befall Still be my vision, O Ruler of all

#### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- We are so glad you have joined us this evening and we hope you make yourself comfortable and enjoy an ancient service of worship in a casual context.
- The offering you submit this evening will represent the first fruits of your life and labor dedicated to God. It will be used for the work of God's kingdom at the corner of 9<sup>th</sup> and Broadway and beyond.
- We are celebrating the service of the Holy Eucharist, An Order for Holy Communion, which begins on (*BCP*, *p 355*).

## THE WORD OF GOD

## **OPENING ACCLAMATION**

*Leader* † Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People His mercy endures for ever.

#### SONG OF PRAISE AnonymousTo you all hearts are open



We come

to

God.

#### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Leader The Lord be with you. People And also with you.

Leader Let us pray.

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**.

#### THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON - Exodus 3:1-15

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Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian; he led his flock beyond the wilderness, and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. There the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire out of a bush; he looked, and the bush was blazing, yet it was not consumed. Then Moses said, "I must turn aside and look at this great sight, and see why the bush is not burned up." When the Lord saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, "Moses, Moses!" And he said, "Here I am." Then he said, "Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground." He said further, "I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob." And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God.

Then the Lord said, "I have observed the misery of my people who are in Egypt; I have heard their cry on account of their taskmasters. Indeed, I know their sufferings, and I have come down to deliver them from the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land to a good and broad land, a land flowing with milk and honey, to the country of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites. The cry of the Israelites has now come to me; I have also seen how the Egyptians oppress them. So come, I will send you to Pharaoh to bring my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt." But Moses said to God, "Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and bring the

Israelites out of Egypt?" He said, "I will be with you; and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain."

But Moses said to God, "If I come to the Israelites and say to them, 'The God of your ancestors has sent me to you,' and they ask me, 'What is his name?' what shall I say to them?" God said to Moses, "I am who I am." He said further, "Thus you shall say to the Israelites, 'I am has sent me to you." God also said to Moses, "Thus you shall say to the Israelites, 'The Lord, the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you:'

This is my name forever, and this my title for all generations."

Reader The Word of the Lord.People Thanks be to God.

#### PSALM 63:1-8

- O God, you are my God; eagerly I seek you; \*
  my soul thirsts for you, my flesh faints for you,
  as in a barren and dry land where there is no water.
- 2 Therefore I have gazed upon you in your holy place, \* that I might behold your power and your glory.
- 3 For your loving-kindness is better than life itself; \* my lips shall give you praise.
- 4 So will I bless you as long as I live \* and lift up my hands in your Name.
- 5 My soul is content, as with marrow and fatness, \* and my mouth praises you with joyful lips,
- 6 When I remember you upon my bed, \* and meditate on you in the night watches.
- 7 For you have been my helper, \* and under the shadow of your wings I will rejoice.
- 8 My soul clings to you; \* your right hand holds me fast.

GOSPEL HYMN Roy Hicks, Jr.

Praise the name of Jesus

Praise the name of Jesus, praise the name of Jesus He's my Rock, he's my Fortress, he's my Deliverer, in him will I trust Praise the name of Jesus.

#### THE GOSPEL LESSON - Luke 13:1-9 †††

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke. †††
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

At that very time there were some present who told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. He asked them, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did. Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam fell on them—do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish just as they did."

Then he told this parable: "A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. So he said to the gardener, 'See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?' He replied, 'Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig around it and put manure on it. If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down."

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON – The Reverend Richard K. Wineland *A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.* 

#### **CONFESSION OF FAITH**

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.

## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM III

The Leader and People pray responsively

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest;

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

Leader

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

## Leader and People

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Worship Leader concludes with an absolution

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. **Amen**.

#### THE PEACE

Leader The peace of the Lord be always with you. La paz del Senor!

People And also with you.

#### THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please join us here at Christ Church Cathedral for **BreakingBread@6** every Sunday evening. You are also invited to join our private Facebook group.

If you are new to the BreakingBread@6 community and would like to be on our weekly email update, sign up by texting your email address to Fr. Richard Wineland at 615.491.5204.

**NEXT SUNDAY – BreakingBread@6 JAZZ MASS** Sunday evening **March 27**, with the Ted Wilson Quartet. Join us and invite a friend!

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Michael McCrae



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## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (BCP, p. 361 A)

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLift up your hearts.

People We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again.

Land of Rest (Trad. American folk tune)

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Celebrant and People

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Then the Celebrant continues

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.

At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it or lay a hand upon it; and at the words concerning the cup, to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other vessel containing wine to be consecrated.

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." Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

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, has taught us, we are bold to say

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 BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Taize Community

Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's holy name Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me into life

## THE INVITATION

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

## THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Leader Let us pray.

People Lord, make us instruments of your peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. Grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

(attributed to Francis of Assissi)

THE BLESSING

#### THE DISMISSAL

*Leader* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

CLOSING SONG

Michael McCrae

## The Tennessee Historical Marker for Christ Church Cathedral, Nashville, Tennessee

reads as follows:

Organized in 1829, Christ Church was Nashville's first Episcopal parish. The present Victorian Gothic church, designed by Francis Hatch Kimball of New York, opened for services on December 16, 1894; the tower, by local architect Russell E. Hart, was added in 1947. Designated the Cathedral for the Episcopal Diocese of Tennessee at the 1995 Diocesan Convention.

## **Easter Music and Flowers**

Deadline Monday, April 4, 2022

If you would like to give a gift for flowers in the Chancel or music to celebrate Easter in memory of, or in thanksgiving for family or friends, you may do so in two ways.

- 1. www.christcathedral.org/easter-flowers-and-music
- 2. Give by check mailed to the Cathedral in an envelope marked **Easter Flowers** or **Easter Music** with a note: "in memory of" or "in thanksgiving for" with your loved one's name.

The deadline for inclusion in the Easter Orders of Worship is Monday, April 4.

## WORSHIP LEADER AND PREACHER

The Reverend Richard K. Wineland, Coordinator and Pastor of Breaking Bread@6

## MUSICIAN Michael McCrae

## TECHNICAL DIRECTOR

Roger Rhoads

## **CATHEDRAL VESTRY**

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