



Seeking the peace and well-being of the city

October 23, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Twentieth
Sunday after
Pentecost



PRELUDE

Mass for the Convents

F. Couperin

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#27 God of Creation, All-Powerful

SLANE

Unison

Eb $\frac{\text{Eb}}{\text{G}}$ Ab Bb Ab $\frac{\text{Eb}}{\text{G}}$ Cm Bb Eb Bb Fm

1 God of cre - a - tion, all - power - ful, all - wise, Lord of the
 2 God of the a - ges, through time's trou - bled years you are the
 3 God of re - demp - tion, who wrought our re - birth, called out your
 4 God of your peo - ple, your Word still stands fast; do for us
 5 God of our now, all our trust is in you, Cov - e - nant

$\frac{\text{Bb}}{\text{D}}$ Eb $\frac{\text{Eb}}{\text{G}}$ Ab $\frac{\text{Eb}}{\text{G}}$ Cm Bb Bbsus Bb Ab $\frac{\text{Ab}}{\text{Eb}}$ Eb

u - ni - verse rich with sur - prise, Mak - er, Sus - tain - er, and -
 one in whom his - tory co - heres; na - tions and em - pires your
 church from the ends of the earth, still you are Sav - ior, put
 now as you've done in the past! Yours is the king - dom, your
 God, ev - er faith - ful and true; Sov - ereign Cre - a - tor, Re -

$\frac{\text{Bb}}{\text{D}}$ Cm Gm Ab $\frac{\text{Bb}}{\text{D}}$ Cm $\frac{\text{Gm}}{\text{Bb}}$ Ab Cm $\frac{\text{Eb}}{\text{G}}$ $\frac{\text{Fm}}{\text{Ab}}$ $\frac{\text{Fm7}}{\text{C}}$ Eb

Rul - er of all, we are your chil - dren—you hear when we call.
 pur - pose ful - fill, mov - ing in free - dom, yet work - ing your will.
 dark - ness to flight; o - ver - come sin by sal - va - tion's pure light!
 tri - umph we claim, chal - leng - ing e - vil in Je - sus' strong name.
 deem - er, and Lord, now and for - ev - er your name be a - dored!

WORDS: Margaret Clarkson (1915-)
 MUSIC: Irish melody; harm. Carlton R. Young (1926-)

SLANE
 10.10.10.10.

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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

There is so much in our world
that influences our thoughts and actions.
We confess that we get swept up
with the crowd and the consensus of the day.
We create ways of defending our truth;
convinced that we are right.
We fail to follow you; ignoring your direction.
Forgive us, O God.
Draw near to us as we draw near to you.
Lead us with your voice of guidance.
Fill us with your wisdom
as we discern what is good and just.
We are grateful for your tireless,
never-ending love and mercy.

(Silence for personal confession and reflection.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***GLORIA PATRI**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and
Ever shall be, world without end. Amen

R. Goodson

FIRST READING

Isaiah 58:1-9a

Pages 763-764, 1st half of the NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: **"Thanks be to God"**

LITANY

One: God, we desire to seek your ways and walk with you;

Many: we are eager for you to guide us in the way of life and nurture.

One: God, we long to be a people of justice -- doing what is right;

Many: we are eager for you to guide us in the way of life and compassion.

One: God, we seek to be a people who loosen chains of oppression;

Many: we are eager for you to guide us in the way of life and mercy.

All: May your light break forth like the dawn and may we join you in your work of repairing and restoring a hurting world.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

#577 Sing a New Church

NETTLETON

D A7 D A D G D $\frac{D}{A}$ A7 D

1 Sum-moned by the God who made us rich in our di-ver-si-ty,
2 Ra-diant ris-en from the wa-ter; robed in ho-li-ness and light,
3 Trust the good-ness of cre-a-tion; trust the Spir-it strong with-in.
4 Bring the hopes of ev-ery na-tion; bring the art of ev-ery race.
5 Draw to-geth-er at one ta-ble all the hu-man fam-i-ly;

D A7 D A D G D $\frac{D}{A}$ A7 D

gath-ered in the name of Je - sus, rich - er still in u - ni - ty:
 male and fe - male in God's im - age, male and fe - male, God's de - light:
 Dare to dream the vi - sion prom-ised sprung from seed of what has been.
 Weave a song of peace and jus - tice; let it sound through time and space.
 shape a cir - cle - ev - er wid - er and a peo - ple ev - er free.

Refrain

$\frac{D}{F\#}$ $\frac{A7}{E}$ D F#m G D $\frac{G}{D}$ D $\frac{D}{F\#}$ $\frac{A7}{E}$ D F#m G A7 D

Let us bring the gifts that dif - fer and, in splen-did, var-ied ways,

D A7 D A D G D $\frac{D}{A}$ A7 D

sing a new church in - to be - ing, one in faith and love and praise.

WORDS: Delores Dufner, O.S.B. (20th c.)
 MUSIC: John Wyeth's *Repository of Sacred Music*, 1813
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NETTLETON
 8.7.8.7.D.

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*HYMN OF MEDITATION

#625 All Who Love and Serve Your City

CHARLESTOWN

Unison

C G C $\frac{F}{C}$ $\frac{C}{G}$ Em $\frac{Dm}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{E}$ $\frac{Em}{G}$ Am $\frac{Am}{C}$ Dsus Fmaj7 G

1 All who love and serve your cit - y, all who bear its dai - ly stress,
 2 In your day of wealth and plen - ty, wast - ed work and wast - ed play,
 3 For all days are days of judg - ment, and the Lord is wait - ing still,
 4 Ris - en Lord, shall yet the cit - y be the cit - y of de - spair?

Em $\frac{C}{E}$ F Am F $\frac{C}{E}$ $\frac{Em}{G}$ A₂⁴ Am $\frac{Dm}{F}$ $\frac{Fmaj7}{C}$ Dm11 F $\frac{C}{G}$ G C

all who cry for peace and jus - tice, all who curse and all who bless:
 call to mind the word of Je - sus, "You must work while it is day."
 draw - ing near a world that spurns him, of - fering peace from Cal - vary's hill.
 Come to - day, our judge, our glo - ry. Be its name "The Lord is there!"

WORDS: Erik Routley (1917-1982)

MUSIC: *The United States Sacred Harmony*, 1799; harm. Carlton R. Young (1926-)

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CHARLESTOWN
 8.7.8.7.

SECOND READING

Acts 19:21-41

Pages 145-146, 2nd half of the NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: **"Thanks be to God"**

SERMON "Temple People"

Rev. Dr. Ryan Sato

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Be Thou My Vision

arr. D. Wood

*New Doxology

Let's praise God for each good thing.

M. Adria

All creation, shout and sing!

Praise three persons, yet one Love:

Maker, Saviour, Holy Dove! Amen

*Prayer of Gratitude

*HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY

#569 God of Grace and God of Glory

CWM RHONDDA

G C $\frac{G}{B}$ $\frac{G}{A}$ G $\frac{D}{A}$ $\frac{G}{B}$ C6 $\frac{G}{D}$ D G $\frac{C}{E}$ C Am7

1 God of grace and God of glo - ry, on your peo - ple
2 Lo! the hosts of e - vil round us scorn your Christ, as -
3 Heal your chil - dren's war - ring mad - ness, bend our pride to
4 Save us from weak res - ig - na - tion to the e - vils

$\frac{G}{D}$ D7 G C $\frac{G}{B}$ $\frac{G}{A}$ G $\frac{D}{A}$ $\frac{G}{B}$ C6 $\frac{G}{D}$ D G $\frac{C}{E}$

pour your power; crown your an - cient Church's sto - ry, bring its
sail his ways! Fears and doubts too long have bound us— free our
your con - trol; shame our wan - ton, self - ish glad - ness, rich in
we de - plore; let the gift of your sal - va - tion be our

G/B C G/D D G D G/D D7 D/F# G D7 G G/B
 bud to glo-rious flower. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age
 hearts to work and praise. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age
 things and poor in soul. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age
 glo - ry ev - er - more. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age,

G/B D7/A G D/F# Em7 D G/B D7/A G C G/D D7 G
 for the fac - ing of this hour, for the fac - ing of this hour.
 for the liv - ing of these days, for the liv - ing of these days.
 lest we miss your king-dom's goal, lest we miss your king - dom's goal.
 serv - ing you whom we a - dore, serv - ing you whom we a - dore.

WORDS: Harry E. Fosdick (1878-1969), alt.
 MUSIC: John Hughes (1873-1932)

CWM RHONDDA
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***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.

***The Sending of the Community**

***Congregational Amen**

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

POSTLUDE

Prelude and Fugue in g minor

J. S. Bach

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

We are grateful for those who serve with us today:

Writing Confession & Litany - Rose Merke;

Prayers of the People - Warren Tasker;

Scripture Readers - Esther Steeves, Twyla Fletcher;

Guest Organist - Lori Klingbeil;

Video & Sound Technician - Evan Adnams.

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