

BENEDICTION

- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.
- C** Amen

SONG TO DEPART

“Blessed Be Your Name”

Matt Redman

1. Blessed be Your Name in the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of abundance flow blessed be Your name
And blessed be Your name when I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness blessed be Your name

Refrain: Every blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise when the darkness closes in, Lord Still I will say; Blessed be the name of the Lord; Blessed be Your name

Blessed be the name of the Lord; blessed be Your glorious name

2. Blessed be Your name When the sun's shining down on me
When the world's 'all as it should be 'Blessed be Your name
Blessed be Your name On the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering blessed be Your name

Bridge: You give and take away, You give and take away
My heart will choose to say, Lord, blessed be Your name (2X) then to

Refrain

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A Blended Order of the Divine Service

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday, February 27, 2010
5:00 am

Sunday, February 28, 2010
9:00 pm

✠ **The Sacrament of the Altar:** is celebrated today in the confidence that our Lord gives us His very body and blood to eat and drink in, with and under the bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our union with Him and one another. As we trust His words and repent of all sin, we proclaim His death until He returns. Since this act is a confession of our faith, anyone who is not yet instructed, in doubt, or holds a differing confession is asked first to speak with the Pastor.

✠ **Reminders for Those Coming To the Lord's Table...**

1. Children (those not yet receiving the Sacrament) are encouraged to approach the Lord's Table with their parent(s), in order to receive a blessing.
2. Women with lipstick are kindly asked to remove it prior to partaking from the common cup.
3. The cups in the center of the individual tray (containing the amber color liquid) are prepared for those who have a concern for alcohol consumption.
4. The distribution today will be: **at the Rail**

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

“Jesus Messiah”
“Your Name”
“Strong Tower”

Chris Tomlin
Phillip, Craig & Dean
A. Sprinkle & J. Micah

RINGING OF THE BELLS – PASTORAL GREETING

OPENING SONG

“Sanctuary”

J. Thompson & R. Scruggs

**Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true;
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for You. (3 times)**

INVOCATION

- P** In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** Amen

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

- P** I ask you before God, who searches the heart: Do you sincerely confess that you have sinned against God and deserved His wrath and punishment
- C** I do confess.
- P** Truly, you should confess; for Holy Scripture declares:

ALL: If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

P Do you, from your heart repent of all your sins committed in thought, word, and deed? Then declare so by saying:

C I do repent.

P Truly, you should repent, as did the penitent sinners: King David, who prayed for a contrite heart; Peter, who wept bitterly; the sinful woman; the prodigal son; and others.

P Do you sincerely believe that God, by grace, for Jesus' sake, will forgive you all your sins?

C I do believe.

P Truly, you should so believe, for Holy Scripture declares:

ALL: God so loved the world that He gave His only-begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

P Do you promise that with the aid of the Holy Spirit you will from this time forward seek to amend your sinful life? Then declare so by saying:

C I do promise

P Truly, you should so promise, for Christ, the Lord, says:

All: Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven.

P Finally, do you believe that through me, a called servant of God, you will receive the forgiveness of all your sins?

C I do believe.

P As you believe, even so may it be unto you. 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

PAX DOMINI

P The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

INTROIT

Psalm 74:1–3; Antiphon: Ps. 69:9

P For zeal for your house consumed me, and the reproaches of those who reproach you have fallen on me;

C O God, why do you cast us off forever? Why does you anger smoke against the sheep of your pasture?

P Remember your congregation, which you have purchased of old, which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your heritage!

C Remember Mount Zion, where you have dwelt. Direct your steps to the perpetual ruins; the enemy has destroyed everything in the sanctuary!

4. No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the pow'r of Christ in me; From life's first cry in final breath, Jesus commands my destiny. No Pow'r of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from His hand; 'Til He returns or calls me home, here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand!

“Be Thou My Vision”

Paul Baloche

1. Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart; Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art Thou my best thought, by day or by night, Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.
2. Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word; I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord; Thou my great Father, I Thy true son, Thou in my dwelling, and I with Thee one
3. Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise, Thou mine inheritance, now and always; Thou and Thou only, first in my heart, High King of heaven, my Treasure Thou art.
4. High King of heaven, my victory won, May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun! Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

BLESSING

P The true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you steadfast in the one true faith to life everlasting. Depart in peace.

C Amen

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

P Grant, O Lord, that the lips which have sung Your praise in the sanctuary

C May glorify You in the world,

P That the ears which have heard the voice of Your songs

C May be closed to the voice of clamor and dispute,

P That the eyes which have seen Your great love

C May also behold Your blessed hope,

P That the tongues which have confessed Your name

C May ever speak the truth,

P And that the bodies of all who have tasted of Your Son's living body and blood

C May, by Your wisdom, be restored to newness of life;

P Through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen

SONG TO THE LAMB OF GOD "The Lamb"

1. **The Lamb, the Lamb,—O Father, where's the sacrifice?
Faith sees, believes, God will provide The Lamb of price!**

**Refrain: Worthy is the Lamb whose death makes me His own!
The Lamb is reigning on His throne!**

SONGS FOR THE DISTRIBUTION

"Jesus Paid It All"

Elvina M. Hal

1. I hear the Savior say Thy strength indeed is small, child of weakness watch and pray
Find in me, Thine all in all

Refrain: Jesus paid it all, All to Him I owe, Sin hath left a crimson stain,
He washed it white as snow

2. Lord, now indeed I find, Thy power and Thine alone, can change the leper's spots.
And melt the heart of stone. Refrain
3. And when before thy throne, I stand in Him complete Jesus died my soul to save.
My lips shall still repeat. Refrain

"In Christ Alone"

K. Getty S. Townend

1. In Christ alone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, my song; this
cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm. What
heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease.
My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.
2. In Christ alone, who took on flesh, Fullness of God in helpless Babe? This gift of
love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save. Til on the cross as
Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied. For ev'ry sin on Him was laid; here in the
death of Christ I live.
3. There in the ground His body lay, Light of the world by darkness slain; Then bursting
forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again! And as He stands in victory,
sin's curse has lost its grip on me; for I am His and He is mine, bought with the
precious blood of Christ.

**ALL: Glory be 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**

P For zeal for your house consumed me, and the reproaches of those who
reproach you have fallen on me;

SALUTATION

P The Lord be with you. **C** **And also with you.**

COLLECT OF THE DAY

P O God, You see that of ourselves we have no strength. By your mighty power
defend us from all adversities that may happen to the body and from all evil thoughts
that may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns
with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Jeremiah 26:8-15

⁸And when Jeremiah had finished speaking all that the LORD had commanded him to
speak to all the people, then the priests and the prophets and all the people laid hold of
him, saying, "You shall die! ⁹Why have you prophesied in the name of the LORD, saying,
'This house shall be like Shiloh, and this city shall be desolate, without inhabitant?'" And
all the people gathered around Jeremiah in the house of the LORD. ¹⁰When the officials
of Judah heard these things; they came up from the king's house to the house of the
LORD and took their seat in the entry of the New Gate of the house of the LORD. ¹¹Then
the priests and the prophets said to the officials and to all the people, "This man
deserves the sentence of death, because he has prophesied against this city, as you
have heard with your own ears." ¹²Then Jeremiah spoke to all the officials and all the
people, saying, "The LORD sent me to prophesy against this house and this city all the
words you have heard. ¹³Now therefore mend your ways and your deeds, and obey the
voice of the LORD your God and the LORD will relent of the disaster that he has
pronounced against you. ¹⁴But as for me, behold, I am in your hands. Do with me as
seems good and right to you. ¹⁵Only know for certain that if you put me to death, you will
bring innocent blood upon yourselves and upon this city and its inhabitants, for in truth
the LORD sent me to you to speak all these words in your ears."

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God**

GRADUAL

P O come, let us fix our eyes on Jesus the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

EPISTLE

Philippians 3:17-4:1

¹⁷Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on those who walk according to the example you have in us. ¹⁸For many, of whom I have often told you and now tell you even with tears, walk as enemies of the cross of Christ. ¹⁹Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things. ²⁰But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself. ¹Therefore, my brothers, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm thus in the Lord, my beloved.

L This is the Word of the Lord **C** Thanks be to God

HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 13:31-35

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the thirteenth chapter
C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

³¹At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to him, "Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you." ³²And he said to them, "Go and tell that fox, 'Behold, I cast out demons and perform cures today and tomorrow, and the third day I finish my course. ³³Nevertheless I must go on my way today and tomorrow and the day following, for it cannot be that a prophet should perish away from Jerusalem.' ³⁴O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often would I have gathered your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you would not! ³⁵Behold, your house is forsaken. And I tell you, you will not see me until you say, 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!'

P This is the Gospel of the Lord **C** Praise to You, O Christ

SONG OF THE DAY “Seek Ye First” LSB 712

SERMON “You Must Die!” *Jeremiah 26:8-15*

CREEDAL SONG “We All Believe In One True God” From Chicago Folk

- 1. **We all believe in one true God Maker of earth and heaven
The Father who to us in love, Hath the name of children given,
He in soul and body feeds us. All we need His hand provides us,
Through all snares and perils leads us Sees no harm betides us.
He cares for us by day and night; All things are governed by His might.**

- 2. **And we believe in Jesus Christ, His Son our Lord and Savior,
Who with the Father equal might, Hath pow’r and glory forever.
Born of Mary Virgin Mother By the working of the Spirit,
He became our elder brother, That Heav’n we might inherit.
Was crucified by sinful men, And raised by God to life a-gain.**

- 3. **And we in the Holy Ghost believe, Who Grace and Comfort giveth,
And with the Father and the Son in eternal glory liveth.
Who all Christian brothers even Keeps in unity of Spirit,
Sins are truly forgiven through the Blest Redeemer’s merit
All flesh shall rise again and we shall live with God eternally.**

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P Lord, in Your mercy -OR- **P** Let us pray to the Lord
C Hear our prayer **C** Lord, have mercy

After the final Petition:

P ...who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
C Amen

TITHES & OFFERINGS (please sign & pass pew pads)

VOLUNTARY “My Jesus Always at My Side” Todd Miller

ADMONITION TO COMMUNICANTS

LORD’S PRAYER

**ALL: 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**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you all. **C** And also with you.