

Corpus Christi Church

Second Sunday of Lent

February 25, 2024



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Turn to the Lord



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Gathering Hymn Beyond the Days, by Ricky Manalo

Beyond the days of hope and myst'ry we see a light of faith renewed, And in our longing, we thirst for guidance, to walk with you day by day.

Not on bread alone, are we to walk on this journey. Speak the words that give life, to the yearnings of our hearts.

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PENITENTIAL ACT from Mass of Remembrance Marty Haugen Ky-ri-e, e - le-i-son. Chri-ste, e - le - i - son. Ky-ri-e, e - le

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Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

God put Abraham to the test. He called to him, "Abraham!" "Here I am!" he replied. Then God said:

"Take your son Isaac, your only one, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah.

There you shall offer him up as a holocaust on a height that I will point out to you."

When they came to the place of which God had told him. Abraham built an altar there and arranged the wood on it. Then he reached out and took the knife to slaughter his son. But the LORD's messenger called to him from heaven, "Abraham, Abraham!" "Here I am!" he answered.

"Do not lay your hand on the boy," said the messenger.

"Do not do the least thing to him.

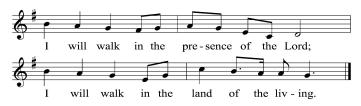
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I know now how devoted you are to God, since you did not withhold from me your own beloved son." As Abraham looked about, he spied a ram caught by its horns in the thicket. So he went and took the ram and offered it up as a holocaust in place of his son. Again the LORD's messenger called to Abraham from heaven and said: "I swear by myself, declares the LORD, that because you acted as you did in not withholding from me your beloved son, I will bless you abundantly and make your descendants as countless as the stars of the sky and the sands of the seashore; your descendants shall take possession of the gates of their enemies, and in your descendants all the nations of the earth shall

find blessing—all this because you obeyed my command."

Psalm 116



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Romans 8:31b-34

Brothers and sisters:

If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but handed him over for us all, how will he not also give us everything else

along with him?

Who will bring a charge against God's chosen ones? It is God who acquits us, who will condemn? Christ Jesus it is who died—or, rather, was raised who also is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us.

Gospel Accl. O Word of God, by Ricky Manalo

O Word of God come into this space, O Word of God come send us your grace. Open our minds, show us your truth, trans-form our lives a-new.

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Mark 9:2-10

Jesus took Peter, James, and John and led them up a high mountain apart by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them. Then Elijah appeared to them along with Moses, and they were conversing with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus in reply, "Rabbi, it is good that we are here! Let us make three tents: one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." He hardly knew what to say, they were so terrified.

Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them. As they were coming down from the mountain, he charged them not to relate what they had seen to anyone, except when the Son of Man had risen from the dead. So they kept the matter to themselves, questioning what rising from the dead meant.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come 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 life everlasting. Amen.

Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts

All That is Hidden by Bernadette Farrell



If you would follow me, follow where life will lead, Do not look for me among the dead, for I am hidden in pain, risen in love; there is no harvest without sowing of grain.

All that is hidden, will be made clear. All that is dark now, will be revealed. What you have heard in the dark proclaim in the light; what you hear in whispers, proclaim from the housetops.

If you would honor me, honor the least of these: you will not find me dressed in finery. My Word cries out to be heard; breaks through the world: my Word is on your lips and lives in your heart.

If you would rise with me, rise through your destiny: do not refuse the death which brings you life, for as the grain in the earth must die for rebirth so I have planted your life deep within mine. _

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Mass of the Incarnate Word by Bob Hurd

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Lord God of Hosts Hea-ven and earth, are full of your glo-ry Hosan-na, Hosan-na, in the high-est! Blest is he. Blest is he. who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosan-na, Hosan-na, in the high-est!

Mystery of Faith

<u>Amen</u>

We proclaim your death O Lord And profess_your resurrection, Until you come_ a-gain.

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Sending Forth

Be Still - by David Kauffman

Be still my love, know that I am God Be still my love, know that I am God

Though nations fight, though kingdoms fall, though spiteful hearts will harm Your mercy holds us, we hear you call, we linger in your resting arms, as you say

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