

The Holy Eucharist

THE FEAST OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN (TRANSFERRED)

8:00 a.m. Sunday, August 14, 2016

Newcomers and visitors, we welcome you warmly.

May you find here, by the grace of God, that which feeds your soul.

THE WORD OF GOD

OPENING ACCLAMATION

all stand

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Celebrant Blessed be God; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

all say together

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

TRISAGION repeat 3 times *BCP*, page 324

Celebrant Holy God, Holy and Mighty, Holy Immortal One,

People Have mercy upon us.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with thy spirit.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, you have taken to thyself the blessed Virgin Mary, mother of thy incarnate Son: Grant that we, who have been redeemed by his blood, may share with her the glory of thine eternal kingdom; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

PRAYER FOR THE INTERIM TIME all say together

Almighty God, we pray for the people of St. Mary's during this time of transition. May we be genuine in our self-reflection, patient in our discernment, loving in our communion, imaginative about our future, and daring in our faith. As we seek to find, instill in us trust in your loving guidance. As we seek to challenge, unite us in our commitment to serve and to know Christ in each other and the world; As we seek to inspire, fill us with your bountiful spirit. All this we pray, empowered by the love of Christ our Lord. Amen

PSALM 34:1-9

read responsively by half verse

BCP, pp. 627-628

Benedicam Dominum

SECOND READING Galatians 4:4-7

THE HOLY GOSPEL all stand Luke 1:46-55

Response after the Deacon introduces the Gospel Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Response at the end of the Gospel reading Praise be to thee, O Christ.

THE HOMILY

The Rev. Claire Dietrich Ranna

THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader We thank you for the good work you have begun in us, your Church, and especially for this parish as we celebrate our feast day.

silence

Leader Loving God, you looked with favor on the lowliness of your servant, Mary,

People and blessed us with the life of your Son.

Leader You are the source of new life and every good gift.

People We give thanks for the earth, which nourishes all things.

Leader You know what it is to be human and to walk among us.

People We pray for ourselves and those we love.

Leader You scatter the proud and fill the hungry with good things.

People May all who suffer be renewed and made whole.

Leader You surround us with so great a cloud of witnesses.

People We remember those who have died and those who grieve.

Leader We pray for the needs and blessings of our lives ...

The Officiant offers prayers from the St. Mary's Prayer List.

Members of the congregation then add their personal petitions and thanksgivings.

Officiant O God our Savior, accept the fervent prayers of your people; open our hearts to hear your voice, and guide our feet as we follow Christ into the world. **Amen.**

THE CONFESSION OF SIN all kneel or stand

Celebrant Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

Silence may be kept.

People Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.

Celebrant Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised

forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ

our Lord. Amen.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING, EUCHARISTIC PRAYER II all stand

stand

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SANCTUS

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Holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD & THE INVITATION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

all stand and say together

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Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

SENDING OF THE LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITOR*

*when needed

Celebrant N., in the name of this parish family, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to _____. Together we share in the body and blood of Christ.

People Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share one bread and one cup.

THE BLESSING

DISMISSAL

Deacon Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.



