



THE CHURCH OF ST. JOHN ON THE MOUNTAIN

The Third Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist Rite I

13 June 2021

LITURGY OF THE WORD

All stand as the Clergy and Sacred Minister enter in silence

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

Assembly: And blessed be his Kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

Presider: Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open ... through Christ, our Lord.

Assembly: Amen.

THE KYRIE

Presider: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assembly: Christ, have mercy upon us.

Presider: Lord, have mercy upon us.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider: The Lord be with you.

Assembly: And with thy spirit.

Presider: Let us pray.

Keep, O Lord, we beseech thee, thy household the Church in thy steadfast faith and love, that by the help of thy grace we may proclaim thy truth with boldness, and minister thy justice with compassion; for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Assembly: Amen.

The assembly is seated for the readings

THE FIRST LESSON

2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17

We are always confident; even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord~ for we walk by faith, not by sight. Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. For all of us must appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense for what has been done in the body, whether good or evil.

For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them. From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

The Lector concludes: The Word of the Lord.

The Assembly responds: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 20

1 **M**ay the Lord answer you in the day of trouble, *
the Name of the God of Jacob defend you;
2 Send you help from his holy place *
and strengthen you out of Zion;
3 Remember all your offerings *
and accept your burnt sacrifice;
4 Grant you your heart's desire *
and prosper all your plans.
5 We will shout for joy at your victory
and triumph in the Name of our God; *
may the Lord grant all your requests.

6 Now I know that the Lord gives victory to his anointed; *
he will answer him out of his holy heaven,
with the victorious strength of his right hand.
7 Some put their trust in chariots and some in horses, *
but we will call upon the Name of the Lord our God.
8 They collapse and fall down, *
but we will arise and stand upright.
9 O Lord, give victory to the king *
and answer us when we call.

All stand with the Presider

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 4:26-34

The Gospeller announces: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.
The Assembly responds: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Jesus said, "The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. The earth produces of itself, first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle, because the harvest has come."

He also said, "With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade."

With many such parables he spoke the word to them, as they were able to hear it; he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

The Gospeller says: The Gospel of the Lord.
The Assembly Responds: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev. David L. Jones

THE NICENE CREED

Said by all, standing

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 PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Intercessor: Let us pray for the Church and the world saying, “*Lord, hear our prayer.*”

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Said by all

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.

The Presider pronounces the absolution to which the Assembly responds, “Amen.”

THE PEACE

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

Assembly: And with thy Spirit.

WORDS OF WELCOME

The assembly is seated and brief announcements are made

THE HOLY COMMUNION

AT THE OFFERTORY

Presider: All things come of thee, O Lord.

Assembly: And of thine own have we given thee.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: Eucharistic Prayer II

Presider: The Lord be with you.

Assembly: And with thy spirit.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

Assembly: We lift them to the Lord.

Presider: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

Assembly: It is meet and right so to do.

THE SANCTUS

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.
Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Presider: As our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say,

All: **O**ur 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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

A period of silence is kept

Presider: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

Assembly: Therefore let us keep the feast.

Presider: O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

Assembly: have mercy upon us.

Presider: O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

Assembly: have mercy upon us.

Presider: O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

Assembly: grant us thy peace.

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

Said by all

We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

The Presider shows the Holy Things to the assembly and says:

Presider: The Gifts of God for the people of God.

Every member of the assembly is welcomed and encouraged to approach the Lord's Table

THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

THE BLESSING

The Presider invokes God's blessing upon the assembly, to which they respond "Amen."

THE DISMISSAL

Presider: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Assembly: Thanks be to God.



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St. John on the Mountain Weekly Calendar

June 13, The Third Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I, Chapel
 9:00 am Choir Rehearsal
 10:00 am Holy Eucharist with Music, Rite II, Church
 3:00 pm Piano Recital, Private Event

June 14, Monday

8:00 am Organ Rehearsal until 12:00 pm

June 15, Tuesday

10:00 am Morning Prayer, Chapel
 7:00 pm Vestry Meeting

June 16, Wednesday

8:15 am The Open Table
 5:00 pm Evening Prayer

June 17, Thursday

10:00 am Morning Prayer, Chapel

June 20, The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I, Chapel
 9:00 am Choir Rehearsal
 10:00 am Holy Eucharist with Music, Rite II, Church

Remember in Prayer

Dorota Anderson, Karen Argent-Belcher, Helena Beinstock, Peter Beinstock, Francis Beirne Bidegan, Charley, Kathy Connolly, Aiden Crawford, Diane, Eleanor Dean, Luz Feireira, Frank, Eddie Franz, Jack Fritts, Nathaniel Gilmartin, Gwen Hauser, Jake, Jude, Lisa Litschi, Margaret, George Mullen, Jr., Luke Rosen, Scott, John Summers, Pat Warlick, Peter Warlick, Nancy Wilson, Sheila Wise, Bill Young

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Stephanie Haueis, Michael Mitchell,
 Heather McBride Leef, Peter Tober

Class of 2023

Joy Baird, Mary Courtemanche,
 Bill Young

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Joe Ray

JUNE 13, 2021

8 AM

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Sue Kennedy

Lector

Nina Dixon

10 AM

Eucharistic Minister

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Lector

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 Jocelyn Gilmartin, Lori Morris, Gail Wragg