

LENTEN EVENING PRAYER SERVICE

MUSICAL OFFERING Early One Morning

Flow Gently Sweet Afton
There Is a Balm in Gilead
When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Renee Wiesehuegel, soprano recorder
Bill Wiesehuegel, alto recorder

SILENT MEDITATION

OPENING SENTENCES:

Leader: O Lord, open my lips.
People: Any my mouth shall proclaim your praise.
Leader: Give me a pure heart
People: that I may see Thee,
Leader: A humble heart
People: that I may hear Thee,
Leader: A heart of love
People: that I may serve Thee,
Leader: A heart of faith
People: that I may abide in Thee.

OPENING HYMN Holy Spirit, Come to Us

Jacques Berthier

(Leader will sing through once, then all repeat three times.)

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 27

SILENT MEDITATION ON THE SCRIPTURE

LENTEN HYMN Create in Me a Clean Heart O God

Jean Berger

Meredith Mackay, Lisa Ellis, John Johnson, Terrance McCracken

INTERCESSION FOR LENT:

Jesus, remember us when you come into your kingdom. Hear our intercessions.
For your church around the world,
we ask new life.
For all who carry out ministries in your church,
We ask grace and wisdom.
For people who have accepted spiritual disciplines,
we ask inspired discipleship.
For Christians of every land,
we ask new unity in your name.
For Jews and Muslims and people of other faiths,
we ask your divine blessing.
For those who cannot believe,
we ask your faithful love.
For governors and rulers in every land,
we ask your guidance.
For people who suffer and sorrow,
we ask your healing peace.
(Prayer continues...)

SILENCE:

(Leader concludes the silence...)

Holy God, your Word, Jesus Christ, spoke peace to a sinful world and brought humanity the gift of reconciliation by the suffering and death he endured. Teach those who bear his name to follow the example he gave us. May our faith, hope and charity turn hatred to love, conflict to peace, and death to eternal life; through Christ our Lord...

THE LORD'S PRAYER

LENTEN HYMN The Sacrifice You Accept O God

(Leader will sing through once, then all repeat three times.)

THE BENEDICTION:

May the Lord, who is our peace, give us peace at all times and in every way.

Amen.

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

(Pass the peace with one another as you leave)

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