



**Requiem Eucharist**  
*in celebration and thanksgiving for the life of*

**Rev. Canon James Golding**

18 March 2021 at 11 a.m.

*Preacher*

**The Most Rev'd David Edwards**

Bishop of Fredericton &  
Metropolitan Archbishop of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada

*Celebrant*

**Fr. Paul Rideout** - Rector

*Gospeller*

**Fr. Rob Montgomery** – RNS/St. Luke's, Gondola Point

*Organist*

**Charles Willett**

**Prelude**      Chris Buckley, *viola*                      Danielle Sametz, *violin*

**The Sentences**

**Words of Welcome**

**Poem**              *Instructions* – Arnold Crompton              (*read by Margaret Totten*)

**Hymn**              *Alleluia, sing to Jesus!*

Alleluia, sing to Jesus! His the scepter, his the throne;  
alleluia, his the triumph, his the victory alone.  
Hark! The songs of peaceful Zion thunder like a mighty flood;  
Jesus, out of every nation, hath redeemed us by his blood.

Alleluia! Not as orphans are we left in sorrow now;  
alleluia, he is near us, faith believes, nor questions how.  
Though the cloud from sight received him, when the forty days were o'er  
shall our hearts forget his promise: "I am with you evermore"?

*Text.* William Chatterton Dix (1837-1898)  
*Music.* Rowland Huw Prichard (1811-1887)  
*Tune.* Hyfrydol

## The Our Father

*Celebrant.* Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. Amen.

## Collect for Purity

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

## Summary of the Law

*Celebrant.* OUR Lord Jesus Christ said: Hear O Israel, The Lord our God is one Lord; and thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength. This is the first and great commandment and the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

*All.* **Lord, have mercy upon us, and write both these thy laws in our hearts, we beseech thee.**

## Kyrie Eleison

Lord, have mercy upon us.

**Christ, have mercy upon us.**

Lord, have mercy upon us.

## The Collect

*Please kneel or sit.*

*Celebrant.* The Lord be with you.

*People.* **And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant.* Let us pray.

GRANT, O Lord, that as we are baptized into the death of thy blessed Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, so by continual mortifying our corrupt affections we may be buried with him; and that, through the grave, and gate of death, we may pass to our joyful resurrection; for his merits, who died, and was buried, and rose again for us, thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

## The Epistle

(Read by Ann Mowatt)

*A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to Timothy (1:8-14)*

*After the reading: The Word of the Lord.*

*People. Thanks be to God.*

## The Psalm (121)

I WILL lift up mine eyes unto the hills: O whence cometh my help?

**My help cometh even from the LORD, who hath made heaven and earth.**

HE will not suffer thy foot to be moved: and he that keepeth thee will not sleep.

**Behold, he that keepeth Israel / shall neither slumber nor sleep.**

THE LORD himself is thy keeper: the LORD is thy defence upon thy right hand;

**So that the sun shall not burn thee by day, neither the moon by night.**

THE LORD shall preserve thee from all evil: yea, it is even he that shall keep thy soul.

**The LORD shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in, from this time forth for evermore.**

## The Gospel Acclamation

*All stand.*

*Praise to you, Lord, King of eternal glory.*

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I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord;  
whoever believes in me will never die.

*Praise to you, Lord, King of eternal glory.*

## The Holy Gospel

*Reader.* The Lord be with you.

*People.* **And with thy spirit.**

*Reader.* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew. (5:1-12)

*People.* **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

*Reader* The Gospel of Christ.

*People* **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

## The Homily

*Please be seated.*

## The Prayers of the People

*At the end of each petition:* Lord, in your mercy;

*Response:* Hear our prayer.

## The Confession & Absolution

*Celebrant.* Ye that do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways: Draw near with faith, and take this holy Sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to Almighty God, meekly kneeling upon your knees.

*All.* **Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all: We acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness, which we from time to time most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed,**

Against thy Divine Majesty. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*Bishop.* Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him: Have mercy upon you; pardon and deliver you from all your sins; confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **The Comfortable Words**

### **The Offertory**

*Please be seated. The gifts of bread and wine are set on the altar.*

### **Prayer over the Gifts**

*Celebrant.* Blessed be thou, Lord God of Israel, for ever and ever. All that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine.

*All.* All things come of thee, and of thine own have we given thee.

### **Thanksgiving & Consecration**

*Celebrant.* The Lord be with you;

*People.* **And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant.* Lift up your hearts;

*People.* **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

*Celebrant.* Let us give thanks unto our Lord God;

*People.* **It is meet and right so to do.**

*Celebrant.* It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places give thanks unto thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God, Creator and Preserver of all things. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee and saying:

*All.* Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts,  
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.  
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.  
Blessed is he that cometh in  
the Name of the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.

*All kneel. The priest continues with The Consecration. At the end of the Consecration, all respond* **Amen.**

### **The Peace**

*Celebrant.* The peace of the Lord be always with you;

*People.* **And with thy spirit.**

### **Prayer of Humble Access** *(together)*

WE do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, Trusting in our own righteousness, But in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy So much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord,

Whose property is always to have mercy: Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, So to eat the Flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, And to drink his Blood, That our sinful bodies may be made clean by his Body, And our souls washed through his most precious Blood, And that we may evermore dwell in him, And he in us. Amen.

## Agnus Dei

*Celebrant.* O LAMB of God, that takest away the sin of the world,  
*People.* **grant him rest.**  
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*People.* **grant him rest.**  
*Celebrant.* O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world,  
*People.* **grant him rest eternal.**

## THE COMMUNION

*If you have been baptised in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, you are welcome to receive Communion today. At the time of Communion, please stand in your pew if you wish to receive and the priest or a lay reader will bring the sacrament to you. Holy Communion will be distributed in one kind only – the host.*

## The Our Father

*All Kneel. Said together.*

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

## Prayers of Commendation

*Bishop.* O Saviour of the world, who by thy Cross and precious Blood hast redeemed us;  
*People.* **Save us, and help us, we humbly beseech thee, O Lord.**  
*Bishop.* Graciously look upon our afflictions, O Lord;  
*People.* **Pitifully behold the sorrows of our hearts.**  
*Bishop.* Make thy servants to be numbered with thy Saints;  
*People.* **In glory everlasting.**

*Bishop.* ALMIGHTY God, with whom do live the spirits of them that depart hence in the Lord, and with whom the souls of the faithful are in joy and felicity: We praise and magnify thy holy Name for all thy servants who have finished their course and kept the faith; and committing our brother James to thy gracious keeping, we pray that we with him, and with all those that are departed in the true faith of thy holy Name, may have our perfect consummation and bliss, both in body and soul, In thy eternal and everlasting glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

ALMIGHTY God, Father of all mercies and giver of all comfort: Deal graciously, we pray thee, with those who mourn, that casting every care on thee, they may know the consolation of thy love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*All.* **GIVE rest, O Christ, to thy servant with thy Saints, where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing, but life everlasting; where thou, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

*Bishop.* REST eternal grant unto him, O Lord,  
*People.* and let light perpetual shine upon him. **Amen.**

## The Blessing

*Bishop.* THE LORD bless you, and keep you. The LORD make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious unto you. The LORD lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace, both now and evermore. **Amen.**

**Hymn** *Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee*

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee,  
God of glory, Lord of love;  
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee,  
Op'ning to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;  
Drive the dark of doubt away;  
Giver of immortal gladness,  
Fill us with the light of day!

All Thy works with joy surround Thee,  
Earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays,  
Stars and angels sing around Thee,  
Center of unbroken praise.  
Field and forest, vale and mountain,  
Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,  
Singing bird and flowing fountain  
Call us to rejoice in Thee.

Thou art giving and forgiving,  
Ever blessing, ever blest,  
Wellspring of the joy of living,  
Ocean depth of happy rest!  
Thou our Father, Christ our Brother,  
All who live in love are Thine;  
Teach us how to love each other,  
Lift us to the joy divine.

*Text.* Henry van Dyke (1852-1933)  
*Music.* Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827)  
*Tune.* Hymn to Joy

*We ask that when you are ready to leave you proceed through the doors near the pulpit (front left) and exit through the lobby door. Please be careful to adhere to physical distancing regulations and maintain a 2-metre distance from those around you. Be sure to keep moving and do not hold up the line to leave the church.*

*All are welcome to join the family at Fern Hill for burial immediately following the service.*