### **3 R D S U N D A Y O F L E N T**

March 3, 2024

#### Entrance Hymn

You, Lord, Are Both Lamb #628 and Shepherd

### Responsorial Psalm #1023

Psalm 19: Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

### **Communion Hymns**

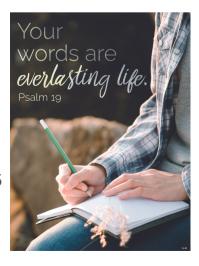
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# Readings

First Reading: Exodus 20:1-17

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:22-25

Gospel: John 2:13-25



#### The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God. the Father Almighty. Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified. died and was buried: He descended into hell: on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

#### St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

### **Opening Hymn**

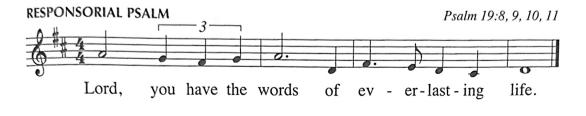
You, Lord, Are Both Lamb and Shepherd 628 1. You, Lord, are both Lamb Shep and herd. 2. Clothed in light up on the moun tain, 3. You, who walk each day be side us, 4. Wor - thy Je is our earth ly sus! O Lord, You, are both prince slave. and Stripped of might up the on cross, Sit in pow -God's er at side. Wor - thy is our cos mic Christ! You, peace - mak - er and sword bring er Shin - ing in e ter nal glo ry, You, who preach а way that's nar row, Wor - thy your de feat and vic \_ ťry. O Of the way you took and gave. Beg - gar'd by sol dier's а toss. -Have love а that reach wide. es Wor - thy still your peace strife. and You, the last ing ev er in stant; You, the -last ing ev er in stant; You, the ev er last ing in stant; You, the ev er last ing in stant; 0 σ You, whom both scorn and crave. we You, who are both gift and cost. who pil You, are our grim guide. who death You, are our and life.

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# First Reading

In those days, God delivered all these commandments: "I. the LORD, am your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, that place of slavery. You shall not have other gods besides me. You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything in the sky above or on the earth below or in the waters beneath the earth; you shall not bow down before them or worship them. For I, the LORD, your God, am a jealous God, inflicting punishment for their fathers' wickedness on the children of those who hate me, down to the third and fourth generation; but bestowing mercy down to the thousandth generation on the children of those who love me and keep my commandments. "You shall not take the name of the LORD, your God, in vain. For the LORD will not leave unpunished the one who takes his name in vain. "Remember to keep holy the sabbath day. Six days you may labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is the sabbath of the LORD, your God. No work may be done then either by you, or your son or daughter, or your male or female slave, or your beast, or by the alien who lives with you. In six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea and all that is in them; but on the seventh day he rested. That is why the LORD has blessed the sabbath day and made it holy. "Honor your father and your mother, that you may have a long life in the land which the LORD, your God, is giving you. You shall not kill. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor's house. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, nor his male or female slave, nor his ox or ass, nor anything else that belongs to him."

### **Responsorial Psalm**



# Second Reading

Brothers and sisters:

Jews demand signs and Greeks look for wisdom,

but we proclaim Christ crucified,

a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles,

but to those who are called, Jews and Greeks alike,

Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God.

For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom,

and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength.

## Gospel

<u>Jn 2:13-25</u>

Since the Passover of the Jews was near, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area, with the sheep and oxen, and spilled the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables, and to those who sold doves he said. "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace." His disciples recalled the words of Scripture, Zeal for your house will consume me. At this the Jews answered and said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" Jesus answered and said to them, "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and you will raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking about the temple of his body. Therefore, when he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they came to believe the Scripture and the word Jesus had spoken. While he was in Jerusalem for the feast of Passover, many began to believe in his name when they saw the signs he was doing. But Jesus would not trust himself to them because he knew them all, and did not need anyone to testify about human nature. He himself understood it well.

### **Communion Hymns**

Tree of Life 475 1. Tree of Life and awe-some mys - t'ry, In your 2. Seed that dies May rise to in glo - ry, we 3. We re mem Love passed ber truth once spo - ken, 4. Gen - tle Je sus, might - y Spir - it, Come in . 5. Christ, you lead and shall Stum - bling we fol - low, death we Though you all are re born, die in of see our - selves If live your in you, we learn to on through act Ev son and word, 'ry per lost and flame our hearts а new, We may all your joy in though our steps One may be, with you in joy and Still his ťry, Still you rise with ev 'ry morn, you sto We may die to We may ry rise new, а bro ken Wears the bod - y of Lord, Wears the our her it If bear the If we cross with you, we We sor row, the riv - er, you the sea, We the with ev 'ry rise \_ morn. die rise to new. а bod - y of Lord. our bear the cross with you. riv - er, you the sea. Lenten Verses Light of life beyond conceiving, Mighty Spirit of our Lord; General: Give new strength to our believing, Give us faith to live your word. From the dawning of creation, You have loved us as your own: 1st Sunday: Stay with us through all temptation, Make us turn to you alone. In our call to be a blessing, May we be a blessing true; 2nd Sunday: May we live and die confessing Christ as Lord of all we do. Living Water of salvation, Be the fountain of each soul; 3rd Sunday: Springing up in new creation, Flow in us and make us whole. Give us eyes to see you clearly, Make us children of your light; 4th Sunday: Give us hearts to live more nearly As your gospel shining bright.



Text: Jesus Prayer, Philippians 2:5-11; Acts 17:28; Roc O'Connor, SJ, b.1949 Tune: Roc O'Connor, SJ, b.1949; arr. by Rick Modlin, b.1966 © 1981, 1994, Robert F. O'Connor, SJ, and OCP

#### 51 Psalm 51: Be Merciful, O Lord



Verses

- Have mercy on me, God, in your kindness, in your compassion, blot out my offense.
  O wash me more and more from my guilt and my sorrow, and cleanse me from all of my sin.
- 2. My offenses, truly I know them, and my sins are always before me; against you alone have I sinned, O Lord, what is evil in your sight I have done.
- 3. Create in me a clean heart, O God, put your steadfast spirit in my soul. Cast me not away from your presence, O Lord, and take not your spirit from me.
- 4. Give back to me the joy of your salvation, let your willing spirit bear me up and I shall teach your way to the ones who have wandered, and bring them all home to your side.

Text: Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-15; Marty Haugen, © 1983, GIA Publications, Inc.; refrain trans. © 1969, ICEL Music: Marty Haugen, © 1983, GIA Publications, Inc.

Sacred Silence

Tom Booth and Jenny Pixler adn Anthony Kuner Tom Booth and Jenny Pixler gen - tle Refrain: Sa - cred si - lence, ho - ly o - cean, Verse 1. God my Fa - ther, Christ my Ho - ly broth - er. God's pure gen - tle moth - er, Verse 2. Ho - ly Ma - ry, help wash - ing me ver wa - ter, 0 me; Lord, I'm sanc - ti - fy Spir - it, ing me; saints and for. ves - sel. pray - ing me; Ho -Spir it. ly lis - ten, sor - ry, please for give me. all in heav an - gels, en, me. (to Verse 1, 2, and Final) Come and speak to free. (to Refrain) Come and set. me me. (to Refrain) and with come be\_ Final Come and be. with me. rit. Come and speak to me.

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