

All Saints' Episcopal Church

3 Lent

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

10:00 a.m. + Sunday, March 7, 2021

Welcome to worship at All Saints'.

We invite you to write prayer requests in the Facebook comments, we welcome you to sing and pray the liturgy with us, and we look forward to gathering in person, when it is safe to do so. May God's love bless us all.



The Word of God

Prelude Music |

"What Wondrous Love Is This"

Christian folk hymn
arr. Anna Hagen

Julie Koenig, *harp*

Introit | "There is a balm in Gilead"

African American Spiritual
arr. Mark Hayes (b. 1953)

Greer Lyle, *soprano*

Dr. Kirk M. Rich, *piano*

*Chorus: There is a balm in Gilead
To make the wounded whole;
There is a balm in Gilead
To heal the sin-sick soul.*

Some times I feel discouraged,
And think my work's in vain,
But then the Holy Spirit
Revives my soul again.

Chorus

If you can preach like Peter,
If you can preach like Paul,
God home and tell your neighbor,
He died to save us all.

Chorus

Jesus answered them,
"Destroy this temple, and
in three days I will raise it up."



Welcome and Announcements |

Opening Sentences |

Officiant Lord have mercy.
People Christ have mercy.
Officiant Lord have mercy.
Let us pray.

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution |

Officiant If we say we have no sin,
People we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us;
Officiant but if we confess our sins,
People God who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
Officiant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Officiant and People

Most merciful God, we confess that 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. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. **Amen.**

Officiant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Invitatory and Psalm |

Reader Lord, open our lips.
People And our mouth shall proclaim your praise. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. **Amen.**

Psalm | 19: 1–8

Reader The heavens declare your glory, O God,
People and the firmament shows your handiwork.
Reader One day tells its tale to another,
People and one night imparts knowledge to another.
Reader Although they have no words or language,
People and their voices are not heard,
Reader Their sound has gone out into all lands,
People and their message to the ends of the world.

Reader In the deep you have set a pavilion for the sun;
People it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber;
it rejoices like a champion to run its course.

Reader It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens
and runs about to the end of it again;
People nothing is hidden from its burning heat.

Reader Your law, O God, is perfect and revives the soul;
People your testimony is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent.

Reader Your statutes are just and rejoice the heart;
People your commandment is clear and gives light to the eyes.

Reader and People

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning,
is now and will be forever. Amen.

The First Lesson | Exodus 20:1–17

Jiffy Page

Then God spoke all these words:

I am the Lord your God, who brought you out
of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery;
you shall have no other gods before me.

You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether
in the form of anything that is in heaven above,
or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the
water under the earth. You shall not bow down
to them or worship them; for I the Lord your
God am a jealous God, punishing children
for the iniquity of parents, to the third and
the fourth generation of those who reject me,
but showing steadfast love to the thousandth
generation of those who love me and keep
my commandments.

You shall not make wrongful use of the name
of the Lord your God, for the Lord will not
acquit anyone who misuses his name.

Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy.
For six days you shall labour and do all your
work. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the

Reader The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Lord your God; you shall not do any work –
you, your son or your daughter, your male
or female slave, your livestock, or the alien
resident in your towns. For in six days the Lord
made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that
is in them, but rested the seventh day;
therefore the Lord blessed the sabbath day
and consecrated it.

Honor your father and your mother, so that
your days may be long in the land that the
Lord your God is giving you.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against
your neighbor.

You shall not covet your neighbor's house;
you shall not covet your neighbor's wife,
or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey,
or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written,

“I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart.”

Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did

Reader The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God’s foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God’s weakness is stronger than human strength.

Hymn Meditation | WLP 746

“God the sculptor of the mountains”

Sandria

Jessica Stinson, *violin*

Dr. Kirk M. Rich, *organ*



1. God the sculp - tor of the moun - tains, God the mil - ler of the sand,
 2. God the nui - sance to the Pha - raoh, God the cleav - er of the sea,
 3. God the un - ex - pect - ed in - fant, God the calm, de - ter - mined youth,
 4. God the dress - er of the vine - yard, God the plant - er of the wheat,



God the jewel - er of the heav - ens, God the pot - ter of the land:
 God the pil - lar of the dark - ness, God the bea - con of the free:
 God the ta - ble turn - ing pro - phet, God the res - ur - rect - ed Truth:
 God the reap - er of the har - vest, God the source of all we eat:



you are womb of all cre - a - tion, we are form - less; shape us now.
 you are gate of all de - liv' - rance, we are sight - less; lead us now.
 you are pres - ent ev - ery mo - ment, we are search - ing meet us now.
 you are host at ev - ery ta - ble, we are hun - gry; feed us now.

The Gospel | John 2:13–22

Reader A reading from the Gospel of John.

The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, “Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father’s house a marketplace!” His disciples remembered that it was written, “Zeal for your house will

consume me.” The Jews then said to him, “What sign can you show us for doing this?” Jesus answered them, “Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.” The Jews then said, “This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?” But he was speaking of the temple of his body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

Reader The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Lord’s Prayer |

Rob Boas

Intercessor The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Intercessor Let us 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,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Intercessor In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.
For all people in their daily life and work;

People For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

Intercessor For this community, the nation, and the world;

People For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

Intercessor For the just and proper use of your creation;

People For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

Intercessor For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

People For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

Intercessor For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

People For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

Intercessor In the Anglican Communion, we pray for The Anglican Church of Kenya, in our Diocese we pray for the people and clergy of St. Gabriel's in Oakwood, and in our parish we pray: Gracious God, we thank you for the work you give us to do, this day asking your blessing on the men, staff and board of Covenant Community and giving thanks for their powerful witness to your power to save.

People For all who serve God in his Church.

Intercessor For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.
(*The names of those who are ill will be read aloud.*) Hear us, Lord;

People For your mercy is great.

Intercessor We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.
(*When there is a new birth in parish the intercessor adds: 'especially for the birth of N.'*)
We will exalt you, O God our King;

People And praise your Name for ever and ever.

Intercessor We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.
(*The names of those who have died will be read aloud.*)
Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

People Who put their trust in you.

Concluding Collect |

Lord, hear the prayers of your people; and what we have asked faithfully, grant that we may obtain effectually, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Intercessor Let us bless the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Sermon |

The Rev. Zachary C. Nyein

A period of silent prayer follows the sermon.

Musical Meditation |

"What Wondrous Love Is This"

Early American folk hymn
arr. Daniel Burton

Julie Koenig, *harp*

Blessing | Let us bow down before the Lord.

Keep this your family, Lord, with your never-failing mercy, that relying solely on the help of your heavenly grace, we may be upheld by your divine protection; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Dismissal | *Officiant* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Closing Hymn | 518

“Christ is made the sure foundation”

Westminster Abbey

The All Saints' Adult Choir



1. Christ is made the sure foun - da - tion, Christ the head and cor - ner - stone,
2. All that ded - i cat - ed ci - ty, dear - ly loved of God on high,
3. To this tem - ple, where we call thee, come, O Lord of Hosts, to - day;
4. Here vouch-safe to all thy ser - vants what they ask of thee to gain;



cho - sen of the Lord, and pre - cious, bind - ing all the Church in one;
in ex - ult - ant ju - bi - la - tion pours per - pet - ual mel - o - dy;
with thy won - ted lov - ing - kind - ness hear thy serv - ants as they pray,
what they gain from thee, for ev - er with the bless - ed to re - tain,



ho - ly Zi - on's help for ev - er, and her con - fi - dence a - lone.
God the One in Three a - dor - ing in glad hymns e - ter - nal - ly.
and thy full - est ben - e - dic - tion shed with - in its walls al - way.
and here - af - ter in thy glo - ry ev - er - more with thee to reign.

Voluntary | Chorale Prelude on *Wir danken dir, Herr Jesu Christ* BWV 623

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)

We thank you, Lord Jesus Christ,
that you died for us
and have made us, through your
precious blood
just and good in the sight of God.

Dr. Kirk M. Rich, *organ*



Worship Notes

The Worship Committee and staff welcome your feedback; please email
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Music for Sunday, March 7, 2021

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In Our Prayers

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for The Anglican Church of Kenya.

In our diocese, we pray for St. Gabriel's in Oakwood.

In our parish cycle of prayers, we pray for the men, staff and board of Covenant Community.

Thanksgiving and Memorials

The sanctuary candle and altar flowers are given to the glory of God.

Announcements

We want you to have the Most Up-to-Date Information

Things are changing quickly during this pandemic. For the most current announcements on upcoming events, service opportunities, and worship services, please visit

allsaintsatlanta.org/news-and-publications.

Please continue to monitor our website for the latest news and answers to frequently asked questions regarding our COVID-19 policies and protocols:

allsaintsatlanta.org/covid-19.



Prayer List

Those who are ill |

William Broxterman, *friend of Craig and Sydney Cleland*

Cathy Burch, *friend of Taylor and Cindy Macdonald*

Ann Dangler, *friend of Gretchen Chateau*

Harriet McAlister, *godmother of Lee Pope*

Jim Muhl, *friend of Craig and Rene Wilson*

Bill Penn, *friend of the parish*

Steven Santiago and Jocelyn Santiago,
family members of Maurice Reddick

All who are suffering from COVID-19

Other concerns |

Randy Keith and Sherry Heard,
father and sister of Shannon Keith

Cathy McGee and Mary Kuntz,
sisters of Craig and Sydney Cleland

Those who have died |

Elise Knight

Carl Stehman

Freiya Brown, *friend of Tina Engberg*

Shirley Caison, *mother of Tim Caison*

Astrid Smyers, *mother of David Edge*

All who have died from COVID-19

New babies |

Lucy Jane Langston, *great-niece of Pat Kiley*

Birthdays this Week

Sun | March 7

Rachel Greil

Blake Kozlowski

Norris Nelson

Mary Margaret Oliver

Greg Studdard

Judson Wells

Mon | March 8

Jenny Allen

James Bryan

Dabney Daniel

Anderson Gray

Gabriel Harper

Catherine Moumjian

Victor Young

Tues | March 9

Ryan Armstrong

John Fleming

Sade Fryer

Lee Gillespy

Tom Rhodes

Clarke Ruska

Parlee Teague

Wed | March 10

Preston Aiken

Sarah Brennan

Helen Derrick

Phebe Etheredge

Jules Johnson

Daniel Lanoux

Madeline Liphthrott

Joanna Stroud

Linda Swygert

Adrienne Wells

Yeardeley Williams

Thur | March 11

Diane Barber

Sandra Hale

Anna Mershon

David Mertz

Jason Payne

Fri | March 12

Jayne Anne Ahmann

Kate Brown

Kathryn Donald

Wally Hill

Lillian Huber

Emmanuelle Lunsford

Grey McCarthy

Jack Mears

Ann Lawton Tozzer

Mary Lynn Van Buren

Chris von Gal

Annalise Weber

Sat | March 13

Maggie Bailey

Lewis Boedeker

Jen Edgar

Sebastian Furr-Jimenez

Louisa Johnson

Shelly Marshall

Linda Merrill

Beth Tate

Rebecca Toole

Joe Tucker

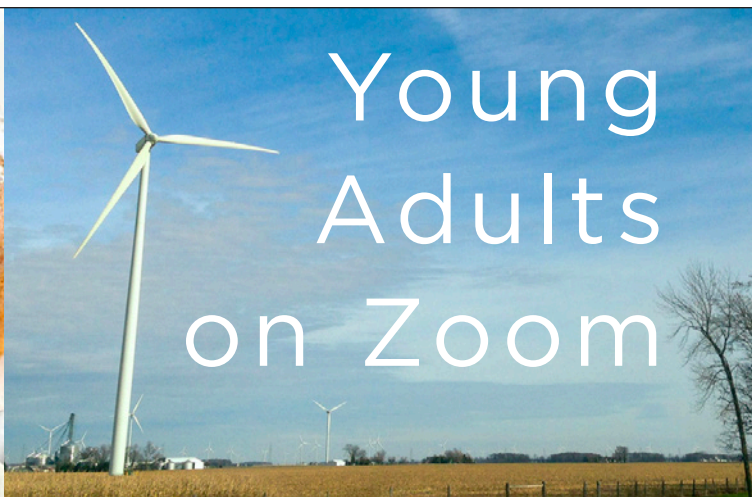
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VESTRY CLASS OF
NOMINATIONS
2023-2024

Nominations for the vestry class of 2023/2024 are being accepted now through April 6.

We're taking names.

Please submit your nominations online at allsaintsatlanta.org/article/vestry-nominations/ or email them to Pat Kiley at patkiley@allsaintsatlanta.org.



Young Adults on Zoom

Virtual Brunch and Bible: Sunday, March 14, 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Saints Untapped: Thursday, March 18, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Join Bert Clark and Debi McNeil, President and CEO of Canterbury Court, as they cover a variety of topics including legacy planning, redefining retirement, and long term care.

Adult Myths and Truths: Long Term Care Residency and Planning

Sunday, March 21, 9:00-9:55 a.m., on Zoom
Sign up on our website: allsaintsatlanta.org



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Our Weekly Worship Schedule

SUNDAYS

10:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Word

MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY

12:05 p.m. Noonday Prayer

THURSDAYS

8:00 p.m. Compline Prayer

For information on viewing our online worship services, please visit us at allsaintsatlanta.org/worship-life-events/worship-at-all-saints/.