

# The Transfiguration of the Lord August 8, 2021

Welcome to the Church of St. Peter and St. Simon-the-Apostle.

#### Choral Matins at 10:30 am

Officiant & Preacher: The Reverend Theo Ipema Organist: Robin Davis/Cantor Kieran Kane

The service begins on page 1 of the *Book of Common Prayer*.

Prelude Organ Concerto #6 - Larghetto

G.F. HANDEL

**Introit** All Ye Who Seek for Jesus, Raise

PLAINSONG MODE 1

Cantor All ye who seek for Jesus, raise your eyes above, and upward gaze: There may you see the wondrous sign of never-ending glory shine.

So shines the Gentiles' King and Lord, the Prince by Judah's race adored, Promised to Abraham of yore, and to his seed for evermore.

To him the prophets testify: and that same witness, from on high The father seals by his decree: Hear and believe my Son, saith he.

To God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit, praise be done. May Christ the Lord upon us pour, the Spirit's gift for evermore. Amen

#### **Opening Sentences**

**Invitation to Confession** – *BCP* p. 4-5

officiant Dearly beloved, the Scripture moveth us in sundry places to acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness; and that we should not dissemble nor cloke them before the face of Almighty God our heavenly Father; but confess them

with an humble, lowly, penitent, and obedient heart; to the end that we may obtain forgiveness of the same, by his infinite goodness and mercy. And although we ought at all times humbly to acknowledge our sins before God; yet ought we most chiefly so to do, when we assemble and meet together to render thanks for the great benefits that we have received at his hands, to set forth his most worthy praise, to hear his most holy Word, and to ask those things which are requisite and necessary, as well for the body as the soul. Wherefore I pray and beseech you, as many as are here present, to accompany me with a pure heart and humble voice unto the throne of the heavenly grace.

Officiant Almighty and most merciful Father,

We have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep, we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts, we have offended against thy holy laws, we have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and there is no health in us. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare thou them, O God, which confess their faults. Restore thou them that are penitent; according to thy promises declared unto all people in Christ Jesu our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of thy holy Name. Amen.

The Absolution – BCP p. 5

The Lord's Prayer – BCP pp. 5-6

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 them that trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen.

#### Versicles & Responses -BCP p. 6

Officiant O Lord, open thou our lips;

All And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

Officiant O God, make speed to save us;

All O Lord, make haste to help us.

Officiant Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Officiant Praise ye the Lord;

# All The Lord's Name be praised.

#### **Venite** *Sung by the Cantor*



The Lord hath manifested 'forth his 'glory: /

O 'come, 'let us 'worship. '

O come, let us ' sing unto · the ' Lord: /

\* let us heartily rejoice in the 'strength of 'our sal'vation.

Let us come before his 'presence with 'thanksgiving / \* and show ourselves 'glad in 'him with 'psalms.

For the Lord is a 'great 'God /

\* and a great 'King a bove 'all 'gods.

In his hand are all the 'corners  $\cdot$  of the 'earth / \* and the 'strength of  $\cdot$  the 'hills is  $\cdot$  his 'also.

The sea is 'his and  $\cdot$ he 'made it /

\* and his ' hands pre'pared the  $\cdot$  dry ' land.

O come, let us worship and 'fall 'down/

\* and 'kneel be fore the 'Lord, our 'Maker.

For he is the 'Lord our 'God/

\* and we are the people of his pasture, ' and the ' sheep of  $\cdot$  his ' hand.

Glory be to the Father, and ' to the ' Son,

\* and ' to the ' Holy ' Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and 'ever' shall be,

\* world without 'end. '- A- 'men.

The Lord hath manifested ' forth his ' glory: /

O 'come, 'let us 'worship. '

# **Psalm 99** *Dominus regnavit. Sung by the Cantor.*



<sup>1</sup> THE LORD is King; let the **peo**-ples trem-ble; /

he sitteth upon the cherubim; let **the** earth be mov-ed.

<sup>2</sup> The Lord is **great** in Si-on, /

and high a-bove all the peo-ples.

<sup>3</sup> Let them give thanks un-**to** thy Name, /

which is great and wonderful; for he is ho-ly.

<sup>4</sup> The King's power loveth judgement; thou dost es-**tab**-lish e-qui-ty: / thou dost execute judgement and righ-**teous**-ness in Ja-cob.

<sup>5</sup> O magnify the **Lord** our God, /

and fall down before his footstool; for he is ho-ly.

- <sup>6</sup> Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel among such as call up-**on** his Name: / these called upon the **Lord**, and he heard them.
- <sup>7</sup> He spake unto them out of the **cloud**-y pil-lar; /

for they kept his testimonies, and the law that he gave them.

<sup>8</sup> Thou heardest them, O **Lord** our God; /

thou forgavest them, O God, though thou didst pun-ish their do-ings.

<sup>9</sup> O magnify the Lord our God, and worship at his **ho**-ly hill; /

for the Lord our God is ho-ly.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, /

and to the Ho-ly-Ghost:

As it was in the beginning, is now, and **ev**-er shall be, / world **with**-out end. A-men.

### First Lesson Daniel 7.9-10, 13-14

Reader The first lesson is written in the  $7^{th}$  chapter of the Book of Daniel, beginning at the  $9^{th}$  verse.

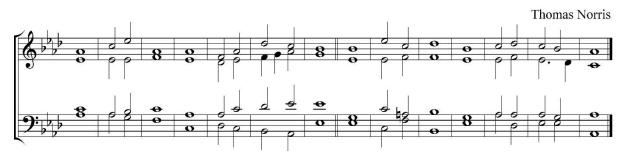
Daniel wrote, "As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne, his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his

presence. A thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgement, and the books were opened. As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed."

*Reader* The word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

**Te Deum** – *BCP* pp. 7-9 *Sung by the Choir (Prerecorded April 2020)* 



We praise 'thee, O 'God; / we acknowledge 'thee to 'be the 'Lord.

All the 'earth doth 'worship thee, / the 'Father 'ever 'lasting.

To thee all angels 'cry a'loud / the heavens and 'all the 'powers there'in.

To thee 'cherubim and 'seraphim / con'tinual'ly do 'cry

Holy 'holy 'holy / Lord 'God 'of 'hosts;

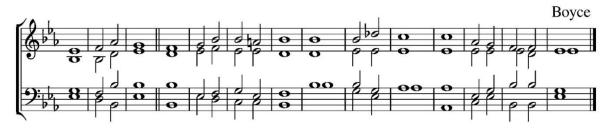
Heaven and 'earth are 'full / of the 'majes ty 'of thy 'glory.

The glorious company of the a postles praise thee the goodly fellowship of the prophets praise thee;

The noble army of 'martyrs' praise thee, /

The holy church throughout all the world 'doth ac'knowledge 'thee,

2<sup>nd</sup> The Father, of an 'infinite 'majesty / thine honourable, true and only Son; also the 'Holy 'Ghost, the 'Comforter.



Thou art the King of 'glory, O'Christ. /
Thou art the ever 'lasting 'Son of · the 'Father.

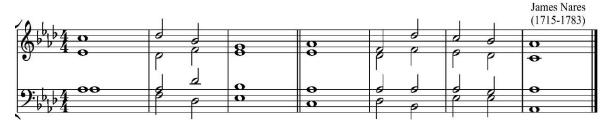
When thou tookest upon thee to de'liver 'man / Thou didst not ab'hor the 'Virgin's 'womb.

When thou hadst overcome the 'sharpness of 'death / thou didst open the kingdom of 'heaven to 'all be'lievers.

Thou sittest at the right hand of God, in the 'glory · of the 'Father. / We believe that thou shalt 'come to 'be our 'judge.

We therefore pray thee, 'help thy 'servants / whom thou hast redeemed 'with thy 'precious 'blood.

Make them to be numbered 'with thy 'saints / in 'glory 'ever'lasting.



O Lord save thy people and 'bless thine 'heritage; / Govern them and 'lift them 'up for 'ever.

Day by day we 'magni-fy 'thee; / and we worship thy Name, 'ever 'world with-out 'end.

Vouchsafe O Lord to keep us this 'day with-out 'sin./

O Lord have mercy up 'on us, have 'mercy up 'on us.

O Lord let thy mercy lighten upon us, as our 'trust is · in 'thee. / O Lord, in thee have I trusted: let me 'never 'be con 'founded.

#### **Second Lesson** *Luke* 9.28-36

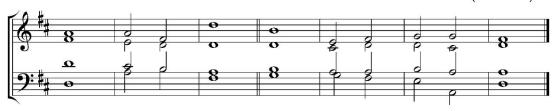
*Reader* The second lesson is written in the 9<sup>th</sup> chapter of the Gospel according to St. Luke, beginning at the 28<sup>th</sup> verse.

Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah" not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

Reader The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.** 

#### **Jubilate** – *BCP* p. 457 *Sung by the Cantor*

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> O be joyful in the Lord, 'all ye 'lands:

<sup>\*</sup> serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his 'presence 'with a 'song.

- <sup>2</sup> Be ye sure that the 'Lord · he is 'God;
  - \* it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the 'sheep of  $\cdot$  his 'pasture.
- <sup>3</sup> O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his 'courts with ' praise;
  - \* be thankful unto him, ' and speak ' good of · his ' Name.
- <sup>4</sup> For the Lord is gracious, his mercy is 'ever 'lasting;
  - \* and his truth endureth from gene ' ration to ' gene ' ration.

Glory be to the Father, and ' to the ' Son,

\* and ' to the ' Holy ' Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and 'ever' shall be,

\* world without 'end. 'A- 'men.

### The Apostles' Creed – BCP pp. 10-11

Officiant I believe in God

All the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth: and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried: he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy Catholic Church; the Communion of Saints; the Forgiveness of sins; the Resurrection of the body, and the Life everlasting. Amen.

Officiant The Lord be with you;

All And with thy spirit.

Officiant Let us pray.

Officiant Lord, have mercy upon us.

All Christ, have mercy upon us.

Officiant Lord, have mercy upon us.

Officiant 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 them that trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

O Lord, show thy mercy upon us; Officiant

And grant us thy salvation. All

O Lord, save the Queen; Officiant

And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee. All

Officiant Endue thy ministers with righteousness; And make thy chosen people joyful. All

O Lord, save thy people; Officiant

And bless thine inheritance. All Give peace in our time, O Lord; Officiant

And evermore mightily defend us. All

Officiant O God, make clean our hearts within us: And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

#### The Collect of the Day – BCP p. 289

All

officiant O GOD, who on the holy mount didst reveal to chosen witnesses thy well-beloved Son wonderfully transfigured: Mercifully grant-unto us such a vision of his divine majesty, that we, being purified and strengthened by thy grace, may be transformed into his likeness from glory to glory; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Collect for Peace – BCP p. 11

Officiant O God, who art the author of peace and lover of concord, in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life, whose service is perfect freedom: defend us thy humble servants in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in thy defence, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Collect for Grace – *BCP* pp. 11-12

Officiant O Lord our heavenly Father, Almighty and everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day: defend us in the same with thy mighty power; and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger; but that all our doings may be ordered by thy governance, to do always that is righteous in thy sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Anthem** *Let All the World in Every Corner Sing* from *Five Mystical Songs* 

(Pre-recorded by SPSS Choir)

R. VAUGHN WILLIAMS

**Organist: David Smith** 

Choir Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King.

The heavens are not too high, his praise may thither fly: The earth is not too low, his praises there may grow. Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King.

The Church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out:

But above all, the heart must bear the longest part.

Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King.

#### **Homily** The Reverend Theo Ipema

**Hymn 326** Bright the Vision That Delighted

REDHEAD No. 46 (LAUS DEO)

(Pre-recorded by SPSS Choir)

Choir Bright the vision that delighted once the sight of Judah's seer; sweet the countless tongues united to entrance the prophet's ear.

Round the Lord, in glory seated, cherubim and seraphim filled the temple, and repeated each to each the alternate hymn:

"Lord, thy glory fills the heaven; earth is with its fullness stored; unto thee be glory given, holy, holy, holy Lord."

Heaven is still with glory ringing; earth takes up the angels' cry, "Holy, holy," singing, "Lord of hosts, the Lord most high."

With his seraph train before him, with his holy church below, thus unite we to adore him; bid we thus our anthem flow:

"Lord, thy glory fills the heaven; earth is with its fullness stored; unto thee be glory given, holy, holy, holy Lord."

# **The Prayers** – Led by Fr Ipema

#### General Thanksgiving – BCP pp. 14-15

Officiant Almighty God,

Father of all mercies, we thine unworthy servants do give thee most humble and hearty thanks for all thy goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all people. We bless thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for thine inestimable 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 beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies, that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful, and that we show forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives; by giving up ourselves to thy service, and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. Amen.

### **Prayer of St Chrysostom** – *BCP* p. 15

Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications unto thee; and dost promise that when two or three are gathered together in thy Name thou wilt grant their requests: Fulfil now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants, as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. **Amen.** 

#### The Grace

All 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.

**Postlude** Arrival of the Queen of Sheba from Solomon G.F. HANDEL

# In our Prayers this Week

The Anglican Communion The Church of South India (United).

<u>Diocesan Cycle of Prayer</u> St. James Deanery.

Outreach & Advocacy Cycle of Prayer *Pray for St.* Matthew, First Avenue, and its refugee sponsorship; St. Matthew, Islington, its Food Cupboard, and its engagement in social advocacy; St. Matthias, Bellwoods, its support of Bellwoods House, John Gibson House,

and the Fort York Food Bank, and its social justice education and advocacy.

<u>Parish Cycle</u> Katherine Belyea, Rogers & Diane Beyongyera, Francette Biakpa, Colin & Susan Bird.

<u>Home Bound Parishioners</u> Gail Birnie, Nancy Byers, Cintra Cassidy, Jim Colling, Ann Duff, Charlotte Graham, Lorraine Griffith, George Petricko, Lucy Simons, Lila Vamosi, Pam Young.

#### **Parish Announcements**

The deadline for submissions is Thursday at noon each week.

#### **Services**

- Wednesday, Aug 11 Eucharist
  11 am Choral Eucharist. In-person Worship
- **Sunday, Aug 15** *Choral Eucharist* 10.30 am Choral Eucharist. Live-Stream only
- Wednesday, Aug 18 Eucharist
  11 am Choral Eucharist. In-person Worship

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