



The Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 27, 2022

WELCOME

to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

a member of the Central Michigan Episcopal Covenant

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

Big Rapids, MI

Seeking every day to love God
with our whole heart, mind, and
soul, and to love our neighbors
as ourselves.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church

Cadillac, MI

We strive to live out the Great
Commandment: To love the
Lord with all our heart, soul, and
mind and to love our neighbors
as ourselves.

If you have a faith or are seeking one, you are always welcome here.

If you are visiting or looking for a spiritual home,
we'd love to get to know you.

THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I

THE WORD OF GOD

BCP 323

All stand as able. We enter Lent in silence.

Opening Hymn

Hymnal 1982, 690

Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity

BCP 323

The Trisagion

BCP 324

Celebrant Holy God, Holy and Mighty, Holy Immortal One,

People Have mercy upon us.

The Collect of the Day

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The Lessons *All sit as able.*

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Gospel Hymn

Hymnal 1982, 411v1-3

The Holy Gospel *All stand as able.*

Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

Before the Gospel

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Luke.

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

After the Gospel

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Homily

Canon Katie Forsyth

The Prayers of the People

Form I, BCP 383

Intercessor With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying "Lord, have mercy." *Silence*
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.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Prince, our Bishop Provisional; Anne, our Canon Missioner; Radha, our Rector; our Central Michigan Episcopal Covenant; All non-parochial clergy and Lutheran pastors serving in our congregations, St. James, Cheboygan - Lew - Priest-in-Charge, Church of the Holy Cross, Kentwood – Mike, Rector
We pray for all those in our diocese discerning calls to ministry, both lay and ordained. In particular, we pray for those in our dioceses preparing for the Sacred Order of Priests, including Alicia, Joe, Barrett, Alex, Derek, Matt, Dell, Joanna, Kurt, and Anne Marie. We pray also for those in our dioceses preparing for the Sacred Order of Deacons, including: Elizabeth, Joy, Trish, Mark, Jim, and Linda. We remember with gratitude the retired clergy of the diocese. For all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

- Intercessor For our President, Joe, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, especially Gretchen our governor; and Fred, our mayor, let us pray to the Lord.
- People Lord, have mercy.**
- Intercessor For this city, for every city and community, and for those who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.
- People Lord, have mercy.**
- Intercessor For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.
- People Lord, have mercy.**
- Intercessor For those who travel on land, on water, or in the air, or through outer space, let us pray to the Lord.
- People Lord, have mercy.**
- Intercessor For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let us pray to the Lord.
- People Lord, have mercy.**
- Intercessor We pray for those in the St. Andrew's circle of prayer: Carolyn, Sharyn, Bob & Beth, Connie, the Sowerby Family, Lori, Sarah & Jane, Laura, Bill & family;
For those in the St. Mary's circle of prayer: Mike, Ben and Shea, Lisa, Heather & Lonnie & Family, Lorie, Deliah, Rene, Todd, Val, Renee, Glenna, Eli;

For our family and friends in the armed forces and who are first responders: Richard, Corey, Matt, Teylor, Tony, Kim, Drew, Jon, Sabastian, Eli; And for all those we name at this time. *Silence*
Let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Intercessor 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.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Intercessor For all who have died, especially The Rev. Cannon Bill Spaid, in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

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

People **Lord, have mercy.**

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

People **Lord, have mercy.**

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

People **To thee, O Lord our God.**

Officiant Lord, hear the prayers of thy people; and what we have asked faithfully, grant that we may obtain effectually, to the glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Confession of Sin *All kneel as able.* **BCP 330**

The Peace *All stand as able.* **BCP 332**

The People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

The Celebration of Special Days and Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory *The celebrant says the offertory sentence.*

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer II *All stand as able.* **BCP 340**

Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy) **Hymnal 1982, S-130**

*The people kneel or stand as able. The celebrant continues, then says:
And now, as our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say*

The Lord's Prayer **BCP 336**

The Breaking of the Bread **BCP 337**

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

Fraction Anthem **Hymnal 1982, S-158**

The Invitation

BCP 338

All are welcome at God's table.

If you do not wish to receive communion, but would like a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest. Gluten-free wafers are available.

Communion Hymn

Hymnal 1982, 439

Prayer after Communion *All stand or kneel as able.* BCP 339

Solemn Prayer Over the People

Celebrant Bow down before the Lord.

The people kneel as able.

Look down in mercy, Lord, on your people who kneel before you; and grant that those whom you have nourished by your Word and Sacraments may bring forth fruit worthy of repentance; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn

Hymnal 1982, 686

The Dismissal

BCP 340

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

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