

Sunday, March 6th, 2022 1st Sunday in Lent English Morning Prayer Service

2021 Theme: Revive, Restore, Renew

This Sunday Roster

Celebrant & Preacher: Rev. Maria Ling

Worship Leader: Fenella Chiu Intercessor: Charles Doiron

Reader: **Terence Kim** Host: **Benjamin Kim**

Introduction before starting service – Fenella Chiu

We invite parishioners joining the live online service to join in on responses as you would in regular worship, but please note that all will be muted except for those scheduled to serve in the worship. This service will be recorded and subsequently posted to our website.

Opening Sentence (P.286) – Fenella Chiu

We shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God.

Matthew 4:4

The Peace (P.192) – Rev. Maria Ling

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

< Please greet each other in the name of Christ>

Grace (P.185) - Rev. Maria Ling

Celebrant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,

and the love of God,

and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,

be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Confession (P.45) - Fenella Chiu

Leader: Dear friends in Christ, as we prepare to worship almighty

God, let us with penitent and obedient hearts confess our sins, that we may obtain forgiveness

by his infinite goodness and mercy.

All:

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 neighbours 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.

Absolution (P.46) - Rev. Maria Ling

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver

you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ

our Lord.

People: Amen.

Reading from Romans 10:8b-13 - Terence Kim

Reader:

on your lips and in your heart'
(that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹ because if you
confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart
that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰ For one
believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses
with the mouth and so is saved. ¹¹ The scripture says, 'No one
who believes in him will be put to shame.' ¹² For there is no
distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all
and is generous to all who call on him. ¹³ For, 'Everyone who
calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

Reader: The word of the Lord. People: **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Hymn – Forty Days and Forty Nights

1. Forty days and forty nights Thou wast fasting in the wild; Forty days and forty nights Tempted, and yet undefiled.

- 2. Shall not we Thy sorrow share, And from earthly joys abstain, Fasting with unceasing prayer, Glad with Thee to suffer pain?
- 3. And if Satan, vexing sore, Flesh or spirit should assail, Thou, His vanquisher before, Grant we may not faint nor fail.
- 4. Keep, O keep us, Saviour dear, Ever constant by Thy side; That with Thee we may appear At the eternal Eastertide.

Hymn leader: Daniel Yoon Accompanist: Evelyn Yoon

Text: George Hunt Smyttan, Francis Pott, and others

Music: attr. to Martin Herbst

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Gospel Luke 4:1-13 – Rev. Maria Ling

Reader: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you.

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to *Luke*.

People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Reader: The Temptation of Jesus

¹ Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, ² where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished. ³ The devil said to him, 'If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread.' ⁴ Jesus answered him, 'It is written, "One does not live by bread alone."'

⁵ Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. ⁶ And the devil said to him, 'To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. ⁷ If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours.' ⁸ Jesus answered him, 'It is written,

"Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him."

⁹ Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, 'If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, ¹⁰ for it is written,

"He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you",

¹¹ and

"On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone."

 12 Jesus answered him, 'It is said, "Do not put the Lord your God to the test."' 13 When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon – Rev. Maria Ling

The Apostles' Creed (P.52) - Fenella Chiu

Leader: Let us confess our faith, as we say,

All: 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.

Prayers of the People (P.121 Litany 14 Lent) – Charles Doiron

Parish Cycle of Prayer

Rev. Maria, 30th Anniversary Planning Parish:

Deanery: Church of Holy Spirit of Peace; Canon Susan Climo

Diocesan: Bishop Andrew Asbil

Anglican: The Anglican Church of Korea

Infirm: Esther Chen, Susan Xu's mother Dian-Lan Feng, Mrs. Tsang Fung

> Kwok Wah, Aileen Lu, Alfred Chiu, Andy Ng's mother Sau-Fong Cheung, Anna Lo's father Koon-Yun Lo, Grace Krist's parents Ken

and Helen Lum

Other: People of Ukraine, Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui Welfare Council

Please join in the response indicated by the Intercessor

Intercessor: With confidence and trust let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy."

Intercessor: For the one holy catholic and apostolic Church throughout

the world, we pray to you, Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor: For the mission of the Church, that in faithful witness it

may preach the gospel to the ends of the earth, we pray to

you, Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor: For those preparing for baptism and for their teachers and

sponsors, we pray to you, Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor: For peace in the world, that a spirit of respect and

reconciliation may grow among nations and peoples, we

pray to you, Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor: For the poor, the persecuted, the sick, and all who suffer;

for refugees, prisoners, and all in danger; that they may be

relieved and protected, we pray to you, Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor: For all whom we have injured or offended, we pray to you,

Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor: For grace to amend our lives and to further the reign of

God, we pray to you, Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Collect of the Day (P. 286) – Charles Doiron

Intercessor: Let us pray.
All: Almighty God,

whose Son fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are but did not sin,

give us grace to discipline ourselves

in submission to your Spirit,

that as you know our weakness,

so we may know your power to save;

through Jesus Christ our Lord,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

The Lord's Prayer (P.54) – Rev. Maria Ling

Celebrant: Gathering our prayers and praises into one, let us pray as

our Saviour taught us,

All: 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 for ever. Amen.

Blessing (P.683 ii) - Rev. Maria Ling

Celebrant: The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your

hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be

among you and remain with you always.

People: Amen.

Announcements

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Dismissal – Fenella Chiu

Leader: Let us bless the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Next Sunday Mar 13th at 10:15am 2nd Sunday in Lent

Online Morning Prayer Service

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Reader: Gabriel Kong Host: Paul Seto

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