



8:00 AM Holy Communion

The Fourth Sunday in Lent, March 14, 2010

Worship begins with the music of the prelude. Please silence all cell phones and pagers.
We invite you to put on a name tag, which can be found in your pew rack.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The Acclamation

Book of Common Prayer, p. 323

Celebrant Bless the Lord who forgiveth all our sins.

People His mercy endureth forever. Amen.

The People kneel.

The Decalogue

BCP, p. 317

The Confession

BCP, p. 320

Hymn 693, vs. 1, 2, 6

Just as I am

Woodworth

The Collect of the Day

On Reverse

The People are seated.

The Lesson

Joshua 5:9-12

The Gospel

Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The Sermon

The Reverend Justi Schunior

The Nicene Creed

BCP, p. 326

The Prayers of the People

BCP, p. 328

The Peace

Welcome and Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Whoever you are and wherever you are in your spiritual journey, all are welcome to the table, either to receive a blessing, or, if you are baptized, communion. Cross your arms over your chest for a blessing; extend your hands for the bread.

If you require a gluten-free wafer, please ask the clergy administering the bread.

Should you choose to receive the bread only, cross your hands over your chest as the cup passes. Please follow the directions of the ushers.

Doxology

Old Hundredth

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;

Praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

The Great Thanksgiving

BCP, p. 333

Sanctus (S114)

Healey Willan

The Lord's Prayer

BCP, p. 336

The Breaking of the Bread

BCP, p. 337

The Prayer after Communion

BCP, p. 339

The Blessing

The People stand.

The Dismissal

Deacon Let us bless the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Please join us in the Library for fellowship, refreshments, conversation and information on upcoming events.

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

COLLECT OF THE DAY

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

THE GOSPEL: LUKE 15:1-3, 11B-32

Now all the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to Jesus. And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, "This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them."

So Jesus told them this parable:

"There was a man who had two sons. The younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of the property that will belong to me.' So he divided his property between them. A few days later the younger son gathered all he had and traveled to a distant country, and there he squandered his property in dissolute living. When he had spent everything, a severe famine took place throughout that country, and he began to be in need. So he went and hired himself out to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him to his fields to feed the pigs. He would gladly have filled himself with the pods that the pigs were eating; and no one gave him anything. But when he came to himself he said, 'How many of my father's hired hands have bread enough and to spare, but here I am dying of hunger! I will get up and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me like one of your hired hands."' So he set off and went to his father. But while he was still far off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion; he ran and put his arms around him and kissed him. Then the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' But the father said to his slaves, 'Quickly, bring out a robe—the best one—and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. And get the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate; for this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found!' And they began to celebrate.

"Now his elder son was in the field; and when he came and approached the house, he heard music and dancing. He called one of the slaves and asked what was going on. He replied, 'Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fatted calf, because he has got him back safe and sound.' Then he became angry and refused to go in. His father came out and began to plead with him. But he answered his father, 'Listen! For all these years I have been working like a slave for you, and I have never disobeyed your command; yet you have never given me even a young goat so that I might celebrate with my friends. But when this son of yours came back, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fatted calf for him!' Then the father said to him, 'Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. But we had to celebrate

and rejoice, because this brother of yours was dead and has come to life; he was lost and has been found.'"

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SERVE OUR COUNTRY

Michael Barefield, Taylor Blakely, Pete Oliver,
Jeff Ellis, Don Webb, Greg Sheridan, Tad Granai,
Max Mistecka, Brennan Kopp, Matt Kopp

WE REJOICE IN THE BIRTH OF

Amelia Ruby Earnhart,
daughter of Stephen & Jennifer Earnhart,
granddaughter of Jim & Karen Barbee

Marshall Bell Love, granddaughter of J.T. & Kaye Grubbs

WE PRAY FOR THE DEPARTED

Harnold Lucassen, Raul Lopez, Rick Wagenpfeil,
Layla Grace Marsh

THE CHANCEL GREENS ARE GIVEN TO HONOR

Tom Hamilton, Bill & Doris Williams

PRAYERS FOR THE PARISH

Ginny Renshaw, Charlotte Shelton, Wendy McMillan, Julian & Betty Burke, Charles Sprinkle, Gerry Fico, Maryalice Howe, John Jenkins, Mary Ann Bjerke, Billy, Ann Vinsant, Dottie Howard, Ellen Icochea, Marge Dress, Holden Mauk, Mary Jane Rauch, Caroline Phillips, Virginia Adams, Alex, Vivienne Mitchell, Alec, Martha Tracy, Amber Kelly, Ann Carson, Bain Turner, Nancy Jo Kemp, Paul Rudd, Lexie Ruff, John Helm, Joseph Dickman, John Austen, Julia Scabo, Eric Kemp, Merie Mulvaney, Leigh Rossi, Chris Arrasmith, Judy Rankin, Rob, Dani Bryan, Shayne O'Neill, Mary Davidson, Ashley Sanford, Kazuko Price, Todd Larson, Benjamin Rickman, Andrea Rudolph, Duane Draper, Bev Conlon, Madge Stone, Mary Gray, Jim Deane, Dave Carson, Donna Coulther, Sally Morrison, Andrew Mitchell, Ken Grieshaber, Jack Hutcheson, Bill L'Hommedieu, Joe Sacks, Carol Clarke, Peggy O'Dell, Jackson Dundon, Stephanie Woodland Kelly, Floyd Newman, the Lucassen family.

SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

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When you are finished with this worship bulletin, please share it with a neighbor.

Invite them to *Walk Lent With Us.*