

The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

January 22, 2023 8:45 AM

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Prelude

Music for Epiphany 3

Opening Hymn

I Will Follow

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Misc 1: (Intro) Where You go I'll go. Where You stay I'll stay. When You move I'll move. I will follow. Oh oh oh

Verse 1: All Your ways are good, All Your ways are sure. I will trust in You alone,
Higher than my sight; High above my life. I will trust in You alone

Chorus 1: Where You go I'll go. Where You stay I'll stay. When You move I'll move. I will follow You. Whom You
love I'll love. How You serve I'll serve. If this life I lose. I will follow (You)

Misc 2: (Interlude) Yeah I will follow You yeah

Verse 2: Light into the world. Light into my life. I will live for You alone. You're the One I seek. Knowing I will
find, All I need in You alone, In You alone.

Misc 3: (Bridge) In You there's life everlasting. In You there's freedom for my soul.
In You there's joy unending joy. And I will follow.

Misc 4: (Ending) Yeah I will follow You yeah. I will follow You yeah. I will follow You yeah.

Acclamation

pg. 355 in Book of Common Prayer

Collect for Purity

Gloria

***Glory be to God the Father. Glory be to God the Son – And to the Spirit, the heavenly Dove, the
everlasting Three in One. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.***

Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

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

Celebrant Let us pray.

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

The First Reading – *Isaiah 9:1-4*

¹There will be no gloom for those who were in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he will make glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations. ²The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light;

those who lived in a land of deep darkness—on them light has shined.

³You have multiplied the nation, you have increased its joy;
they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as people exult when dividing plunder.

⁴For the yoke of their burden, and the bar across their shoulders,
the rod of their oppressor, you have broken as on the day of Midian.

The Psalm – Psalm 27:1, 5-13

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?
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.

The Epistle – 1 Corinthians 1:10-18

¹⁰Now I appeal to you, brothers and sisters, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you be in agreement and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and the same purpose. ¹¹For it has been reported to me by Chloe's people that there are quarrels among you, my brothers and sisters. ¹²What I mean is that each of you says, “I belong to Paul,” or “I belong to Apollos,” or “I belong to Cephas,” or “I belong to Christ.” ¹³Has Christ been divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? ¹⁴I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius, ¹⁵so that no one can say that you were baptized in my name. ¹⁶(I did baptize also the household of Stephanas; beyond that, I do not know whether I baptized anyone else.) ¹⁷For Christ did not send me to baptize but to proclaim the gospel, and not with eloquent wisdom, so that the cross of Christ might not be emptied of its power.

¹⁸For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

Gospel Acclamation – *The Lord is my light, my light and salvation: in him I trust, in him I trust.*

The Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23

¹²Now when Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. ¹³He left Nazareth and made his home in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, ¹⁴so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:

¹⁵“Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali, on the road by the sea, across the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—

¹⁶the people who sat in darkness have seen a great light,

and for those who sat in the region and shadow of death light has dawned.”

¹⁷From that time Jesus began to proclaim, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.”

¹⁸As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. ¹⁹And he said to them, “Follow me, and I will make you fish for people.” ²⁰Immediately they left their nets and followed him. ²¹As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. ²²Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him.

²³Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.

Gospel Response – *The Lord is My Light*

The Sermon

Nicene Creed

pg. 358 in Book of Common Prayer

Prayers of the People

Confession of Sin

pg. 360 in BCP

The Peace

HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Music

Lord, When you Came

1. Lord, when you came to the seashore You weren't seeking the wise or the wealthy,
But only asking that I might follow. O Lord, in my eyes you were gazing,
Kindly smiling, my name you were saying; All I treasured, I have left on the sand there;
Close to you, I will find other seas.
2. Lord, you knew what my boat carried: Neither money nor weapons for fighting,
But nets for fishing, my daily labor. O Lord, in my eyes...
3. Lord, have you need of my labor, Hands for service, a heart made for loving,
My arms for lifting the poor and broken? O Lord, in my eyes...
4. Lord, send me where you would have me, To a village, or heart of the city;
I will remember that you are with me. O Lord, in my eyes...

Text: Pescador de Hombres, Cesáreo Gabaráin

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

Fraction Anthem

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Communion Music

Fishers of Men

Phillip First

Post Communion 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.

Blessing

Closing Hymn

The Summons (verses 1-3)

1. Will you come and follow me If I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know And never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown, Will you let my name be known,
Will you let my life be grown In you and you in me?
2. Will you leave yourself behind If I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind And never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare Should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer In you and you in me?
3. Will you let the blinded see If I but call your name?
Will you set the pris'ners free And never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean, And do such as this unseen,
And admit to what I mean In you and you in me?

Dismissal

Postlude

The Summons (verses 4, 5)

Text: John L. Bell, b.1949

4. Will you love the 'you' you hide If I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside And never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found To reshape the world around,
Through my sight and touch and sound In you and you in me?

5. Lord, your summons echoes true When you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you And never be the same.
In your company I'll go Where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow In you and you in me.

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