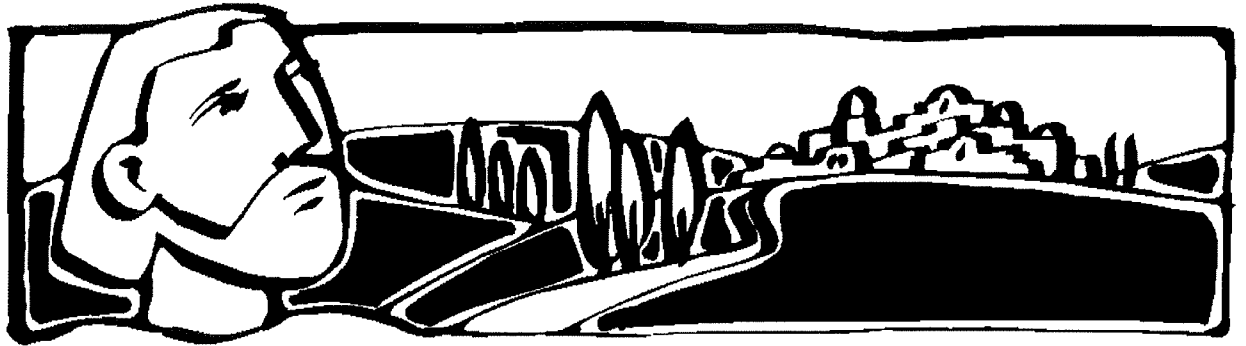




*Seeking the peace and well-being of the city*

March 27, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Fourth  
Sunday  
in Lent



**PRELUDE**

What Wondrous Love Is This

C. Phillips

**GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

**LENTEN KYRIE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#101 Name of All Majesty

MAJESTAS

B $\flat$   $\frac{B\flat}{D}$   $\frac{F}{C}$  B $\flat$   $\frac{F7}{C}$   $\frac{B\flat}{D}$  G  $\frac{G\text{sus}}{A}$   $\frac{G7}{B}$  Cm  $\frac{Dm}{C}$  Cm

1 Name of all maj - es - ty, fath - om - less mys - ter - y,  
 2 Child of our des - ti - ny, God from e - ter - ni - ty,  
 3 Sav - ior of Cal - va - ry, cost - li - est vic - to - ry,  
 4 Source of all sov - ereign - ty, light, im - mor - tal - i - ty,

F  $\frac{Dm}{F}$   $\frac{F7}{E\flat}$   $\frac{B\flat}{D}$  Em7(b5)  $\frac{D}{F\sharp}$  Gm  $\frac{F}{C}$  C7 Fsus F

King of the a - ges by an - gels a - dored;  
 love of the Fa - ther on sin - ners out - poured;  
 dark - ness de - feat - ed and E - den re - stored;  
 life ev - er - last - ing and heav - en as - sured;

$\frac{B\flat}{D}$  Cm7 B $\flat$   $\frac{B\flat7}{D}$  E $\flat$  C  $\frac{C}{E}$  C7 F

power and au - thor - i - ty, splen - dor and dig - ni - ty,  
 see now what God has done send - ing his on - ly Son,  
 born as a man to die, nailed to a cross on high,  
 so with the ran - somed, we praise him e - ter - nal - ly,

D  $\frac{D}{F\sharp}$  D7 G $\sharp$  Gm  $\frac{Cm}{E\flat}$  Cm  $\frac{E\flat}{F}$  F7 B $\flat$

bow to his mas - ter - y— Je - sus is Lord!  
 Christ the be - lov - ed One— Je - sus is Lord!  
 cold in the grave to lie— Je - sus is Lord!  
 Christ in his maj - es - ty— Je - sus is Lord!

WORDS: Timothy Dudley-Smith (1926-)  
 MUSIC: Michael Baughen (1930-); arr. by Noël Tredinnick (1949-), alt.

MAJESTAS  
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## **\*INVOCATION AND 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.**

## **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Like Pilate, we ask our questions and express our doubts.  
Must we see you in order to believe you, Lord?  
Is seeing truly believing?  
Are we to be prisoners of our senses,  
distrusting and rejecting whatever we cannot see, touch, or hear?  
Forgive us for our doubts.  
Forgive us for turning our attention to ourselves  
and forgetting that you are Lord of all.  
You are faithful—  
you give sight to the blind, you carry us when we are weary,  
you call us to your side.  
The locked room of our hearts opens at the turn of your key.  
Speak your words of life to us again:  
“Do not doubt, only believe.”  
Speak your words of life, that we might live.**

**(Silence for personal confession and reflection)**

# HYMN OF RESPONSE

#375 Lord, Have Mercy (Sing 3 x)

J.M. Talbot

*Unison*

D Bm F#m Bm A G G/B

Lord, have mer - cy, Christ, have

The first system of music is in 3/4 time, key of D major. It features a unison vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Lord, have mer - cy, Christ, have". The chords are D, Bm, F#m, Bm, A, G, and G/B.

D G Bsus Bm Asus A D

mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.

The second system of music continues the melody and accompaniment. The lyrics are: "mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.". The chords are D, G, Bsus, Bm, Asus, A, and D.

WORDS and MUSIC: John Michael Talbot (20th c.)

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## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

### ANTHEM

Ah, Holy Jesus

J. Heermann/J. Crüger/L. Shackley

### FIRST READING

Revelation 1:4-8

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

## RESPONSIVE READING

One: Grace and peace be yours from God,

Many: who is, who was, and who is to come

One: and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness,

Many: the first to be raised from death and who is also the ruler of the kings of the world.

One: He loves us, and he has freed us from our sins

Many: and made us a kingdom of priests to serve his God and Father

One: Look, he is coming on the clouds!

Many: Everyone will see him

All: "I am the first and the last," says the Lord God Almighty, who is, who was, and who is to come.

## \*HYMN OF PRAISE

#84 O God, Our Help in Ages Past

ST. ANNE

1 O God, our help in a - ges past, our hope for years to - come,  
2 Un - der the shad - ow of your throne your saints have dwelt se - cure;  
3 Be - fore the hills in or - der stood or earth re - ceived her frame,  
4 A thou - sand a - ges in your sight are like an eve - ning gone,  
5 Time, like an ev - er roll - ing stream, bears all of us a - way;  
6 O God, our help in a - ges past, our hope for years to come,

our shel - ter from the storm - y blast, and our e - ter - nal home.  
suf - fi - cient is your arm a - lone, and our de - fense is sure.  
from ev - er - last - ing you are God, to end - less years the same.  
short as the watch that ends the night be - fore the ris - ing sun.  
we fly, for - got - ten, as a dream dies at the op - ening day.  
be now our guide while life shall last, and our e - ter - nal home.

# CHILDREN'S BLESSING

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

### \*HYMN OF MEDITATION

#278 To Mock Your Reign

KINGSFOLD

Em C  $\frac{D}{C}$   $\frac{G}{B}$  Em D  $\frac{G}{B}$   $\frac{D7}{A}$  G Am C Dsus D

1 To mock your reign, O dear-est Lord, they made a crown of thorns;  
2 In mock ac - claim, O gra-cious Lord, they snatched a pur - ple cloak;  
3 A scep-tered reed, O pa-tient Lord, they thrust in - to your hand,

$\frac{G}{B}$  C2 C Am7 D  $\frac{G}{B}$   $\frac{C\sharp dim}{E}$  D  $\frac{G}{B}$   $\frac{D7}{A}$  G  $\frac{G}{B}$   $\frac{Am}{C}$  Am Em

set you with taunts a - long that road from which no one re - turns.  
your pas - sion turned, for all they cared, in - to a sol - dier's joke.  
and act - ed out their grim cha - rade to its ap - point - ed end.

Em Bm Em7  $\frac{D7}{F\sharp}$  G  $\frac{Am}{C}$  D G  $\frac{G}{B}$   $\frac{D7}{A}$  G  $\frac{D7}{A}$   $\frac{G}{B}$  C Dsus D

They could not know, as we do now, how glo - rious is that crown;  
They could not know, as we do now, that though we mer - it blame,  
They could not know, as we do now, though em - pires rise and fall,

$\frac{G}{B}$  C2 Am G  $\frac{A7}{E}$  D  $\frac{G}{B}$   $\frac{D7}{A}$  G Bm C Am6 Em

that thorns would flower up - on your brow, your sor-rows heal our own.  
 you will your robe of mer - cy throw a - round our na - ked shame.  
 your king - dom shall not cease to grow till love em - brac - es all.

WORDS: Fred Pratt Green (1903-2000); para. Matthew 27:27-31, Mark 15:16-20, John 19:1-5  
 MUSIC: English melody; arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)  
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KINGSFOLD  
 C.M.D.

## SECOND READING

John 18:28-40

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

## SERMON

Rev. Jeremy Keay

## CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### Offertory

Concerto in C Minor, II Adagio  
 Joseph Jang, cello

J. C. Bach

### \*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessing flow;  
 Praise him all creature here below;  
 Praise him above ye heavenly hosts;  
 Praise father, son, and holy ghost. Amen.

### \*Prayer of Gratitude

## \*HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY

#243 Songs of Thankfulness and Praise

ST. GEORGE'S, WINDSOR

F C/E F Dm C/E F C/E F Dm Gm/Bb A-

1 Songs of thank-ful-ness and praise, Je - sus, Lord, to you we raise;  
 2 God re-vealed at Jor-dan's stream, proph-et, priest and king su-preme;  
 3 God re-vealed in val - iant fight, con - quer-ing the dev - il's might;  
 4 Stars shall fall and heav-ens fade, sun and moon shall dark be made;

Dm Gm C F G7/D C/E Dm/F C/G G7 C

once re-vealed, when heav-en's star brought the wise men from a - far;  
 once re-vealed in power di - vine chang-ing wa - ter in - to wine;  
 sins for - giv - en, sick-ness healed, life re-stored and God re-vealed:  
 Christ will then like light-ning shine, all will see the glo-rious sign;

C C/Bb F/A C7/G F F/Eb Bb/D F7/C Bb

branch of roy - al Da-vid's stem in your birth at Beth - le - hem,  
 Ca - na's ho - ly wed-ding guest keep - ing to the last the best;  
 once re-vealed in gra-cious will ev - er bring-ing good from ill,  
 all will then the trum-pet hear; all will see the Son ap - pear,

D/F# D Gm C/E C F Bb/D Bb F/A Dm F/C C7 F

Word be - fore the world be - gan, God re-vealed to us in man.



**\*THE BLESSING OF THE COMMUNITY**

**Leader:** May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

**People:** And also with you.

**\*Benediction**

Until We Meet Again

R.E. Schram

**\*The Sending of the Community**

**\*Congregational Amen**

*The service of the church into the world - - begins again this week*

**POSTLUDE**

Wer nur den lieben Gott lässt walten BWV 642

J. S. Bach

**\*Please stand, as you are able**

We are grateful for those who serve with us today:

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