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The Administration of Communion **Hymns**:

463 ~ "Come, thou fount of every blessing,"

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"Christian, dost thou see them"

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WELCOME AND MAY GOD BLESS US ALL!

The Third Sunday in Lent

First Reading: Exodus 17:1-7

Comment: "Water from the rock"

In our Hebrew Bible story, the people are at the point of rebellion because they are without water in the wilderness. Moses decries their readiness to challenge the Lord through their lack of trust, and he asks God what is to be done. The Lord instructs Moses to strike a rock with his staff so that water will pour from it. This place he names Massah (meaning Challenge) and Meribah (meaning Dispute).

Psalm 95

A call to worship the Lord our God, with a warning not to put God to the test.

Second Reading (The Epistle): Romans 5:1-11

Comment "Reconciled to God by Christ's death" In this lection we hear how Paul bids disciples to rejoice in the reconciliation and hope which are theirs because of the sacrifice of Christ on behalf of sinners. Through faith we have justification; we are given a right relationship with God. Now even our sufferings can lead to endurance, and this to a perseverance which strengthens our hope. Since God was willing to show such a love while we were still God's enemies because of sin, how much more we are assured that we are to be saved.

THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 4:5-42

Comment: "The Woman at the well"

Our Gospel tells the story of Jesus' meeting with the Samaritan woman by Jacob's well. The narrative is rich with themes. Jesus is willing to break with custom in order to talk with one who is both a woman and foreigner. True worship of God is tied to no particular place. He himself offers living water which wells up to eternal life. The woman learns that Jesus is the expected Messiah, and later others from the town come to believe that he is the world's Saviour. During an interval in the story, Jesus speaks with his disciples concerning his true food and drink, and tells them that the time of harvesting for eternal life is at hand.

CATHEDRAL NEWS

- 1. Confirmation Classes: Please note that registration for Confirmation Classes has started. It is anticipated that Confirmation will be celebrated in November, as part of the Diocese's "Mission 2020: God's Gathering" initiative. Interested persons can collect forms from the table at the west door of the Cathedral. Completed forms should be returned to the Office as soon as possible.
- 2. Lenten Evensong: The Dean is presenting a series of sermons entitled, "Preaching on Some 20:20 Texts", at Evensong during the season of Lent. All are encouraged to come and share as we gather as God's people, during this year of "We Gatherin".
- **3. Guild of St. Gabriel**: All Lectors and Intercessors are invited to attend a meeting to further consolidate this ministry on Tuesday, March 24, 2020 at 5:30 P.M., in the Cathedral.
- **4. Annual Luncheon:** The annual parish luncheon will be held on Sunday, May 3, 2020 at 12:30 P.M. on the lawn of the Deanery, Welches, St. Michael. More details will follow, in due course.

DIOCESAN NEWS

Lenten Course 2020 – "Eeeeeezing Towards Easter". This course will continue under the following themes:

March 15th - Empowering our Youth
March 22nd - Exercising Greater Morals
March 29th - Endeavouring Peace
April 5th - Embracing All Persons.



Coronavirus, COVID–19 Guidelines: From last Sunday, March 8, 2020 the following came into effect until the Bishop indicates otherwise:

1. Physical interaction during services, including the Sign of Peace, shaking hands on entry or departure of religious services/gatherings should be suspended until further notice.

- Everyone administering Holy Communion should wash their hands thoroughly with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use alcohol-based hand gel, before beginning.
- Holy Communion should be administered in one kind only: under the species of Bread and placed onto the hands of the recipient only and not onto the tongue.
- 4. Suspend direct physical contact as part of a blessing or 'laying on of hands.'
- Clergy will not be visiting members who have influenza-type symptoms; instead, pastoral support for parishioners who are unable to attend church services should be provided by telephone, or social media.
- Parishioners who feel ill and display influenza-like symptoms should stay at home.

Congratulations to all those persons celebrating birthdays this week 15th to 21st March 2020

Ms. Gloria Regis ~ 15th
Mrs. Zida Hunte ~ 20th
Mr. Winston Holder ~ 21st



May God bless and strengthen you.

THEME FOR THE WEEK

"In shaping our conversion of life, God always takes the initiative by his grace."



CATHEDRAL MINISTRIES Today, Sunday, March 15th, 2020 The Third Sunday in Lent

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist Speaker: Master Nathan Sealy **9:00 A.M.** ~ Sung Eucharist

Speaker: Master Nathan Daniel

6:00 P.M. ~ Evensong led by the choirs of All Saints & St. Philip-the-Less Churches Preacher: The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson "Preaching on Some 20:20 Texts"

Tuesday, March 17th, 2020
12:15 P.M. ~ Holy Eucharist/Lenten Devotions

Wednesday, March 18th, 2020 10:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

Thursday, March 19th, 2020 12:15 P.M. ~ Holy Eucharist/Lenten Devotions

> Friday, March 20th, 2020 5:00 P.M. ~ Stations of the Cross

Sunday, March 22nd, 2020 The Fourth Sunday in Lent ~ Mothering Sunday

> 7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist 9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist 11:00 A.M. ~ Choral Matins 6:00 P.M. ~ Evensong



Looking Ahead!

A Solemn Musick for Good Friday, to be held on Friday, April 10th, 2019 at 8:00 P.M.

Tickets now available.
Admission \$30.00



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March 15th, 2020 Services 7:00 A.M. & 9:00 A.M.

March 15th, 2020 The Third Sunday in Lent

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist President:

The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson 9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist President: The Rev'd Canon George Knight

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Organ Prelude

Opening Hymn ~ 413

"Guide me, O thou great Redeemer,

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Almighty God, you know that we have no power in 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 lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Lesson: Exodus 17:1-7

Lectors: **7:00 A.M.** ~ Ms. Mary Haynes, Q.C.

9:00 A.M. ~ Mrs. Marlene Russell

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"Come, let us sing to the Lord; let us shout for joy to the rock of our salvation."

Second Lesson: Romans 5:1-11 Lectors: **7:00 A.M.** ~ Ms. Helena Lyte

9:00 A.M. ~ Ms. Marcia Bridgeman

The Gradual Hymn ~ 661

"Morning has broken like the first morning,"

The Holy Gospel: John 4:5-42

Gospeller: The Rev'd Richard Kellman