



Trinity Episcopal Church

Weaving God's Unfinished Tapestry

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THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

March 8, 2026 10:00 a.m.

The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

The Word of God

Procession to the Altar

“Creator of the Earth and Skies”

Hymn #148

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

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

All: 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

Trent Clegg

Org.

Lord, Lord, have mer - cy on us. Lord, Lord, have
mer - cy on us. Lord, Lord, have mer - cy on us.
Christ, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy on
us. Lord, Lord, have mer - cy on us. Lord, Lord, have
mer - cy on us. Lord, Lord, have mer - cy on us.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

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.

First Reading

Exodus 17:1-7

Reader: A reading from the Book of Exodus.

From the wilderness of Sin the whole congregation of the Israelites journeyed by stages, as the Lord commanded. They camped at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. The people quarreled with Moses, and said, "Give us water to drink." Moses said to them, "Why do you quarrel with me? Why do you test the Lord?" But the people thirsted there for water; and the people complained against Moses and said, "Why did you bring us out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and livestock with thirst?" So Moses cried out to the Lord, "What shall I do with this people? They are almost ready to stone me." The Lord said to Moses, "Go on ahead of the people, and take some of the elders of Israel with you; take in your hand the staff with which you struck the Nile, and go. I will be standing there in front of you on the rock at Horeb. Strike the rock, and water will come out of it, so that the people may drink." Moses did so, in the sight of the elders of Israel. He called the place Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites quarreled and tested the Lord, saying, "Is the Lord among us or not?"

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Response

Psalm 95

Come, let us sing to the Lord; *
let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.
Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving *
and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.
For the Lord is a great God, *
and a great King above all gods.
In his hand are the caverns of the earth, *
and the heights of the hills are his also.
The sea is his, for he made it, *
and his hands have molded the dry land.
Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, *
and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

For he is our God,
and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand. *
Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

Harden not your hearts,
as your forebears did in the wilderness, *
at Meribah, and on that day at Massah,
when they tempted me.

They put me to the test, *
though they had seen my works.

Forty years long I detested that generation and said, *
“This people are wayward in their hearts;
they do not know my ways.”

So I swore in my wrath, *
“They shall not enter into my rest.”

Second Reading

Romans 5:1-11

Reader: A reading from St. Paul's letter to the Romans.

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person — though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us. Much more surely then, now that we have been justified by his blood, will we be saved through him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, much more surely, having been reconciled, will we be saved by his life. But more than that, we even boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Gospel

John 4:5-42

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus came to a Samaritan city called Sychar, near the plot of ground that Jacob had given to his son Joseph. Jacob's well was there, and Jesus, tired out by his journey, was sitting by the well. It was about noon. A Samaritan woman came to draw water, and Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink." (His disciples had gone to the city to buy food.) The Samaritan woman said to him, "How is it that you, a Jew, ask a drink of me, a woman of Samaria?" (Jews do not share things in common with Samaritans.) Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water." The woman said to him, "Sir, you have no bucket, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water? Are you greater than our ancestor Jacob, who gave us the well, and with his sons and his flocks drank from it?" Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty. The water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life." The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water, so that I may never be thirsty or have to keep coming here to draw water." Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come back." The woman answered him, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You are right in saying, 'I have no husband'; for you have had five husbands, and the one you have now is not your husband. What you have said is true!" The woman said to him, "Sir, I see that you are a prophet. Our ancestors worshiped on this mountain, but you say that the place where people must worship is in Jerusalem." Jesus said to her, "Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews. But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father seeks such as these to worship him. God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth." The woman said to him, "I know that Messiah is coming" (who is called Christ). "When he comes, he will proclaim all things to us." Jesus said to her, "I am he, the one who is speaking to you."

Just then his disciples came. They were astonished that he was speaking with a woman, but no one said, "What do you want?" or, "Why are you speaking with her?" Then the woman left her water jar and went back to the city. She said to the people, "Come and see a man who told me everything I have ever

done! He cannot be the Messiah, can he?" They left the city and were on their way to him. Meanwhile the disciples were urging him, "Rabbi, eat something." But he said to them, "I have food to eat that you do not know about." So the disciples said to one another, "Surely no one has brought him something to eat?" Jesus said to them, "My food is to do the will of him who sent me and to complete his work. Do you not say, 'Four months more, then comes the harvest'? But I tell you, look around you, and see how the fields are ripe for harvesting. The reaper is already receiving wages and is gathering fruit for eternal life, so that sower and reaper may rejoice together. For here the saying holds true, 'One sows and another reaps.' I sent you to reap that for which you did not labor. Others have labored, and you have entered into their labor." Many Samaritans from that city believed in him because of the woman's testimony, "He told me everything I have ever done." So when the Samaritans came to him, they asked him to stay with them; and he stayed there two days. And many more believed because of his word. They said to the woman, "It is no longer because of what you said that we believe, for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is truly the Savior of the world."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Homily

Rev. Haydie LeCorbeiller

The Nicene Creed

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 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.

The Litany of Healing

Leader: In our cycles of prayer, we pray especially today for The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & the Middle East and for St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Emmett. We pray for women and girls worldwide: safety from violence, equal opportunity, and voices honored in every home and workplace. We pray also for those we name before you now, either silently or aloud.

Leader: God the Father, your will for all people is health and salvation.

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader: God the Son, you came that we might have life, and might have it more abundantly;

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader: God the Holy Spirit, you make our bodies the temple of your presence.

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader: Holy Trinity, one God, in you we live and move and have our being;

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader: Lord, grant your healing grace to all who are sick, injured, or disabled, that they may be made whole;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader: Grant to all who seek your guidance, and to all who are lonely, anxious, or despondent, a knowledge of your will and an awareness of your presence;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader: Mend broken relationships, and restore those in emotional distress to soundness of mind and serenity of spirit;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader: Bless physicians, nurses, and all others who minister to the suffering, granting them wisdom and skill, sympathy and patience;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader: Grant to the dying peace and a holy death, and uphold by the grace and consolation of your Holy Spirit those who are bereaved;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader: Restore to wholeness whatever is broken by human sin, in our lives, in our nation, and in the world;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader: You are the Lord who does wonders:

People: You have declared your power among the peoples.

Leader: With you, O Lord, is the well of life:

People: And in your light we see light.

Leader: Hear us, O Lord of Life:

People: Heal us, and make us whole.

Celebrant: Almighty God, by your Holy Spirit you have made us one with your saints in heaven and on earth: Grant that in our earthly pilgrimage we may always be supported by this fellowship of love and prayer, and know ourselves to be surrounded by their witness to your grace and mercy. We ask this for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whom all our intercessions are acceptable through the Spirit, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Confession and Absolution

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence

All: God of all mercy,
we confess that we have sinned against you,
opposing your will in our lives.

We have denied your goodness in each other,
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.
We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf.
Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ,
that we may abide in your love
and serve only your will. Amen.

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.*

The Laying on of Hands and Anointing

The Peace

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

People: And also with you.

*All are welcome to receive Holy Communion, and gluten free
wafers are available upon request.*

*If you do not want to share in communion but would like a blessing,
please join the line and cross your arms across your chest when you come to the priest.*

*If you would like to share in the bread but not the wine, you may cross your arms across
your chest when you come to the minister with the wine.*

The Holy Communion

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

Presentation of Gifts

Offertory Anthem

“Ave Verum Corpus”

by Mozart

All: Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

The Great Thanksgiving

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: It is right, and a good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. You bid your faithful people cleanse their hearts, and prepare with joy for the Paschal feast; that, fervent in prayer and in works of mercy, and renewed by your Word and Sacraments, they may come to the fullness of grace which you have prepared for those who love you. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

Trent Clegg

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of po-wer and might,
hea-ven and earth are full of your glo - ry, Ho - san - na in the high -
est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, 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 stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and 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."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to sing,

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Our Fa-ther who art in Hea-ven, ha llo wed be Thy name. Thy King-dom
come, Thy will be done on Earth as it is in Hea-ven. Give us this day our dai-ly bread, and for-
give us our tress-pass-es as we for-give those who tress-pass a-gainst us. And
lead us not in-to temp-ta-tion but de-li-ver us from e-vil. for Thine is the King-dom and the
pow-er and the glo-ry for-e-ver. A-men

The Breaking of the Bread

Agnus Dei

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Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world. Have mer-cy on
us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world. Have mer-cy on us.
Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world. Grant us peace.

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Celebrant: For and with those who are joining us online, we pray:

All: God of infinite mercy, we thank you for Jesus our Savior, who feeds us and gives us eternal life. Though those praying at home cannot consume the gifts of bread and wine, we thank you that we share the sacrament of Christ's presence, the forgiveness of sins, and all other benefits of Christ's passion. Grant that we may continue forever in the risen life of our Savior, who with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, now and forever.

The Holy Communion

"Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me"

Hymn #685

"Shepherd of Souls, Refresh and Bless"

Hymn #343

Post Communion Prayer

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: Almighty and everliving God,
we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food
of the most precious Body and Blood
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries
that we are living members of the Body of your Son,
and heirs of your eternal kingdom.
And now, Father, send us out
to do the work you have given us to do,
to love and serve you
as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.
To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Special Prayers

Announcements

The Blessing

Procession to the World

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

Hymn #690

The Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us bless the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.



PRAYERS

This week we keep in our prayers:

Eden, Susan B, Barbara K, Bob K, Jakob, Mary G, Brittany and family, Mona, Trent, Fran M, Ruth, Joe M, Martin & Sue, Robert G, Fr. James, Curtis, Terrie, Shelby, Dolores, Micah & Emily, Charisse, Arne, AJ, Barb D, Virginia, Tammy, Chantelle, Scotti, Janie, Larry, Jeffre, Dana, Dale, Linda, Jesse, Tom & Talya, Sophie, Crystal, Nancy S, Fran, Taylor, Mary, Bryan, Jeff, Holly, Chad, Rev. Doug & Deacon Eileen, Heather, and the Pocatello Women's Correctional Center Residents and Staff.

Thank you for worshiping with us today!

*Please join us for coffee & fellowship
in the Parish Hall following the service.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lenten Soup Supper & Sung Compline. During Lent we will have a series of Lenten Soup Suppers at 6pm on alternate Tuesdays: that is, on March 10 and March 24. At 7pm, after we've eaten, we'll move to the church for the short and lovely candlelit service of Sung Compline.

Visiting Priest. Next Sunday, March 15th Trinity is delighted to be hosting the Rev. Akinpelu James Lawal at our Sunday communion service. Fr. James began his role as priest at St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Idaho Falls last June.

MBT. Each Sunday in Lent we'll collect food for My Brothers' Table. MBT especially needs items for visitor's takeaway bags: proteins (chili, tuna); vegetables (green beans, corn); and pasta (mac & cheese, ramen.) Bring a box, a can or a case; bring them in one week or every week! BiLo's and Ridley's are holding their annual Case Lot Sales now through March 16th!

Loving the Questions. How can we handle grief and anger in ways that are faithful... prayerful... scriptural... and healthy? We'll explore these questions on Saturday, March 21, at 10:00 am in the Parish Hall.

PARTICIPATING IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Celebrant & Homilist:	The Rev. Haydie LeCorbeiller
Eucharistic Minister:	Angela Young, Joe Crupper
Lectors:	Kathy Venemon, Tom Eckert
Ushers:	Jeffre Miller, Sue Frasure
Altar Guild:	Angela Young
Bread:	Diane Nelson
Vestry on Duty:	Monica Eckert
Music Director:	Trent Clegg
Audiovisual Facilitator:	Joe Crupper
Coffee Hour Host:	The Friedley Family

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Monday, March 9, 2025	10:00-2:00	Church Office Open
	10:00-1:00	Rev. Haydie Office Hours
	2:00 p.m.	OGP
	4:45 p.m.	Alleluia Choir
	5:15 p.m.	Girl Scouts
	8:00 p.m.	A.A.
Tuesday, March 10, 2025	3:00 p.m.	OGP
	6:00 p.m.	Lenten Soup Supper
	7:00 p.m.	Compline
	8:00 p.m.	A.A.
Wednesday, March 11, 2025	9:00-2:00	Phone/Email Office Hours
	3:00 p.m.	OGP
Thursday, March 12, 2025	10:00-2:00	Church Office Open
	3:00 p.m.	OGP
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
Friday, March 13, 2025	10:00-2:00	Church Office Open
	10:00-1:00	Rev. Haydie Office Hours
	3:00 p.m.	OGP
	8:00 p.m.	A.A.
Saturday, March 14, 2025		
Sunday, March 15, 2025	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
	1:30 p.m.	My Brother's Table



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