

SACRED HEART, TAMPA  
Third Sunday of Lent  
5:30 PM CONTEMPORARY SERVICE  
20 March 2022

## **INTRODUCTORY RITES**

### ***Opening Song: We Cry Out (Johnson)***

**V.1** Oh Lord, we cry out, we've been lost.  
We need Your mercies oh God.  
We repent, for our ways,  
and we turn to You again

### **Chorus:**

Oh God, we cry out, for Your mercy.  
Oh God, we cry out, for Your grace.  
Oh God, we cry out, set us free.  
Oh God, we cry out, once again.

**V. 2** Oh Lord, we cry out,  
we've been lost.

Change our hearts to Yours, oh God.

We repent, for our sin,  
and we turn to You again

**Chorus:**

Oh God, we cry out, for Your mercy.

Oh God, we cry out, for Your grace.

Oh God, we cry out, set us free.

Oh God, we cry out, once again,

once again!

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## LITURGY OF THE WORD

### **First Reading:** Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15

Moses was tending the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian. Leading the flock across the desert, he came to Horeb, the mountain of God. There an angel of the LORD appeared to Moses in fire flaming out of a bush. As he looked on, he was surprised to see that the bush, though on fire, was not consumed. So, Moses decided, "I must go over to look at this remarkable sight, and see why the bush is not burned."

When the LORD saw him coming over to look at it more closely, God called out to him from the bush, "Moses! Moses!" He answered, "Here I am." God said, "Come no nearer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place where you stand is holy ground. I am the God of your fathers," he continued, "the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, the God of Jacob." Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God. But the LORD said, "I have witnessed the affliction of my people in Egypt and have heard their cry of complaint against their slave

drivers, so I know well what they are suffering. Therefore, I have come down to rescue them from the hands of the Egyptians and lead them out of that land into a good and spacious land, a land flowing with milk and honey.”

Moses said to God, “But when I go to the Israelites and say to them, ‘The God of your fathers has sent me to you,’ if they ask me, ‘What is his name?’ what am I to tell them?” God replied, “I am who am.” Then he added, “This is what you shall tell the Israelites: I AM sent me to you.”

God spoke further to Moses, “Thus shall you say to the Israelites: The LORD, the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, the God of Jacob, has sent me to you. “This is my name forever; thus am I to be remembered through all generations.”

The Word of the Lord

**Thanks be to God!**

**Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 51**  
**Be Merciful O Lord - (Angrisano)**

*(Common Psalm for Lent)*

***Be merciful O Lord.  
Have mercy on us,  
for we have sinned.  
We come before you,  
cleans us from within.  
Have mercy on us Lord!***

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**Second Reading: 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12**

I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud and all passed through the sea, and all of them were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea. All ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink, for they drank from a spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was the Christ. Yet God was not pleased with most of them, for they were struck down in the desert.

These things happened as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil things, as they did. Do not grumble as some of them did, and suffered death by the destroyer. These things happened to them as an example, and they have been written down as a warning to us, upon whom the end of the ages has come. Therefore, whoever thinks he is standing secure should take care not to fall.

The Word of the Lord      **Thanks be to God!**

***Gospel Greeting: Thy Word*** (Grant/Smith)

**Thy Word, is a lamp unto my feet,  
and a light, unto, my path!**

**Verse 1:**

When I feel afraid  
Think I've lost my way.  
Still You're there  
Right beside me.  
Nothing will I fear  
As long as You are near.  
You are near me till the end!

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## **Gospel: Lk 13:1-9**

Some people told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with the blood of their sacrifices. Jesus said to them in reply, “Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were greater sinners than all other Galileans?

By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did! Or those eighteen people who were killed when the tower at Siloam fell on them—do you think they were more guilty than everyone else who lived in Jerusalem? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!” And he told them this parable: “There once was a person who had a fig tree planted in his orchard, and when he came in search of fruit on it but found none, he said to the gardener, ‘For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree but have found none. So cut it down. Why should it exhaust the soil?’ He said to him in reply, ‘Sir, leave it for this year also, and I shall cultivate the ground around it and fertilize it; it may bear fruit in the future. If not you can cut it down.’”

The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ**

## Homily

### Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
(all bow during the next two lines)  
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. Amen.

### Universal Prayer



# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

## **Preparation of Gifts & Altar:**

### **At The Cross (Love Ran Red) (Tomlin)**

V.1 There's a place

Where mercy reigns and never dies

There's a place

Where streams of grace flow deep and wide

Where all the love, I've ever found

Comes like a flood, comes flowing down

### **Chorus:**

At the cross, at the cross

I surrender my life

I'm in awe of You. I'm in awe of You

Where Your love ran red

and my sin washed white

I owe all to You, I owe all to You, (Jesus)

V.2 There's a place  
Where sin and shame are powerless  
Where my heart  
Has peace with God and forgiveness  
Where all the love, I've ever found  
Comes like a flood, comes flowing down  
***(chorus)***

**Chorus:**

At the cross, at the cross  
I surrender my life  
I'm in awe of You. I'm in awe of You  
Where Your love ran red  
and my sin washed white  
I owe all to You, I owe all to You, (Jesus)  
***(2<sup>nd</sup> time to bridge)***

## **Bridge:**

Here, my hope is found

Here, on holy ground

Here I bow down, here I bow down

Here, arms open wide

Here, You saved my life

Here I bow down. here I bow (down)

***(chorus)***

## **Chorus:**

At the cross, at the cross

I surrender my life

I'm in awe of You. I'm in awe of You

Where Your love ran red

and my sin washed white

I owe all to You, I owe all to You, (Jesus)

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***Eucharistic Acclamations:***

**Mass of a Joyful Heart (Angrisano)**

Holy, Holy – When We Eat This Bread – Amen

**COMMUNION RITE**

**Our Father**

***Lamb of God: Agnus Dei* (Honore)**

***Communion Song 1 – Only You (Crowder)***

V.1 Take my heart, I lay it down  
At the feet, of You who's crowned  
And take my life, I'm letting go  
I lift it up, to You who's throned

**Chorus:**

And I will, worship, You Lord  
Only You Lord  
And I will, bow down, before You  
Only You Lord

V.2 Take my fret, take my fear  
All I have, I'm leaving here  
Be all my hopes, be all my dreams  
Be all my delights, be my ev'rything

**Ending:**

And it's just You and me here now  
Only You and me here now  
And it's just You and me here now  
Only You and me here now  
(repeat as needed)

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**Communion Song 2 –**  
**This Is Amazing Grace (Riddle)**

**V. 1** Who breaks the power,  
of sin and darkness  
Whose love is mighty, and so much stronger  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings!

**V. 2** Who shakes the whole earth,  
with holy thunder  
Who leaves us breathless, in awe and wonder  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings!

**Chorus:**

This is amazing grace!  
That You would take my place,  
That You would bear my cross.  
You laid down Your life,  
That I would be set free!  
Oh, Jesus I sing for, all that You've done for me!

**V. 3** Who brings our chaos back into order  
Who makes the orphan, a son and daughter  
The King of Glory, the King of Glory

**V. 4** Who rules the nations  
with truth and justice  
Shines like the sun, in all of its brilliance  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings

**Bridge:** Worthy is the Lamb who was slain!  
Worthy is the King who conquers the grave!

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## CONCLUDING RITE

### Sending Forth Song – Your Grace Is Enough

(Maher)

**V.1** Great is Your faithfulness O God of Jacob  
You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart  
You lead us by still waters into mercy  
Where nothing can keep us apart

#### **Pre-Chorus:**

(So) remember Your people  
Remember Your children  
Remember Your promise O God

#### **Chorus:**

(For) Your grace is enough  
Yeah Your grace is enough  
Yeah Your grace is enough  
Yeah Your grace is enough, for me!

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