

HOLY EUCHARIST—Rite I

A Penitential Order

OPENING ACCLAMATION (*BCP, p. 319*)

THE DECALOGUE (*BCP, p. 317*)

CONFESSION OF SIN (*BCP, 320*)

KYRIE (*BCP, p. 324*)

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy: Be gracious to all who have gone astray from thy ways, and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of thy Word, Jesus Christ thy Son; who with thee and the Holy Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

OLD TESTAMENT READING – Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18

After these things the word of the LORD came to Abram in a vision, ‘Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great.’ But Abram said, ‘O Lord GOD, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?’ And Abram said, ‘You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir.’ But the word of the LORD came to him, ‘This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir.’ He brought him outside and said, ‘Look towards heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them.’ Then he said to him, ‘So shall your descendants be.’ And he believed the LORD; and the LORD reckoned it to him as righteousness. Then he said to him, ‘I am the LORD who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans, to give you this land to possess.’ But he said, ‘O Lord GOD, how am I to know that I shall possess it?’ He said to him, ‘Bring me a heifer three years old, a female goat three years old, a ram three years old, a turtle-dove, and a young pigeon.’ He brought him all these and cut them in two, laying each half over against the other; but he did not cut the birds in two. And when birds of prey came down on the carcasses, Abram drove them away. As the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell upon Abram, and a deep and terrifying darkness descended upon him. When the sun had gone down and it was dark, a smoking fire-pot and a flaming torch passed between these pieces. On that day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying, ‘To your descendants I give this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the river Euphrates

PSALM 27

1. The LORD is my light and my salvation;
whom then shall I fear? *
the LORD is the strength of my life;
of whom then shall I be afraid?
2. When evildoers came upon me to eat up my flesh, *
it was they, my foes and my adversaries, who
stumbled and fell.
3. Though an army should rise up against me, *
yet my heart shall not be afraid;
4. And though war should rise up against me, *
yet will I put my trust in him.

5. One thing have I asked of the LORD;
one thing I seek; *
that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days
of my life;
6. To behold the fair beauty of the LORD *
and to seek him in his temple.
7. For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe
in his shelter; *
he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling
and set me high upon a rock.
8. Even now he lifts up my head *
above my enemies round about me.
9. Therefore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation
with sounds of great gladness; *
I will sing and make music to the LORD.
10. Hearken to my voice, O LORD, when I call; *
have mercy on me and answer me.
11. You speak in my heart and say, “Seek my face,” *
Your face, LORD, will I seek.
12. Hide not your face from me, *
nor turn away your servant in displeasure.
13. You have been my helper;
cast me not away; *
do not forsake me, O God of my salvation.
14. Though my father and my mother forsake me, *
the LORD will sustain me.
15. Show me your way, O LORD; *
lead me on a level path, because of my enemies.
16. Deliver me not into the hand of my adversaries, *
for false witnesses have risen up against me,
and also those who speak malice.
17. What if I had not believed
that I should see the goodness of the LORD *
in the land of the living!
18. O tarry and await the LORD’s pleasure;
be strong, and he shall comfort your heart; *
wait patiently for the LORD.

NEW TESTAMENT READING – Philippians 3:17—4:1

Brothers and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. He will transform the body of our humiliation so that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself. Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

THE GOSPEL LESSON – Luke 13:31-35

At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to him, ‘Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you.’ He said to them, ‘Go and tell that fox for me, “Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish my work. Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way,

because it is impossible for a prophet to be killed away from Jerusalem.” Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, “Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.” ’

SERMON – The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough

A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.

THE NICENE CREED (*BCP, p. 326*)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (*BCP, p.328*)

THE PEACE

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*BCP, p. 333*)

THE LORD’S PRAYER (*BCP, p. 336*)

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD (*BCP, p. 337*)

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (*BCP, p. 339*)

SOLEMN PRAYER OVER THE PEOPLE

DISMISSAL

ALTAR GUILD – Linda Holt, Suzanne Lee, Robin Ferguson, Deborah Brewington
SACRISTAN – Rob Barrick

PRAYERS

Today we pray for *Steve Wilburn, Tom Cato, Clayton Reeve, Jim Nettles, Harold Stewart, Warren Westcott, Patti West, Doris Stuart, Will Chappell, Joel Dermid, Carrie Teaford, Mildred Elmore, Carla Parker, Sumner Foster, Walter Merrill, and Coleman Helme. We pray also for those who have died, Margaret Atkinson, mother of Bill Atkinson.*

Traveler’s Aid (*one of the agencies the Cathedral supports*)) is a part of the Nashville Rescue Mission that helps stranded out-of-towners find refuge from the streets, and assists with their return to friends and family outside the Nashville area by providing bus passes and guidance for their travels. Contact Bill Coke, wcoke1@bellsouth.net, or Patti West, pattisgarden09@yahoo.com, for more information.

WELCOME!

We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning. Please complete a Visitor's Card (you will find one in the pew rack) and leave it with an usher or place it in the alms basin. A church member will be happy to answer questions about Christ Church Cathedral and your opportunities for fellowship, education, and servant ministry. You may also visit our website, christcathedral.org, to learn more about our parish. Thank you for visiting us today!

For the Hearing Impaired: Hearing assistance devices are available at the reception desk for use during worship. It is recommended that you bring your own earphones or ear buds for personal comfort.

CHURCH SCHOOL

Adults:

Sunday Forum

"For Better and For Worse: Why and How We Marry" Part I
Led by the Very Reverend Timothy Kimbrough (Parish Hall)

Centering Prayer

"Tools Matter for Practicing the Spiritual Life," by Mary Margaret Funk
(Chapel)

The Bible Challenge

Led by the Reverend Joshua Caler (Wheeler Room)

Faith and Family Matters

(810 Broadway Building)

Children's Classes

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

3 yr. olds, 4 yr. olds, Pre-Kindergarten 5's, 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades—Cheek Hall
Kindergarten, 4th, 5th and 6th grades—Cathedral Annex Building

Youth Classes:

7th-12th grades
(810 Broadway Building)

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, February 24

2 Lent

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast
8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Christian Education
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Level III Parent Open House
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Centering Prayer
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Alt. Gift Market Meeting
11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
4:00-7:30 p.m. Youth Family Dinner

MONDAY, February 25

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – Open for Prayer
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist
4:15 p.m. – Junior Choristers

TUESDAY, February 26

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
9:00 a.m. – Catechesis Training LI
11:00 a.m.– Companions in Christ
11:00 a.m.– Reconciliation
11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – Open for Prayer
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist
2:00 p.m. – Staff Meeting
5:30 p.m. – Centering Prayer
6:30 p.m. – EFM

WEDNESDAY, February 27

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
8:30 a.m. – EFM
11:00 a.m. – The Bible Challenge
11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – Open for Prayer
11:30 a.m. – EFM
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

4:30 p.m. – Senior Choristers
5:15 p.m. – Wed. Eve. Dinner
6:00 p.m. – Journey In Faith
6:30-7:30 p.m. – Wed. Eve. Program

THURSDAY, February 28

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
11:00 a.m. – Bones Workshop
11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – Open for Prayer
12:00 p.m. – Lenten Writing Circle
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist
12:15 p.m. – Centering Prayer
5:00 p.m. – Room in the Inn
7:00 p.m. – Cathedral Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, March 1

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer
11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – Open for Prayer
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist
6:00 p.m. – First Friday Liturgy
7:00 p.m. – Reception

SATURDAY, March 2

10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. – Cathedral Tours

SUNDAY, March 3

3 Lent

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast
8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Christian Education
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Centering Prayer
11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist
11:00 a.m. – VBS Planning Meeting
2:00-3:00 p.m. – Church in the Yard (*off-site*)
4:00 p.m. – Michael Samis Concert
5:00 p.m. – Reception

FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24

7:00 a.m.

CELEBRANT AND PREACHER

The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, *Dean and Rector*

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ORDER OF WORSHIP



SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

FEBRUARY 24, 2013

7:00 a.m.

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A Center for the Community of the Cross of Nails

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD LEVEL III



Please join us in the Cathedral Annex Building today, for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Open House for 5th and 6th grade parents. We will gather briefly at 9:45 a.m. in the Cathedral Annex Building and then dismiss to the children's atriums. Parent will have an opportunity to observe their children in the atrium and learn more about the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

-Becky Rochford