

St. Augustine's Church

A Church Family in the Heart of the City



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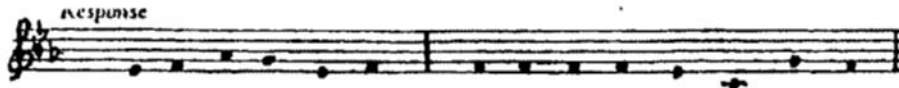
First Sunday in Lent
The Holy Eucharist
February 26, 2023

Prelude

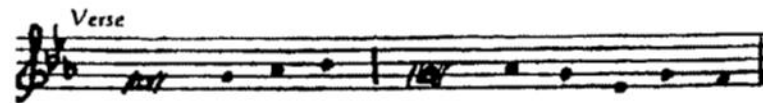
Mary Lee Voort

A Responary for Lent

Psalm 102:1,12,13



In-cline your ear to me; make haste to an-swer when I call.
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Lord, *hear* my prayer, * and let my cry come be-fore you.
Make haste to answer when I call.

Hide not your *face* from me * in the *day* of my trou-ble.
Make haste to answer when I call.

You, O Lord, en-*dure* for ever, * and your *name* from age to age.
Make haste to answer when I call.

You will arise and have com-*passion* on Zion, * for it is time to have *pi-ty* up-on her.
Make haste to answer when I call.

Glory to the Father and to the Son * and to the *Ho-ly* Spi-rit.
In-cline your ear to me; make haste to an-swer when I call.

Processional Hymn: #372 Praise to the Holiest in the Height

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Steve Bateman

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.

Kyrie

All

**Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.**

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant

Let us pray. *(all kneeling)*

All

Almighty God, whose Son fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are but did not sin, give us grace to discipline ourselves in submission to your Spirit, that as you know our weakness, so we may know your power to save; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. 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: Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7 (p. 2)

Sheila Matson

Second Reading: Romans 5:12-19 (p. 798)

Allan Besplug

Gradual Hymn: Jesus, All for Jesus

**Jesus, all for Jesus,
all I am and have and ever hope to be.
Jesus, all for Jesus,
all I am and have and ever hope to be.**

**All of my ambitions, hopes, and plans
I surrender these into Your hands.
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**Refrain: For it's only in Your will that I am free,
for it's only in Your will that I am free.
Jesus, all for Jesus
All I am and have and ever hope to be.**

The Gospel: Matthew 4:1-11 (p. 682)

René Boéré

Reader The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**
Reader The Gospel of Christ.
People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Sermon

The Rev. Steve Bateman

Anthem: On Eagle's Wings – arr. Douglas Wagner

The Apostles' Creed

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

The Prayers of the People (*all kneeling*)

Pamela Ukrainetz

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: We pray for The Scottish Episcopal Church.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: In our Diocese we pray for St. Barnabas, Three Hills, and The Rev. James Enns and St. Jon the Divine, Acme and The Rev. David Bull.

In Our Companion Diocese of the Windward Islands we pray for St. Matthew, Biabou with St. Sylvan, Stubbs and St. Mark, Greggs, on St. Vincent and The Rev. Deacon Kenwick Lewis.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: We pray for those who assist with worship ministries: Acolyte, Gospeller, Intercessor, Lay Assistants, Lectors, Liturgical Assistants, Sanctuary Guild, Servers, Sidespeople and Count Supervisors.

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 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. **Amen.**

The Peace (*all standing*)

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Offertory Hymn: #175 Forty Days and Forty Nights

The Celebration of the Eucharist

(remain standing)

Prayer Over the Gifts

The Rev. Steve Bateman

All **God our refuge and our strength, receive all we offer you this day, and through the death and resurrection of your Son transform us to his likeness. We ask this in his name. 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 through Jesus Christ our Lord, who was tempted in every way, 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. Therefore with angels and archangels and all who have served you in every age, we raise our voices 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,

All

**we remember his death,
we proclaim his resurrection,
we await his coming in glory;**

Celebrant

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

We break this bread,

All

Communion in Christ's body once broken.

Celebrant

Let your Church be the wheat which bears its fruit in dying.

All

If we have died with him, we shall live with him; if we hold firm, we shall reign with him.

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.

Prayer after Communion *(all kneeling)*

Celebrant

Let us pray.

All

Faithful God, in this holy bread you increase our faith and hope and love. Lead us in the path of Christ who is your Word of life. We ask this in his name. Amen

(all standing)

Celebrant

Glory to God,

All

whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.

Blessing

Recessional Hymn: #628 O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High (verses 1, 3, 4, 7)

Dismissal

Celebrant

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR TO THE GLORY OF GOD

In loving memory of the Kaupp family; Paul and Mary, Bernard, Andy, Pat, Muriel Brian, Mike, Dale and Tia. By Barb Kaupp.

SHARING IN MINISTRY TODAY

SANCTUARY GUILD: Annette Bright, Barb EG, Ruth Kereliuk, Jean Larsen, Peggy

McLaughlin, Joan Smith

GOSPELLER: René Boéré

INTERCESSOR: Pam Ukrainetz

LAY ASSISTANTS: Linda Bateman, David Hignell, Flora MacKay, Patricia Pope, Natalie VandenBerg, Denise Zonta

LECTORS: Allan Besplug, Sheila Matson

MUSICIANS: Sara Gateman, St. Augustine's Senior Choir

SERVERS: Jayla Matchett

SIDESPEOPLE: Chris Fyfe, Patti deGorter

COUNT SPVSR: Sherris Henley

TECHNICAL CREW:

Sound: Brad Gillespie, Drusilla Pearson

Video: Ted Kopciuch, Orion Legg

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Rector Emeritus
Rector Emeritus
Children & Family Ministries
Music Director
Interim Music Director
Organist
Administrative Assistant
Vergers
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