



The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany, Year C

January 31, 2010

BCP-Book of Common Prayer

WLP Hymnal-Wonder, Love and Praise

The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

11:15 a.m.

The Reverend Mary Moore Roberson, Celebrant

The Word of God

At the Procession

Hymnal #598 Lord Christ, when first thou cam'st to earth

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Entrance Rite

BCP 355

Song of Praise

Hymnal #S278 Glory to God—*Gloria in excelsis*

William Mathias

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Old Testament

Jeremiah 1:4-10

The word of the LORD came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." Then I said, "Ah, Lord GOD! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." But the LORD said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you, Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD." Then the LORD put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the LORD said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

The Gradual

Psalm 71:1-6 *In te, Domine, speravi*

- 1 In you, O Lord, have I / ta•ken / refuge; *
let me / ne•ver / be ▪ a/shamed.
- 2 In your righteousness, deliver me and / set ▪ me / free; *
incline your / ear ▪ to/ me ▪ and / save me.
- 3 Be my strong rock, a castle to / keep ▪ me / safe; *
you / are ▪ my / crag and ▪ my / stronghold.
- 4 Deliver me, my God, from the / hand of ▪ the / wicked, *
from the clutches of the evil-/do•er / and ▪ the op/pressor.
- 5 For you are my hope, O / Lörd / God, *
my / confidence ▪ since / I ▪was / young.
- 6 I have been sustained by you ever since I was born;
from my mother's womb you have / been ▪ my / strength; *
my / praise ▪ shall be / always ▪ of / you.

The Epistle

1 Corinthians 13:1-13

If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part; but when the complete comes, the partial will come to an end. When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became an adult, I put an end to childish ways. For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

At the Sequence

Hymnal #538 God of mercy, God of grace

Lucerna Laudoniae

The Gospel

Luke 4:21-30

In the synagogue at Nazareth, Jesus read from the book of the prophet Isaiah, and began to say, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" He said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Doctor, cure yourself!' And you will say, 'Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.'" And he said, "Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. But the truth is, there were many widows in

Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, and there was a severe famine over all the land; yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon. There were also many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian." When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage. They got up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff. But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.

The Sermon The Reverend J. Fletcher Montgomery

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

The Prayers of the People, Form II

BCP 385

Confession of Sin and Absolution

BCP 360

The Peace

The Holy Communion

At the Offertory Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring
Chancel Choir

J. S. Bach

Hymn at the Presentation

Hymnal #380, v. 3 Praise God from whom all blessing flow

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The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer B

Hymnal #S128 Holy, holy, holy Lord--*Sanctus*

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The Breaking of the Bread

Hymnal #S165 Jesus, Lamb of God--*Agnus Dei*

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Hymns at the Communion

Hymnal #339 Deck thyself, my soul, with gladness

Schmücke dich

Hymnal #321 My God, thy table now is spread

Rockingham

WLP #825 Bless the Lord my soul

Taizé

Hymnal #707 Take my life, and let it be consecrated

Hollingside

People's response to the sending out of the Eucharistic Visitors:

May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this Sacrament of Christ's presence.

Postcommunion Prayer and Blessing

BCP 366

Hymn at the Procession

Hymnal #657 Love divine, all loves excelling

Hyfrydol

Dismissal

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