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# The Fourth Sunday in Lent

**Choral Eucharist** 

<u>Sunday, March 1</u>	<u>.9, 2023 Ten o'cle</u>	Ten o'clock in the morning	
Organ Voluntary	O Sacred Head Now Wounded	Johannes Brahms	
Hymn 455	O Love of God, how strong and true	DUNEDIN	
A PENITENTIAL ORDER FOR LENTCelebrantBless the Lord who forgives all our sinPeopleHis mercy endures for ever. Amen.		BCP page 351 s.	
<b>The Decalogue</b> All kneeling as ab	ble	BCP p. 350	
THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION		BCP page 352	
Kyrie	(in the front section of the Hymnal)	S95	
The people stana Celebrant <b>People</b> Celebrant	ling The Lord be with you. <b>And also with you.</b> Let us pray.		

# THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Gracious Father, whose blessed son Jesus Christ came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world: Evermore give us this bread, that he may live in us, and we in him; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

## THE LESSONS

A Reading from the First Book of Samuel	[16: 1-13]
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Dominus regit me Psalm 23 BCP p. 612 The Cantor sings the refrain initially and the People join when invited Refrain Mode 6 0 0 The Lord is my shep - herd; I shall not be in want. from Gradual Psalms for the RCL, ed. Bruce E. Ford, Church Publishing Incorporated A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians [5: 8 - 14]Hymn 439 What wondrous love is this WONDROUS LOVE The Holy Gospel [John 9: 1 – 41] THE HOMILY The Rev. John Doherty Silence may be kept THE NICENE CREED, standing BCP page 358 **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE** All stand or kneel as able for prayer. At the end of each intercession the people respond: Intercessor: Light of the world Open our eyes. People: The Celebrant adds a Concluding Collect. THE PEACE BCP page 360 **ANNOUNCEMENTS The Holy Communion** Offertory Music O Saviour of the World John Goss THE GREAT THANKSGIVING **Eucharistic Prayer A** BCP p. 361 (in the front section of the Hymnal) Sanctus S124 THE LORD'S PRAYER BCP page 364

## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

# **Fraction Anthem** (in the front section of the Hymnal) S160

All who seek a deeper life in Christ are welcome to receive Holy Communion by moving forward to the altar rail or by remaining in your place and indicating to an usher that you would like to receive. Alternatively, you are welcome to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest. If you are not yet baptized and feel drawn to receive Holy Communion, please speak with a priest about baptism after the service.

Hymn 692I heard the voice of JesusThe Third Tune

After the people receive Communion a period of silent reflection is kept

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP p. 365

## THE PRAYERS OVER THE PEOPLE

The Deacon or, in the absence of a deacon the Celebrant says Deacon Let us bow down before the Lord.

The people kneel and the Celebrant says the following prayer:

Celebrant Look down in mercy, Lord, on your people who kneel before you; and grant that those whom you have nourished by your Word and Sacrament may bring forth fruit worthy of repentance; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

Cwm Rhondda

DISMISSAL

Organ Voluntary Praeludium in A minor

## Announcements for March 19, 2023

#### Today at St. Paul's

- The Sunday Group meets at 9:00 a.m. in the Library. We are reading and discussing the book *Calling on the Holy Spirit* by William Countryman.
- Choral Evensong at 4:00 pm

Youth group will meet at St. Paul's on Wednesday March 29 at 6:00 pm to prepare our Holy Week Tenebrae service. All middle and high school youth are welcome to participate.

#### Lenten Art History Lessons by Susie Messer

Sunday, March 26th, following the 10:00 am service and Wednesday, March 29th, 6:30 pm, via Zoom and in person

**Canned Food Drive in Lent:** During Lent you can help fill the DMARC food pantry shelves by contributing to St. Paul's canned food drive. To participate, simply bring canned food items to St. Paul's; collection boxes will be conveniently located at all entrance doors. Please provide canned goods only. Thank you for your consideration and support!

#### **Making Palm Crosses**

On Saturday, April 1, the Altar Guild will be making palm crosses for distribution the next day, Palm Sunday. We invite six people to join us by contacting the Cathedral Office <u>execadmin@stpaulsdsm.org</u> (515-288-7297) anyone who is interested in learning how to make the crosses to come join us. We will be getting started around 10:30 that morning. Bring a pair of scissors and nimble fingers; we always have an enjoyable time doing this ministry. Coffee and donuts will be on hand. We need to make about 150 crosses, so help will be greatly appreciated.

## Our Holy Week and Easter Services offer opportunities to focus deeply on the mystery Of Jesus' death and resurrection. More information about all our activities can be found on our website: <u>www.stpaulsdm.org</u> More information about all our activities can be found on the handouts and on our website: <u>www.stpaulsdm.org</u>

#### **Today's Liturgical Ministers**

Celebrant – The Rev. Nicola Bowler Crucifer – Henry Allard Torch-bearers – Elise Allard, Madeline Allard 1<sup>st</sup> lesson – Rosa Walker Cantor – Austin Rozendaal 2<sup>nd</sup> lesson – Scott Jeneary Intercessor – Anna Whipple Eucharistic Minister – Catherine Gillespie, Anna Whipple Audio System – Tim Hird Ushers – Paul Meginnis Chapter Counters – Jolene Phelps, Rosa Walker, (alt., John Stender-Custer)



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