## FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT | THE HOLY EUCHARIST

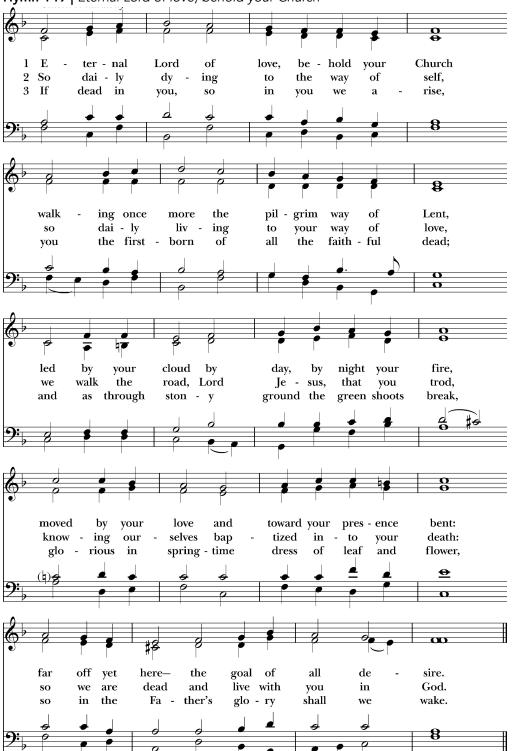
We wish to see Jesus glorified in his willingness to be lifted up on the cross to die for others and when he is lifted up to heaven.

# **About this Gathering**

Lent is a time of reorientation, return and renewal. It is a time to recommit to striving to be the people we want to be in response to God's self-giving love in Jesus the Christ. There is no "one-size-fits-all" Lenten discipline; however, as Christ-followers we are all called to reflect on our common need to renew our repentance and faith.

#### **Prelude**

Hymn 149 | Eternal Lord of love, behold your Church









#### **Penitential Order**

Blessed be the God of our salvation:

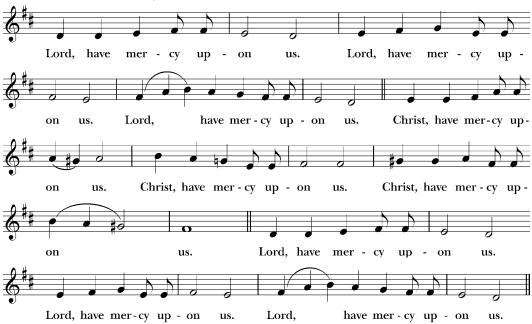
Who bears our burdens and forgives our sin

Since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need. Let us confess our sins to God.

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.

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. *Amen*.

# \$ 91 | Lord, have mercy upon us



# The Word of God Collect

God be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

Jeremiah 31:31-34 | Jeremiah proclaims hope for renewal and restoration for Israel in a new covenant written on the heart.

A Reading from the book of the prophet Jeremiah.

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the Lord. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer

shall they teach one another or say to each other, "Know the Lord," for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the Lord, for I will forgive their iniquity and remember their sin no more.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Churches.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 51:1-13 | The psalmist seeks not merely the removal of guilt, but the restoration of a right relationship with God.

Let us read Psalm 51 responsively.

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness; \*

in your great compassion blot out my offenses.

Wash me through and through from my wickedness, \*

and cleanse me from my sin.

For I know my transgressions, \*

and my sin is ever before me.

Against you only have I sinned \*

and done what is evil in your sight.

And so you are justified when you speak \*

and upright in your judgment.

Indeed, I have been wicked from my birth, \*

a sinner from my mother's womb.

For behold, you look for truth deep within me, \*

and will make me understand wisdom secretly.

Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure; \*

wash me, and I shall be clean indeed.

Make me hear of joy and gladness, \*

that the body you have broken may rejoice.

Hide your face from my sins, \*

and blot out all my iniquities.

Create in me a clean heart, O God, \*

and renew a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away from your presence, \*

and take not your holy Spirit from me.

Give me the joy of your saving help again \*

and sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.

**Hebrews 5:5-10** | The Letter to the Hebrews stresses that Christianity has fulfilled the promises of Judaism.

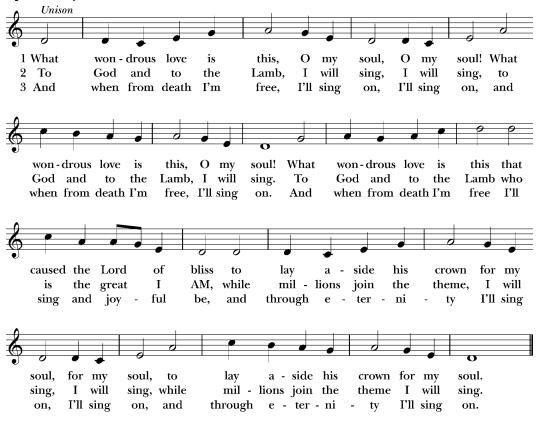
A Reading from the Letter to the Hebrews.

So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest but was appointed by the one who said to him "You are my Son; today I have begotten you"; as he says also in another place, "You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek." In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered, and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

Thanks be to God.

Hymn 439 | What wondrous love is this



**John 12:20-33** | Jesus teaches about his death that, like a seed that falls into the earth, will bear much fruit. The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to John.

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Now among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, "Sir, we wish to see Jesus." Philip went and told Andrew, then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain, but if it dies it bears much fruit. Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honor. "Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say: 'Father, save me from this hour'? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name." Then a voice came from heaven, "I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again." The crowd standing there heard it and said that it was thunder. Others said, "An angel has spoken to him." Jesus answered, "This voice has come for your sake, not for mine. Now is the judgment of this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself." He said this to indicate the kind of death he was to die.

The Gospel of our Savior.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

#### Sermon

**Creed** | Said responsively

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, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and 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 worshipped 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

We come before our loving and gracious God, asking that God's grace and love be kindled in our hearts and spoken on our lips.

Write your word on our hearts, O God;

That we may do your will as we praise your name. We pray for our spiritual leaders, that they may speak your truth and call your people into deeper discipleship.

Write your word on our hearts, O God;

That we may support the leadership of all nations in the pursuit of peace and justice for all people.

Write your word on our hearts, O God;

That with compassion we may respond to the needs of the world, neighbors near and far.

Write your word on our hearts, O God;

That we may speak comfort to those who suffer in any way and offer hope to those who grieve. We pray especially for (NAMES). Heal the sick in body, mind or spirit.

Write your word on our hearts, O God;

Receive those who have died into the arms of your abundant mercy, especially (NAMES) and grant us with them a share in your eternal glory. Comfort the loved ones who mourn their loss.

Write your word on our hearts, O God;

That we may live your truth in our lives as we confess your truth with our lips.

Write your word on our hearts, O God;

All this we ask, O God, in Jesus's name, the one who lived and moved among us in our broken world, and who loves us still.

Amen.

# **Peace**

The peace of Christ be always with you.

And also with you.

### HOLY COMMUNION | PLEASE SHARE COMMUNION WITH US

## Offering

An Invitation to Joy & Gratitude | See Ways to Give on Back Page OR In Person with Offering Basket

Hymn LEVAS 133 | I Surrender All



## The Great Thanksgiving

For these and all of God's gifts;

May God's holy name be praised.

God be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

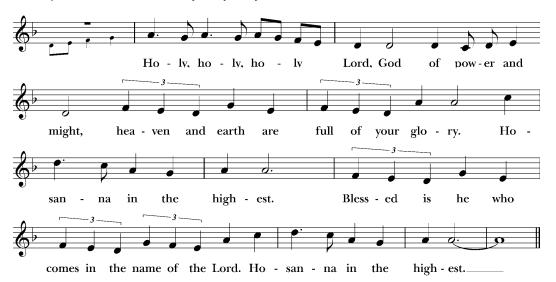
We lift them to God.

Let us give thanks to our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. Through Jesus Christ our Savior, 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. Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

# \$ 129 | Santo, santo, santo Holy, holy, holy



Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace. But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with Mary Magdalene and all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, forever and ever. **AMEN.** 

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray boldly in our chosen language and voice.

Please pray the Lord's Prayer boldly in the version and your language choice. The versions below are optional.

Our Father in heaven.

hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come,

your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power,

and the glory are yours,

now and forever. Amen.

**Breaking the Bread** 

Jesus, Lamb of God: have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins: have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer of the world: give us your peace.

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.

Do not let us fall into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

### **Prayer of Humble Access**

We do not presume to come to your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

## Communion

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Following Jesus' prophetic example to welcome everyone to His table, St. Mary's welcomes everyone to take communion with us.

## **Sending Prayer**

Let us pray together.

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.

# Solemn Prayer Over the People

We bow down before the Lord.

Look with compassion, O Lord, upon this your people; that, rightly observing this holy season, they may learn to know you more fully, and to serve you with a more perfect will; through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Hymn 474 | When I survey the wondrous cross



#### **Dismissal**

Go in peace and love in the name of Jesus Christ our Savior.

Amen. We go in the name of Christ.

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# LENT, HOLY WEEK & EASTER

**SUNDAY GATHERINGS | 10AM** 

THE SUNDAY OF THE PASSION: PALM SUNDAY | 10AM | Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>

GOOD FRIDAY | 10AM | Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>

EASTER DAY | 10AM | Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup>

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