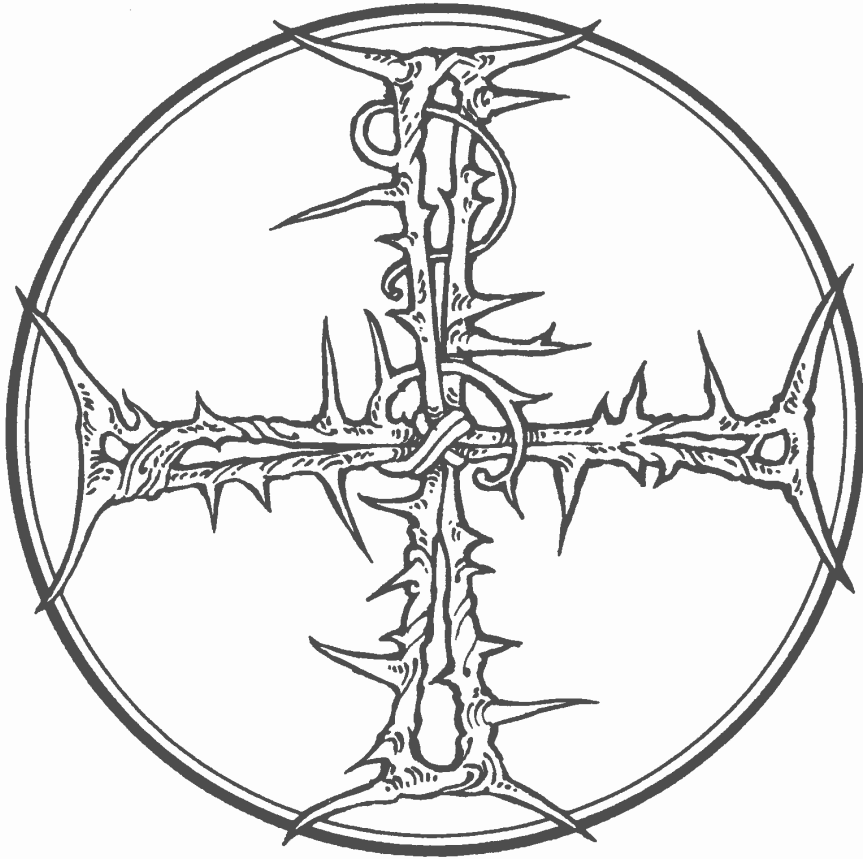


JUDICA

MID-WEEK

Wednesday 9 April A:D 2025



✠ THE DIVINE SERVICE ✠

6:00pm

Please silence all phones and devices before service begins.

THE PRELUDE

The bell tolls three times to signify the beginning of service in reverence of the Holy Trinity. After the tolls, the Processional Hymn will begin.

Please STAND and FACE THE PROCESSION as it passes.

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

659 *Lord of Our Life*

✠ THE PREPARATION ✠

In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

ST. MATTHEW 28:19B; [18:20]

Amen.

Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

[HEBREWS 10:22]

Please KNEEL IF YOU DESIRE AND ARE ABLE

Our help is in the name of the Lord,
who made heaven and earth.

PSALM 124:8

I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the LORD,
and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

PSALM 32:5

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination. The pastor will resume...

O almighty God, merciful Father, I a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

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✠ Hymns ✠

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Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

[ST. JOHN 20:19-23]

Please STAND

☩ THE SERVICE OF THE WORD ☩

THE INTROIT

PSALM 18:48A; PSALM 18:1-2A



| He de- | livereth me / from mine enemies:

Yea, Thou liftest me up

above those that rise up a- / gainst me, O Lord.—

I will love / Thee, O LORD, my strength.

The LORD is my / rock, and my fortress.

The Gloria Patri is omitted during Passiontide.

| He de- | livereth me / from mine enemies:

Yea, Thou liftest me up

above those that rise up a- / gainst me, O Lord.—

THE KYRIE

ST. MARK 10:47



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



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

THE SALUTATION

2 TIMOTHY 4:22

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Let us pray. We beseech Thee, Almighty God, mercifully to look upon Thy people, that by Thy great goodness they may be governed and preserved evermore both in body and soul; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.

Amen.

Please BE SEATED

THE EPISTLE

LEVITICUS 19:1-2A, 10B-19A, 25B

In those days: The LORD spoke to Moses, saying, “Speak to all the congregation of the children of Israel, and say to them: ‘I am the LORD your God. You shall not steal, nor deal falsely, nor lie to one another. And you shall not swear by My name falsely, nor shall you profane the name of your God: I am the LORD. You shall not cheat your neighbor, nor rob him. The wages of him who is hired shall not remain with you all night until morning. You shall not curse the deaf, nor put a stumbling block before the blind, but shall fear your God: I am the LORD. You shall do no injustice in judgment. You shall not be partial to the poor, nor honor the person of the mighty. In righteousness you shall judge your neighbor. You shall not go about as a talebearer among your people; nor shall you take a stand against the life of your neighbor: I am the LORD. You shall not hate your brother in your heart. You shall surely rebuke your neighbor, and not bear sin because of him. You shall not take vengeance, nor bear any grudge against the children of your people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD. You shall keep My statutes, for I am the LORD your God.’ ”

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please STAND

THE GRADUAL AND TRACT

PSALM 30:1, 2-3; 103:10; 79:8-9



I will extol / Thee, O LÔRD:

For Thou hast lifted me up,

and hast not made my foes / to rejoice over me.**O LORD my God, I cried / unto Thêe:****- / And Thou hast healed me.**

O LORD, Thou hast brought up my soul / from the grâve:

Thou hast kept me alive,

that I should not go / down to the pit.—

O Lord, deal not with us af- / ter our sîns;**Nor reward us according / to our iniquities.**

O Lord, remember not against us for- / mer iniquities:

Let Thy tender mercies speedily prevent us:

for / we are brought very low.**Help us, O God of our salvation,****for the glory / of Thy nâme,****And deliver us, O Lord,****and purge away our / sins, for Thy name's sake.****THE HOLY GOSPEL**

ST. JOHN 10:22-38

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

The continuation of the ✠ Holy Gospel ✠ according to ✠ St. John.

Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

✠ *At that time:* It was the Feast of Dedication in Jerusalem, and it was winter. And Jesus walked in the temple, in Solomon's porch. Then the Jews surrounded Him and said to Him, "How long do You keep us in doubt? If You are the Christ, tell us plainly." Jesus answered them, "I told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in My Father's name, they bear witness of Me. But you

do not believe, because you are not of My sheep, as I said to you. My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. And I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; neither shall anyone snatch them out of My hand. My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of My Father's hand. I and My Father are one." Then the Jews took up stones again to stone Him. Jesus answered them, "Many good works I have shown you from My Father. For which of those works do you stone Me?" The Jews answered Him, saying, "For a good work we do not stone You, but for blasphemy, and because You, being a Man, make Yourself God." Jesus answered them, "Is it not written in your law, 'I said, "You are gods" '? If He called them gods, to whom the word of God came (and the Scripture cannot be broken), do you say of Him whom the Father sanctified and sent into the world, 'You are blaspheming,' because I said, 'I am the Son of God'? If I do not do the works of My Father, do not believe Me; but if I do, though you do not believe Me, believe the works, that you may know and believe that the Father is in Me, and I in Him."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**THE NICENE CREED****I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.**

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven *and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man*; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. **And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures**

and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the ✝ life of the world to come. Amen.

Please BE SEATED

THE HYMN OF THE DAY 615 *When in the Hour of Deepest Need*

THE SERMON

Please STAND

THE OFFERTORY

PSALM 51:10-12

Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
 new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
 way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it
 from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -
 tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

THE OFFERTORY VERSE

PSALM 59:1

Deliver me from mine e- / nemies, O my God:
 Defend me from them that rise up a- / gainst me, O Lord.—

Please BE SEATED

THE OFFERING

Create in Me

Please KNEEL IF YOU DESIRE AND ARE ABLE

THE LITANY (*see insert*; it is THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH for Lent)
 [I TIMOTHY 2:1-4]

Please STAND

THE SERVICE OF ✝ THE SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR ✝

THE PREFACE

The Lord be with you. 2 TIMOTHY 4:22
And with thy spirit.

Lift up your hearts. [COLOSSIANS 3:1]
We lift them up unto the Lord.

Let us give thanks unto the LORD our God. [PSALM 136]
It is meet and right so to do.

It is truly meet, right, and salutary... praising You and saying:

THE SANCTUS

ISAIAH 6:3; ST. MATTHEW 21:9

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;
 heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. ✠ Bless - ed is He,



bles - ed is He, bles - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Please KNEEL IF YOU DESIRE AND ARE ABLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ST. MATTHEW 6:9-13

**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
forever and ever. Amen.**

THE WORDS OF CHRIST'S TESTAMENT

ST. MATTHEW 26:26-28;

ST. MARK 14:22-24; ST. LUKE 22:19-20; 1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-25

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: TAKE, EAT, THIS IS MY ✠ BODY, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, DRINK OF IT, ALL OF YOU; THIS CUP IS THE NEW TESTAMENT IN MY ✠ BLOOD, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.

THE PAX DOMINI

ST. JOHN 20:19

The ✠ peace of the Lord be with you always.
Amen.

THE AGNUS DEI

ST. JOHN 1:29



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a - way the sin of the



world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that



tak - est a - way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a - way the sin of the



world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

THE COMMUNION VERSE

PSALM 26:6-7



I will wash mine / hands in innocence:
So will I compass Thine / altar, O LORD:—
**That I may publish with the voice / of thanksgiving,
And tell / of all Thy wondrous works.**

Please BE SEATED


THE COMMUNION HYMN

630 *Now, My Tongue, the Mystery Telling*

Please STAND

THE NUNC DIMITTIS

ST. LUKE 2:29-32



Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac -
 cord - ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,
 which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,
 a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy
 peo - ple Is - ra - el.

THE THANKSGIVING

PSALM 107: 1

Oh, give thanks unto the LORD for He is good.

And His mercy endureth forever.

Let us pray. Assist us mercifully, O Lord our God: that we whom Thou hast here refreshed with Thy holy mysteries, may be defended by Thy perpetual help; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.

Amen.

THE SALUTATION

2 TIMOTHY 4: 22

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

THE BENEDICAMUS

[PSALM 103: 1]

Bless we the LORD.

Thanks be to God.

Please KNEEL IF YOU DESIRE AND ARE ABLE

THE BENEDICTION

NUMBERS 6: 24- 26

The LORD bless you and keep you.

The LORD make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The LORD lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.

Amen. Amen. Amen.

Please STAND

THE RETIRING PROCESSION WITH POSTLUDE

Please FACE THE PROCESSION as it passes.

Once the Procession reaches the narthex, you may depart in ✠ peace.



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