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Sunday, March 20, 2022

The Third Sunday in Lent

10:00 a.m.



The Parable of the Barren Fig Tree / La Parabola de la Higuera - Credit: Google

### Weekly Services:

Sunday, 8:00 a.m.

Sunday, 10:00 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite I, spoken

Holy Eucharist Rite II with choir

Holy Eucharist Rite II, in Spanish

Sábado, 7:00 p.m.

Santa Eucaristía Rito II, en español

# **Opportunities for Children:**

Sunday, 10 a.m. Godly Play (ages 3 & potty trained – age 9) – Room B-1

# Saint Timothy's Mission Statement

SAINT TIMOTHY'S MISSION IS TO RESTORE ALL PEOPLE TO UNITY WITH GOD AND EACH OTHER IN CHRIST.

We appreciate your practice of COVID-Safe guidelines, including wearing a face mask that covers your nose and mouth while maintaining a safe distance from other unrelated worshippers while in the sanctuary. Masks are optional in other areas of the church. If meeting with church staff, please ask their preference regarding masking.

## **Information For Our First Time Guests**



All children are welcome to stay with parents in the Sanctuary during worship. For your convenience, there are two rocking chairs located at the back of the sanctuary to help soothe fussy children. Please feel free to use them when needed. If you prefer, the Toddler Room at the end of the hall to the right outside the Sanctuary also has rockers

and a few small toys you are welcome to use.



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If you do not wish to receive Holy Communion, we invite you to come forward for a blessing during Holy Communion. Place your arms across your chest to signify your desire for a blessing.

#### Staff

Regular church office hours are 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays.

Deb Angermann, Bookkeeper (x13)

<u>Julio Cuellar</u>, Spanish Service Music Director

Todd Grivetti, Organist/Choirmaster (x16)

Alecia Moroz, Parish Admin/Communications Director (x10)

Nora St. Arnold, Preschool Director (14)

## **Vestry**

Co-Sr. Warden – Betsy Bosworth (2025)

Co-Sr. Warden – Carolyn Hamm (2025)

Jr. Warden – Maria LaWalt (2025)

Tom Davis (2024)

David Dopsovic (2024)

Tatiana Martinez (2023)

Hugh Masters (Alt – 2023)

Kristie Rudolph (2025)

Ralph Tildon (2023)

Paige Williamson (2024)

## **Trustees**

Tom McLenigan

Keith Sinclair

Deke Smith

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Holy Eucharist: Rite II

Prelude

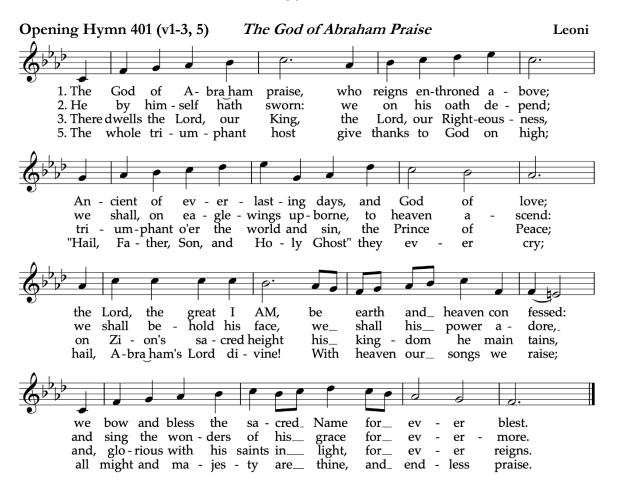
### Pastorale in F: III. Aria

J. S. Bach

Ellen Grace Burke, violin

The Word of God

At the tolling of the bell, all stand.



# The Opening Acclamation

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

# The Collect for Purity (BCP 355)

Celebrant: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: 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 WLP 837

# Kyrie eleison

Kevin R. Hackett

(Choir first, then congregation.)



# The Collect of the Day (BCP 357)

Celebrant: The Lord be with you. **People:** And also with you.

Celebrant: 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 Lessons

### A Reading from Exodus 3:1-15

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."

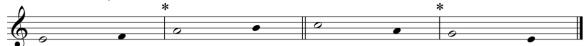
But Moses said to God, "If I come to the Israelites and say to them, 'The God of your ancestors has sent me to you,' and they ask me, 'What is his name?' what shall I say to them?" God said to Moses, "I am who I am." He said further, "Thus you shall say to the Israelites, 'I am has sent me to you." God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

Move to the next note of the chant on the <u>underlined</u> text.



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

## A Reading from 1 Corinthians 10:1-13

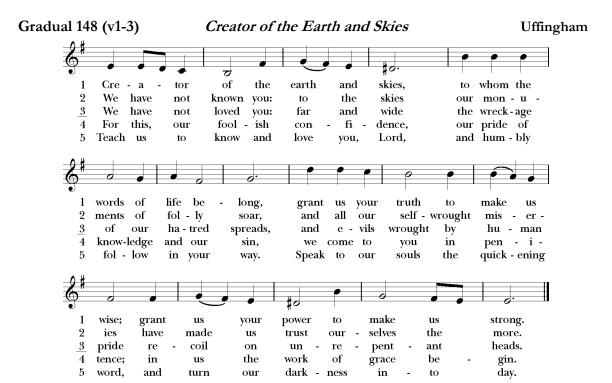
I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, and all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was Christ. Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them, and they were struck down in the wilderness.

Now these things occurred as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil as they did. Do not become idolaters as some of them did; as it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink, and they rose up to play." We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did, and were destroyed by serpents. And do not complain as some of them did, and were destroyed by the destroyer. These things happened to them to serve as an example, and they were written down to instruct us, on whom the ends of the ages have come. So if you think you are standing, watch out that you do not fall. No testing has overtaken you that is not

common to everyone. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tested beyond your strength, but with the testing he will also provide the way out so that you may be able to endure it.

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

Please stand.



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Holy Gospel: Luke 13:1-9

Celebrant: 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."'

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated.

Sermon

Pastor Franklin Morales

## The Nicene Creed (BCP 358)

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.

Please be seated or kneel, as you are able.

# The Prayers of the People, Form VI (BCP 392)

The Leader and People pray responsively

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

For all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, and Susan, Jennifer, and Porter, our Bishops; and for all bishops and other ministers;

For all who serve God in his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Hear us, Lord;

For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

The People may add their own thanksgivings

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

Who put their trust in you.

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

Silence may be kept.

# 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.

# **Absolution (BCP 360)**

Celebrant: 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.** 

Please stand.

# The Peace (BCP 360)

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

Please be seated.

#### Welcome & Announcements

## The Holy Communion

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# The Offering

## Offertory Sentence

Celebrant: Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2* 

#### **Choral Anthem**

Come, Ye Sinners

**David Ashley White** 

Ellen Grace Burke, violin

Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore;
Jesus ready stands to save you, full of pity, love, and power.

I will arise and go to Jesus; he will embrace me with his arms;
In the arms of my dear Savior, oh there are ten thousand charms.

Come, ye weary, heavy laden, lost and ruined by the fall; If you tarry till you're better, you will never come at all.

Let not conscience make you linger, nor of fitness fondly dream; All the fitness he requireth is to feel your need of him. The Great Thanksgiving, Prayer C (BCP 369)

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 God thanks and praise.

Celebrant: God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

People: Glory to you for ever and ever.

Celebrant: At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space,

galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

People: By your will they were created and have their being.

Celebrant: From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with

memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against

you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

People: Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Celebrant: Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed

righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

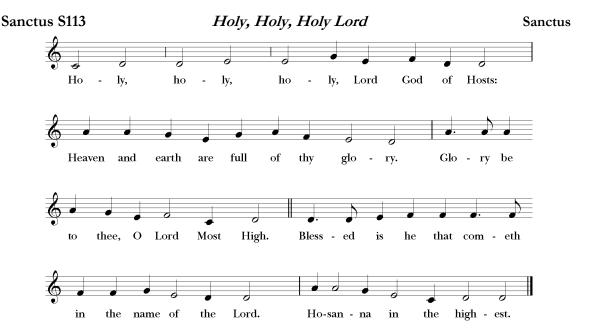
People: By his blood, he reconciled us.

By his wounds, we are healed.

Celebrant: And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets,

apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you

in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn



Please stand or kneel, as you are able.

Celebrant: And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, 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."

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, 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."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

# People: We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Celebrant: Lord God of our Ancestors: God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; Miriam, Naomi, and Esther; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

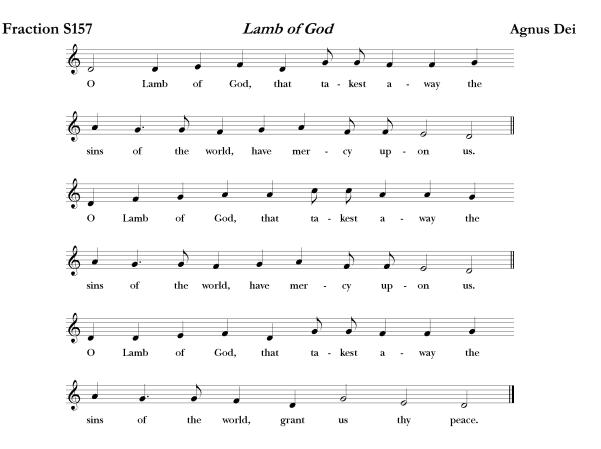
### People: Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Celebrant: Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. **Amen.** 

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

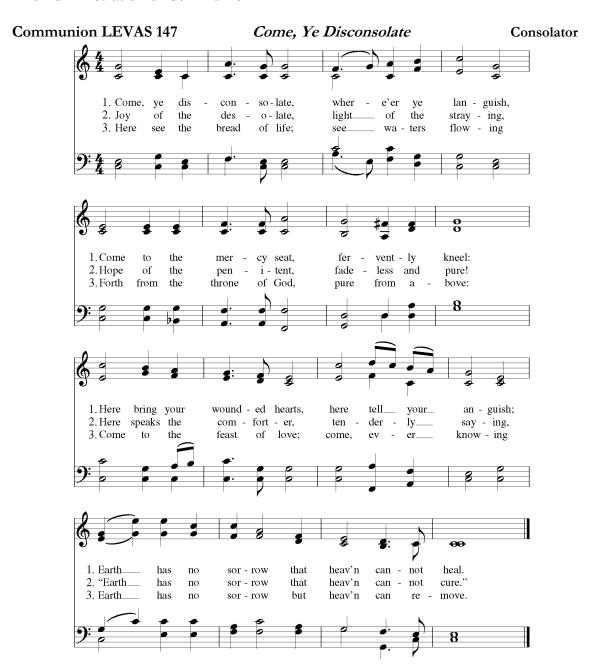
All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The bread is broken and silence observed.



Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

## The Administration of Communion



## Postcommunion Prayer (BCP 365)

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with the spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Prayer over the People

Celebrant: Bow down before the Lord.

Grant, most merciful Lord, to your faithful people pardon and peace, that they may be cleansed from all their sins, and serve you with a quiet mind; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 



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Dismissal (BCP 340)

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

People: Thanks be to God!

Postlude Alla Breve Josef Rheinberger

Ellen Grace Burke, violin

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