



The Fifth Sunday of Lent Holy Eucharist Rite II

Saturday, March 20, 2021 at 5:30 pm online

Sunday, March 21, 2021 at 9:00am online

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Opening Hymn

I Am Bound for the Promised Land

Johnny Cash

On Jordan's stormy banks I stand and cast a wishful eye
To Canaan's fair and happy land, where my possessions lie.

Chorus

I am bound for the promised land. I am bound for the promised land.
Oh who will come and go with me? I am bound for the promised land.

O'er all those wide extended plains shines one eternal day;
There God the Son forever reigns, and scatters night away. (Chorus)

When shall I reach that happy place, I'll be forever blessed,
When shall I see my Father's face, and in His bosom rest. (Chorus)

Penitential Order

Celebrant Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People ***His mercy endures for ever.***

Decalogue

pg. 350 in Book of Common Prayer

Hear the commandments of God to his people: I am the Lord your God who brought you out of bondage.

You shall have no other gods but me. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

You shall not make for yourself any idol. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

You shall not invoke with malice the Name of the Lord your God. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

Honor your father and your mother. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

You shall not commit murder. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

You shall not commit adultery. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

You shall not steal. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

You shall not be a false witness. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor. ***Amen. Lord have mercy.***

Confession & Absolution

pg. 352 in BCP

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence.

Minister and People

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.

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.**

Kyrie

Priest Lord, have mercy.
People **Christ, have mercy.**
Priest Lord, have mercy.

Collect of the Day

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

The First Reading: *Jeremiah 31:31-34*

³¹"The days are surely coming," says the LORD, "when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. ³²It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband," says the LORD. ³³"But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days," says the LORD: "I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. ³⁴No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, 'Know the LORD,' for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest," says the LORD; "for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more."

Psalm: *Psalm 51:1-13*

- ¹*Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness; *
in your great compassion blot out my offenses.*
- ²*Wash me through and through from my wickedness, * and cleanse me from my sin.*
- ³*For I know my transgressions, * and my sin is ever before me.*
- ⁴*Against you only have I sinned * and done what is evil in your sight.*
- ⁵*And so you are justified when you speak * and upright in your judgment.*
- ⁶*Indeed, I have been wicked from my birth, * a sinner from my mother's womb.*
- ⁷*For behold, you look for truth deep within me, *
and will make me understand wisdom secretly.*
- ⁸*Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure; * wash me, and I shall be clean indeed.*
- ⁹*Make me hear of joy and gladness, * that the body you have broken may rejoice.*
- ¹⁰*Hide your face from my sins, * and blot out all my iniquities.*
- ¹¹*Create in me a clean heart, O God, * and renew a right spirit within me.*
- ¹²*Cast me not away from your presence, * and take not your holy Spirit from me.*
- ¹³*Give me the joy of your saving help again * and sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.*

Second Reading: *Hebrews 5:5-10*

⁵Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, "You are my Son, today I have begotten you"; ⁶as he says also in another place, "You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek." ⁷In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. ⁸Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; ⁹and having been made

perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, ¹⁰having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

The Gospel: *John 12:20-33*

²⁰Now among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. ²¹They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, "Sir, we wish to see Jesus." ²²Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. ²³Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. ²⁴Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. ²⁵Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. ²⁶Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honor.

²⁷"Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say—'Father, save me from this hour'? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. ²⁸Father, glorify your name." Then a voice came from heaven, "I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again." ²⁹The crowd standing there heard it and said that it was thunder. Others said, "An angel has spoken to him." ³⁰Jesus answered, "This voice has come for your sake, not for mine. ³¹Now is the judgment of this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. ³²And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself." ³³He said this to indicate the kind of death he was to die.

The Sermon

Prayers of the People

The Peace

HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Music

Give Me Jesus

African American spiritual

1 In the morning when I rise, in the morning when I rise, in the morning when I rise, give me Jesus.

Refrain: Give me Jesus, give me Jesus. You may have all this world, give me Jesus.

2 Dark midnight was my cry, dark midnight was cry, dark midnight was my cry, give me Jesus. [Refrain]

3 I heard the mourner say, I heard the mourner say, I heard the mourner say, give me Jesus. [Refrain]

4 Oh, when I come to die, oh, when I come to die, oh, when I come to die, give me Jesus. [Refrain]

Offertory

Celebrant All things come of thee, O Lord.

People ***And of thine own have we given thee.***

The Great Thanksgiving - Eucharistic Prayer B

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People ***And also with you.***

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People ***We lift them to the Lord.***

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People ***It is right to give him thanks and praise.***

Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

People ***Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.***

Celebrant We give thanks to you, O God . . .

. . . Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

And we offer our sacrifice and thanksgiving . . .

. . . By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

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.

The Breaking of the Bread

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: ***have mercy on us.***

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: ***have mercy on us.***

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: ***grant us peace.***

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

I believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament, and, since I cannot at this time receive communion, I pray you to come into my heart. I unite myself with you and embrace you with all my heart, my soul, and my mind. Let nothing separate me from you; let me serve you in this life until, by your grace, I come to your glorious kingdom and unending peace. **Amen.**

The Old Rugged Cross

George Bennard

1 On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross, the emblem of suff'ring and shame,
And I love that old cross where the Dearest and Best for a world of lost sinners was slain.

Refrain: So I'll cherish the old rugged cross, till my trophies at last I lay down;
I will cling to the old rugged cross, and exchange it some day for a crown.

2 Oh, that old rugged cross, so despised by the world, has a wondrous attraction for me;
For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above, to bear it to dark Calvary. Refrain

3 In the old rugged cross, stained with blood so divine, a wondrous beauty I see;
For 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died, to pardon and sanctify me. Refrain

4 To the old rugged cross I will ever be true, its shame and reproach gladly bear;
Then he'll call me some day to my home far away, where his glory forever I'll share. Refrain

Postcommunion Prayer

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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