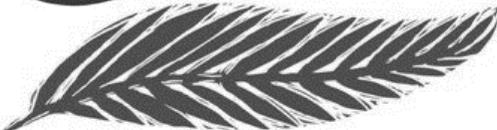




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SUNDAY
IN LENT

March 17, 2019

10:30 – Welcome

New Plainsong Mass; David Hurd (Congregational, CP687, 689, 690)

Blue Hymn Books – Common Praise (CP)

We are delighted that you are with us for worship today. If you are new to the Cathedral and would like to be contacted, please fill out the blue and white card in the pew. You may place it on the Offertory plate or give it to either of the clergy. Please stay for refreshments (Fair Trade coffee) after the service. Every person who is baptized is invited to the Lord's Table to receive Holy Communion with us. Gluten-free wafers are available. Please ask at the altar rail. We also ask that you refrain from dipping your wafers into the wine. All people are welcome to come to the altar at the time of communion for a prayer of blessing; please cross your

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Celebrant: The Ven. John Robertson, Honorary Associate

Preacher: The Very Rev. Donald Davidson

Gospeller: The Reverend Don Goodwin, Honorary Associate

Prelude: Meditation

Barrie Cabena

Celebrant: Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn (CP347) The God of Abraham praise (Leoni)

The Gathering of the Community

All stand.

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,

All 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 Eleison (CP687) Kyrie eleison, Christie eleison, Kyrie eleison

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant Almighty God, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross, give us faith to perceive his glory, that being strengthened by his grace we may be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All Amen

The people are seated for the Children's Focus and Proclamation of the Word.

The Children's Focus

Dean Don Davidson

The children leave afterward for Children's Church.

The Proclamation of the Word

A Reading from the Book of Genesis 15:1-12,17-18

Huw Davies Phinney

After these things the word of the LORD came to Abram in a vision, "Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great."

But Abram said, "O LORD God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?" And Abram said, "You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir." But the word of the LORD came to him, "This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir." He brought him outside and said, "Look toward heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them." Then he said to him, "So shall your descendants be." And he believed the LORD; and the LORD reckoned it to him as righteousness.

Then he said to him, "I am the LORD who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans, to give you this land to possess." But he said, "O LORD God, how am I to know that I shall possess it?" He said to him, "Bring me a heifer three years old, a female goat three years old, a ram three years old, a turtledove, and a young pigeon." He brought him all these and cut them in two, laying each half over against the other; but he did not cut the birds in two. And when birds of prey came down on the carcasses, Abram drove them away.

As the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell upon Abram, and a deep and terrifying darkness descended upon him.

When the sun had gone down and it was dark, a smoking fire pot and a flaming torch passed between these pieces. On that day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying, "To your descendants I give this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the river Euphrates..."

Reader: The word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

A reading from Psalm 27



¹ The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom then shall I fear? * the LORD is the strength of my life; of whom then shall I be afraid?

² When evildoers came upon me to eat up my flesh, * it was they, my foes and my adversaries, who stumbled and fell.

³ Though an army should encamp against me, * yet my heart shall not be afraid;

⁴ And though war should rise up against me, * yet will I put my trust in him.

⁵ One thing have I asked of the LORD; one thing I seek; * that I may dwell in the house of

the LORD all the days of my life;

⁶To behold the fair beauty of the LORD * and to seek him in his temple.

⁷For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe in his shelter; * he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling and set me high upon a rock.

⁸Even now he lifts up my head * above my enemies round about me.

⁹Therefore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation with sounds of great gladness; * I will sing and make music to the LORD.

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Philippians 3:17-4:1 **Huw Davies Phinney**

Brothers and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ. He will transform the body of our humiliation that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself.

Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Please stand to sing and remain standing, and turn to face the Gospel reader.

Sequence Hymn (CP361) Surely it is God who saves me (Ecce, Deus)

Gospeller The Lord be with you

Rev. Don Goodwin

People And also with you

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to Luke 9:28-36

People Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah"—not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the

things they had seen.

Gospeller The Gospel of Christ

People Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Gospel Acclamation (CP360) Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's holy name. Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me into life.

The people are seated at the invitation of the preacher.

The Sermon

Dean Don Davidson

The Nicene Creed

The people are invited to stand as they are able.

Celebrant Let us confess our faith as we say,

All 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. 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.

The Prayers of the People

Geoffrey Pratt

The people may stand, sit, or kneel as they are able.

The World and Environment: For the world's needs this week, the environment, and the just and proper use of resources; for healing and right dealings with Aboriginal and First Nations people; for peace in our world and in our country.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Pray for the Church of England, The Most Rev. and Rt. Hon. Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury

Diocese: Pray for Michael our Bishop, Fred our Primate, and Anne our Metropolitan; pray for St. John's, Kingston, The Rev. Dr. Mike Michielin, The Rev. Grant Fletcher, and their congregation.

Interfaith: For all who seek after God and a holy life of justice, peace, and love.

Community: The Kuluta Buddhist Community of Kingston

Parish: Pray for St. George's Trustees, Peter Case, chair; and we pray for the following households: Jane Berry, Helmut Binhammer, Iris Bjork, and their families.

Prayer List: For the Very Rev. Sharon Murdoch, the Rev. Gloria Kostyk, the Rev. Canon Alex Wakeling, David Stockwell, Terry, Patricia Hatt and family; Bishop John Chapman; for those on our prayer chain; for all those serving in the Canadian Forces at home and overseas; and for those facing medical procedures.

Personal requests may be placed in the prayer basket on the altar for this Sunday. For continuing prayers, names may be left at the office for the Prayer Fellowship.

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 people may stand, sit, or kneel as they are able.

Celebrant Most merciful God,

All 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, as you are able.

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The members of the community, ministers and people, greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Offertory Anthem: I heard the voice of Jesus say

Richard Shephard

I heard the voice of Jesus say, Come unto me and rest; lay down, thou weary one, lay down thy head upon my breast. I came to Jesus as I was, weary and worn and sad; I found in him a resting place, and he has made me glad. I heard the voice of Jesus say, Behold, I freely give the living water; thirsty one, stoop down, and drink, and live. I came to Jesus, and I drank of that life giving stream; my thirst was quenched, my soul revived, and now I live in him. I heard the voice of Jesus say, I am this dark world's light; look unto me, thy morn shall rise, and all thy day be bright. I looked to Jesus, and I found in him my star, my sun; and in that light of life I'll walk, till traveling days are done.

The Celebration of the Eucharist

The Prayer over the gifts

Celebrant God of wisdom, may the light of the eternal Word, our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, guide us to your glory. We ask this in his name.

All Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving – Eucharistic Prayer 1

All stand, as able, and the Celebrant addresses the people.

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 It is indeed right that we should praise you, gracious God, for you created all things. You formed us in your own image: male and female you created us. When we turned away from you in sin, you did not cease to care for us, but opened a path of salvation for all people.

You made a covenant with Israel, and through your servants Abraham and Sarah gave the promise of a blessing to all nations. Through Moses you led your people from bondage into freedom; through the prophets you renewed your promise of salvation. Therefore, with them, and with all your saints who have served you in every age, we give thanks and raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

All (CP689) 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.

The people may stand, sit, or kneel as they are able.

Celebrant Holy God, source of life and goodness, all creation rightly gives you praise. In the fullness of time, you sent your Son Jesus Christ, 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 healed the sick and ate and drank with outcasts and sinners; he opened the eyes of the blind and proclaimed the good news of your kingdom to the poor and to those in need. In all things he fulfilled your gracious will. On the night he freely gave himself to 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." Gracious God, his perfect sacrifice destroys the power of sin and death; by raising him to life you give us life for evermore. Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.

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

Celebrant Recalling his death, proclaiming his resurrection, and looking for his coming again in glory, we offer you, Father, this bread and this cup. Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts, that all who eat and drink at this table may be one body and one holy people, a living sacrifice in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.

All Amen.

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

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant “I am the bread of life,” says the Lord. “Whoever comes to me will never be hungry; whoever believes in me will never thirst.”

All Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him!

The Communion

All those who are baptized are welcome at the Lord’s Table. Please cross your arms if you do not wish to drink from the common cup. All are very welcome to come for a blessing. Gluten-free wafers available – please ask at the Communion rail.

Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God.

People Thanks be to God.

Agnus Dei (CP 690 – all)

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

Communion Hymn (CP179) Tree of Life and awesome mystery (Thomas)

Motet: Jesu, joyaunce of my heart

J.R. Ahl, arr. J.S. Bach (Children)

Jesu, joyaunce of my heart, blessed Jesu; bliss unto my soul thou art, holy Jesu; sure defence from Satan's dart, sweetest Jesu. Thousand times I think of thee, my redeemer; only yearn thy face to see, my redeemer. Longing for thy company, my redeemer. Nought is lovelier than thou, dearest Jesu; none is friendlier than thou, gentlest Jesu; nor is any sweet as thou, sweetest Jesu.

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Creator of heaven and earth, we thank you for these holy mysteries, which

bring us now a share in the life to come, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen

Doxology & Blessing

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.

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: And the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

All Amen.

Closing Hymn (CP564) Lead us, heavenly Father (Mannheim)

Dismissal

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude: Toccata

Barrie Cabena

**The flowers on the high altar are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of Helen Muir Kirkpatrick, by her children Jane, Anne and
James.**

**Readings for Sunday, March 24, Third in Lent:
Isaiah 55:1-9; Psalm 63:1-8; 1 Corinthians 10:1-13; Luke 13:1-9**

St. George's Dean and Rector: The Very Reverend Don Davidson

Dean's Warden: Ken Whatley

People's Warden: Tony Ashworth

Deputy Warden: Harold Redekopp

Verger: Jane Kirkpatrick

Music Director: Michael Capon

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Assistive Listening Devices (ALDs) are available. Please ask the sidespeople if you would like to use one. Look for the red lanyards.

Parish Council will meet at 5:00 on Tuesday, March 19 in the Library. Please send regrets to hconstance@sympatico.ca .

An extraordinary Parish Council meeting for the heads of committees will be held on **March 24** in the Great Hall, immediately following the 10:30 service. Please RSVP to hconstance@sympatico.ca .

Women's Fellowship and Pot Luck Dinner on **Thursday, March 21** at 5pm features guest speaker Beth Risto, pharmacist, who will speak about the impact of drugs on the brain. Please join us, bring a friend and a dish (appetizer, main dish or dessert) to share. Many thanks.

Fabrics and Colours in the Church Service: On **March 23**, from **10:00-3:00**, Dean Don Davidson, Catherine Comer of Liturgical Vestments, and Verger Jane Kirkpatrick will present a series exploring the complexity of our fabrics and colours at Church Service at Christ Church Cataraqui, 990 Sydenham Rd. Cost for the day is \$20 and includes lunch. Please RSVP to Rev. John Morrison – ja.morrison@bell.net .

The St. George's Cathedral Children's Choir, directed by Michael Capon, and the Youth Choir, directed by Emma Drinnan, will present an afternoon high tea and concert on **Sunday, May 12** at **3:00 p.m.** in the Cathedral Great Hall. Admission is free, with a voluntary offering collected in support of the Choir program.

As part of a choral festival in June, St. George's has agreed to host the **Boys' Choir of St. Martin's Church**, Bieberach, Germany for two nights: **June 12** and **13**. If you are able to provide bed, breakfast, and transportation to and from the Cathedral for two or more members on those nights, contact Phillip Rogers: rogersp@queensu.ca or 613-546-7443.

The Projects Group has secured tickets for a matinee performance of *The Merry Wives of Windsor* in Stratford, ON, on **Wednesday, Sept. 18, 2019**. The trip includes a matinee ticket (best seat section available to groups); bus transportation, dinner, overnight accommodation, and a Thursday trip to St. Jacob's. The cost is \$300.00 per person, based on double occupancy. Cash or cheque only. A tax-deductible receipt for \$60.00 will be issued. Tickets sales will begin the third week of March.

This Week and More at the Cathedral

Tuesday, March 19

5:00 Parish Council meeting, in the Library

Wednesday, March 20

10:30 Publicity & Communications meeting, in the Library

12:15 Eucharist, in the Lady Chapel

Thursday, March 21

10:30 Healing Eucharist, in the Lady Chapel

11:15 Bible Study, in the Library

5:00 Women's Fellowship, in the Library

Friday, March 22

12:00 Coventry Litany of Reconciliation, Cathedral steps

5:30 Youth Group, in the Great Hall.

Sunday, March 24

12:00 Special Parish Council/Heads of Committees meeting, in the Great Hall

Thank you to those assisting in today's service:

Greeters/Sides people: Jann Van Vugt, Valerie Jackson,
Gillian McNicholas, Geoff Hinch

Servers: Derek Falkner, Carl Redmond, Judith Challis

Lay Ministers: Carl Redmond, Leigh Smith, Erna Redekopp

Refreshments: Fellowship Committee

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