



2021 Theme: Revive, Restore, Renew

This Sunday Roster

Celebrant & Preacher: **Rev. Maria Ling**

Worship Leader, Intercessor: **Justin Kim**

Reader: **Gabriel Kong**

Host: **Paul Seto**

Introduction before starting service – Justin Kim

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.288) – Justin Kim

If you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Psalm 95:7–8

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) – Justin Kim

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 Philippians 3:17—4:1 – Gabriel Kong

Reader:

¹⁷ Brothers and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. ¹⁸ For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. ¹⁹ Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. ²⁰ But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ. ²¹ He will transform the body of our humiliation so that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself. ^{4:1} Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Hymn – Throughout These Lenten Days and Nights

*1. Throughout these Lenten days and nights
We turn to walk the inward way,*

*Where meeting Christ, our guide and light,
We live in hope till Easter day.*

*2. The pilgrim Christ, the Lamb of God,
Who found in weakness greater power
Embraces us, though lost and flawed,
And leads us to His rising hour.*

*3. We bear the silence, cross and pain
Of human burdens, human strife,
While sisters, brothers help sustain
Our courage till the feast of life.*

*4. And though the road is hard and steep,
The Spirit ever calls us on
Through Calv'ry's dying, dark and deep,
Until we see the coming dawn.*

*5. So let us choose the path of one
Who wore for us the crown of thorn,
And slept in death that we might wake
To life on Resurrection Morn!*

*6. Rejoice, O sons and daughters! Sing
And shout hosannas! Raise the strain!
For Christ, whose death Good Friday brings,
On Easter day will live again!*

Hymn leader & accompanist: Daniel Yoon

Music: Thomas Tallis, Words: James Gertmenian

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Gospel Luke 13:31-35 – 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 Lament over Jerusalem**

³¹ At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to him, 'Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you.' ³² He said to them, 'Go and tell that fox for me, "Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish

my work. ³³ Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way, because it is impossible for a prophet to be killed away from Jerusalem.” ³⁴ Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! ³⁵ See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, “Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.””

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

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

Sermon – Rev. Maria Ling

The Apostles’ Creed (P.52) – Justin Kim

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) – Justin Kim

Parish Cycle of Prayer

Parish: Rev. Maria, 30th Anniversary Planning

Deanery: St. Francis of Assisi, Meadowvale; Rev’d Jeff Brown

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Anglican: The Anglican Church of Melanesia

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. 288) – Justin Kim

Intercessor: Let us pray.

All: **Almighty God,
whose Son was revealed in majesty
before he suffered death upon the cross,**

**give us faith to perceive his glory,
that being strengthened by his grace
we may be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory;
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 – Justin Kim

Leader: Let us bless the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Next Sunday Mar 20th at **10am**

3rd Sunday in Lent

Online Morning Prayer Service

Celebrant & Preacher: **Bishop Patrick Yu**

Worship Leader: **Paul Seto**

Reader: **Silas Seto**

Host, Intercessor: **Fenella Chiu**

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