

TEQUESTA, FLORIDA

# Morning Prayer - Rite Two

Wednesday | January 26, 2022

Join us at 9:00 AM as we pray together. Or use this Order of Service for your own devotional time each day.

# **Opening Sentence**

Officiant says one of the following verses of Holy Scripture.

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ. - Philippians 1:2

I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord." - Psalm 122:1

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer. - Psalm 19:14

Send out your light and your truth, that they may lead me, and bring me to your holy hill and to your dwelling. - Psalm 43:3

# Confession of Sin

The Officiant says to the people

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

A few moments of silence are observed to prepare our hearts for confession.

#### Officiant and People

Most merciful God, 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 neighbors 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.

#### Officiant

Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. *Amen.* 

# The Invitatory and Psalter

Officiant Lord, open our lips.

People And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Officiant and People

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia.

Officiant The earth is the Lord's for he made it:

People Come let us adore him.

**Venite** Said in unison

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!

Officiant The earth is the Lord's for he made it:

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### Psalm 119:49-72 Said in unison

### 119

# Zayin Memor esto verbi tui

- Remember your word to your servant, \* because you have given me hope.
- This is my comfort in my trouble, \* that your promise gives me life.
- 51 The proud have derided me cruelly, \* but I have not turned from your law.
- When I remember your judgments of old, \* O LORD, I take great comfort.

- I am filled with a burning rage, \* because of the wicked who forsake your law.
- Your statutes have been like songs to me \* wherever I have lived as a stranger.
- I remember your Name in the night, O LORD, \* and dwell upon your law.
- This is how it has been with me, \* because I have kept your commandments.

## Heth Portio mea, Domine

- You only are my portion, O LORD; \*
  I have promised to keep your words.
- I entreat you with all my heart, \*
  be merciful to me according to your promise.
- I have considered my ways \* and turned my feet toward your decrees.
- I hasten and do not tarry \* to keep your commandments.
- Though the cords of the wicked entangle me, \* I do not forget your law.
- At midnight I will rise to give you thanks, \* because of your righteous judgments.
- I am a companion of all who fear you \* and of those who keep your commandments.
- The earth, O LORD, is full of your love; \* instruct me in your statutes.

### **Teth** Bonitatem fecisti

- O LORD, you have dealt graciously with your servant, \* according to your word.
- 66 Teach me discernment and knowledge, \*
  for I have believed in your commandments.
- 67 Before I was afflicted I went astray, \* but now I keep your word.
- You are good and you bring forth good; \* instruct me in your statutes.
- The proud have smeared me with lies, \*
  but I will keep your commandments with my whole heart.

- 70 Their heart is gross and fat, \* but my delight is in your law.
- 71 It is good for me that I have been afflicted, \* that I might learn your statutes.
- 72 The law of your mouth is dearer to me \* than thousands in gold and silver.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \* as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

# First Lesson

#### Genesis 16:1-14

Now Sarai, Abram's wife, bore him no children. She had an Egyptian slave-girl whose name was Hagar, and Sarai said to Abram, 'You see that the Lord has prevented me from bearing children; go in to my slave-girl; it may be that I shall obtain children by her.' And Abram listened to the voice of Sarai. So, after Abram had lived for ten years in the land of Canaan, Sarai, Abram's wife, took Hagar the Egyptian, her slave-girl, and gave her to her husband Abram as a wife. He went in to Hagar, and she conceived; and when she saw that she had conceived, she looked with contempt on her mistress. Then Sarai said to Abram, 'May the wrong done to me be on you! I gave my slave-girl to your embrace, and when she saw that she had conceived, she looked on me with contempt. May the Lord judge between you and me! But Abram said to Sarai, 'Your slave-girl is in your power; do to her as you please.' Then Sarai dealt harshly with her, and she ran away from her.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

The Third Song of Isaiah Said in unison

Arise, shine, for your light has come, \*
and the glory of the Lord has dawned upon you.
For behold, darkness covers the land; \*
deep gloom enshrouds the peoples.
But over you the Lord will rise, \*
and his glory will appear upon you.
Nations will stream to your light, \*
and kings to the brightness of your dawning.

The angel of the Lord found her by a spring of water in the wilderness, the spring on the way to Shur. And he said, 'Hagar, slave-girl of Sarai, where have you come from and where are you going?' She said, 'I am running away from my mistress Sarai.' The angel of the Lord said to her, 'Return to your mistress, and submit to her.' The angel of the Lord also said to her, 'I will so greatly multiply your offspring that they cannot be counted for multitude.' And the angel of the Lord said to her,

'Now you have conceived and shall bear a son; you shall call him Ishmael,

for the Lord has given heed to your affliction. He shall be a wild ass of a man, with his hand against everyone, and everyone's hand against him; and he shall live at odds with all his kin.' So she named the Lord who spoke to her, 'You are El-roi'; for she said, 'Have I really seen God and remained alive after seeing him?' Therefore the well was called Beer-lahai-roi; it

lies between Kadesh and Bered.

Your gates will always be open; \*
by day or night they will never be shut.
They will call you, The City of the Lord, \*
The Zion of the Holy One of Israel.
Violence will no more be heard in your land, \*
ruin or destruction within your borders.
You will call your walls, Salvation, \*
and all your portals, Praise.
The sun will no more be your light by day; \*
by night you will not need the brightness of the moon.
The Lord will be your everlasting light, \*
and your God will be your glory.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \*
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

# Second Lesson

## John 5:19-29

Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, the Son can do nothing on his own, but only what he sees the Father doing; for whatever the Father does, the Son does likewise. The Father loves the Son and shows him all that he himself is doing; and he will show him greater works than these, so that you will be astonished. Indeed, just as the Father raises the dead and gives them life, so also the Son gives life to whomsoever he wishes. The Father judges no one but has given all judgement to the Son, so that all may honor the Son just as they honor the Father. Anyone who does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who sent him. Very truly, I tell you, anyone who hears my word and believes him who sent me

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People Thanks be to God.

The Song of Zechariah Said in unison

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel; \*
he has come to his people and set them free.
He has raised up for us a mighty savior, \*
born of the house of his servant David.
Through his holy prophets he promised of old,
that he would save us from our enemies, \*
from the hands of all who hate us.
He promised to show mercy to our fathers \*
and to remember his holy covenant.
This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham, \*
to set us free from the hands of our enemies,

has eternal life, and does not come under judgement, but has passed from death to life.

'Very truly, I tell you, the hour is coming, and is now here, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God, and those who hear will live. For just as the Father has life in himself, so he has granted the Son also to have life in himself; and he has given him authority to execute judgement, because he is the Son of Man. Do not be astonished at this; for the hour is coming when all who are in their graves will hear his voice and will come out—those who have done good, to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil, to the resurrection of condemnation.

Free to worship him without fear, \* holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.

You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High, \* for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way,

To give his people knowledge of salvation \*

by the forgiveness of their sins.

In the tender compassion of our God \*

the dawn from on high shall break upon us,

To shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death, \* and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \* as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

# The Apostles' Creed

Officiant and People

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth; I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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 Prayers

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Officiant Let us pray.

Officiant and People

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, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

## Suffrages A

- V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;
- R. And grant us your salvation.
- V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;
- R. Let your people sing with joy.
- V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;
- R. For only in you can we live in safety.
- V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;
- R. And guide us in the way of justice and truth.
- V. Let your way be known upon earth;
- R. Your saving health among all nations.
- V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;
- R. Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.
- V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;
- R. And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.

#### The Collects

Prayed by Officiant

The Collect of the Day (Third Sunday after the Epiphany)

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

The Collect to Commemorate Timothy and Titus, Companions of Paul

Almighty God, who called Timothy and Titus to be evangelists and teachers, and made them strong to endure hardship: Strengthen us to stand fast in adversity, and to live godly and righteous lives in this present time, that with sure confidence we may look for our blessed hope, the glorious appearing of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.* 

#### A Collect for Guidance

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being: We humbly pray you so to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.* 

### A Prayer of Self-Dedication

Almighty and eternal God, so draw our hearts to you, so guide our minds, so fill our imaginations, so control our wills, that we may be wholly yours, utterly dedicated to you; and then use us, we pray, as you will, and always to your glory and the welfare of your people; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. *Amen*.

We pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ, and particularly those throughout the Anglican communion, remembering today especially:

The Diocese of Kajiado (Kenya) The Rt Revd Gadiel Katanga Lenini, Bishop. We pray also for our Diocese of Southeast Florida and our Bishop, The Rt Revd Peter Eaton; and our companion dioceses, remembering today especially the Diocese of Haiti, The Rt Revd Jean Zaché Duracin, Bishop.

# A Prayer for Mission

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. *Amen.* 

We pray also for our own parish family, and those dear to them, remembering today especially: Pam, Janet, Tom, Sally, Alice's family, Mike and Alicia and family, Janet, Mary, Tindy, Marj, Stephen and Jennifer, Kristian, Marie and family, Allison and family, Keith and Janet, Susan, Roy, Sarah, Jeff, Frank, Becky's family, Patricia, Elaine, Priscilla, Steve, and Joey.

We pray also today for our Grow ministries, remembering especially:

Bible Study, that by the study and discussion of scripture, we may hear God's word in our lives, and may act accordingly; and

Youth Confirmation, that our youth members may grow into the full stature of Christ.

#### A Prayer for Clergy and People

Almighty and everlasting God, from whom comes every good and perfect gift: Send down upon our bishops, and other clergy, and upon the congregations committed to their charge, the healthful Spirit of your grace: and, that they may truly please you, pour upon them the continual dew of your blessing. Grant this, O Lord, for the honor of our Advocate and Mediator, Jesus Christ. *Amen.* 

At this time, we invite your prayers of petition, intercession and thanksgiving, either shared with all or held in the silence of your hearts.



# A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

Prayed by Officiant

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. *Amen*.

Officiant Let us bless the Lord. People Thanks be to God.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. *Amen.* 2 *Corinthians* 13:14