

St. Augustine's Church

A Church Family in the Heart of the City



April 23, 2023, 10:00 AM

Third Sunday of Easter The Holy Eucharist

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Prelude

Processional Hymn: #220 Christ is Risen, Christ is Risen

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Dr. Gillian Breckenridge

Children's Focus

The Gathering of the Community

Celebrant The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,

and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Almighty God,

People to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you 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.

Glory to God

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant Let us pray. (all kneeling)

O God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread. Open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in his redeeming work, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for eyer. Amen

The Proclamation of the Word

At the conclusion of each reading, the reader shall say: The Word of the Lord.

And the people shall respond: Thanks be to God.

First Reading Acts 2:14a, 36-41 (p. 771) Jacky Hall Buckland

Second Reading 1 Peter 1:17-23 (p. 857) Sara Gateman

Gradual Hymn: #73 One Bread, One Body, One Lord of All

The Gospel: Luke 24:13-35 (p. 749) Tim Pope

Reader The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

People Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Reader The Gospel of Christ.

People Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon The Rev. Dr. Gillian Breckenridge

Anthem Give it to the Water by Stormzy

Temi Soboyejo - solo

The Apostles' Creed

ΑII

Celebrant Let us confess the faith of our baptism as we say,

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Prayers of the People (all kneeling)

Keith Griffioen

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: We pray for the Church of the Province of Uganda.

<u>Diocesan Cycle of Prayer</u>: In Our Diocese we pray for St. Andrew, Gleichen, and The Rev. Brad Everett and Missional Coaches.

In the Companion Diocese of the Windward Islands we pray for St. Mary, Bequia with Holy Cross, Paget Farm, Mustique; St. Michael, Canouan; and St. Matthias, Union Island and The Ven. J. Everton Weekes and The Rev. Frank Garraway.

<u>Parish Cycle of Prayer:</u> We pray for those involved in service and Mission and Outreach: Primate's World Relief and Development Fund (PWRDF) Coordinator, Parish Hamper Coordinator, Ecumenical Campus Ministries (ECM) and Stephen ministers.

Confession and Absolution

Celebrant

Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Silence is kept. The celebrant and the people say together,

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 neighbours 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.

Celebrant

Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People Amen.

The Peace

All stand, and one of the ministers addresses the people:

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you

Offertory Hymn #57 Thou, Who at Thy First Eucharist (tune 540)

The Celebration of the Eucharist

(all standing)

Prayer over the Gifts

The Rev. Dr. Gillian Breckenridge

All

Creator of all, you wash away our sins in water, you give us new birth by the Spirit, and redeem us in the blood of Christ. As we celebrate the resurrection, renew your gift of life within us. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord. Amen

Eucharistic Prayer 3

Celebrant The Lord be with you.People And also with you.Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; we give you thanks and praise for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true paschal lamb who has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us eternal life. Therefore, joining our voices with the whole company of heaven, we sing our joyful hymn of praise to proclaim the glory of your name.

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.

Celebrant

We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted. 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, Father, according to his command, we remember his death, we proclaim his resurrection, we await his coming in glory;

Celebrant

Αll

and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and for ever. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer (all kneeling)

Celebrant

And now, as our Saviour Christ 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, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Lord, we died with you on the cross.

All Now we are raised to new life.

Celebrant We were buried in your tomb.

All Now we share in your resurrection.

Celebrant Live in us, that we may live in you.

The Communion

All baptized Christians are invited to receive the Eucharist.
All people (baptized or not) are invited to come forward for a blessing.
If you require a gluten free wafer, please inform the person administering the bread.

Celebrant The gifts of God for the people of God.

All Thanks be to God.

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Let us pray. (all kneeling)

All Author of life divine, in the breaking of bread we know the risen Lord. Feed

us always in these mysteries, that we may show your glory to all the world.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

(all standing)

Celebrant Glory to God

All whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we ask or

imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in

Christ Jesus, forever and ever. Amen.

Blessing

Recessional Hymn: #384 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (vs. 1, 2, 3, 6)

Dismissal

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Postlude

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TO THE GLORY OF GOD

In loving memory of all mothers and grandmothers, Marguerite Armstrong, Dorothy Kobe, Florence Kobe, and Barbara Jean Kobe.

By Wilf and Deborah Jean Kobe

SHARING IN MINISTRY TODAY

GOSPELLER: Tim Pope

INTERCESSOR: Keith Griffioen

LAY ASSISTANTS: Brenda Boeré, Allan Besplug, Sylvia Besplug, Michael Larsen, Gary

Moore, Jay Penner

LECTORS: Sara Gateman, Jacky Hall Buckland

MUSICIANS: Sara Gateman, Keith Griffioen, Temi Soboyejo, Meagan Thorlakson **SANCTUARY GUILD:** Allan and Vernice Herbig, Patricia Latimer, Lois Ledene, Joanne

Stroh

SERVER: Jayla Matchett

SIDESPEOPLE: Keith Griffioen, Bob Seaman **COUNT SUPERVISOR:** Jacky Hall Buckland

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Videography: Tim Fyfe, Orion Legg

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The Rev. Canon James Robinson

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