

# Grace Episcopal Church

Holy Eucharist Rite II • June 13, 2004 • Pentecost 3

## Preparation for Worship

*“Better Is One Day”*

**Greetings from the President of the Institute for Worship Studies, Dr. Robert E. Webber**

## The Word of the Lord

### Processional Hymn 688

*“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”*

*arr. John Rutter*

*The People standing, the Celebrant says*

Blessed be God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

*People*

*And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*

*The Celebrant and People pray together*

*Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

### Songs of Praise and Worship

*“Open the Eyes of My Heart”*

*“Holy Is the Lord”*

### The Collect of the Day

*The Celebrant says to the People*

The Lord be with you.

*People*

*And also with you.*

*Celebrant*

Let us pray.

*O God, by your Holy Spirit you give to some the word of wisdom, to others the word of knowledge, and to others the word of faith: We praise your name for the gifts of grace manifested in your servants graduating today, and we pray that your Church may never be destitute of such gifts;*

*through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with You and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, forever and ever. Amen.*

**The Lessons** *The People sit as the appointed lessons are read.*

### First Lesson

Jeremiah 45:1-5

Pew Bible p. 617

*Reader*

The Word of the Lord.

*People*

*Thanks be to God.*

### Psalm 1 *Beatus vir qui non abiit*

1 Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the | wicked, \*  
nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the | scornful!

2 Their delight is in the law of the | Lord, \*  
and they meditate on his law day and | night.

3 They are like trees planted by streams of water,  
bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not | wither; \*  
everything they do shall | prosper.

4 It is not so with the | wicked; \*  
they are like chaff which the wind blows a | way.

5 Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment | comes, \*  
nor the sinner in the council of the | righteous.

6 For the Lord knows the way of the | righteous, \*  
but the way of the wicked is | doomed.

(Bowing)

Glory to the Father, and to the | Son, and to the Ho | ly Spirit:\*

(Rising)

as it was in the beginning, is | now, and will be forev | er. A| men.

*Then, all standing, the Priest reads the Gospel, first saying*

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

*People*      *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

### **The Gospel**

Matthew 20:20-28

Pew Bible p. 754

*After the Gospel, the Reader says*

The Gospel of the Lord.

*People*      *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

### **The Sermon**

Dr. Robert E. Webber  
President of IWS

## **The Commencement**

### **The Presentation of the Candidates**

Dr. James R. Hart  
Dean of Administration of IWS

Dr. Gerald Borchert  
Thesis Director of IWS

### **The Conferring of Degrees**

Dr. Robert E. Webber  
President of IWS

### **The Hooding**

Dr. Samuel C. Pascoe  
Vice Chairman of the Board

### **The Prayer of Commissioning**

Dr. Darrell A. Harris  
Chaplain of IWS

## **The Peace**

*The Celebrant says to the People*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People*      *And also with you.*

## **The Holy Communion**

### **The Offertory**

*Tonight's offering will benefit the ongoing ministry of the Institute for Worship Studies.  
Checks should be made payable to the Institute, not Grace Episcopal Church.*

### **Anthem**

*"How Lovely Is Your Dwelling Place"*  
*Choir and Organ*

*John Leavitt  
(Psalm 84:1-5,7)*

How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord Almighty!  
My soul yearns, even faints for the courts of the Lord;  
My Heart cries out for God!  
E'en the sparrow has found a home, and the swallow a nest for herself,  
Where she may have her young, near your altar O Lord God, my Lord Almighty God!  
Blessed are those who dwell in your house; they are ever praising you.  
Blessed are those whose strength is in you,  
Who have set their hearts on pilgrimage.  
They go from strength to strength till each appears before God.  
Glory be to the Father, the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;  
As it was shall ever be: world without end.  
Amen. Alleluia, alleluia. Amen!

### **The Doxology**

*Lasst Uns Erfreuen*

*People stand.*

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Alleluia, Alleluia.  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.  
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.*

The Great Thanksgiving *The People remain standing. The Celebrant faces them and sings*

*Priest* *Todd*

The Lord be with you and al - so with you

*Priest* *People*

Lift up your hearts We lift them to the Lord

*Priest*

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

*People*

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

*People*

Fa - ther Al - might - y, cre - a - tor of heav - en and earth

*All*

There - fore we praise you join - ing our voic - es with

an - gels and arch - an - gels and with all the com - pa - ny of heav - en

who for - ev - er sing this hymn to pro - claim the glo - ry of your Name

### Sanctus and Benedictus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and  
 might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
 san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who  
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est. \_\_\_\_\_

Setting: Robert Powell (b. 1932)

The People kneel.

### The Prayer of Consecration

Then the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

### The Acclamation

Celebrant and People together:

Moving Pulkingham  
 D Bm G A  
 Christ has died. Christ is ris - en.  
 F#m Bm G A B C D  
 Christ will come a - gain, (al - le - lu - ia.)  
 (During Lent repeat: will come a - gain.)  
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The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him.

Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom. All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. Amen.

*And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,*

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.*

*Celebrant: And now, with the Apostle Paul, we proclaim,  
"Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
People Therefore let us keep the feast." Alleluia.*

*Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following Invitation*

*The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.*

### **Fraction Anthem**

### **We Behold You**

*Words & Music by Jim Hart*

*Verse: With all the saints and angels we gather before you;  
Our hearts filled with thankfulness, we lift up your Holy Name.  
With all of the saints who have gone before us, we feast at your table;  
We eat of your body and drink of your Holy blood.*

*Chorus: And we behold You, and we behold You  
Lamb of God, slain for our sins. (Repeat chorus)*

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### **The Communion of the People**

*Visitors who have been baptized, who know Christ to be their Savior, and who would be welcome to receive Communion in their home church, are welcome at the Lord's Table in this church. **Children** whose parents do not want them to receive Communion, or others who do not wish to do so, are encouraged to come forward, cross their arms across their chests, and receive a prayer of blessing.*

## Communion Music

*“Lamb of God”*  
*“Healer of My Soul”*  
*“Purify My Heart”*  
*“Shine, Jesus, Shine”*

*After Communion, the Celebrant says*  
*Let us pray.*

## The Prayer of Discipleship

*Celebrant and People*

*Almighty and ever living God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.*

*The Priest blesses the People.*

## Processional Hymn 528

*“Lord, You Give the Great Commission”*

*Tune: Hyfrydol*  
*arr. by John Ferguson*

*The people are dismissed with this charge*

*Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.*

*People Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

## Postlude

*“Rondeau”*  
*from Sinfonies de Fanfares*  
*Brass, Organ and Timpani*

*Jean Joseph Mouret*  
*arr. by S. Drummond Wolff*