



## Corpus Christi Church

# Third Sunday of Lent

March 23, 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. In your hands, O God, we feel the touch of your guidance.  
Keep\_ us\_ safe in your care, may your gentleness be there.

2. On our Lenten path, we see the dawn of a new day.  
Be\_ our\_ vision of hope; be the promise of our lives.

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### **Penitential Act** *Mass of Remembrance* by Marty Haugen

Kyrie, e-leison, Christe, e-leison, Kyrie, e-lei-son

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### **Exodus 3:1-8a,13-15**

*Moses was tending the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian. Leading the flock across the desert, he came to Horeb, the mountain of God.*

*There an angel of the LORD appeared to Moses in fire flaming out of a bush.*

*As he looked on, he was surprised to see that the bush, though on fire, was not consumed. So Moses decided, "I must go over to look at this remarkable sight, and see why the bush is not burned."*

*When the LORD saw him coming over to look at it more closely, God called out to him from the bush, "Moses! Moses!" He answered, "Here I am." God said, "Come no nearer!*

*Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place where you stand is holy ground.*

*I am the God of your fathers, " he continued, "the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, the God of Jacob."*

*Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God.*

*But the LORD said,*

*"I have witnessed the affliction of my people in Egypt and have heard their cry of complaint against their slave drivers, so I know well what they are suffering.*

*Therefore I have come down to rescue them from the hands of the Egyptians and lead them out of that land into a good and spacious land, a land flowing with milk and honey."*

*Moses said to God, "But when I go to the Israelites and say to them, 'The God of your fathers has sent me to you,' if they ask me, 'What is his name?' what am I to tell them?" God replied, "I am who am."*

*Then he added, "This is what you shall tell the Israelites: I AM sent me to you."*

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*God spoke further to Moses,  
"Thus shall you say to the Israelites:  
The LORD, the God of your fathers,  
the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, the God of Jacob,  
has sent me to you.*

*"This is my name forever;  
thus am I to be remembered through all generations."*

### **Psalm 103**



Mer-ci-ful and ten-der, faith-ful is the Lord.

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### **1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12**

*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 of them were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea.*

*All ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink, for they drank from a spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was the Christ.*

*Yet God was not pleased with most of them, for they were struck down in the desert.*

*These things happened as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil things, as they did.*

*Do not grumble as some of them did, and suffered death by the destroyer.*

*These things happened to them as an example, and they have been written down as a warning to us, upon whom the end of the ages has come.*

*Therefore, whoever thinks he is standing secure should take care not to fall.*

### **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 13:1-9

Some people told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with the blood of their sacrifices. Jesus said to them in reply, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were greater sinners than all other Galileans? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!

Or those eighteen people who were killed when the tower at Siloam fell on them—do you think they were more guilty than everyone else who lived in Jerusalem?

By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!"

And he told them this parable:

"There once was a person who had a fig tree planted in his orchard, and when he came in search of fruit on it but found none, he said to the gardener, 'For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree but have found none.

So cut it down. Why should it exhaust the soil?'

He said to him in reply,

'Sir, leave it for this year also, and I shall cultivate the ground around it and fertilize it;

it may bear fruit in the future.

If not you can cut it down.'"

## **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.

### Preparation of the Gifts

*To Know Him - by M. Roger Holland II*

To know him, is to love him.

To love him is to serve him.

To serve him, is to live your life, according to his Word.



To live a life, that is pleasing in his sight,  
A loving heart is better than sacrifice.  
Fast and pray, stay in the narrow way,  
Trusting and believing in the Lord.

## 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

**Amen**

We proclaim\_ your death O Lord  
And profess\_ your resurrection,  
Until you come\_ a-gain.

### Lamb of God Litany

Lamb of God, you take\_ away\_ the sins of the world:  
Have mer-cy\_ on us. (2x), *final* Grant us Peace

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## **EVERY SINGLE THING WE ARE/TODAS NUESTRAS VIDAS**

Jaime Cortez



1. Ev - ery sin - gle thing we are, we bring to you;
2. Ev - ery sin - gle fear we have, we bring to you;
3. Ev - ery sin - gle tear we cry, we bring to you;
4. Ev - ery sin - gle joy we feel, we bring to you;
5. Here in love we of - fer what our la - bor makes;
6. Here in love we hum - bly bring the bread and wine,



1. ev - ery sin - gle thing we are, we of - fer.
2. ev - ery sin - gle fear we have, we of - fer.
3. ev - ery sin - gle tear we cry, we of - fer.
4. ev - ery sin - gle joy we feel, we of - fer.
5. let it be of ser - vice to our neigh - bor.
6. soon to be the ban - quet of sal - va - tion.



1-6. Called to be u - nit - ed at the ta - ble of life,



1-6. now we come to give you thanks and praise.

Refrain/Estribillo



Make us one in your love; make us one in your love.



Ú - ne - nos en tu a - mor; ú - ne - nos en tu a - mor.

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*Benediction by Curtis Stephan*



May the peace of God, be with you. May the fa-vor of the Lord\_ upon you rest.  
May his grace upon you shing, and give you light in darkest times.  
May the peace of God\_ be yours.