

Prelude

Opening Hymn

Hymnal #557—Rejoyce Ye Pure in  
Heart vs 1-4**The Word of God**

BCP 355

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**And blessed be his kingdom, now, and forever. Amen.**

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Gloria

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1. Glo - ry to God in the high-est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth.

2. Lord God, hea-ven-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we wor-ship you,

we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus Christ,

on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,

4. you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us;

5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther; re - ceive our prayer.

6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,

7. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit,

in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

**The Collect of the Day**

BCP 357

*The Celebrant says to the people*

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray.

*The Celebrant says the Collect.*

**Amen.**

## **The Lessons**

*The people sit. One or two Lessons, as appointed, are read, the Reader first saying*

A Reading from the Prophet Isaiah (1:10-18)

<sup>10</sup> Hear the word of the Lord, you rulers of Sodom!

Listen to the teaching of our God, you people of Gomorrah!

<sup>11</sup> What to me is the multitude of your sacrifices? says the Lord;

I have had enough of burnt-offerings of rams and the fat of fed beasts;

I do not delight in the blood of bulls, or of lambs, or of goats.

<sup>12</sup> When you come to appear before me, who asked this from your hand?

Trample my courts no more;

<sup>13</sup> bringing offerings is futile; incense is an abomination to me.

New moon and sabbath and calling of convocation—

I cannot endure solemn assemblies with iniquity.

<sup>14</sup> Your new moons and your appointed festivals my soul hates;

they have become a burden to me, I am weary of bearing them.

<sup>15</sup> When you stretch out your hands, I will hide my eyes from you;

even though you make many prayers, I will not listen;

your hands are full of blood.

<sup>16</sup> Wash yourselves; make yourselves clean; remove the evil of your doings

from before my eyes; cease to do evil,

<sup>17</sup> learn to do good; seek justice, rescue the oppressed,

defend the orphan, plead for the widow.

<sup>18</sup> Come now, let us argue it out, says the Lord:

though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be like snow;

though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 32:1-8

<sup>1</sup> Happy are those whose transgression is forgiven,  
whose sin is covered.

<sup>2</sup> Happy are those to whom the Lord imputes no iniquity,  
and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

<sup>3</sup> While I kept silence, my body wasted away  
through my groaning all day long.

<sup>4</sup> For day and night your hand was heavy upon me;  
my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. *Selah*

<sup>5</sup> Then I acknowledged my sin to you,  
and I did not hide my iniquity;  
I said, 'I will confess my transgressions to the Lord',  
and you forgave the guilt of my sin. *Selah*  
<sup>6</sup> Therefore let all who are faithful  
offer prayer to you;  
at a time of distress, the rush of mighty waters  
shall not reach them.  
<sup>7</sup> You are a hiding-place for me;  
you preserve me from trouble;  
you surround me with glad cries of deliverance. *Selah*  
<sup>8</sup> I will instruct you and teach you the way you should go;  
I will counsel you with my eye upon you.

A Reading from the Second Letter to the Thessalonians(1:1-4, 11-12)

**1** Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy,

To the church of the Thessalonians in God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

**2** Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

**3** We must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and the love of every one of you for one another is increasing. **4** Therefore we ourselves boast of you among the churches of God for your steadfastness and faith during all your persecutions and the afflictions that you are enduring.

**11**To this end we always pray for you, asking that our God will make you worthy of his call and will fulfil by his power every good resolve and work of faith, **12**so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**



## Gospel Hymn

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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The image shows two staves of musical notation for the hymn 'Alleluia'. The first staff is in 6/8 time and the second staff is in 9/8 time. The lyrics are written below the notes.

*Then, all standing, the Priest reads the Gospel, first saying*

A reading from the Gospel according to Luke (19:1-10)

### **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

**19** He entered Jericho and was passing through it. **2** A man was there named Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax-collector and was rich. **3** He was trying to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was short in stature. **4** So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to see him, because he was going to pass that way. **5** When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, ‘Zacchaeus, hurry and come down; for I must stay at your house today.’ **6** So he hurried down and was happy to welcome him. **7** All who saw it began to grumble and said, ‘He has gone to be the guest of one who is a sinner.’ **8** Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, ‘Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor; and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will pay back four times as much.’ **9** Then Jesus said to him, ‘Today salvation has come to this house, because he too is a son of Abraham. **10** For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost.’

The Gospel of the Lord.

### **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**The Sermon**

**“Forgiven”**

Fr. Tom Reeves

Holy Baptism

BCP 301

## **Presentation and Examination for Holy Baptism**

**Owen Holliday**

*The Celebrant says*

The Candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

*Sponsors* I present Owen Holliday to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

Do you desire to be baptized?

*Candidate* I do.

*Then the Celebrant asks the following questions of the candidate:*

*Question* Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

*Answer* I renounce them.

*Question* Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

*Answer* I renounce them.

*Question* Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

*Answer* I renounce them.

*Question* Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?

*Answer* I do.

*Question* Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

*Answer* I do.

*Question* Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?

*Answer* I do.

Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support this person in his life in Christ?

*People*

**We will.**

*The Celebrant then says*

Let us join with he who is committing himself to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.



*Celebrant* Do you believe in God the Father?

*People* **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

*Celebrant* Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

*People* **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.**

*Celebrant* Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

*People* **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.**

*Celebrant* Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Celebrant* Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Celebrant* Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Celebrant* Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Celebrant* Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the

dignity of every human being?  
*People* **I will, with God's help.**

## **Prayers for the Candidates**

**BCP 305**

*The Celebrant then says to the congregation*

Let us now pray for this person who is to receive the Sacrament of new birth

*A Person appointed leads the following petitions*

*Leader* Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Open their heart to your grace and truth.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Send them into the world in witness to your love.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*The Celebrant says*

Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and forever.

**Amen.**

## **Thanksgiving over the Water**

**BCP 306**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant* We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water.

Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation.

Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in

Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

*At the following words, the Celebrant touches the water*

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

## **The Baptism**

**BCP 307**

*The candidate is presented by name to the Celebrant*

Owen Holliday, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

*When this action has been completed, the Priest, at a place in full sight of the congregation, prays over them, saying*

Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon *this* your servants the forgiveness of sin, and have raised him to the new life of grace. Sustain him, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give him an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works.

**Amen.**

*Then the Priest places a hand on the person's head, marking on the forehead with Chrism the sign of the cross and saying to them*

Owen, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever.

**Amen.**

*The baptized is given a candle lit from the Paschal Candle. Then the baptismal procession moves to the center of the aisle.*

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

*Celebrant and People*

**We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

*The Celebrant concludes the service of Holy Baptism as follows*

May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

**Amen.**

## **The Prayers of the People**

Form I

*The people standing or kneeling*

BCP 383

With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying "Lord, have mercy." For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the Holy Church of God, and for the unity of all peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

*Lord, have mercy.*

For our Bishop, Brian, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

*Lord, have mercy.*

For our President, Donald, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

*Lord, have mercy.*

For this city of Bloomington, for every city and community, and for those who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

*Lord, have mercy.*

For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.

*Lord, have mercy.*

For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let us pray to the Lord.

*Lord, have mercy.*

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, let us pray to the Lord.

*Lord, have mercy.*

For deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression, and degradation, let us pray to the Lord.

*Lord, have mercy.*

That we may end our lives in faith and hope, without suffering and without reproach, let us pray to the Lord.

*Lord, have mercy.*

In the communion of St. Matthew and of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.

*To thee, O Lord our God.*

*Silence.*

## **Confession of Sin**

BCP 360

**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 neighbors 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**

### **The Peace**

BCP 360

*All stand. The Celebrant says to the people*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**And also with you.**



subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*The Celebrant continues*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

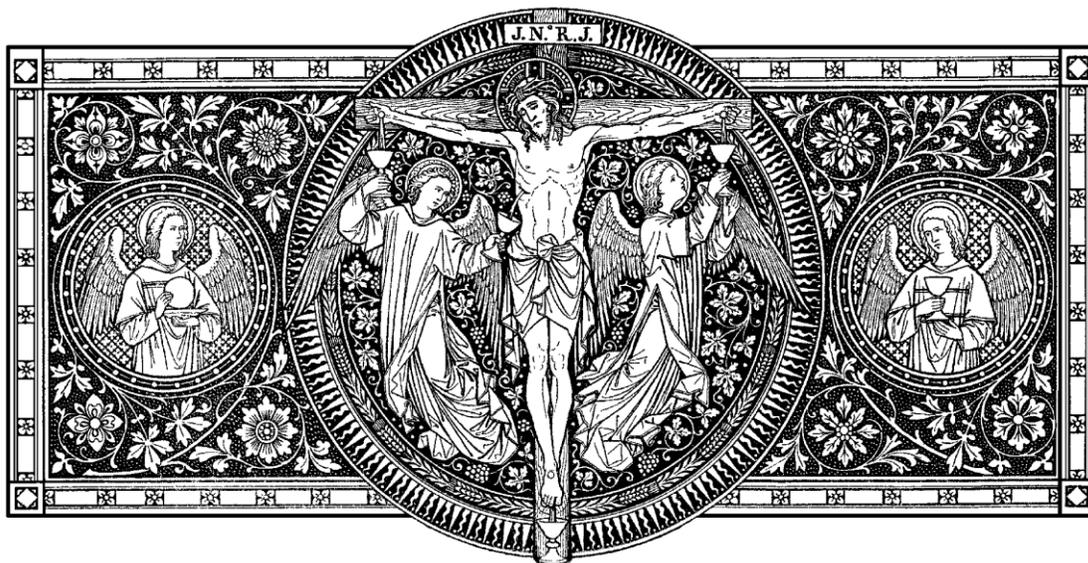
**Amen.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,



Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed  
be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our  
dai - ly bread. And for - give us our tres - pas - ses,  
as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead  
us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us  
from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,  
and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

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*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept. Then may be sung or said*

Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
**Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:  
 have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
 sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God,  
 you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

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The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Communion Hymn

Hymnal #301—Bread of the World

*After Communion, the Celebrant says*

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Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People*

**Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
 you have graciously accepted us as living members  
 of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
 and you have fed us with spiritual food  
 In the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
 Send us now into the world in peace,  
 and grant us strength and courage  
 to love and serve you  
 with gladness and singleness of heart;  
 through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Blessing

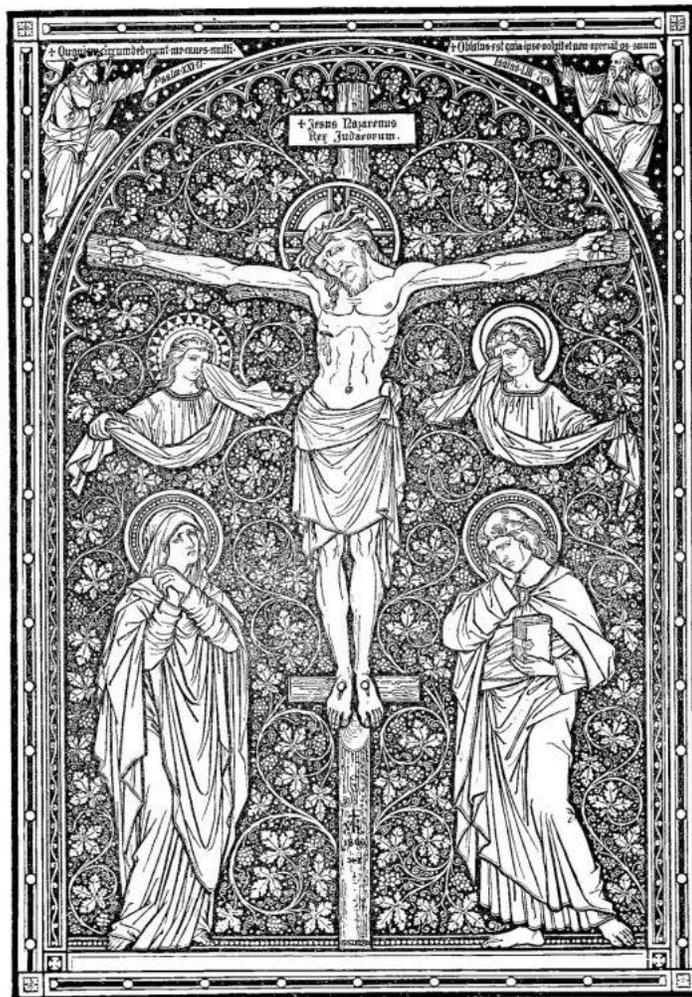
Dismissal

Closing Hymn

Hymnal #557—Rejoyce Ye Pure in  
Heart vs 5-7

Postlude

*(Please go forth into mission, exiting the sanctuary as the postlude is being played.)*



**St. Matthew's Schedule beginning November 2**

**2 Sunday**

7:30 a.m.—Rite I

9:00 a.m.—Adult Study

10:00 a.m.—Rite II

Following 10AM Worship—Children's Choir

11:00 a.m.—Coffee Hour

5:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer

**Monday**— *Fr. Tom's day off*

**Tuesday**— 10:00 a.m.—Stitchin' Bees

**Wednesday**— 4:30 pm—Choir Practice

**Thursday** — 7:30 a.m.—Morning Prayer

**Friday** —

**Saturday** —11:30 a.m.—Cherub Choir rehearsals in the Choir Loft

**9 Sunday**

7:30 a.m.—Rite I

9:00 a.m.—Adult Study

10:00 a.m.—Rite II

11:00 a.m.—Coffee Hour

5:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer

**Reoccurring Events:**

Each Sunday—Adult Study in Parish Hall, 9AM

Each Tuesday—Stitchin' Bees, 10AM

Each Wednesday—Choir Practice 4:30pm

Third Thursday—Vestry, 6:30PM

Each Saturday—Cherub Choir rehearsals 11:30am in the Choir Loft

Second Saturday—Men's Fellowship Breakfast 8AM