HOLY EUCHARIST: Rite II

THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST

January 12, 2020 ♦ 10:00 a.m.

Louis Vierne

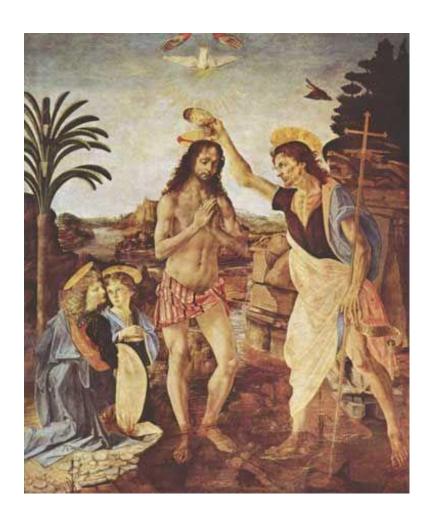
Welcome to St. Barnabas, we are delighted that you're here. We hope you'll participate fully in our worship through singing, praying, hearing the Good News of Jesus Christ, and coming to communion. May God richly bless you as you bless us!

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

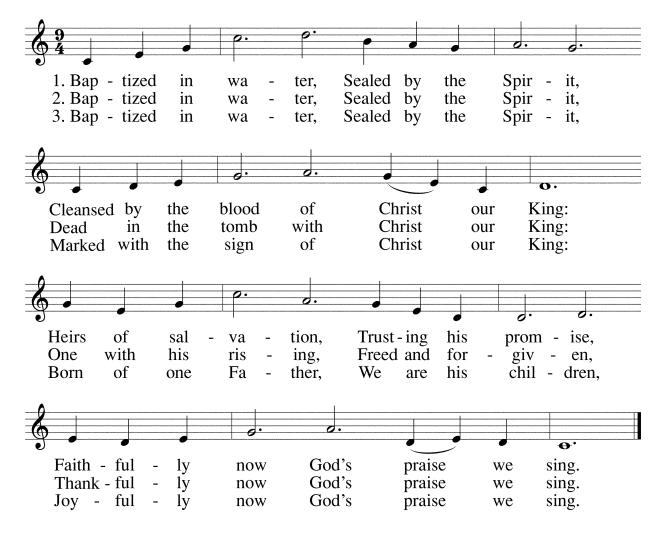
Berceuse (Lullaby)

 \P All stand as able at the sound of the tower bell.

HYMN (sung by all, next page) Baptized in water



The Baptism of Christ, Verrocchio and Da Vinci, from the Uffizi Gallery, Florence, Italy.



Text: Michael Saward, b.1932, © 1982, Hope Publishing Co.

Tune: BUNESSAN, 5 5 8 D; Gaelic melody; acc. by Robert J. Batastini, b.1942

Presiding Priest Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Presiding Priest continues

There is one Body and one Spirit;

People There is one hope in God's call to us;

Presiding Priest One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

People One God and Father of all.

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

GLORY TO GOD (sung by all, next page)

Robert Powell



Presiding Priest The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Presiding Priest Let us pray.

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

THE WORD OF GOD



Isaiah 42:1-9

READER: A Reading from the Book of Isaiah

"Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. He will not cry or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a dimly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. He will not grow faint or be crushed until he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his teaching." Thus says God, the Lord, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it: "I am the Lord, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a covenant to the people, a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. I am the Lord, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols. See, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth, I tell you of them."

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

Silence is marked by the ringing of a bell.

THE RESPONSE (remain seated)

Psalm 29

Choir, then all and after the verses as indicated.



The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders; * the Lord is upon the mighty waters.

The voice of the Lord is a powerful voice; * the voice of the Lord is a voice of splendor.

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees; * the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon; (ALL REPEAT REFRAIN)

He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, * and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.

The voice of the Lord splits the flames of fire; the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness; * the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.

The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe * and strips the forests bare. (ALL REPEAT REFRAIN)

And in the temple of the Lord * all are crying, "Glory!"

The Lord sits enthroned above the flood; * the Lord sits enthroned as King for evermore. (ALL REPEAT REFRAIN)

THE SECOND READING

Acts 10:34-43

READER: A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Peter began to speak to Cornelius and the other Gentiles: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ — he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

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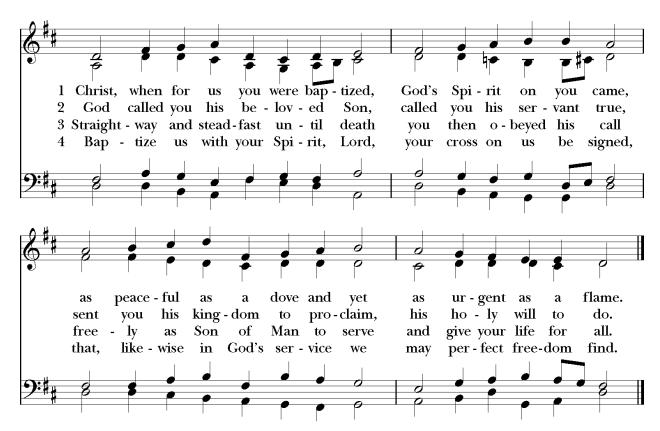
People Thanks be to God.

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HYMN (sung by all, next page)

Christ, when for us you were baptized

(HYMNAL 121)



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THE GOSPEL Matthew 3:13-17

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?" But Jesus answered him, "Let it be so now; for it is proper for us in this way to fulfill all righteousness." Then he consented. And when Jesus had been baptized, just as he came up from the water, suddenly the heavens were opened to him and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased."

The Gospel of the Lord

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

Jan Heller

Silence is marked by the ringing of a bell.

THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS

Celebrant Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and

renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

People I do.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

People I believe in God, the Father almighty,

creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit

and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting.

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and

fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the

prayers?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever

you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good

News of God in Christ?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving

your neighbor as yourself?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people,

and respect the dignity of every human being?

People I will, with God's help.

The Celebrant concludes the Renewal of Vows as follows

May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. **Amen**.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Leader and People pray responsively

As we celebrate the baptism of Christ, let us offer prayers to God who gives light to the nations and freedom to prisoners.

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for The Anglican Church of Australia, their clergy and their people. In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for Christ Church and St. Andrew, both in Seattle.

As the prophet Isaiah rang out, "Arise, shine; for your light has come"; empower your Church, O God, to ring out the Good News of the Light of your son Jesus, which pierces even the deepest darkness. Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

As a star rose high into the nighttime sky to draw all nations to the Christ-child; send your blessing, O God, on this nation and every nation, and draw the whole world to your justice, peace and truth. Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

As John the Baptist guided throngs of people to the edge of the wilderness, baptizing them in the River Jordan, we pray that you would guide our country and our leaders into the ways of justice, peace and righteousness. Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

Like the Magi who traveled from afar to bring gifts and celebrate the Savior's birth; we pray for this community, for all who seek the light of Christ and for those who have not yet experienced your love. Make us the bearers of your light.

Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

As Jesus proclaimed blessings on the people of the world, we too ask your blessing on those who are sick, distressed, or in any need of healing, peace and comfort. We pray especially for _____. Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

And we pray for the dying and those who have died, especially _____. Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

As Jesus called his disciples to leave their nets and boats to follow him; we pray for an ever deepening desire to follow you. Give us the grace to carry your light and love into the world, caring and praying alike for the ones we love and the ones we find hard to love.

Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

Then the Presider concludes the Prayers:

Lord of the living and the dead, accept the prayers we offer on this joyful feast and allow us to eat and drink at the table of your Son; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

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

The Presiding Priest says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen**.

Presiding Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

🏃 WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthday prayer is on page 830, No. 50 and Anniversary prayer on page 431 in the red Book of Common Prayer.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Please remain seated. At the offertory sentence, an offering of money is collected.

ANTHEM

Jesus, name of wondrous love

Robert J. Powell

Jesus! Name of wondrous love! Name all other names above,
Unto which must ev'ry knee Bow in deep humility.
Jesus! Name of priceless worth To the fallen sons of earth,
For the promise that it gave, Jesus shall His people save.
Jesus! Name of wondrous love, Human name of God above;
Pleading only this, we flee, Helpless, O our God, to Thee.

TEXT: William Walsham How (1823-1897)

PRESENTATION ANTHEM

Presiding Priest All things come from you, O Lord,

People and of your own have we given you.

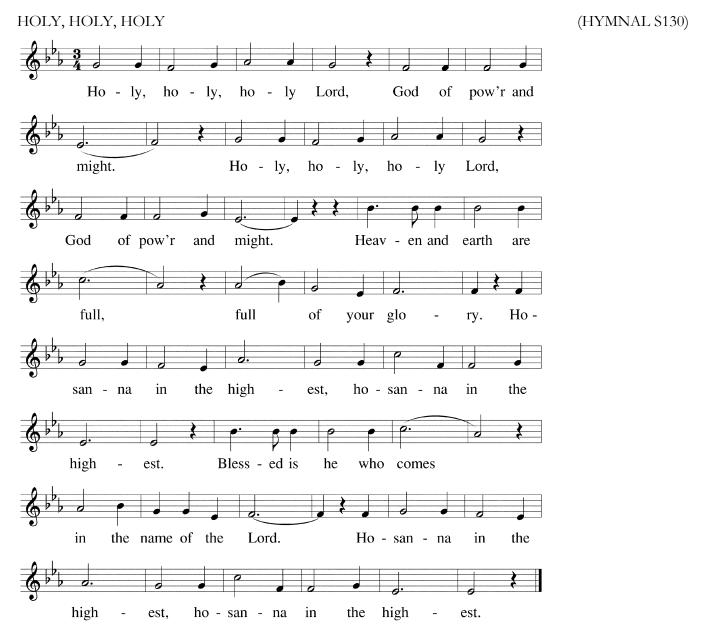
The people remain standing as able.



It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



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The Presiding Priest continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Presiding Priest and People

We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

The Presiding Priest continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.



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

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,

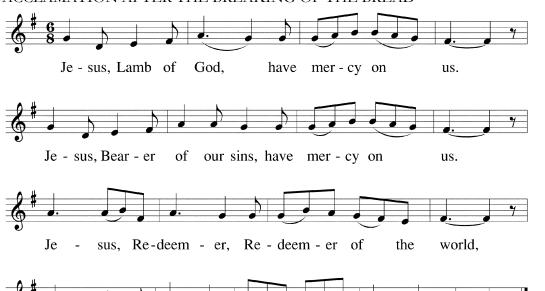
and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.

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.

ACCLAMATION AFTER THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

(HYMNAL S164)



give

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THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION

The gifts of God for the People of God.

us your peace,

A COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

This is Jesus' table. All find a welcome invitation to share in the bread and wine of Holy Communion. If you prefer to receive a blessing (or not to receive wine), place your arms across your chest as a sign.

us your peace.

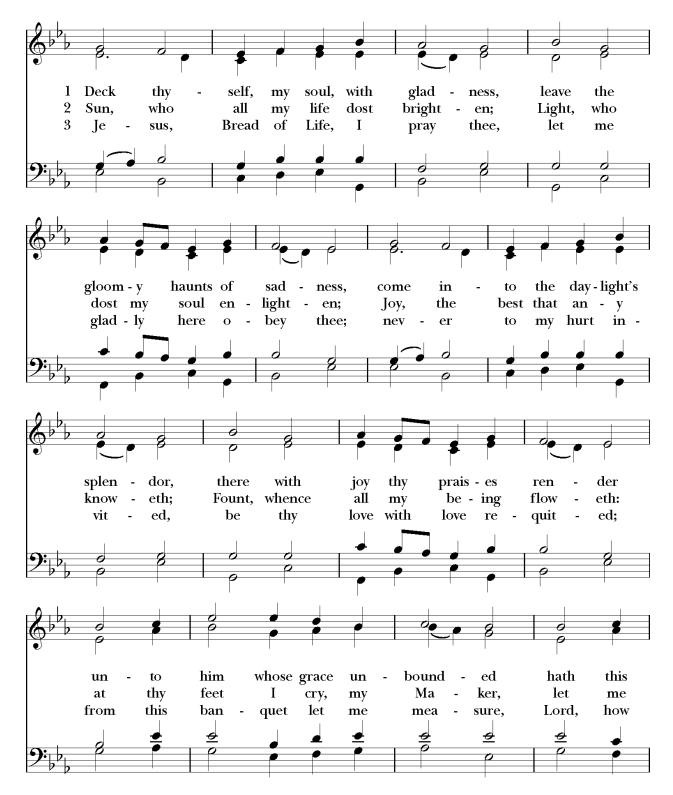
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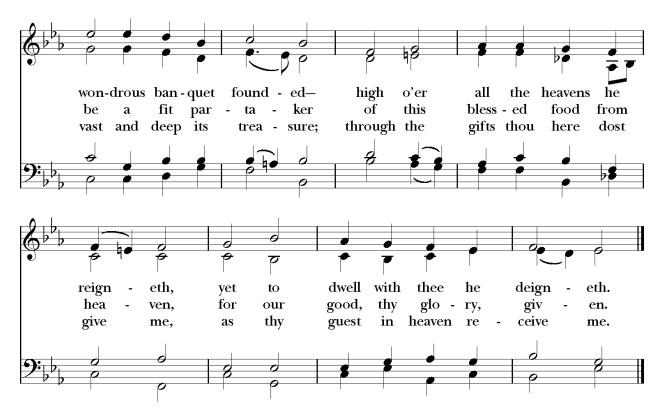
HYMN (sung by all, next page)

Deck thyself, my soul, with gladness

(HYMNAL 339)



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THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

THE BLESSING

HYMN (sung by all, next page) In Christ there is no East or West (HYMNAL 529)



Words: John Oxenham (1852-1941), alt.

Music: McKee, Afro-American spiritual; adapt. and harm. Harry T. Burleigh (1866-1949)

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DISMISSAL

Let us go forth into the world rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.

PROCESSION

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Fanfare from "Water Music"

G. F. Handel

MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

Presiding Priest & Preacher Organist & Choirmaster Song Leaders **Eucharistic Ministers** Lectors

Intercessor Greeters Godly Players Altar Guild

Bread Baker

Coffee Hour Welcome Table

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