


# THE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



# MARCH 23, 2025

please silence your cell phone when you enter the church 

**PRAYER for the DECEASED:** *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN: FLOW RIVER FLOW** please stand

BOB HURD

Flow riv-er flow, flow o-ver me. O liv-ing wa-ter, poured out for free; O liv-ing wa-ter, flow o-ver me.

1. You will be mine and I will be your God, for I will wash you  
 2. The blind shall see, the mute shall find a voice, the lame shall leap for  
 3. Who - ev - er drinks the wa - ter I will give will nev - er thirst a -

clean.\_\_\_\_\_ And a new heart, a heart of flesh and feel - ing,  
 joy.\_\_\_\_\_ Riv - ers will flow in - to dry and bar - ren des - ert,  
 gain.\_\_\_\_\_ The drink I give is an ev - er - flow - ing riv - er,

I will place with - in you for your heart of stone.\_\_\_\_\_  
 flow - ers bloom in splen - dor, glo - ry fill the land.\_\_\_\_\_  
 well - ing up with - in you to give e - ter - nal life.\_\_\_\_\_

**THE SIGN of the CROSS and GREETING**

†: *In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit*  
**A: Amen.**

†: *The Lord be with you.*  
**A: And with your Spirit**

**PENITENTIAL RITE**

**A: I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do; — through my fault, — through my fault, — through my most grievous fault;\* — therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

†: *May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.*

**A: Amen**

\*at each instance of "through my fault...", strike your breast once

**KYRIE** cantor first, then ALL

ROMAN MISSAL

C: *Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son* **A: Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son** C: *Chri - ste, e - lé - i - son.* **A: Chri - ste, e - lé - i - son.**

C: *Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son* **A: Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son.**

**COLLECT**

†: *Let us pray...* (celebrant prays the Collect) **A: Amen**

**FIRST READING** please be seated

readings found in insert

R: *The Word of the Lord* **A: Thanks be to God**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 95: IF TODAY YOU HEAR HIS VOICE

SCOTT SOPER



If to-day you hear his voice hard-en not your hearts, hard-en not your hearts.

1. Come, let us sing with joy, sing praise to the Rock who saves us. Come now with open hearts, singing songs of thanks, singing songs of praise. **R**
2. Come, let us kneel to God, bow down to the Lord who made us. We are the flock of God, God who shepherds us, God who guides us home. **R**
3. If you should hear God's voice, do not let your hearts be hardened as in the desert land, there they saw my works, still they tested me. **R**

SECOND READING

readings found in insert

R: *The Word of the Lord*      A: **Thanks be to God**

LENTEN GOSPEL ACCLAMATION please stand

MISSA SIMPLEX O'CONNOR & PROULX



Praise to you, Lord Je - sus Christ, king of end-less glo - ry!

Verse: Lord, you are truly the Savior of the world; give me living water, that I may never thirst again. **R** (John 4:42, 15)

GOSPEL DIALOGUE

†: *The Lord be with you.*      †: *A reading from the Holy Gospel according to ...*  
 A: **And with your spirit.**      A: **Glory to you, O Lord.** make a small cross with your thumb on your forehead, lips & heart

GOSPEL READING

readings found in insert

†: *The Gospel of the Lord*      A: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

HOMILY please be seated

PROFESSION of FAITH please stand

THE APOSTLES' CREED

**A: I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come 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 life everlasting.**

PRAYER of the FAITHFUL

**R: Crucified Lord, hear our prayer!**

PREPARATION of the GIFTS please be seated

OFFERTORY HYMN: AMAZING GRACE

NEW BRITAIN, JOHN NEWTON



1. A - maz - ing\_\_ grace! How sweet the sound That saved a\_\_ wretch like me!\_\_  
 2. 'Twas grace that\_\_ taught my heart to fear, And grace my\_\_ fears re - lieved;\_\_  
 3. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His word my\_\_ hope se - cures;\_\_  
 4. Through man - y\_\_ dan - gers, toils, and snares, I have al - read - y come;\_\_  
 5. When we've been there ten thou - sand years, Bright shin - ing\_\_ as the sun,\_\_



I once\_\_ was lost, but now\_\_ am\_\_ found, Was blind but\_\_ now I see.\_\_  
 How pre - cious did that grace\_\_ ap - pear The hour I\_\_ first be - lieved!\_\_  
 He will\_\_ my\_\_ shield and por - tion\_\_ be As long as\_\_ life en - dures.\_\_  
 'Tis grace\_\_ has brought me safe\_\_ thus\_ far, And grace will\_\_ lead me home.\_\_  
 We've no\_\_ less\_ days to sing\_\_ God's praise Than when we'd first be - gun.\_\_

PRAYER over the GIFTS please stand

†: *Pray, my brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.*      A: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.**

†: *prays over the gifts...*      A: **Amen**

**PREFACE DIALOGUE**

†: *The Lord be with you.*

†: *Lift up your hearts.*

†: *Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.*

**A: All And with your spirit.**

**A: We lift them up to the Lord.**

**A: It is right and just.**

**SANCTUS**

MISSA SIMPLEX O'CONNOR & PROULX

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san-na  
in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

**EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER** please kneel, if able, or remain standing

MISSA SIMPLEX O'CONNOR & PROULX

**MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION**

**GREAT AMEN**

Save us, Sa - vior of the world, for by your Cross  
and Res - ur - rec - tion you have set us free.

A - men, a - men,  
a - men.

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** please stand

**A: 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.**

†: *Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.*

**A: For the Kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever.**

**SIGN of PEACE**

†: *The peace of the Lord be with you always.* **A: And with your spirit.**

**FRACTION RITE: LAMB of GOD**

MISSA SIMPLEX O'CONNOR & PROULX

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

**INVITATION to COMMUNION** please kneel, if able, or remain standing

†: *Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.*

**A: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word, and my soul shall be healed.**

**COMMUNION HYMN: HERE I AM, LORD**

DAN SCHUTTE

1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo - ple cry. All who dwell in dark and sin  
2. I the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo - ple's pain. I have wept for love of them.  
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame. I will set a feast for them.  
my hand will save I, who made the stars of night. I will make their dark ness bright.  
They turn a - way. I will break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love a - lone.  
My hand will save. Fin - est bread I will pro - vide Till their hearts be sat - is - fied.

Who will bear my light to them. Whom shall I send? \_\_\_ Here I am, Lord. \_\_\_ Is it  
 I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send? \_\_\_ go, Lord, \_\_\_ if you  
 I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send? \_\_\_

I, Lord? \_\_\_ I have heard you call-ing in the night. \_\_\_ I will  
 lead me. \_\_\_ I will hold your peo-ple in my heart.

**MEDITATION HYMN: SHEPHERD ME, O GOD**

MARTY HAUGEN

Shepherd me, O God, be-yond my wants, be-yond my fears, from death in-to life.

after receiving Communion, please kneel, if able, or stand in prayer until the Blessed Sacrament is reposed in the tabernacle

**CLOSING REMARKS & FINAL BLESSING and DISMISSAL** please stand

- †: *The Lord be with you.*      †: *prays the final blessing...*
- A: And with your spirit.**      **A: Amen.**
- †: *chants the dismissal...*      **A: Thanks be to God.**

**RECESSIONAL HYMN: NOW IS THE TIME**

TOM KENDZIA

Come to us, you\_ who say, "I will not for-get you." Be with us, you\_ who say, "Do not be a- fraid."

Take hold of us, \_ our hearts, our minds, our whole be - ing. Make us your own, now is the time.

1. Spir - it of love, crush the pain of ha - tred. Spir - it of hope, stand be - fore our eyes.  
 2. Spir - it of peace, si - lence tongues of an - ger. Spir - it of life, break the chains of death.  
 3. Spir - it of faith, rise a - bove our doubt ing. Spir - it of truth, save us from our lies.

Spir - it of light, dance with - in our dark - ness. Make us your own, now is the time.  
 Spir - it of joy, \_ o - ver - come our sad - ness. Make us your own, now is the time.  
 Spir - it of God, walk a - mong your peo - ple. Make us your own, now is the time.

⊕ Coda  
 Make us your own, now is the time. Make us your own, now is the time. Make us your own, now is the time.

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