

## POST COMMUNION CANTICLE

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## PRAYER

Holy One, we thank you for the healing that springs forth abundantly from this table. Renew our strength to do justice, love kindness, and journey humbly with you.  
**Amen**

## BENEDICATION

**SENDING HYMN** *The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve*

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## DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Follow the way of Jesus.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude

*New Life in Christ*

Will Stockton



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& Elisabeth Keener  
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Elisabeth Keener  
Ushers: Sue Cline &  
Donna Hocker  
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### Worship with Holy Communion

Sundays at 10:00 AM  
Wednesdays at 11:00 AM  
(Healing Service)

### Faith Formation/Christian Education

Sundays at 8:45 AM

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# Fourth Sunday After Epiphany

Sunday, January 29, 2023



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## WELCOME

### PRELUDE

*Call to Worship*

Louri Grichetishkine

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

*The presiding minister addresses the assembly.*

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

Most merciful God,  
**we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen**

*The minister stands and addresses the congregation.*

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

## HYMN

*Let Justice Flow Like Streams*

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## APOSTOLIC GREETING

## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

### LORD'S PRAYER

*Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:*

**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,  
forever and ever. Amen**

## COMMUNION

### Lamb Of God

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☞ Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on  
us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have  
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

## HYMNS DURING DISTRIBUTION

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## BLESSING

## PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

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### OFFERTORY PRAYER

Liberating God,  
you break the bonds of injustice  
and let the oppressed go free.  
Receive these offerings in thanksgiving  
for all your works of merciful power,  
and shape us as people of your justice and freedom.  
You we magnify and adore, through Jesus our Savior,  
**Amen**

### GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

### PREFACE

### SANCTUS

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☩ Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and  
might, heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry.  
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the  
high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

## Kyrie

☩ Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son: ☩ Lord, have mer - cy.  
*Lord, . . . . have mer - cy:*

☩ Chri - ste e - le - i - son: ☩ Christ, have mer - cy.  
*Christ, . . . . have mer - cy:*

☩ Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son: ☩ Lord, have mer - cy.  
*Lord, . . . . have mer - cy:*

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

### FIRST READING

Micah 6:1-8

### PSALM:

Psalms 15

- <sup>1</sup>LORD, who may dwell in your tabernacle?  
Who may abide upon your holy hill?
- <sup>2</sup>**Those who lead a blameless life and do what is right,  
who speak the truth from their heart;**
- <sup>3</sup>they do not slander with the tongue, they do no evil to their friends;  
they do not cast discredit upon a neighbor.
- <sup>4</sup>**In their sight the wicked are rejected,  
but they honor those who fear the Lord.  
They have sworn upon their health  
and do not take back their word.**
- <sup>5</sup>They do not give their money in hope of gain,  
nor do they take bribes against the innocent.  
Those who do these things shall never be overthrown.

**SECOND READING**

I Corinthians 1:18-31

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

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Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?  
 Al - le - lu - ia. You have the words of e - ter - nal life.  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

**GOSPEL**

Matthew 5: 1-12

The holy gospel according to **Matthew. Glory to you, O Lord.**  
*The gospel concludes:*  
 The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**SERMON**

**SILENCE**

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

*We All Are One in Mission*

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**APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
 who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
 born of the virgin Mary,  
 suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
 was crucified, died, and was buried;  
 he descended to the dead.  
 On the third day he rose again;  
 he ascended into heaven,  
 he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
 and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
 the holy catholic church,  
 the communion of saints,  
 the forgiveness of sins,  
 the resurrection of the body,  
 and the life everlasting. Amen

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

*For the church and for all your creation, we pray to you, Lord God saying:  
 Lord, **hear our prayer***

**PEACE**

**OFFERING**

**Anthem**

*Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

**OFFERTORY**

*Reverie*

Esther S. Higgins