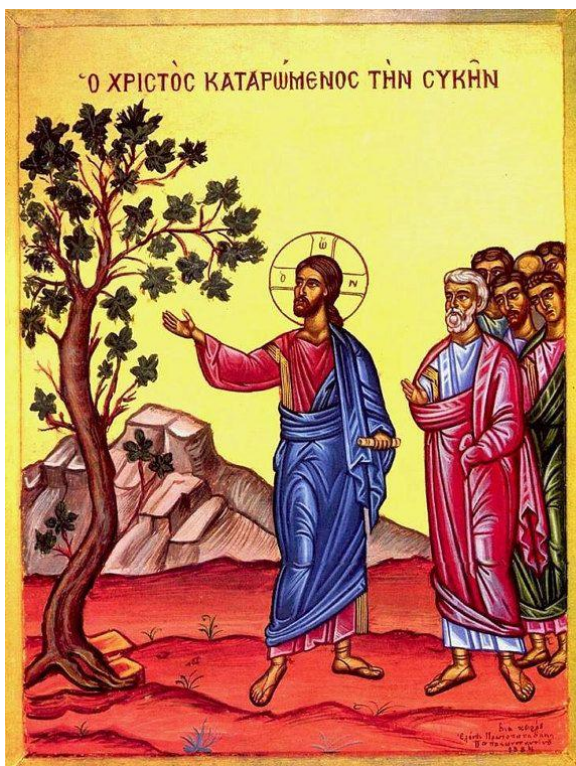


# The Third Sunday of Lent

March 20, 2022



*'The Parable of the Fig Tree' Orthodox Icon, Author unknown.*

## Episcopal Church of the Annunciation

*"All Baptized Christians, regardless of age or church affiliation, are  
welcome to take communion"*

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**THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT  
HOLY EUCHARIST RITE I ✠**

Prelude

**The Word of God**

Silent Processional

Opening Acclamation	BCP 319
The Exhortation & Decalogue	BCP 316
The Confession	BCP 320
Holy God: <i>Trisagion</i>	Hymnal S102
The Collect of the Day	BCP 167
The First Lesson	Exodus 3:1-15
Psalm 63:1-8	BCP 670
The Second Lesson	1 Corinthians 10:1-13
Sequence: <i>Before thy throne, O God, we kneel</i>	Hymnal 574
The Gospel	Luke 13:1-9
The Sermon	The Rev. Paul McCabe
The Nicene Creed	BCP 326
Prayers of the People	Intercessor
The Peace <i>(All greet one another in the name of the Lord)</i>	BCP 332

**The Holy Communion**

Offertory Hymn: <i>What wondrous love is this</i>	Hymnal 439
The Great Thanksgiving, Prayer I	BCP 333
Sanctus: <i>Holy, Holy, Holy Lord</i>	Hymnal S117
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 336
The Breaking of the Bread	BCP 337
Lamb of God: <i>Agnus Dei</i>	Hymnal S161
Communion: <i>Rock of ages, cleft to me</i>	Hymnal 685
Communion: <i>Come ye disconsolate, where'er ye</i>	LEVAS 147
Post Communion Prayer & Blessing	BCP 339
Recessional: <i>Lord, dismiss us with thy blessing</i>	Hymnal 344
Dismissal	BCP 340
Postlude	

**Welcome to Episcopal Church of the Annunciation**

*If this is your first time with us, we hope you will join us for coffee hour after the 8:30 or 10:30AM services for fellowship & refreshments. Please sign the guest book or fill out a guest card so we can answer any questions you may have about ECA. Thank you for joining us today.*

## Collect of the Day

Almighty God, who seest that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## Prayer List

John, Elizabeth, Lauren, Liz, Linda, Ed, Sherrie, Connie, Irene & Tom, David & Elizabeth, Bruce, Darren, Dwayne, Brian, Angela, Michelle, Jennifer, Laura, Zack & Charlotte, Chris & Rae, John, Michael, Misty, Greg, Wyatt, Liam, Don & Jacqueline, Jennifer, David, Matthew, Michael, Willis, Alex, Grant, Norman, Mike, Jennifer & Kathy, Steve & Mary, Jamie, Ricky, Jeff, Joan, Rebekka, Miguel, April, and Luke & Lucas. For all those affected by COVID-19, for our Vestry; for those in the armed forces especially Donnie, Geoff, Bob, Lawrence, Matt, Tod, Nathan, Ryan, Mark, Daniel, & Josh; and for any unspoken prayers.

## Birthdays

3/20 Sharon Beck            3/26 Cole Samuel  
3/24 Janie Guardado        3/26 Richard Brady  
3/26 Bob Brancheau

## **\*\*ECA Grounds Spruce Up Day on Saturday March 26<sup>th</sup>\*\***

Come one, come ALL! Saturday March 26<sup>th</sup> is our church grounds spruce up day. Your assistance is greatly appreciated in helping us get the church property ready for Easter celebrations. We will start at 8am and hope to finish around noon. There is a list in the Narthex with current needs. We will be providing food and refreshments. Hope to see you there!

## **The Sunday Commissioning**

In the name of Christ Jesus, and through the family of Church of the Annunciation, we send you out bearing these holy gifts for God's holy people that those who will receive them with us may experience the majesty and mystery of His presence. We who are many are one body.  
*People: Because we all share one bread and one cup.*

**Faith & Spirituality Information Meeting Today!** Are you looking for more ways to get involved at ECA? Faith & Spirituality invites you to join them! Learn more on Sunday, March 20th after the 10:30 service at the pavilion. This meeting will also be available via zoom at noon. All are welcome! Come see what we are all about! Contact Robin Keith for more details or if you have any questions: 404-918-6335.

**Southern Comforters to meet Today in the Activities Bldg.** All are welcome to fellowship with those who knit & crochet to make blankets for children in difficult circumstances, and prayer shawls for our parishioners & friends. Meets the third Sunday of each month after services in the activities building.

**Adult Christian Formation Class Today in the Activities Bldg.** Christian formation class is usually held on Sundays at 9:40 am either in person, or via Zoom. Please contact Ron Allen at ronallenga@yahoo.com or contact Fr. Paul for Zoom meeting information. Current topics have been about how to adjust to the current climate as a faithful Christian in a divided community.

**March Lenten Series This Wednesday “Faith and Food” Dinner Conversations** It’s been a long time since many of us have been able to gather around the table for some simple faith and food conversations. There are no requirements, come as you are, and let’s enjoy some food, faith & fellowship conversations around the table. We look forward to seeing you there. Meeting Wednesdays through March at 6pm.

**Ladies British Tea Planning Meeting this Wednesday March 23<sup>rd</sup> at noon.** The next planning meeting for the ECA Ladies British Tea will be Wednesday, March 23 at noon in the Activities Building. All ladies are welcome to come help plan this annual event.

**Reach Serving Homeless Population this Wednesday Mar 23<sup>rd</sup> at 4pm** All are invited to join the ECA Reach ministry in preparing and delivering a meal to the homeless population every 4th Wednesday of the month at Shady Grove Baptist Church. Travel Sized toiletries are also being collected for this outreach.

**Dominoes Adult Game Night Friday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.** Join us for adult fellowship time playing Mexican Train Dominoes! Bring a simple snack and your favorite beverage. Dominoes typically meets the last Friday of each month. Newcomers are always welcome!

**Now Collecting Easter Candy for Egg Hunt**

Help support our Annual Easter Egg Hunt by donating small individually wrapped peanut -free candies or other small items (stickers, erasers, etc.) There will be a bin in the narthex to collect donations. Thank You!

**Each Month we make our Monthly Financials Available**

<u>(YTD) Through Jan. 2022</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>+/-</u>
Revenues	\$16,797	\$24,592	\$7,795
Expenses	<u>\$19,500</u>	<u>\$19,293</u>	<u>(\$208)</u>
Net Year to date	\$2,703	\$5,299	\$8,003

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