



CHRIST

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# Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

## **[Stand]**

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

**Leader:** Let us call to mind our sins.

## **Penitential Act**

All: I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

**Leader:** Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

**Leader:** Christ, have mercy.

All: Christ, have mercy.

**Leader:** Lord, have mercy.

All: Christ, have mercy.

## **Opening Prayer**

**Leader:** Let us pray

Almighty ever-living God, who, direct our actions according to your good pleasure, that in the name of your beloved Son we may abound in good works. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

## Gloria

All:

Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you,  
we adore you, we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory.

Lord God, heavenly King,

O God almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

you take away the sins of the world,

have mercy on us;

you take away the sins of the world,

receive our prayer;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father,

have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,

you alone are the Lord,

you alone are the Most High,

Jesus Christ,

with the Holy Spirit,

in the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

*[Only Reader Stands]*

**Reader:** A reading from the book of the Prophet Jonah

The word of the LORD came to Jonah, saying:

“Set out for the great city of Nineveh,  
and announce to it the message that I will tell you.”

So Jonah made ready and went to Nineveh,  
according to the LORD’S bidding.

Now Nineveh was an enormously large city;  
it took three days to go through it.

Jonah began his journey through the city,  
and had gone but a single day’s walk announcing,  
“Forty days more and Nineveh shall be destroyed, “  
when the people of Nineveh believed God;  
they proclaimed a fast  
and all of them, great and small, put on sackcloth.

When God saw by their actions how they turned from their evil way,  
he repented of the evil that he had threatened to do to them;  
he did not carry it out.

*[Jon 3:1-5, 10]*

The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

**RESPONSE:** Teach me your ways, O Lord.

All: Teach me your ways, O Lord.

**Reader:** Your ways, O LORD, make known to me;  
teach me your paths,  
Guide me in your truth and teach me,  
for you are God my savior. **Response**

Remember that your compassion, O LORD,  
and your love are from of old.  
In your kindness remember me,  
because of your goodness, O LORD. **Response**

Good and upright is the LORD;  
thus he shows sinners the way.  
He guides the humble to justice  
and teaches the humble his way. **Response**

*[Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9]*

**Reader:** A reading from the first Letter from St. Paul to the Corinthians

I tell you, brothers and sisters, the time is running out.

From now on, let those having wives act as not having them,

those weeping as not weeping,

those rejoicing as not rejoicing,

those buying as not owning,

those using the world as not using it fully.

For the world in its present form is passing away.

*[1 Cor 7:29-31]*

The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

***[All Stand for Gospel]***

**Leader:** A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

After John had been arrested,

Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God:

“This is the time of fulfillment.

The kingdom of God is at hand.

Repent, and believe in the gospel.”

As he passed by the Sea of Galilee,

he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting their nets into the sea;

they were fishermen.

Jesus said to them,

“Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men.”

Then they abandoned their nets and followed him.

He walked along a little farther

and saw James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John.

They too were in a boat mending their nets.

Then he called them.

So they left their father Zebedee in the boat

along with the hired men and followed him.

*[Mk 1:14-20]*

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

## Reflection/Discussion

### Creed

All: I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,  
and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried,  
and rose again on the third day  
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.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.  
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins  
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### Universal Prayer

**Leader:** Let us pray.  
For the leaders of the Church... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*

We pray to the Lord.  
All: Lord, hear our prayer.

**Leader:** For the leaders of nations... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*  
We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

**Leader:** For the sick and their caregivers, especially those sick with coronavirus,  
and for an end to this pandemic... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*  
We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

**Leader:** For our St. Elizabeth parish family... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*  
We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

**Leader:** For those who have died... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*  
We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

**Leader:** Let us gather all of our intentions into the prayer that Jesus taught us.

All: Our Father, who art in heaven...

**Leader:** Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days,  
that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all  
distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus  
Christ.

All: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and forever.

**Leader:** May the Lord bless us, protect us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life.

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