First Sunday in Lent
March 1, 2020
11:00 A.M.

Seasonal Liturgical Rotation for Lent

- Please turn off your cell phones.
- Hymn numbers refer to *The Hymnal 1982* (blue).
- There are no flowers in the Sanctuary.
- A “Lenten Array” is used for altar frontal panels, clergy stoles, and hangings on the Lectern and Pulpit; the crosses are veiled; the choirs, acolytes, and lay ministers wear black cassocks.
- Silver communion vessels and alms basins, as well as brass candlesticks, are replaced with wood, ceramic, and glass items.
- We neither sing nor speak “alleluia” throughout Lent.
- The service usually begins with the Lenten Acclamation; twice during Lent we will sing The Great Litany in procession.
- The *Gloria in excelsis* and *Te Deum* are not used again until Easter.
- We kneel for the Eucharistic Prayer.
- We use the second translation of the Lord’s Prayer.
- The Fraction Anthem rotates from “Christ Our Passover” to “Agnus Dei.”
- The Blessing is replaced by a “Solemn Prayer over the People” (from *The Book of Occasional Services*).
- The final hymn is sung “in place” and followed by the Procession.
- There is no Postlude.
11:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist: Rite II

with The Great Litany

A litany is a special form of intercessory prayer in which an officiant offers a series of petitions, to which the people make a response. It was used very early in worship, around the fourth century in the church, and much earlier in Judaism (see, for example, Psalm 136, where the congregation answered “For his mercy endures forever.”) The Great Litany (The Book of Common Prayer, pp. 148-155) is of special interest to us as Episcopalians, for it was the first part of The Book of Common Prayer written by Thomas Cranmer in 1544 for the English to use for worship in their native language.

The Great Litany in Procession

The congregation stands as the Great Litany begins.

O God the Father, Creator of heaven and earth,

Have mercy upon us.

O God the Son, Redeemer of the world, Have mercy upon us.
O God the Holy Ghost, Sanctifier of the faithful, Have mercy upon us.
O holy, blessed, and glorious Trinity, one God, Have mercy upon us.
Remember not, Lord Christ, our offenses, nor the offenses of our forebears; neither reward us according to our sins. Spare us, good Lord, spare thy people, whom thou hast redeemed with thy most precious blood, and by thy mercy preserve us, for ever.

Spare us, good Lord.

From all evil and wickedness; from sin; from the crafts and assaults of the devil; and from everlasting damnation,

Good Lord, deliver us.

From all blindness of heart; from pride, vainglory, and hypocrisy; from envy, hatred, and malice; and from all want of charity, Good Lord, deliver us.
From all inordinate and sinful affections; and from all the deceits of the world, the flesh, and the devil, Good Lord, deliver us.
From all false doctrine, heresy, and schism; from hardness of heart, and contempt of thy Word and commandment, Good Lord, deliver us.
From lightning and tempest; from earthquake, fire, and flood; from plague, pestilence, and famine, Good Lord, deliver us.

From all oppression, conspiracy, and rebellion; from violence, battle, and murder; and from dying suddenly and unprepared, Good Lord, deliver us.

By the mystery of thy holy Incarnation; by thy holy Nativity and submission to the Law; by thy Baptism, Fasting, and Temptation, Good Lord, deliver us.

By thine Agony and Bloody Sweat; by thy Cross and Passion; by thy precious Death and Burial; by thy glorious Resurrection and Ascension; and by the Coming of the Holy Ghost, Good Lord, deliver us.

In all time of our tribulation; in all time of our prosperity; in the hour of death, and in the day of judgment, Good Lord, deliver us.

We sinners do beseech thee to hear us, O Lord God; and that it may please thee to rule and govern thy holy Church Universal in the right way,

That it may please thee to illumine all bishops, priests, and deacons, with true knowledge and understanding of thy Word; and that both by their preaching and living, they may set it forth, and show it accordingly, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to bless and keep all thy people, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to send forth laborers into thy harvest, and to draw all humankind into thy kingdom, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to give to all people increase of grace to hear and receive thy Word, and to bring forth the fruits of the Spirit, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to bring into the way of truth all such as have erred, and are deceived, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to give us a heart to love and fear thee, and diligently to live after thy commandments, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee so to rule the hearts of thy servants, the President of the United States and all others in authority, that they may do justice, and love mercy, and walk in the ways of truth, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to make wars to cease in all the world; to give to all nations unity, peace, and concord; and to bestow freedom upon all peoples, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to show thy pity upon all prisoners and captives, the homeless and the hungry, and all who are desolate and oppressed, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.
That it may please thee to give and preserve to our use the bountiful fruits of the earth, so that in due time all may enjoy them, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to inspire us, in our several callings, to do the work which thou givest us to do with singleness of heart as thy servants, and for the common good, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to preserve all who are in danger by reason of their labor or their travel, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to preserve, and provide for, all women in childbirth, young children and orphans, the widowed, and all whose homes are broken or torn by strife, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to visit the lonely; to strengthen all who suffer in mind, body, and spirit; and to comfort with thy presence those who are failing and infirm, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to support, help, and comfort all who are in danger, necessity, and tribulation, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to have mercy upon all humankind, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to give us true repentance; to forgive us all our sins, negligences, and ignorances; and to endue us with the grace of thy Holy Spirit to amend our lives according to thy holy Word, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to forgive our enemies, persecutors, and slanderers, and to turn their hearts, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to strengthen such as do stand; to comfort and help the weak-hearted; to raise up those who fall; and finally to beat down Satan under our feet, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to grant to all the faithful departed eternal life and peace, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

That it may please thee to grant that, in the fellowship of all the saints, we may attain to thy heavenly kingdom, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.

Son of God, we beseech thee to hear us.

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O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

O Christ, hear us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Salutation

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Collect of the Day

Almighty God, whose blessed Son was led by the Spirit to be tempted by Satan: Come quickly to help us who are assaulted by many temptations; and, as you know the weaknesses of each of us, let each one find you mighty to save; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Collect For Welcome (in unison)

Light within all light, soul behind all souls, guide our hearts and minds as we welcome those who worship today at Bethesda-by-the-Sea. Give us discerning hearts to recognize the face of the Beloved in each child of God, for often goes the Christ in the stranger’s guise. In the name of the undivided Trinity. Amen.

The congregation is seated.
Lesson

The LORD God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to till it and keep it. And the LORD God commanded the man, “You may freely eat of every tree of the garden; but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall die.” Now the serpent was more crafty than any other wild animal that the LORD God had made. He said to the woman, “Did God say, ‘You shall not eat from any tree in the garden?’” The woman said to the serpent, “We may eat of the fruit of the trees in the garden; but God said, ‘You shall not eat of the fruit of the tree that is in the middle of the garden, nor shall you touch it, or you shall die.’” But the serpent said to the woman, “You will not die; for God knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil.” So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate; and she also gave some to her husband, who was with her, and he ate. Then the eyes of both were opened, and they knew that they were naked; and they sewed fig leaves together and made loincloths for themselves.

Psalm 32

The congegation, remaining seated, joins in singing the antiphon before the Psalm and each time the introduction is played.

The Gospel Procession

The congregation stands as the hymn is introduced.

†Hymn 148 Creator of the Earth and Skies Uffingham

Gospel Matthew 4:1-11

Deacon The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. He fasted forty days and forty nights, and afterwards he was famished. The tempter came and said to him, “If you are the Son of God, command these stones to become loaves of bread.” But he answered, “It is written, ‘One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God.’” Then the devil took him to the holy city and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, “If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down; for it is written, ‘He will command his angels concerning you,’ and ‘On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.’” Jesus said to him, “Again it is written, ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’” Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor; and he said to him, “All these I will give you, if you will fall down and worship me.” Jesus said to
him, “Away with you, Satan! for it is written, ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve only
him.” Then the devil left him, and suddenly angels came and waited on him.

Deacon  The Gospel of the Lord.
People  Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Homily  The Rector
A brief period of silence follows the Homily.

The congregation stands.

Nicene Creed
We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is — seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Peace
Celebrant  The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People  And also with you.

Greeting and Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory
Members of the congregation will present the offerings and oblations of our life and labor to the Lord.
See page 13 for more information about ways to contribute to Bethesda.
**Anthem**

_Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect Peace_  
Herbert Sumsion  

Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee. The darkness is no darkness with Thee, but the night is as clear as the day. The darkness and the light to Thee are both alike. God is light, and in Him is no darkness at all. O let my soul live and it shall praise Thee, for thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for evermore.

**At the Presentation**

_Celebrant_ O Lord our God, you are worthy to receive glory and honor and power;  
_People_ Because you have created all things, and by your will they were created and have their being.

**The Great Thanksgiving**

_Eucharistic Prayer I from Enriching Our Worship_  

_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 our thanks and praise.  
_Celebrant_ It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again. Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

**Sanctus and Benedictus**

_Missa Marialis (Enriching Our Worship text)_

_Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of pow’r and might._

_Heaven and earth are full of your glory._

_Hosanna in the highest._

_Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord._

_Hosanna in the highest._

*The congregation kneels, and the Celebrant continues.*
Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: “Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said: “Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People
Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues
Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ’s Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. AMEN.

Celebrant
As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

Celebrant and People (Second translation of the Lord’s Prayer, from The Book of Common Prayer)
Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.
The Gifts of God for the People of God.

COMMUNION
All baptized Christians are invited to receive the sacrament of the Eucharist. This is the Lord’s table. It is the Lord who invites you. It is his wish that those who want him should meet him here. During communion, please come forward at the direction of the ushers to the stations at the Chancel steps, or, if unable to do so, please signal to the clergy circulating with communion. Our custom in the Episcopal Church is to receive both elements by putting hands forward, palms crossed and facing upward to receive the bread, and by guiding the chalice lightly to receive the wine. Please note that receiving just the bread or wine alone is fully receiving communion. Gluten-free wafers are available; let the priest know when you go up to receive. If you would like to receive a blessing instead, go to the stations and simply cross your arms across your chest.

During the Communion
Hymn 140 Wilt Thou Forgive That Sin
Anthem Jesus So Lowly

Jesus, so lowly, child of the earth: Christen me wholly, bring me new birth. Jesus, so lonely, weary and sad; teach me that only Love maketh glad. Jesus, so broken, silent and pale; be this the token Love will not fail. Jesus, victorious, mighty and free; teach me how glorious death is to be.

The congregation stands when the Celebrant returns to the altar.

SENDING OUT OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS
Celebrant We who are many are one body.
People For we all share one bread, and one cup.
Postcommunion Prayer

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

Prayer over the People

Deacon Bow down before the Lord.

The congregation bows.

Celebrant Grant, Almighty God, that your people may recognize their weakness and put their whole trust in your strength, so that they may rejoice for ever in the protection of your loving providence; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The congregation stands as the hymn is introduced.

Hymn 143 The Glory of These Forty Days Erhalt uns, Herr

Dismissal Response Thanks be to God.

Procession

Prayers for healing and wholeness have been asked for... Alice, Amelia, Amy, Andrew, Angela, Anita, Ann, Anne, Anthony, Arlo, Arthur, Austin, Barakett family, Bill, Bill Ed, Bob, Bobby, Brightman, Carmen, Celia, Charles, Cheryl, Chip, Chris, Christine, Claude, Dalia, David, Dawn, Dean, Debbie, Deborah, DJ, Don, Donna, Dorothy, Edwin, Elena, Elinor, Elizabeth, Emmy, Eva, Evan, Frank, Fred, Gay, Gerry, Gloria, Gonzalez family, Hannah, Hartman Family, Holly, Hunter, Jack, James, Jane, Jeanne, Jennifer, Jesse, Joan, Joaquin, John, John Joseph, Kay, Kelley, Kelly Ann, Ken, Kendall, Knight family, Larry, Libby family, Louis, Louise, Lucy, Lydia, Lynn, Mac, Magdalena, Mallory, Marcia, Marge, Marguerite, Maria Elena, Mariela, Marilyn, Mark, Martin, Mary, Mary Ann, Matthew, Michael, Michelle, Miriam, Nancy, Nat, Nathan, Nealy, Nolan family, Olga, Pam, Pat, Patricia, Peggy, Peter, Raymond, Regine, Renee, Reysean, Richard, Ricky, Robbie, Robert, Rosa, Russell, Sally, Sandra, Scott, Sharon, Shaune, Shawn, Spencer, Stellway family, Stephen, Stewart, Sue, Susan, Suzy, Sylvia, Taryn, Ted, Terry family, Thomas, Tom, Vincent, Viola, Ward and those serving our country... Alex, Benjamin, Christian, Clara, Eric, George, Harold, Herbert, John, Lorne, Luster Michael, Thomas, Tommy, and William.
Announcements for Sunday, March 1

• **Music at Bethesda | Today | 3:30 p.m. | Church**
  Christopher Harrell, organist, *Associate for Music and Liturgy*, St. Philip's Episcopal Church, Coral Gables, will play a recital at 3:30 p.m., and Evensong with the Bethesda Choir follows at 4:00 p.m. A free-will offering will be received, and a reception will follow in the Parish Hall. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

• **Lenten Services | Wednesday, March 4 | 12:05 p.m.**
  Our 12:05 p.m. Wednesday Eucharist during Lent will include congregational hymns and service music. Following each of those services, we will provide homemade soups, along with salad and bread. The cost of the luncheon is $3, payable at the door. March 4 guest preacher - Greg Knight, *Director of Children and Youth Ministries*.

• **Adult Forum: Digging Deep; Pulling Back the Layers of Sunday’s Gospel | March 8 | 9:50 a.m. | Parish Hall East**
  Four of the five Sundays of Lent that we offer formation opportunities, the Bethesda priests will lead a conversation about the Gospel text from the lectionary of the day. Through interactive discussions we will read the text, looking at it word for word, and talk about ways to understand it, applying critical exegetical skills as well as discussing different ways the text that day may bear on our lives. Join us for this Lenten discipline of deep and meaningful scripture study and faith formation as we consider the biblical text in a modern and living context.

  *For more information about our upcoming events, pick up and read the Bethesda Happenings. It is available in the Narthex, in our tract rack, on our website, and in our e-mail newsletter!*
ALTAR FLOWERS

We invite you to make a contribution in memory of, in honor of, or in thanksgiving of, your loved ones. Your contribution provides for flowers, plants, and altar adornments, necessary for worship services throughout the year.

In order for names to be printed in the Sunday service leaflet, they must be received two weeks prior to the desired Sunday. A minimum $100 contribution is suggested per name. Please complete the form below and mail it with your check (payable to Bethesda-by-the-Sea Church) to 141 South County Road, Palm Beach, FL 33480. You may also visit bbts.org and click the red “Give Online” slider and pay online.

Please print clearly FULL CHRISTIAN NAME (first and last)
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The Rector, Wardens, and Vestry would like to thank the 316 households that have made a pledge to our annual campaign as of February 27, 2020. These pledges (totaling $1,613,920.90 against our budget target of $2,400,000) enable sound financial planning for Bethesda’s mission and ministry. We will publish all pledgers on March 1th and March 29th, in addition to Easter Sunday. Please prayerfully consider making your pledge by Friday, April 3, so that we may include your name in the Easter Day leaflet. If you have not yet received a pledge card, you may contact Turia Roebuck-Hayden in the office at (561) 655-4555 x110 or at turia@bbts.org. If you would like to make a pledge you may mail, drop off a pledge card, call the office, or complete the online form at bbts.org/give/annual-commitments.

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