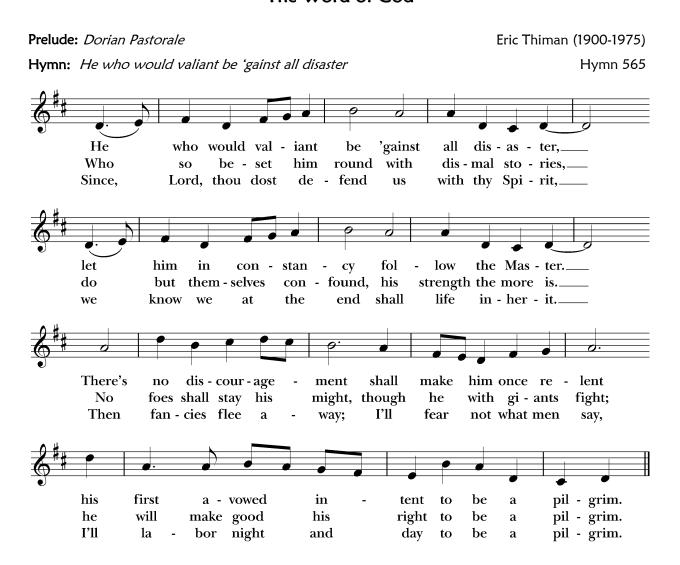
# The Third Sunday After Pentecost

10:00 AM + June 21, 2020

Welcome! You are invited to participate fully in our worship. Whoever you are, wherever you are on your journey of faith, welcome!

# The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two The Word of God



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

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

## Celebrant Collect for Purity

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.

Glory to God S280



Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Let us pray together.

**Collect** Said in unison

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your lovingkindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.* 

# A Reading from the Book of Jeremiah 20:7-13

O LORD, you have enticed me, and I was enticed; you have overpowered me, and you have prevailed. I have become a laughingstock all day long; everyone mocks me.

For whenever I speak, I must cry out, I must shout, "Violence and destruction!"

For the word of the LORD has become for me a reproach and derision all day long. If I say, "I will not mention him, or speak any more in his name," then within me there is something like a burning fire shut up in my bones; I am weary with holding it in, and I cannot.

For I hear many whispering: "Terror is all around! Denounce him! Let us denounce him!" All my close friends are watching for me to stumble.

"Perhaps he can be enticed, and we can prevail against him, and take our revenge on him."

But the LORD is with me like a dread warrior; therefore my persecutors will stumble, and they will not prevail. They will be greatly shamed, for they will not succeed. Their eternal dishonor will never be forgotten.

O LORD of hosts, you test the righteous, you see the heart and the mind; let me see your retribution upon them, for to you I have committed my cause.

Sing to the LORD; praise the LORD! For he has delivered the life of the needy from the hands of evildoers.

People's response after the reading Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm 69:8-20

- 8 Surely, for your sake have I suffered reproach, \* and shame has covered my face.
- 9 I have become a stranger to my own kindred, \* an alien to my mother's children.
- 10 Zeal for your house has eaten me up; \*

the scorn of those who scorn you has fallen upon me.

- 11 I humbled myself with fasting, \*
  - but that was turned to my reproach.
- 12 I put on sack-cloth also, \*
  - and became a byword among them.
- 13 Those who sit at the gate murmur against me, \* and the drunkards make songs about me.
- 14 But as for me, this is my prayer to you, \* at the time you have set, O LORD:

- 15 "In your great mercy, O God, \* answer me with your unfailing help.
- 16 Save me from the mire; do not let me sink; \*
  - let me be rescued from those who hate me and out of the deep waters.
- 17 Let not the torrent of waters wash over me, neither let the deep swallow me up; \* do not let the Pit shut its mouth upon me.
- 18 Answer me, O LORD, for your love is kind; \* in your great compassion, turn to me.
- 19 Hide not your face from your servant; \*

  be swift and answer me, for I am in distress.
- 20 Draw near to me and redeem me; \* because of my enemies deliver me."

## A Reading from Paul's Letter to the Romans 6:1b-11

Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

People's response after the reading

Thanks be to God.

# The Holy Gospel according to Matthew 10:24-39

People Said before the reading

Said after the reading

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to the twelve disciples, "A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.

Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword. For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; and one's foes will be members of one's own household.

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it."

The Sermon

The Reverend Dr. Paul Kolbet

Silent Meditation

The Nicene Creed Spoken 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 – Form V

In peace, let us pray to the Lord, for the holy Church of God, that it may be filled with truth and love, and be found without fault at the day of your coming, we pray to you, O Lord.

For Michael our Presiding Bishop, for Alan and Gale our Bishops, for all bishops and other ministers, and for all the holy people of God, we pray to you, O Lord.

For all who fear God and believe in you, Lord Christ, that our divisions may cease, and that all may be one as you and the Father are one, we pray to you, O Lord.

For the mission of the Church, that in faithful witness it may preach the Gospel to the ends of the earth, we pray to you, O Lord.

For those who do not yet believe, and for those who have lost their faith, that they may receive the light of the Gospel, we pray to you, O Lord.

For the peace of the world, that a spirit of respect and forbearance may grow among nations and peoples, we pray to you, O Lord.

For those in positions of public trust [especially Donald our President and Charlie our Governor], that they may serve justice, and promote the dignity and freedom of every person, we pray to you, O Lord.

For a blessing upon all human labor, and for the right use of the riches of creation, that the world may be freed from poverty, famine, and disaster, we pray to you, O Lord.

For the poor, the persecuted, the sick, and all who suffer; for refugees, prisoners, and all who are in danger; that they may be relieved and protected, we pray to you, O Lord.

For this congregation, that we may be delivered from hardness of heart, and show forth your glory in all that we do, we pray to you, O Lord.

For ourselves; for the forgiveness of our sins, and for the grace of the Holy Spirit to amend our lives, we pray to you, O Lord.

For all who have commended themselves to our prayers; for our families, friends, and neighbors; that being freed from anxiety, they may live in joy, peace, and health, we pray to you, O Lord.

For \_\_\_\_\_, we pray to you, O Lord.

For all who have died in the communion of your Church, and those whose faith is known to you alone, that, with all the saints, they may have rest in that place where there is no pain or grief, but life eternal, we pray to you, O Lord.

Rejoicing in the fellowship of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life to Christ our God.

<u>PRAY FOR THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION</u> Pray for the Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion), The Most Revd Henry Chukwudum Ndukuba - Metropolitan & Primate of all Nigeria & Bishop of Abuja.

We pray for our Presiding Bishop Michael; Alan and Gayle, our Bishops, for Paul, our Interim Rector and for Valerie Cowart, Deacon.

In our Diocese: Church of the Holy Spirit, Fall River, St. Luke's Church, Fall River, St. Gabriel's Church, Marion, St. Philip of Bethsaida, Mattapoisett.

We also pray for the faith communities in Chelmsford, especially for Trairatanaram Buddhist Temple.

**PRAY FOR THOSE JOINING GOD'S MISSION IN OUR PARISH** especially for the Vestry as they plan for re-gathering keeping in mind the safety of the parishioners and the community.

We also, welcome, Carl Klein, our new Minister of Music and pray for his ministry here at All Saints'.

## PRAY FOR THOSE IN OUR PARISH IN NEED OF HEALING:

John MacKenzie lung cancer – in rehab

Christopher Ducharme two broken wrists from falling off swing

Molly Loder Brain cancer
Nate Barrow Medical concerns

## PRAY FOR FAMILY & FRIENDS OF OUR PARISHIONERS:

Charles Fedolfi brother of Laura Marshall - recovering from a stroke

Betsey Wilson Dan Wilson's mother – chronic illness

Family of Eleanor Bempkins Scott Bempkins' aunt - passed away at age 98
Sampath S friend and work colleague of Scott Bempkins - cancer

Hugh Fossum friend of Katie LaRochelle - Hugh is having a recurrence of myeloma, prayers for

Hugh & his wife Carol as they deal with healing and treatment while also being

quarantined from their children and grandchildren.

Deb Lundgren Cini, friend of The Del Llano family - at MGH ICU with COVID-19

Diana Green sister of Janet Ceaser – at Burford Nursing Home and has tested positive for

COVID-19

Alyson Ward & housemates daughter of Max & Barbara Ward – protection from the spread of the virus.

Michelle Coddington niece of Linda Coddington – diagnosed with COVID-19

Dan friend of Katy Belanger – stage 4 lung cancer

Family of David Kennedy – friend of Scott Bempkins – loss of husband/father to Parkinson's disease

Chris Gobron brother of Deb Collins – recurrence of esophageal cancer

Jennifer Sister of Lissie Bates-Haus - Cancer Joanna Nickerson Deacon Bruce's wife - Parkinsons Erismath M. Kintu Rowena's father – health concerns

Phil Bisselle friend of the Snedens – recovering from a stroke

Prayers for the Departed - Ted Namm, neighbor of Bob & Kate Friesner

### PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE AT HOME, IN NURSING HOMES, OR LIVING WITH CHRONIC

<u>ILLNESSES</u>: Terry Hunter, Brian Hunter's brother, Chaz Freeman, Lois Freeman's son, Vinnie and Jeanette Freeman, Janet Laughlin at Newbury Court, Concord, Larry Van Walters, Ken Lager, twin brother of Kate Friesner, Katherine Luetters, Garrett Burgess, Ginny Wright, D'Youville, Lowell

<u>PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES AND THEIR FAMILIES</u>: Especially for those who have been deployed overseas, and for all others serving our country.

#### PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS AND FAMILY WHO ARE HEALTH CARE WORKERS:

Theresa Camacho, Chris Pyne, Linda Cahill, Pam Meinhardt, Larisa Ducharme, Lois Freeman, Nancy St. Onge, Kiyomi Hammoumi, Gail Carmichel, sister of Linda Coles, Leigh Lovely, sister of Lynn Gresock, Kathryn Harrington, Ben, Dave, & Marlene Hillman, Michelle & Dave Colton, Dr. Amanda Kowalski, daughter-in-law of Karen Kowalskim Cherie & Scott Hamelin, Christy Brodeur.

The Candle is lit in memory of Herb Willman, Jr.

Celebrant adds a concluding collect

#### Confession

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.

## **Absolution**

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 Peace

The Peace of the Lord be always with you

And also with you

Offertory: Carillon Herbert Murrill (1909-1952)

#### **Announcements**

#### The Lord's Prayer

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.

# Contemplative Eucharist

## **Concluding Prayer**

Almighty God, our fast from Holy Communion does not arise out of any lack of devotion to you, but out of the love you have commanded that we have for one another. Give us strength to endure and bless this fast so that our spiritual hunger will lead us to worship you as one family once again gathered around your altar where with your Son Jesus Christ you live and reign with the Holy Spirit, one God, unto ages of ages. Amen.

#### The Blessing

Postlude: Postlude George Dyson (1883-1964)

Join us for online coffee hour at 11am on Sunday! The Zoom link is found in an email invitation sent on Sunday mornings along with the links to other ways to join us during the week.

