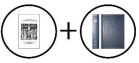


APOSTLE & MARTYR

Welcome.

We are an Anglo-Catholic Parish in the Diocese of Ottawa, celebrating 134 years of worship and service: 1889-2023. Please use this bulletin with:



Mass Booklet Hymn Book



The Transfiguration of Christ (c.1550)

Quinquagesima

19 February 2023

High Mass

Our Church stands on the unceded traditional territory of the Anishinabe Algonquin Nation.

Organ Prelude

Prelude on 'Rhosymedre'

R. Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

Mass Setting

A Simple Communion Service in F William H. Harris (1883-1973)

Gloria and Creed: Merbecke

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Opening Hymn with Asperges

284 Thou whose almighty word

Moscow

Introit Proper

Be thou my God and defender, and a place of refuge that thou mayest save me : for thou art my upholder, my refuge, and my Saviour; and for thy holy Name's sake be thou my leader; and my sustainer. *Ps.* In thee, O Lord, have I put my trust; let me never be put to confusion : but rid me, and deliver me in thy righteousness. Glory be ... Be thou my God ...

Salutation	p.1

Kyrie and Gloria p.2

Collect

Almighty God, on the holy mount you revealed to chosen witnesses your well-beloved Son, wonderfully transfigured: mercifully deliver us from the darkness of this world, and change us into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Exodus 24:12-18

The Lord said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain and wait there, that I may give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the

commandment, which I have written for their instruction." So Moses rose with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. And he said to the elders, "Wait here for us until we return to you. And behold, Aaron and Hur are with you. Whoever has a dispute, let him go to them."

Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of the Lord dwelt on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it six days. And on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the midst of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the Lord was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud and went up on the mountain. And Moses was on the mountain forty days and forty nights.

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

Psalm 2

Quare fremuerunt gentes?

- WHY do the nations so furiously rage together, / and why do the peoples imagine a vain thing?
- ² The kings of the earth stand up, and the rulers take counsel together, / against the LORD, and against his anointed:
- ³ 'Let us break their bonds asunder, / and cast away their cords from us.'
- ⁴ HE that dwelleth in heaven shall laugh them to scorn; / the Lord shall have them in derision.
- ⁵ Then shall he speak unto them in his wrath, / and vex them in his sore displeasure:
- ⁶ 'Yet have I set my king / upon my holy hill of Sion.'
- ⁷ I WILL tell of the decree of the LORD, wherein he hath said unto me, / 'Thou art my son, this day have I begotten thee.
- ⁸ Desire of me, and I shall give thee the nations for thine inheritance, / and the utmost parts of the earth for thy possession.
- ⁹ Thou shalt bruise them with a rod of iron, / and break them in pieces like a potter's vessel.'
- ¹⁰ BE wise now therefore, O ye kings; / be warned, ye that are judges of the earth.
- $^{\rm 11}$ Serve the LORD with fear, / and bow down unto him with

reverence;

¹² Lest he be angry, and ye perish in the way; for his wrath is quickly kindled. / Blessed are all they that put their trust in him.

Second Reading

2 Peter 1:16-21

For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty. For when he received honor and glory from God the Father, and the voice was borne to him by the Majestic Glory, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased," we ourselves heard this very voice borne from heaven, for we were with him on the holy mountain. And we have the prophetic word more fully confirmed, to which you will do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts, knowing this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture comes from someone's own interpretation. For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.

The Word of the Lord Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn

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St Agnes

Gradual Proper

Thou art the God that doeth wonders : and hast declared thy power among the people. V. Thou hast mightily delivered thy people : even the sons of Jacob and Joseph. Alleluia, alleluia. V. I will love thee, O Lord my strength : the Lord is my stony rock, my fortress, and my Saviour. Alleluia

Gospel

Matthew 17:1-9

Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St Matthew, beginning at the first verse.

Glory be to thee, O Lord.

And after six days Jesus took with him Peter and James, and John his brother, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became white as light. And behold, there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. And Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good that we are here. If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah." He was still speaking when, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." When the disciples heard this, they fell on their faces and were terrified. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Rise, and have no fear." And when they lifted up their eyes, they saw no one but Jesus only.

And as they were coming down the mountain, Jesus commanded them, "Tell no one the vision, until the Son of Man is raised from the dead."

Sermon

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise be to thee, O Christ.

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Offertory Proper	

Blessed art thou, O Lord; O teach me thy statutes : with my lips have I been telling of all the judgements of thy mouth.

Offertory Hymn

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Holy God, receive all we offer you this day, and bring us to that radiant glory which we see in the transfigured face of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE CANON OF THE MASS		
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BECAUSE in the mystery of the Word made flesh, thou hast caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of thy glory, in the face of thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord.		
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Communion Proper		

Thy did eat, and were will filled, for the Lord gave them their own desire : they were not disappointed of their lust.

Music at Communion

Here, O my Lord

Eleanor Daley (b.1955)

Prayer after Communion

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. May we who are partakers of his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. We ask this in his name. **Amen.**

Thanksgiving and Dismissal

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Post-Communion Hymn

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Laudate Dominum

The Angelus

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Organ Postlude

Finale Maestoso, Alla Rondo

Philip Tomblings (1902-1986)

Cantor: Laurena Nash

UPCOMING SERVICES

Tuesday, February 21 9:30 am: Morning Prayer • 10:00 am: Mass, Book of Common Prayer

Wednesday, February 22 (Ash Wednesday) – Imposition of ashes at all services 7:30 am: Low Mass • 10:00 am: Low Mass • 7:30 pm: Solemn High Mass

Friday, February 24 7:00 am: Morning Prayer • 7:30 am: Mass, Book of Common Prayer

NOTES AND NOTICES

Join us for the Pancake Supper this Tuesday February 21 beginning at 5:30 pm.

Note the times for the Ash Wednesday services this coming Wednesday February 22, including a Solemn High Mass beginning at 7:30pm.

The Annual Vestry Meeting will take place in person next Sunday February 26, following the High Mass.

Mark your calendars for the next Solemn Evensong and Benediction, to be held on Sunday March 12 (Lent III) beginning at 7pm.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7 • Psalm 32 • Romans 5:12-19 • Matthew 4:1-11

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