



CHRIST KALEIDOSCOPE

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT March 17, 2019

Liturgy

A SONG FOR COMMUNION

How Deep the Father's Love For Us

by Stuart Townend

THE LORD'S PRAYER

We join our voices in solidarity with our brothers and sisters who have prayed this prayer throughout space and time.

**Our Father in heaven,
Hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from the evil one.
For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

PARTAKING IN THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

SONG OF RESPONSE

Let this song be a response to what God has spoken to you this morning.

Now and at the Hour

by David Gungor, John Arndt

Benediction

A benediction is a "good word." As you go back out into the world, may you receive God's good word of blessing on you.

May God bless you with discomfort:
at easy answers, half truths, and superficial relationships so that
you may live deep within your heart.

May God bless you with anger:
at injustice, oppression and exploitation of people so that you
may work for justice, freedom and peace.

May God bless you with tears:
to shed for those who suffer pain, rejection, hunger and war so
that you may reach out your hand to comfort them and to turn
their pain into joy.

And may God bless you with enough foolishness to believe that
you can make a difference in the world, so that you can do what
others claim cannot be done, to bring justice and kindness to all
our children and the poor.

Amen.

A Franciscan Blessing

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Are you new to our church? If so, thanks for coming! We hope you felt at home here. Please fill out your information below to be added to our email listserve and place it in the prayer box in the back.

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Emcee: Andrew Tai

Musicians: Joseph Chen (lead), Serena Lee (vocals/keyboard), Hung-Hsin Yen, David Liu (cajon)

Call to Worship

Take some time to make yourself present to the God who makes himself present to us. You are free to sing or simply sit and allow the music to help you center yourself on God.

The Christ, Our Light

by Martin Reardon

Psalm 27:1-14

Welcome

Today is the Second Sunday in Lent. The Lenten season counts the 40 days (not including Sundays) before Easter. In the Bible, the number 40 is often associated with a time of preparation or purification. Noah was in the ark 40 days and 40 nights as a time of cleansing. Israel wandered the wilderness 40 years in preparation to cross into the Promised Land. In our Gospel passage this morning, Jesus likens himself to a mother hen gathering her chicks under her wings. During the season of Lent, may we hear Christ's invitation to find our shelter in him.

Praise through Song

Grace Alone

by Dustin Kensrue

Sweetly Broken

by Jeremy Riddle

Offering

The discipline of offering helps loosen our grip on that which has the power to possess us, inviting us into the weekly practice of generosity, gratitude, and simplicity.

If you are a guest, please do not feel obliged to give.

Checks can be made payable to **Kaleidoscope Church** or by texting "give" to (760) 978-6977.

A SONG OF OFFERING

Always Be Enough

by Glenn Packiam, Tom Read, Tim Hughes

A PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

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Greeting

LEADER: The peace of Christ be with you.

PEOPLE: And also with you.

Take a few minutes to greet one another in the peace of the Lord.

Announcements

2019 RETREAT

3/22-3/24 (FRI-SUN) @ OAKS CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER

Due to the retreat schedule we have planned, we would like to have a short session Friday night. The talk that night will set up some foundational themes for the rest of the weekend. So, please make plans to be at the retreat site by **8:30PM on Friday**. Note, if you leave around 5PM, the commute will be around 3 hrs.

NO SERVICE

NEXT SUNDAY, MAR 24

Due to the retreat, we will not be holding service next Sunday.

Hearing God's Word

As we come to God's Word, may our hearts be fertile ground to receive what God has to say to us.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

(in unison)

Gracious God,
we do not live by bread alone,
but by every word that comes from your mouth.
make us hungry for this your Word,
that it may nourish us today
in the ways of eternal life.
Through Jesus Christ, the bread of heaven.
Amen.

Gen. 15:1-12, 17-18 (Read by Diem Yen)

READER: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Luke 13:31-35 (Read by J.T. Guiou)

READER: The Gospel of our Lord.

ALL: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Jesus' Sorrow for Jerusalem

Tim Lee

SILENCE

Take a moment to pause in silence and tend to God's still small voice.

For God alone my soul waits in silence, for my hope is from him. PSALM 62.

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Confession

In the hands of grace, confession becomes for us a gift to help realign ourselves with God's good intentions for us.

A PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(in unison)

God of mercy,
you sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost.
We confess that we have strayed from you
and turned aside from your way.
We are misled by pride,
for we see ourselves pure when we are stained,
and great when we are small.
We have failed in love, neglected justice,
and ignored your truth.

[PAUSE FOR REFLECTION]

Have mercy, O God, and forgive our sin.
Return us to paths of righteousness;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior, Amen.

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ASSURANCE OF PARDON

This saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance,
that Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners.
He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross,
so that we, free from sins, might live for righteousness;
by his wounds we have been healed.

1 Timothy 1:15; 1 Peter 2:24 NRSV

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Eucharist

The term Eucharist literally means "grateful." In gathering around the bread and the cup, we celebrate together a meal of thanksgiving.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me."

In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

PRAYER FOR THE WORK OF THE SPIRIT

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

We now invite those who believe in Christ to come and receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ which he gave for you, and his blood which he shed for you.

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