

<u>Corpus Christi Church</u>

Second Sunday of Lent

March 16, 2025



Pastor Fr. Leo J Edgerly Jr

In Residence Fr. Basil De Pinto

Visiting Celebrant Fr. Paul R Vassar

Gathering Song Beyond the Days by Ricky Manalo

Beyond the days_ of hope and myst'ry we see a light_ of faith renewed, And in our long-ing, we thirst for gui-dance, to walk with you day by day.

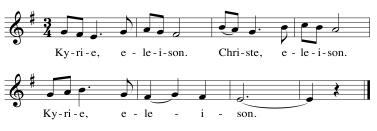
1. For-ty days and nights, you guide_the steps of our jour-ney. May_your_presence be felt, in the whisper of your voice.

2. In your hands, O God, we feel the touch of your guidance. Keep us safe in your care, may your gentleness be there.

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Marty Haugen



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Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18

The Lord God took Abram outside and said, "Look up at the sky and count the stars, if you can. Just so," he added, "shall your descendants be." Abram put his faith in the LORD, who credited it to him as an act of righteousness.

He then said to him, "I am the LORD who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans to give you this land as a possession." "O Lord GOD," he asked, "how am I to know that I shall possess it?"

He answered him, "Bring me a three year old heifer, a three year old she goat, a three-year-old ram, a turtledove, and a young pigeon." Abram brought him all these, split them in two, and placed each half opposite the other; but the birds he did not cut up. Birds of prey swooped down on the carcasses, but Abram stayed with them.

As the sun was about to set, a trance fell upon Abram, and a deep, terrifying darkness enveloped him. When the sun had set and it was dark, there appeared a smoking fire pot and a flaming torch, which passed between those pieces.

It was on that occasion that the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying: "To your descendants I give this land, from the Wadi of Egypt to the Great River, the Euphrates."



Philippians 3:17-4:1

Join with others in being imitators of me, brothers and sisters. and observe those who thus conduct themselves according to the model you have in us. For many, as I have often told you and now tell you even in tears, conduct themselves as enemies of the cross of Christ. Their end is destruction. Their God is their stomach; their glory is in their "shame." Their minds are occupied with earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we also await a savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. He will change our lowly body to conform with his glorified body by the power that enables him also to bring all things into subjection to himself.

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

Lent Gospel Acclamation 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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Luke 9:28b-36

Jesus took Peter, John, and James and went up the mountain to pray. While he was praying his face changed in appearance and his clothing became dazzling white.

Luke 9:28b-36

And behold, two men were conversing with him, Moses and Elijah, who appeared in glory and spoke of his exodus that he was going to accomplish in Jerusalem. Peter and his companions had been overcome by sleep, but becoming fully awake,

they saw his glory and the two men standing with him. As they were about to part from him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good that we are here; let us make three tents, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." But he did not know what he was saying.

While he was still speaking,

a cloud came and cast a shadow over them,

and they became frightened when they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said,

"This is my chosen Son; listen to him."

After the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. They fell silent and did not at that time tell anyone what they had seen.

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 of the Gifts

Irish Blessing, by Bob Fabing

May the road rise up to meet you, May the wind be al-ways with you. May the sunshine warm_ you always, 'til we meet again.

1. May the rain fall soft-ly on_ you. May the hand of God_ uphold_ you.

2. Christ before you, Christ_behind_you. Christ beneath you, Christ_above_you.

3. Christ to shield you, Christ_be with_you. Christ be with you now_ and al-ways.

4. Christ in every eye_ that sees_ you. Christ in every ear_ that hears_ you.

5. Christ in every heart_that know_you. Christ in every word_that speaks_of you

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Eucharistic Acclamations

Mass of the Incarnate Word - by Bob Hurd

Ho-ly, 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

We proclaim_ your death O Lord And profess_ your resurrection, Until you come_ a-gain. <u>Amen</u> A-men, A-men, A-men.

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Communion Song Eye Has Not Seen - by Marty Haugen

Eye has not seen, ear has not heard, what God has ready, For those who love him. Spirit of God, come give us the mind of Jesus. Teach us the wisdom of God

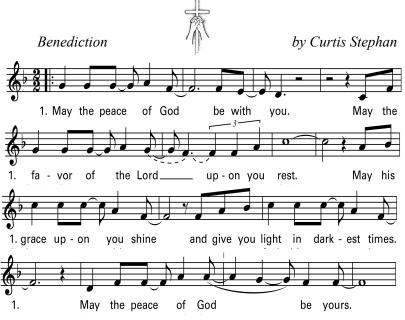
When pain and sorrow weigh us down, be near to us, O Lord, forgive the weakness of our faith, and bear us up, within you peaceful word.

Our lives are but a single breath, we flower and we fade, yet all our days are in your hands, so we return, in love what love has made.

To those who see with eyes of faith, the Lord is ever near, reflected in the faces, of all the poor, and lowly of the world.

We sing a myst'ry from the past, in halls where saints have trod, yet ever new the music rings, to Jesus Living Song of God.

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