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Temptation on the Mountain (scene 3), Duccio di Buoninsegna (c.1255-1319)

First Sunday in Lent

9 March 2025

Solemn High Mass

Our Church stands on the unceded traditional territory of the Anishinabe Algonquin Nation.

Organ Prelude

Erbarm dich mein, o Herre Gott

“Have mercy on me, O Lord God”

Johann Nicolaus Hanff

(1663-1711)

Mass Setting

Music of the Mass: Missa ‘Orbis factor’

Plainsong

Creed: Merbecke

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

The Great Litany

All kneel

O God the Father, Creator of heaven and earth: have mercy upon us.

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O God the Son, Redeemer of the world: have mercy upon us.

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O God the Holy Ghost, Sanctifier of the faithful: have mercy upon us.

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O holy, blessed, and glorious Trinity, three Persons and one God: have mercy upon us.

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Saint Mary Mother of God our Saviour, Jesus Christ:

Pray for us.

All ye holy Angels and Archangels, and all ye holy orders of blessed spirits:

Pray for us.

All stand

Remember not, Lord, our offences, nor the offences of our

forebears; spare us, good Lord, spare thy people, whom thou hast redeemed with thy most precious blood.

Spare us, good Lord.

From all evil and mischief; from sin, from the crafts and assaults of the devil; from thy wrath, and from everlasting condemnation,

Good Lord, deliver us.

From all blindness of heart; from pride, vainglory, and hypocrisy; from envy, hatred, and malice, and all uncharitableness,

Good Lord, deliver us.

From all uncleanness in thought, word, and deed; and from all the deceits of the world, the flesh, and the devil,

Good Lord, deliver us.

From lightning and tempest; from earthquake, fire, and flood; from plague, pestilence, and famine; from battle and murder, and from sudden death,

Good Lord, deliver us.

From all sedition, conspiracy, and rebellion; from all false doctrine, heresy, and schism; from hardness of heart, and contempt of thy Word and Commandment,

Good Lord, deliver us.

By the mystery of thy holy Incarnation; by thy holy Nativity; by thy Baptism, Fasting, and Temptation,

Good Lord, deliver us.

By thine Agony and bloody Sweat; by thy Cross and Passion; by thy precious Death and Burial,

Good Lord, deliver us.

By thy glorious Resurrection and Ascension; by thy sending of the Holy Spirit; by thy heavenly Intercession; and by thy Coming again in glory,

Good Lord, deliver us.

In all times of tribulation; in all times of prosperity; in the hour of death, and in the day of judgement,

Good Lord, deliver us.

We sinners do beseech thee to hear us, O Lord God: and that it may please thee to rule and govern thy holy Church universal in the right way.

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To keep and strengthen in the true worshipping of thee, in holiness of life, and in devotion to his people, thy servant CHARLES, our most gracious King and Governor,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To be his defender and keeper, giving him the victory over all his enemies,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and preserve Camilla the Queen Consort, William Prince of Wales, Kate the Princess of Wales, and all the Royal Family,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give to all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, true knowledge and understanding of thy Word; and that both by their preaching and living they may set it forth and show it accordingly,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To send forth labourers into thy harvest; to prosper their work by thy Holy Spirit; to make thy saving health known unto all nations; and to hasten thy kingdom,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless the people of our Country and the Commonwealth, and to endue those set in authority with grace, wisdom, and understanding,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and guide the Judges and Magistrates, giving them grace to execute justice, and to maintain truth,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and keep the King's forces by sea, and land, and air, and to shield them in all dangers and adversities,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give to all nations unity, peace, and concord, that they may serve thee without fear,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and protect all who serve humankind by their labour and learning,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To preserve all that travel, all sick persons and young children; and to show thy pity upon all prisoners and captives,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To defend, and provide for all who are desolate and oppressed,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and keep all thy people,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give to all thy people increase of grace, to hear meekly thy Word, and to receive it with pure affection, and to bring forth the fruit of the Spirit,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bring into the way of truth all who have erred and are deceived,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To strengthen such as do stand; to encourage the faint-hearted; to raise up those who fall; and finally to beat down Satan under our feet,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To succour, help, and comfort all that are in danger, necessity, and tribulation,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To have mercy upon all people,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give and preserve to our use the kindly fruits of the earth, so that in due time we may enjoy them,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To forgive our enemies, persecutors, and slanderers, and to turn

their hearts,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give us true repentance; to forgive us all our sins, negligences, and ignorances; and to endue us with the grace of thy Holy Spirit, to amend our lives according to thy holy Word,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

Son of God, we beseech thee to hear us.

Son of God, we beseech thee to hear us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world;

Have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world;

Grant us thy peace.

O Christ, hear us.

O Christ, hear us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Collects

Almighty God, whose Son fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are but did not sin, give us grace to discipline ourselves in submission to your Spirit, that as you know our weakness, so we may know your power to save; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Almighty and everlasting God, you despise nothing you have made and forgive the sins of all who are penitent. Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that we, worthily lamenting our sins and acknowledging our brokenness, may obtain of you, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Deuteronomy 26:1-11

When you have come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the Lord your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the Lord your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, "Today I declare to the Lord your God that I have come into the land that the Lord swore to our ancestors to give us."

When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the Lord your God, you shall make this response before the Lord your God: "A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labour on us, we cried to the Lord, the God of our ancestors; the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. The Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey.

"So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O Lord, have given me." You shall set it down before the Lord your God and bow down before the Lord your God. Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house.

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 91

Qui habitat.

- ¹ Whoso dwelleth under the defence of the Most High / shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.
- ² I Will say unto the Lord, 'Thou art my refuge and my stronghold; / my God in whom I will trust.'
- ⁹ Because thou hast said, 'The Lord is my refuge', / and hast made the Most High thy habitation,
- ¹⁰ There shall no evil happen unto thee, / neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling.
- ¹¹ For he shall give his angels charge over thee, / to keep thee in all thy ways.
- ¹² They shall bear thee in their hands, / that thou hurt not thy foot against a stone.
- ¹³ Thou shalt tread upon the lion and adder: / the young lion and the dragon shalt thou trample under thy feet.
- ¹⁴ Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore will I deliver him; / I will set him up, because he hath known my Name.
- ¹⁵ He shall call upon me, and I will hear him: / yea, I am with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and bring him to honour.
- ¹⁶ With long life will I satisfy him, / and show him my salvation.

Second Reading

Romans 10:8-13

"The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart" that is, the word of faith that we proclaim; because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. The scripture says, "No one who believes in him will be put to shame." For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. For, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn

84 *Be thou my guardian and my guide*

Abridge

Gradual Proper

He shall give his Angels charge over thee : to keep thee in all thy ways. ✠. They shall bear thee in their hands : that thou hurt not thy foot against a stone.

Gospel

Luke 4:1-13

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

✠ The Holy Gospel is written in the fourth chapter of the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St Luke, beginning at the first verse.

Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished.

The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread." Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'One does not live by bread alone.'" Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. And the devil said to him, "To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours." Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him.'" Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written, 'He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you,' and 'On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.'" Jesus answered him, "It is said, 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test.'"

When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Sermon

Nicene Creed p.6

The Peace p.9

Offertory Proper

He shall defend thee under his wings, and thou shalt be safe under his feathers : his faithfulness and truth shall be thy shield and buckler.

Offertory Hymn

492 *Jesu, lover of my soul*

Aberystwyth

Prayer over the Gifts

God our refuge and our strength, receive all we offer you this day, and through the death and resurrection of your Son transform us to his likeness. We ask this in his name. **Amen.**

THE CANON OF THE MASS

Sanctus and Benedictus p.12

Eucharistic Prayer pp.12-13

The Lord's Prayer p.14

Prayer of Humble Access p.14

Agnus Dei p.15

Communion Proper

Whoso drinketh of the water that I shall give him, saith the Lord : it shall be in him a well of water springing up unto life eternal.

Communion Hymn

80 *O kind Creator, bend thine ear*

Ecce Tempus

Ablutions Motet

Oculi omnium Charles Wood (1866-1926)
*“The eyes of all wait upon thee and thou givest them their meat
in due season. Glory be to thee, O Lord. Amen.”* Psalm 145:15

Prayer after Communion

Faithful God, in this holy bread you increase our faith and hope and love. Lead us in the path of Christ who is your Word of life. We ask this in his name. **Amen.**

Blessing and Dismissal pp.17-18

Post-Communion Hymn

88 ***Forty days and forty nights*** **Aus der Tiefe**

The Angelus p.19

Organ Postlude

Passacaglia in D minor, BuxWV 161

Dieterich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

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