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READINGS

Sunday Jan 24/21

Jonah 3: 1-5, 10
Psalm 62: 5-12
1 Corinthians 7: 29-31
Mark 1: 14-20

God alone is my rock and my salvation. (Ps. 62:6)

Sunday Jan 31/20

Deuteronomy 18: 15-20
Psalm 111
1 Corinthians 8: 1-13
Mark 1: 21-28

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THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Sunday January 24, 2021

WELCOME and GATHERING

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Presider: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, whose voice is upon the waters, whose mercy is poured out upon all people, whose goodness cascades over all creation. Amen.

People: Amen.

Presider: Let us confess our sin, trusting in the abundant grace of God. [pause]

People: Holy God, you search us and know us. You are acquainted with all our ways. We confess that our hearts are burdened by sin – our own sins and the broken systems that bind us. We turn inward, failing to follow your outward way of love. We distrust those who are not like us. We exploit the earth and its resources and fail to consider generations to come. Forgive us, gracious God, for all we have done and left undone. Even before the words are on our tongues, you know them; receive them in your divine mercy. Amen.

Presider: How vast is God's grace! Through the power and promise of † Christ Jesus, our sins are washed away and we are claimed as God's own beloved. Indeed, we are forgiven. In the wake of God's forgiveness, we are called to be the beloved community living out Christ's justice and the Spirit's reconciling peace.

People: Amen.

GATHERING HYMN

Presider: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Leader: Let us pray together, the prayer of the day
People: **Almighty God, by grace alone you call us and accept us in your service. Strengthen us by your Spirit, and make us worthy of your call, through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.**

STORY

Reading: Jonah 3: 1-5, 10 Angela Lipp

ACCLAMATION HYMN

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Presider: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according Mark

People: **Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

Mark 1: 14-20

Presider: The Gospel of Christ

People: **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**

ACCLAMATION HYMN

RESPONDING

Homily: Bishop Greg Mohr,
British Columbia Synod, ELCIC

HYMN OF THE DAY

Brent Mayhew & Angela Lipp

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Presider: Let us together confess our faith in the words of the Apostles' Creed

People: **We believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. We believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, 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; he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again to judge the living and the dead. We 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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Jean Phillips

Leader: God of our calling,

People: **We pray to you.**

OFFERTORY HYMN

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Presider: O God, receive these gifts as you receive us: like a mother receives her child, with arms open wide. Nourish us anew in your tender care, and empower us in faithful service to tend to others with this same love, through Jesus Christ, our saving grace. Amen.

People: **Amen.**

Presider: And now as our Saviour taught us, let us pray saying:

People: **Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.**

Presider: Glory to God,

People: **whose power working in us can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, forever and ever. Amen.**

BLESSING

Presider: God the creator strengthen you; Jesus the beloved fill you; and the Holy Spirit the comforter † keep you in peace.

People: **Amen.**

NEWS AND EVENTS

SENDING HYMN

Presider: Go in peace. Be the light of Christ.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Verse 4

Jesus, come! Surprise our dullness,
make us willing to receive
more than we can yet imagine,
all the best you have to give;
let us find your hidden riches,
taste your love, believe and live!

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SENDING

GO MY CHILDREN WITH MY BLESSING – red book # 543

Verse 1

Go, my children with my blessing never alone.
Waking, sleeping, I am with you, you are my own.
In my love's baptismal river, I have made you mine forever.
Go, my children with my blessing, you are my own

Verse 2

Go, my children, sins forgiven at peace and pure.
Here you learned how much I love you, what I can cure.
Here you heard my dear Son's story,
here you touched him, saw his glory.
Go, my children, sins forgiven at peace and pure.

Verse 3

Go, my children, fed and nourished, closer to me.
Grow in love and love by serving joyful and free.
Here my Spirit's power filled you,
here my tender comfort stilled you.
Go, my children fed and nourished joyful and free.

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GATHERING HYMN

WE ARE CALLED – red book # 720

Verse 1

Come! Live in the light!
Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord!
We are called to be light for the kingdom,
to live in the freedom of the city of God.

Chorus

We are called to act with justice,
we are called to love tenderly;
we are called to serve one another,
to walk humbly with God.

Verse 2

Come! Open your heart!
Show your mercy to all those in fear!
We are called to be hope for the hopeless
so hatred and blindness will be no more.

Chorus

Verse 3

Sing! Sing a new song!
Sing of that great day when all will be one!
God will reign, and we'll walk with each other
as sisters and brothers united in love.

Chorus

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

ALLELUIA! – green book # 256

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
We will hear your word one in love,
We will live your word one in love.
We will spread your word one in love.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

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HYMN OF THE DAY

YOU HAVE COME DOWN TO THE LAKESHORE

– red book # 817

Verse 1

You have come down to the lakeshore
seeking neither the wise nor the wealthy,
but only asking for me to follow.

Chorus

Sweet Lord, you have looked into my eyes;
kindly smiling, you've called out my name.
On the sand I have abandoned my small boat;
now with you, I will seek other seas.

Verse 2

You know full well what I have, Lord:
neither treasure nor weapons for conquest,
just these my fish nets and will for working.

Chorus

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Verse 3

You need my hands, my exhaustion,
working love for the rest of the weary –
a love that's willing to go on loving.

Chorus

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OFFERTORY

JESUS COME, FOR WE INVITE YOU – red book # 312

Verse 1

Jesus, come! for we invite you,
guest and master, friend and Lord;
now, as once at Cana's wedding,
speak, and let us hear your word;
lead us through our need or doubting,
hope be born and joy restored.

Verse 2

Jesus, come! transform our pleasures,
guide us into paths unknown;
bring your gifts, command your servants;
let us trust in you alone;
though your hand may work in secret,
all shall see what you have done.

Verse 3

Jesus, come! in new creation,
heaven brought near in power divine;
give your unexpected glory,
changing water into wine;
rouse the faith of your disciples –
come, our first and greatest Sign!

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