

Priest ...And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

The Lord's Prayer

BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

The priest breaks the bread

Priest Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.
Response Therefore let us keep the feast.

Agnus Dei WLP 871

"Lamb of God"

Standing

Communion WLP 811

"You shall cross the barren desert"

Post-Communion Prayer

BCP, p. 365

The Blessing

Hymn 484

"Praise the Lord through every nation"

Standing

Dismissal

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the LORD.
Response Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Introduction and Toccata

G. Frescobaldi

After the dismissal the congregation is welcome to either stay and listen quietly to the postlude or to quietly exit the church.

Birthdays	Anniversaries
Turner Graham 13	
Elaine Pierce 15	
Pat Connelly 16	
Luana Abrao 19	

Birthday and Anniversary Prayer

Watch over thy children, O Lord, as their days increase;
bless and guide them wherever they may be.
Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or
sorrowful; raise them up if they fall;
and in their hearts may thy peace which passes understanding
abide all the days of their lives;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

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Announcements

Holy Eucharist Rite II mass LIVESTREAMED on the parish's Facebook page and YouTube channel at 11:00 am Sunday mornings.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/ccelasvegas>
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Please **SUBSCRIBE** to our YouTube channel while you are **there!**
By subscribe our channel link can have an official name.

Pastoral Care: Are you sick, homebound or hospitalized?
Please contact church office at 702-735-7655 to arrange a visit with Rev. Liz or Deacon Bonnie.

In an effort to provide a more quiet time as we prepare for worship, please refrain from talking during the 15 minutes prior to the beginning of the service. This is a time for meditation, prayer, and the quieting of the soul as we ready ourselves to worship God.



Some church worship services are being livestreamed via video for our online congregation. By participating in this service you acknowledge that you may be visible on live broadcast or archived video. If you are uncomfortable about the possibility of appearing on video, please see an usher to be reseated in a more private area.

Dates to Remember

April 10-16 Holy Week
April 17 Easter
April 30 Patio Nights



Welcome to Christ Church

Please silence all electronic devices when entering the church.



Second Sunday in Lent

March 13th, 2022 at 11:00 AM

The Liturgy of the Word

Prelude

Meditation
Children of the Heavenly Father

Gabriel DuPont
arr. Diane Bish

Hymn 495

"Hail, thou once despised Jesus!"

Standing

Priest Blessed the Lord who forgives all our sins.
Response His mercy endures for ever. Amen

Collect for Purity

BCP, p. 355

Gloria

"Lord, have mercy upon us"

Hymn S-90

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Collect of the Day

Priest The LORD be with you.
Response And also with you.
Priest Let us pray.

O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy: Be gracious to all who have gone astray from your ways, and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of your Word, Jesus Christ your Son; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

First Reading

Genesis 15:1-12,17-18

Sitting

The word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, "Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great." But Abram said, "O Lord God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?" And Abram said, "You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir." But the word of the Lord came to him, "This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir." He brought him outside and said, "Look toward heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them." Then he said to him, "So shall your descendants be." And he believed the Lord; and the Lord reckoned it to him as righteousness. Then he said to him, "I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans, to give you this land to possess." But he said, "O Lord God, how am I to know that I shall possess it?" He said to him, "Bring me a heifer three years old, a female goat three

years old, a ram three years old, a turtledove, and a young pigeon.” He brought him all these and cut them in two, laying each half over against the other; but he did not cut the birds in two. And when birds of prey came down on the carcasses, Abram drove them away. As the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell upon Abram, and a deep and terrifying darkness descended upon him. When the sun had gone down and it was dark, a smoking fire pot and a flaming torch passed between these pieces. On that day the Lord made a covenant with Abram, saying, “To your descendants I give this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the river Euphrates.”

Reader The word of the LORD.

Response Thanks be to God.

Psalm 27

1. The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom then shall I fear? *
the LORD is the strength of my life; of whom then shall I be afraid?
2. When evildoers came upon me to eat up my flesh, *
it was they, my foes and my adversaries, who stumbled and fell.
3. Though an army should encamp against me, *
yet my heart shall not be afraid;
4. And though war should rise up against me, *
yet will I put my trust in him.
5. One thing have I asked of the LORD; one thing I seek; *
that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life;
6. To behold the fair beauty of the LORD *
and to seek him in his temple.
7. For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe in his shelter; *
he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling
and set me high upon a rock.
8. Even now he lifts up my head *
above my enemies round about me.
9. Therefore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation
with sounds of great gladness; *
I will sing and make music to the LORD.
10. Harken to my voice, O LORD, when I call; *
have mercy on me and answer me.
11. You speak in my heart and say, "Seek my face." *
Your face, LORD, will I seek.
12. Hide not your face from me, *
nor turn away your servant in displeasure.
13. You have been my helper; cast me not away; *
do not forsake me, O God of my salvation.
14. Though my father and my mother forsake me, *
the LORD will sustain me.
15. Show me your way, O LORD; *
lead me on a level path, because of my enemies.
16. Deliver me not into the hand of my adversaries, *
for false witnesses have risen up against me,
and also those who speak malice.
17. What if I had not believed that I should see the goodness of the LORD
in the land of the living!
18. O tarry and await the LORD's pleasure;
be strong, and he shall comfort your heart; *
wait patiently for the LORD.

Second Reading

Philippians 3:17-4:1

Brothers and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. He will transform the body of our humiliation that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself. Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

Reader The word of the LORD.

Response Thanks be to God.

Hymn 448 vss 1,2,5,6 “O love, how deep, how broad” *Standing*

The Holy Gospel *Luke 13:31-35* *Standing*

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

Response **Glory to you, LORD Christ.**

Some Pharisees came and said to Jesus, "Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you." He said to them, "Go and tell that fox for me, 'Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish my work. Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way, because it is impossible for a prophet to be killed outside of Jerusalem.' Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, 'Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.'"

Deacon The Gospel of the LORD.

Response **Praise to you, LORD Christ.**

Sermon The Rev. Liz Zivanov

The Nicene Creed **BCP, p. 358**

Prayers of The People *Standing or kneeling*

Please join using Form III in the Book of Common Prayer. **BCP, p. 387**

Prayer requests

Anglican Cycle of Prayer The Anglican Church of Melanesia and The Most Rev. Leonard Dawea, their Archbishop.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer Commission on Ordination and Licensing and The Rev. Marla Asson, their Chair.

Thanksgiving For the Courtyard Planter Sponsors.

Those in Need Arnold, Audrey, Barbara, Bea, Bob, Bonnie, Kathy, Ranji, Ramesh, Renee, Rusty, Sandy, Tom, Terri, Virginia; Debbie and her family, Lottie, Brad, Tony, Tanya, Helen, Carmen, Sandy, Lynn, Sylvia, Keith, Doug, Ann, Lorraine

The Deceased Mark, Conner.

Confession of Sin **BCP, p. 360**

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All: 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.

Celebrant: 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 Peace

Announcements

Offertory *The King of Love, My Shepherd Is* J.N. Beck

Doxology 380,vs3 “Praise God from who all blessings flow” *Standing*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen



The Holy Eucharist

The holy table belongs to our Lord Jesus Christ and all those who desire to follow him as LORD and Savior are welcome to receive the bread and wine. If you cannot come to the altar, please signal an usher and we will bring communion to you.

The Great Thanksgiving **BCP, p. 361**

Priest The LORD be with you.

Response **And also with you.**

Priest Lift up your hearts.

Response **We lift them to the LORD.**

Priest Let us give thanks to the LORD our God.

Response **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Priest It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth...

Priest Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name :

Sanctus S-125 *Standing*

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

The celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer, the congregation stands or kneels.

Priest ...Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith: **BCP, p. 363**

All **Christ has died.**
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.