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Welcome to Saint Thomas Church, a parish of the Episcopal Diocese of New York.
Our mission is to worship, love and serve Our Lord Jesus Christ
through the Anglican tradition and our unique choral heritage.

The Reverend Canon Carl F. Turner, *Rector*

THE FEAST OF SAINT PETER AND SAINT PAUL

JUNE 29, 2021

SOLEMN EUCHARIST
sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir

THE ORDINARY OF THE MASS	Missa Petre ego pro te rogavi	<i>Alonso Lobo</i> (1555-1617)
PRELUDE	Tiento de falsas de 2 ^o tono	<i>Pablo Bruna</i> (1611-1679)

The People stand at the entry of the Choir. As the ministers go to the Altar, this chant is sung by the Choir.

INTROIT *Plainsong (Mode III)*

NUNC scio vere, quia misit Dominus Angelum suum:
et eripuit me de manu Herodis,
et de omni exspectatione plebis Judaeorum.

Domine probasti me, et cognovisti me:
tu cognovisti sessionem meam, et resurrectionem meam.

Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto:
Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper, et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.

Nunc scio vere...

*Now I know of a surety, that the Lord hath sent his angel,
and hath delivered me out of the hand of Herod,
and from all the expectation of the people of the Jews. (Acts 12:11)*

*O Lord, thou hast searched me out and known me:
thou knowest my down-sitting and mine up-rising. (Ps. 139:1)*

*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.*

Now I know...

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN

The Celebrant says

SEEING that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens,
Jesus the Son of God, let us come boldly unto the throne of grace,
that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.

Hebrews 4:14, 16

Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

The People kneel. Silence is kept.

Celebrant and People

MOST merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against
thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we earnestly repent.
For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.

The Celebrant says

THE Almighty and merciful Lord grant you absolution and
remission of all your sins, true repentance, amendment of life,
and the grace and consolation of his Holy Spirit. *Amen.*

The People stand.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Sung by the Choir

GLORIA in excelsis Deo,
et in terra pax
hominibus bonæ voluntatis.
Laudamus te, benedicimus te,
adoramus te, glorificamus te.
Gratias agimus tibi
propter magnam gloriam tuam.
Domine Deus, Rex coelestis,
Deus Pater omnipotens.
Domine Fili unigenite Jesu Christe.
Domine Deus, Agnus Dei,
Filius Patris.
Qui tollis peccata mundi,
miserere nobis.
Qui tollis peccata mundi,
suscipe deprecationem nostram.
Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris,
miserere nobis.
Quoniam tu solus Sanctus,
tu solus Dominus,
tu solus altissimus Jesu Christe.
Cum Sancto Spiritu
in Gloria Dei Patris. Amen.

*Glory be to God on high,
and on earth peace,
good will towards men.
We praise thee, we bless thee,
we worship thee, we glorify thee.
We give thanks to thee
for thy great glory,
O Lord God, heavenly King,
God the Father almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Father,
that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,
have mercy upon us.
For thou only art holy;
thou only art the Lord;
thou only, O Christ.
With the Holy Ghost, art most high
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.*

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And with thy spirit.
Celebrant Let us pray.

ALMIGHTY God, whose blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified thee by their martyrdom: Grant that thy Church, instructed by their teaching and example, and knit together in unity by thy Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, which is Jesus Christ our Lord; who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the same Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The People sit.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE LESSON

2 Timothy 4:1-8

The Subdeacon concludes

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

PSALM 87

Sung by the Choir

Plainsong (Tone I⁵)

FUNDAMENTA EJUS

HER foundations are upon the holy hills: the Lord loveth the gates of Sion more than all the dwellings of Jacob.

Very excellent things are spoken of thee: thou city of God.

I will think upon Rahab and Babylon: with them that know me.

Behold ye the Philistines also: and they of Tyre, with the Morians; lo, there was he born.

And of Sion it shall be reported that he was born in her: and the most High shall stablish her.

The Lord shall rehearse it when he writeth up the people: that he was born there.

The singers also and trumpeters shall he rehearse: All my fresh springs shall be in thee.

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.

The People stand.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Plainsong (Mode VI)

Cantor *People*

Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. _____

Cantor I call you not servants; for the servant knoweth not what his lord doeth:
but I have called you friends; for all things that I have heard of my Father
I have made known unto you.

People

Al - le - lu - ia. _____

Deacon The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint John.
People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

After the Gospel, the Deacon says

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

HOMILY

The Rector

THE NICENE CREED

Said by all, standing. It is customary to bow at the underlined words.

I BELIEVE in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible: And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man: And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets: And I believe one holy Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: And I look for the Resurrection of the dead: And the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (SPECIAL FORM)

The People remain standing to pray.

The Leader says

Encouraged by our fellowship with all the saints,
let us make our prayers to the Father through our Lord Jesus Christ.

After each petition,

People Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.

After the last petition, silence is kept. The Celebrant concludes the prayers with this collect

O ALMIGHTY God, who hast built thy Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their doctrine, that we may be made an holy temple acceptable unto thee; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

THE PEACE

The Celebrant introduces the Peace with these words

WE are fellow-citizens with the saints and of the household of God, through Christ our Lord, who came and preached peace to those who were far off and those who were near.

Ephesians 2:19,17

People The peace of the Lord be always with you.
And with thy spirit.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

AT THE OFFERTORY

Sung by the Choir

*William Byrd
(c. 1540-1623)*

Tu es Petrus et super hanc petram aedificabo ecclesiam meam. Alleluia.

Thou art Peter; and upon this rock I will build my church. Alleluia.

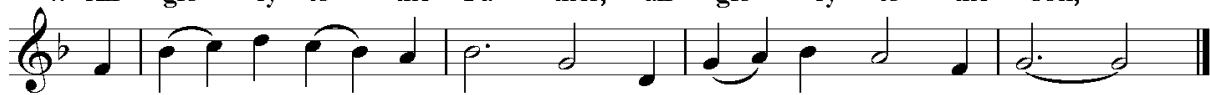
Matthew 16:18

HYMN

DE EERSTEN ZIJN DE LATTSTEN



1. Two stal - wart trees both root - ed in faith and ho - ly love,
2. One on a cross is mar - tyred, one by the sword is slain;
3. The words of Paul as - sure us of Christ's re - deem - ing word;
4. All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, all glo - ry to the Son,



by hope of God u - nit - ed they reach to heaven a - bove.
both tri - umph in their dy - ing, both glo - rious saint - hood gain.
the works of Pe - ter show us how we may serve the Lord.
who with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, now reign, blest Three in One.

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THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And with thy spirit.
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People We lift them up unto the Lord.
Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.
People It is meet and right so to do.

The Celebrant continues

IT is very meet, right and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God.

Through the great shepherd of thy flock, Jesus Christ our Lord; who after his resurrection sent forth his apostles to preach the Gospel and to teach all nations; and promised to be with them always, even unto the end of the ages.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS

Sung by the Choir

SANCTUS, Sanctus, Sanctus
Dominus Deus Sabaoth.
Pleni sunt caeli et terra Gloria tua.
Hosanna in excelsis.

*Holy, holy, holy,
Lord God of Hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.
Hosanna in the highest.*

Benedictus qui venit
In nomine Domini.
Hosanna in excelsis.

*Blessed is he that cometh
in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.*

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Celebrant continues the Eucharistic Prayer, which concludes

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost,
all honor and glory be unto thee,
O Father Almighty, world without end.

The People respond AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

The Celebrant says

And now, as our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say,

People and Celebrant

Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed
be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our
dai - ly bread. And for - give us our tres - pas - ses,
as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead
us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us
from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,
and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

BEHOLD the Lamb of God: behold him that taketh away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

People Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof,
but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

I BELIEVE in thee, O my Jesus, present in the most holy Sacrament of the Altar;
I love thee above all things, and I desire to receive thee into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive thee sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace thee, and I unite myself to thee as if thou wast already there.
Never permit me to be separated from thee!
O Lord Jesus Christ, let the sweet and consuming force of thy love absorb my whole soul, that I may die for the love of thee, who wast pleased to die for the love of me. Amen.

AT THE COMMUNION

AGNUS DEI

Sung by the Choir

AGNUS Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, *O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,*
miserere nobis. *have mercy on us.*
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, *O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,*
dona nobis pacem. *grant us peace.*

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Said by all, kneeling

ALMIGHTY and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

THE BLESSING

MAY God give you grace to follow his saints in faith and hope and love;
and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you, and remain with you always. Amen.

HYMN

GONFALON ROYAL



1 The e - ter - nal gifts of Christ the King, — the a - pos - tles'
2 The princ - es of the Church are they, — tri - um - phant
3 Theirs is the stead - fast faith of saints, — the hope that
4 In them the Fa - ther's glo - ry shone, — in them the



glo - rious deeds we sing, and all, with hearts of glad - ness, raise due
lead - ers in the fray, in hea - ven's hall a vic - tor band, true
nev - er yields nor faints; the per - fect love of Christ they know: these
Spi - rit's will was done, the Son him - self ex - ults in them; joy



hymns of thank - ful love and praise.
lights that light - en ev - ery land.
lay the prince of this world low.
fills the new Je - ru - sa - lem. Al - le - lu - ia!

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

VOLUNTARY

Passacalles de 1º tono

Juan Battista Cabanilles
(1644-1712)

WEEKDAY SUMMER FEASTS

Services open to the public, video livestreamed, and, thereafter, available on-demand

5:30 P.M. SOLEMN EUCHARIST

sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir

THURSDAY, JULY 22

Saint Mary Magdalene

Missa de Beata Virgine – Francisco Guerrero

Ave Maria – William Cornysh

In festo S. Mariae Magdalenae – Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6

The Transfiguration of Our Lord

Missa Quarti toni – Tomás Luis de Victoria

In festo transfigurationis Domini – Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

O nata lux – Thomas Tallis

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

Saint Bartholomew

Messa a tre voci – Antonio Lotti

Sanctus Bartholomaeus – Jacob Gallus-Handl

Omnipotens sempiterne Deus – Adrian Willaert