

THE PARISH OF CAMPBELLFORD,  
HASTINGS AND ROSENEATH

## Third Sunday of Lent



CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT  
MARCH 20TH, 2022~ 9:00 AM

### OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We are a congregation committed to the establishment of a place and presence in which to worship God, proclaim his kingdom, and make known the love of God in Christ Jesus through the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

## We Gather As God's People

**WELCOME:** If you are visiting us - Welcome!

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Leader* Lord, you are indeed the Saviour of the world.  
Give us living water, that we may not thirst.

**H**YMN # 507  
**BLEST BE THE TIE THAT BINDS** DENNIS  
*(Remain Standing)*

*Leader* 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.**

### EXHORTATION

*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.

**GENERAL CONFSSION** *(Kneeling or sitting as you are able)*

*Leader* Most merciful God,  
*All* 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.

## THE COLLECT OF FORGIVENESS

*Leader* Almighty God have mercy upon us, pardon and deliver us from all our sins, confirm and strengthen us in all goodness, and keep us in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*People* Amen.

*Leader* O Lord, open thou our lips;  
*People* And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

*Leader* O God, make speed to save us;  
*People* O Lord, make haste to help us.

*Leader* Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
*People* As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

*Leader* Praise ye the Lord;  
*People* The Lord's Name be praised.

## A SONG FROM EZEKIEL *Ezekiel 36.24-28*

All I will take you from the nations, and gather you from every country, and bring you home to your own land.

I will pour clean water upon you, purify you from all defilement, and cleanse you from all your idols.

A new heart I will give you, and put a new spirit within you; I will take from your body the heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh.

I will put my spirit within you, make you walk in my ways and observe my decrees.

You shall dwell in the land I gave to your forebears; you shall be my people and I will be your God. Amen.

## We Listen to God's Word

*Reader* A reading from the book of **Isaiah**

Ho, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and you that have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labour for that which does not satisfy? Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live. I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David. See, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples. See, you shall call nations that you do not know, and nations that do not know you shall run to you, because of the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you. Seek the Lord while he may be found, call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake their way, and the unrighteous their thoughts; let them return to the Lord, that he may have mercy on them, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts. ISAIAH 55:1-9

*Reader* Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.  
*All* Thanks be to God.

*Reader* A reading from **Psalm 63**

O God, you are my God; eagerly I seek you; my soul thirsts

for you, my flesh faints for you, as in a barren and dry land where there is no water.

**Therefore I have gazed upon you in your holy place, that I might behold your power and your glory.**

For your loving-kindness is better than life itself; my lips shall give you praise.

**So will I bless you as long as I live and lift up my hands in your name.**

My soul is content, as with marrow and fatness, and my mouth praises you with joyful lips,

**When I remember you upon my bed, and meditate on you in the night watches.**

For you have been my helper, and under the shadow of your wings I will rejoice.

**My soul clings to you; your right hand holds me fast.**

**Eternal Love, our hearts are restless until they rest in you. Let your glory shine on us, that our lives may proclaim your goodness, our work give you honour, and our voices praise you forever; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. PSALM 63:1-8**

### **THE SOULS OF THE RIGHTEOUS** *Wisdom 3.1-8*

**All The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God; no torment shall ever touch them.**

**In the eyes of the unwise they seemed to be dead, their departure was taken for defeat, their going from us to be disaster; but they are in peace.**

**Though they appeared to be punished their hope is rich in immortality. Small their affliction, great their blessing; God proved and found them worthy of himself.**

**Like gold in a furnace, he tried them, and accepted them as an oblation.**

**In the moment of God's coming, they shall kindle into flame and run like sparks through the stubble. They shall govern nations and peoples, and the Lord shall be their ruler for ever. Amen.**

**Reader** A reading from the 1st letter of Paul to the **Corinthians**

I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, and all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was Christ. Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them, and they were struck down in the wilderness. Now these things occurred as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil as they did. Do not become idolaters as some of them did; as it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink, and they rose up to play." We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did, and were destroyed by serpents. And do not complain as some of them did, and were destroyed by the destroyer. These things happened to them to serve as an example, and they were written down to instruct us, on whom the ends of the ages have come. So if you think you are standing, watch out that you do not fall. No testing has overtaken you that is not common to everyone. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tested beyond your strength, but with the testing he will also provide the way out so that you may be able to endure it.

1 CORINTHIANS 10:1-13

*Reader* Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.  
*All* **Thanks be to God.**

**H**YMN # 354  
**COME, THOU OF EVERY BLESSING** NETTLETON  
*Please remain standing*

## The Gospel

*Gospeller* The Lord be with you,  
*People* **and also with you.**

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

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

At that very time there were some present who told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. He asked them, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did. Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam - fell on them - do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did." Then he told this parable: "A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. So he said to the gardener, 'See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?' He replied, 'Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig around it and put manure on it. If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down.'" LUKE 13:1-9

*Gospeller* The Gospel of Christ  
*People* **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.** *(said)*

**SERMON** Nancy DeKuyper

**ANTHEM**

## We Respond to God's Word

**NICENE CREED**

*Leader* Let us confess our faith, as we say,  
*All* **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. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped 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.**

**H**YMN # 350  
STAND UP AND BLESS THE LORD ST. THOMAS

**PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS**

*Leader* Spring of life and Source of goodness,  
*All* receive all we offer you this day,  
and bring us to the living water, Jesus Christ, your Son  
our Lord. Amen.

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*Intercessor* Let us pray.  
(Kneeling or sitting as you are able)  
Lord, have mercy upon us.

*People* Christ, have mercy upon us.

*Intercessor* Lord, have mercy upon us.

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

(Said)

*Intercessor* And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us,  
we are bold to say,  
*All* Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be  
thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be  
done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this  
day our daily bread. And forgive us our  
trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass  
against us. And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil. For thine is the  
kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever  
and ever. Amen.

**COLLECT OF THE DAY**

*Intercessor* Almighty God,  
whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life,  
may we always thirst for you, the spring of life and source  
of goodness; through him who lives and reigns with you

and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

**COLLECTS FOR PEACE AND GRACE**

*Intercessor* O Lord our heavenly Father, Almighty and  
everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the  
beginning of this day: Defend us in the same with thy  
mighty power; and grant that this day we fall into no sin,  
neither run into any kind of danger; but that all our doings  
may be ordered by thy governance, to do always that is  
righteous in thy sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

For the catechumens and for all the holy people of God  
[silence], that we may heed the God who calls us to  
repentance in the events of our lives, let us pray to the Lord.

For this nation and all the nations of the world [silence],  
that we may live in harmony and peace, let us pray to the  
Lord.

*People* Lord, hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* For those enslaved in body or in spirit  
[silence], that God may come to rescue them and grant  
them freedom, let us pray to the Lord.

*People* Lord, hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* For this community [silence], that during  
this holy season God's grace may produce in us the fruit  
God seeks, let us pray to the Lord.

*People* Lord, hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* For our own needs and those of others  
especially Al, Ann, Barry, Bette, Bill, Bob, Brian, Caroline,  
Catherine, Connie, David, Dianne, Don, Ed, Eileen, Gayle,

Heather, Helen, Jane, Jennifer, John, Kelly, Linda, Marie-Eve, Ottley, Ruth, Sheldon, Vanessa and Wayne, that God will not allow us to be tested beyond our strength, let us pray to the Lord.

**People Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor* Today in our Anglican Cycle of prayer we pray for St. Andrew, Japanese congregation, its support of the Flemingdon Park Ministry and St. Monica's, and outreach in the Japanese-Canadian community; for St. Andrew, Scarborough, its monthly Neighbourhood Lunch, support for foster children and their communities in Haiti and Zimbabwe, "We Care" Christmas bags for the homeless, and support for such programs as the St. Jude, Wexford, Food Bank, All Saints Community Centre, and the Pikangikum Water project; and for St. Anne, Toronto, its monthly community dinners and interfaith refugee sponsorship project. let us pray to the Lord.

**People Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor* In our own Deanery of Peterborough we pray for St. Matthew's/St. Aiden's The Rev. Glenn Empey, Buckhorn, let us pray to the Lord.

**People Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor* In this Community of Campbellford we offer our prayers for St. Mary's Catholic Church. Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

**People Lord, hear our prayer.**

**God, ever faithful and true, from of old you have revealed yourself as one who will be with your people to save them. Be with us in our times of need, now and always. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## COVID PRAYER

### GENERAL THANKSGIVING

*All*

**Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and all whom you have made. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up ourselves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit, be honour and glory throughout all ages. Amen.**

### PRAYER OF SAINT CHRYSOSTOM

*All*

**Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications to you, and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together you will hear their requests. Fulfil now our desires and petitions, as may be best for us, granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come eternal life; for you, Father, are good and loving,**

and we glorify you through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, in the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

**GRACE**  
*All*

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. Amen.

## We Are Empowered For Mission

**BLESSING**

**BENEDICTION HYMN**

The Lord bless you and keep you;  
The Lord make His face to shine upon you  
To shine upon you and be gracious  
And be gracious unto you  
The Lord bless you and keep you  
The Lord lift up the light of His countenance upon you  
And give you peace, and give you peace. Amen.

**H**<sup>YMN # 172</sup>  
**NOW LET US ALL WITH ONE ACCORD** <sup>UFFINGHAM</sup>

Dismissal

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### Today's Readers

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1st Lesson OT	Lillian Adams
Psalm	Connie Woodcock
2nd Lesson	Glen Woodcock
Gospel	Nancy DeKuyper
Prayers	Marlene Dooher

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### Next Week's Readers, March 27th

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1st Lesson OT	Marlene Dooher
Psalm	Neil Fulton
2nd Lesson	Glen Woodcock
Gospel	Rev. Bryce Sangster
Prayers	Nancy DeKuyper

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 4th Sunday in Lent ~ Holy Communion

**Readings**

**JOSHUA 5:9-12**

**PSALM 32**

**2 CORINTHIANS  
 5:16-21**

**LUKE 15:1-3, 11B-32**

*Bible readings are taken from The New Revised Standard Version.*



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