

Saint Luke's Episcopal Church

“ To know Christ and make Him known.”



Morning Prayer
Rite II

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Officiant: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ.

Confession of Sin BCP 79

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

Officiant and People together: (all kneeling)

**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 remains kneeling and says: BCP 80

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

The Invitatory and Psalter *(All stand)* BCP 80

Officiant: Lord, open our lips.

People: **And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

Officiant and People: BCP 80

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

The Psalm (*Officiant and People together*)

See Scripture Insert

Following the Psalm all say:

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

The Lessons

First Reading:

See Scripture Insert

Following the Reading:

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

The First Song of Isaiah (*Officiant and People together*) **BCP 86**

Surely, it is God who saves me; *

I will trust in him and not be afraid.

**For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense, *
and he will be my Savior.**

**Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing *
from the springs of salvation.**

And on that day you shall say, *

Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his Name,

Make his deeds known among the peoples; *

see that they remember that his Name is exalted.

**Sing the praises of the Lord, for he has done great things, *
and this is known in all the world.**

Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, *

for the great one in the midst of you is the Holy One of Israel.

**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.**

Second Reading:

See Scripture Insert

Following the Reading:

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

The Second Song of Isaiah (*Officiant and people together*) **BCP 86**

Seek the Lord while he wills to be found; *
 call upon him when he draws near.
Let the wicked forsake their ways *
 and the evil ones their thoughts;
And let them turn to the Lord, and he will have compassion, *
 and to our God, for he will richly pardon.
For my thoughts are not your thoughts, *
 nor your ways my ways, says the Lord.
For as the heavens are higher than the earth, *
 so are my ways higher than your ways,
 and my thoughts than your thoughts.
For as rain and snow fall from the heavens *
 and return not again, but water the earth,
Bringing forth life and giving growth, *
 seed for sowing and bread for eating,
So is my word that goes forth from my mouth; *
 it will not return to me empty;
But it will accomplish that which I have purposed, *
 and prosper in that for which I sent it.

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.

A Reading from The Gospel:

See Scripture Insert

Sermon

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Stewardship Prayer

Offertory Sentence (*Officiant*)

Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name, bring offering and
come into his courts.

Offertory

Receive Offering (*Officiant and People together*)

All things come of thee, O Lord,
and of our own have we given thee. Amen.

Officiant: Let us stand and say together The Apostles' Creed.

The Apostles' Creed BCP 96

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

**He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting.

Amen.

The Prayers

The people stand or kneel.

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Officiant: Let us pray. Lord's Prayer BCP 97

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.

Then follows one set of Suffrages. BCP 97

(Officiant and People responsively)

V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;

R. **And grant us your salvation.**

V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;

R. **Let your people sing with joy.**

V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;

R. **For only in you can we live in safety.**

V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;

R. **And guide us in the way of justice and truth.**

V. Let your way be known upon earth;

R. **Your saving health among all nations.**

V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;

R. **Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**

V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;

R. **And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.**

The Collect of the Day *(Officiant and People)* See Scripture Insert

Prayer for Mission *(Officiant)* BCP 100 (bottom)

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth,
and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off
and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may seek
after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out
your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Hymn

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Prayers of the People (Form III) BCP 387

(The Leader and People pray responsively)

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may
truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest.
Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

The People may add their own petitions.

The Officiant adds a concluding Collect.

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth:
Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us
to do your will, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The General Thanksgiving BCP 101

Officiant and People

**Almighty God, Father of all mercies,
we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks
for all your goodness and loving-kindness
to us and to all whom you have made.
We bless you for our creation, preservation,
and all the blessings of this life;
but above all for your immeasurable love
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.
And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,
not only with our lips, but in our lives,
by giving up our selves to your service,
and by walking before you
in holiness and righteousness all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom,
with you and the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.**

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom BCP 102

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord
to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised
through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered
together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now,
O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us
in this world, knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come
life everlasting. Amen.

Closing Hymn

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Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

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