



# MORNING PRAYER

*“Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness”*

St. Barnabas’ Episcopal Church

## MORNING PRAYER, RITE II

### PRELUDE

### GREETING

### OPENING HYMN

See Hymn Board

### OPENING SENTENCE

*Officiant begins the service with one or more of these sentences*

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

*Philippians 1:2*

I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord." *Psalm 122:1*

Send out your light and your truth, that they may lead me, and bring me to your holy hill and to your dwelling. *Psalm 43:3*

### CONFESSION OF SIN

#### ***Officiant:***

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*(Please kneel. Silence may be kept.)*

#### ***Officiant and People:***

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.

**Officiant:**

Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. **Amen.**

*(Please stand.)*

**Officiant:** Lord, open our lips.

**People:** And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

**Officiant and People:** Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

**Officiant and People:** (Alleluia) Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness: Come let us adore him. (Alleluia)

**VENITE – All**

**S35**

Come, let us sing to the Lord; let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God and a great King above all gods.

In his hand are the caverns of the earth, and the heights of the hills are his also. The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands have molded the dry land. Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, and kneel before the Lord our maker. For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand. Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

**PSALM      See Insert**

**Officiant and People:** *(Read responsively from insert followed by)*

**All: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

**THE LESSONS**    *(Please be seated.)*

**The First Lesson    See Insert**

***Lector:*** The Word of the Lord.

***People:*** Thanks be to God.

*(Please Stand.)*

**CANTICLE**    *Benedictus es, Domine*                    S 236

Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers;  
    you are worthy of praise: Glory to you.  
Glory to you, for the radiance of your holy Name:  
    we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.  
Glory to you, in the splendor of your temple;  
    on the throne of your majesty, glory to you.  
Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim;  
    we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.  
Glory to you, beholding the depths;  
    in the high vault of heaven, glory to you.  
Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit;  
    we will praise you and highly exalt you forever

*(Please be seated.)*

**The Second Lesson    See Insert**

***Lector:*** The Word of the Lord.

***People:*** Thanks be to God.

*(Please stand.)*

**CANTICLE**                    *Gloria in excelsis*                    S 280

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.  
Lord, God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us: you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

*(Please be seated.)*

**The Third Lesson    See Insert**

***Officiant:*** The Word of the Lord.

***People:*** Thanks be to God.

## **HOMILY/REFLECTION**

**THE APOSTLES' CREED**    *(Officiant and people standing.)*

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

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.

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. Amen.

**THE PRAYERS**    *(Please kneel.)*

***Officiant:*** The Lord be with you.

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

***Officiant:*** Let us pray.

***Officiant and People:***

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 those who 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.

**Suffrages A**

- V.** Show us your mercy, O Lord;  
**R.** **And grant us your salvation.**  
**V.** Clothe your ministers with righteousness;  
**R.** **Let your people sing with joy.**  
**V.** Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;  
**R.** **For only in you can we live in safety.**  
**V.** Lord, keep this nation under your care;  
**R.** **And guide us in the way of justice and truth.**  
**V.** Let your way be known upon earth;  
**R.** **Your saving health among all nations.**  
**V.** Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;  
**R.** **Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**  
**V.** Create in us clean hearts, O God;  
**R.** **And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.**

**Collect for the Day**      See Insert

**Collect for Sundays**

***Officiant:*** O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **Collect for Guidance**

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being: We humbly pray you so to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **Collect for Peace**

O God, the author of peace and love of concord, to know you is eternal life and to serve you is perfect freedom: Defend us, your humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in your defense, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **Prayers of the People Form III**

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;  
*That we all may be one.*

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;  
*That your Name may be glorified by all people.*

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons.  
*That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.*

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;  
*That there may be justice and peace on the earth.*

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;  
*That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;  
*That they may be delivered from their distress.*

Give to the departed eternal rest;  
*Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;  
*May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.*

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

*(Silence)*

**Officiant:** Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth:  
Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **OFFERING**

## **CHORAL ANTHEM OR INSTRUMENTAL**

## **ALL:**

“All things come of thee, o Lord and of thine own have we given thee.”

*1 Chronicles 29:14*

## **THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING**     *(Please kneel.)*

### ***Officiant and People:***

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you  
humble thanks for all your goodness and loving kindness to us and to all  
whom you have made. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all  
the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the  
redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace,  
and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your  
mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not  
only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service,  
and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be  
honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.



## **PRAYER OF ST. CHRYSOSTOM *(Optional)***

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. Amen.

## **CLOSING HYMN**

See Hymn Board

## **DISMISSAL**

***Officiant:*** Let us bless the Lord. **(Alleluia, Alleluia)**

***People:*** Thanks be to God. **(Alleluia, Alleluia)**

*Or this:*

***Officiant:*** Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. **(Alleluia, Alleluia)**

***People:*** Thanks be to God. **(Alleluia, Alleluia)**

## **CLOSE OF THE OFFICE**

***Officiant:*** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. **Amen.**

*2 Corinthians 13:14*

## **POSTLUDE**

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