



# St James Cathedral

CHICAGO



*"The Apostles," Unknown Artist*

## Morning Prayer

# Second Sunday After Pentecost

## June 14, 2020

The choir sings

## PRECES

Richard Ayleward (1626–1669)

*Officiant* O Lord, open thou our lips.  
*Choir* And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

*Officiant* O God, make speed to save us.  
*Choir* O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, and is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord. The Lord's name be praised.

## HYMN

Wonder, Love, and Praise 780

1. Lord, you give the great com - mis - sion: "Heal the  
2. Lord, you call us to your ser - vice: "In my  
3. Lord, you make the com - mon ho - ly: "This my  
4. Lord, you show us love's true mea - sure: "Fa - ther,  
5. Lord, you bless with words as - sur - ing; "I am

sick and preach the word." Lest the church ne -  
name bap - tize and teach." That the world may  
bod - y, this my blood." Let us all, for  
what they do, for - give." Yet we hoard as  
with you to the end." Faith and hope and

glect its mis - sion, and the gos - pel go un -  
 trust your prom - ise, life a - bun - dant meant for  
 earth's true glo - ry, dai - ly lift life heav - en -  
 pri - vate trea - sure all that you so free - ly in -  
 love re - stor - ing, may we serve as you in -

heard, help us wit - ness to your pur - pose  
 each, give us all new fer - vor, draw us  
 ward, ask - ing that the world a - round us  
 give. May your care and mer - cy lead us  
 tend and, a - mid the cares that claim us,

*Refrain*

with re - newed in - teg - ri - ty.  
 clos - er in com - mun - i - ty.  
 share your chil - dren's lib - er - ty.  
 to a just so - ci - e - ty.  
 hold in mind e - ter - ni - ty. } With the Spir - it's

gifts em - power us for the work of min - is - try.

Words: Jeffery Rowthorn (b. 1934)

Music: Abbot's Leigh, Cyril Vincent Taylor (1907-1991)

## FIRST READING

A Reading from the Book of Genesis (18:1-15)

The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. He said, "My lord, if I find favor with you, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, "Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes." Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate.

They said to him, "Where is your wife Sarah?" And he said, "There, in the tent." Then one said, "I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son." And Sarah was listening at the tent entrance behind him. Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in age; it had ceased to be with Sarah after the manner of women. So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, "After I have grown old, and my husband is old, shall I have pleasure?" The Lord said to Abraham, "Why did Sarah laugh, and say, 'Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?' Is anything too wonderful for the Lord? At the set time I will return to you, in due season, and Sarah shall have a son." But Sarah denied, saying, "I did not laugh"; for she was afraid. He said, "Oh yes, you did laugh."

*read by Kevin Godsil*

*The choir sings*

**PSALM 116:1, 10-17**

John Robinson (1682-1762)

I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my supplication,  
because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.

How shall I repay the Lord  
for all the good things he has done for me?

I will lift up the cup of salvation  
and call upon the Name of the Lord.

I will fulfill my vows to the Lord  
in the presence of all his people.

Precious in the sight of the Lord  
is the death of his servants.

O Lord, I am your servant;  
I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; you have freed me from my bonds.

I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving  
and call upon the Name of the Lord.

I will fulfill my vows to the Lord  
in the presence of all his people,

In the courts of the Lord's house,  
in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.

## SECOND READING

A Reading from the Gospel according to Matthew (9:35-10:8)

Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: "Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, 'The kingdom of heaven has come near.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

*read by Alisa Roadcup*

## SERMON

The Rev. Canon Lisa Hackney-James  
*Sub-Dean of the Cathedral*

*The choristers sing*

## ANTHEM

*Litany of the Holy Spirit*

Peter Hurford (1930–2019)

In the hour of my distress,  
When temptations me oppress,  
And when I my sins confess,  
    Sweet Spirit, comfort me!

When I lie within my bed,  
Sick in heart and sick in head,  
And with doubts discomforted,  
    Sweet Spirit, comfort me!

When the house doth sigh and weep,  
And the world is drown'd in sleep,  
Yet mine eyes the watch do keep,  
    Sweet Spirit, comfort me!  
– *Robert Herrick (1591–1674)*

## The Prayers

### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Keep, O Lord, your household the Church in your steadfast faith and love, that through your grace we may proclaim your truth with boldness, and minister your justice with compassion; for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

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 those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*The Curate offers prayers for the needs of the world and the church.*

The choir sings

HYMN

Hymnal 539

1. O Zi - on, haste, thy mis - sion high ful - fill - ing,  
2. Pro - claim to ev - ery peo - ple, tongue, and na - tion  
3. Send her - alds forth to bear the mes - sage glo - rious;  
4. He comes a - gain! O Zi - on, ere thou meet him,

to tell to all the world that God is Light;  
that God, in whom they live and move, is Love;  
give of thy wealth to speed them on their way;  
make known to ev - ery heart his sav - ing grace;

that he who made all na - tions is not will - ing  
tell how he stooped to save his lost cre - a - tion,  
pour out thy soul for them in prayer vic - to - rious  
let none whom he hath ran - somed fail to greet him,

one soul should fail to know his love and might.  
and died on earth that all might live a - bove.  
till God shall bring his king - dom's joy - ful day.  
through thy ne - glect, un - fit to see his face.

*Refrain*

Pub - lish glad ti - dings: ti - dings of peace,

ti - dings of Je - sus, re - demp - tion and re - lease.

Words: Mary Ann Thomson (1834-1923), alt.  
 Music: *Tidings*, James Walch (1837-1901)

## BLESSING

*The Dean prays for God's blessing on the people.*

*The Organ Scholar plays*

## VOLUNTARY

Veni Creator en taille a 5

Nicolas de Grigny (1672-1703)

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## MUSIC NOTE

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*The Preces and Anthem were recorded virtually. The opening hymn was recorded on July 29, 2018, and the final hymn was recorded on January 27, 2019. The voluntary was recorded on the Fisk organ at St. Chrysostom's Church.*

*A recording of this service is available at [www.SaintJamesCathedral.org](http://www.SaintJamesCathedral.org), SoundCloud, and YouTube. The service was led by the cathedral clergy, with music provided by members of the cathedral choir and music staff. The broadcast was edited by Paul Bieschke and produced by Robert Black.*

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