

*A Service of Intercession
& Eucharist*

St Thomas's Parish, Newark, Delaware

Season after Pentecost – Part 2



Wednesdays at Noon
live on YouTube
ALL are Welcome!

Salutation
Priest

Blessed be God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

All **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever.**
Amen.

Priest 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.

Collect

Gospel

Homily

The
Litany

God the Father,
have mercy on us.

God the Son,
have mercy on us.

God the Holy Spirit,
have mercy on us.

Holy, blessed and glorious Trinity,
have mercy on us.

From all evil and mischief; from pride, vanity and
hypocrisy; from envy, hatred and malice; and from
all evil intent,
good Lord, deliver us.

From sloth, worldliness and love of money; from
hardness of heart and contempt for your word and
your laws,
good Lord, deliver us.

From sins of body and mind; from the deceits of the
world, the flesh and the devil,
good Lord, deliver us.

In all times of sorrow; in all times of joy; in the
hour of death, and at the day of judgement,
good Lord, deliver us.

Hear our prayers, O Lord our God.
Hear us, good Lord.

Govern and direct your holy Church; fill it with love
and truth; and grant it that unity which is your will.

Hear us, good Lord.

Give us boldness to preach the gospel in all the world, and to make disciples of all the nations.

Hear us, good Lord.

Enlighten Kevin our Bishop and all who minister with knowledge and understanding, that by their teaching and their lives they may proclaim your word.

Hear us, good Lord.

Give your people grace to hear and receive your word, and to bring forth the fruit of the Spirit.

Hear us, good Lord.

Bring into the way of truth all who have erred and are deceived.

Hear us, good Lord.

Strengthen those who stand; comfort and help the faint-hearted; raise up the fallen; and finally beat down Satan under our feet.

Hear us, good Lord.

Guide the leaders of the nations into the ways of peace and justice.

Hear us, good Lord.

Endue all our elected leaders with wisdom and understanding.

Hear us, good Lord.

Bless those who administer the law, that they may uphold justice, honesty and truth.

Hear us, good Lord.

Give us the will to use the resources of the earth to your glory, and for the good of all creation.

Hear us, good Lord.

Bless and keep all your people.

Hear us, good Lord.

Bring your joy into all families; strengthen and deliver those in childbirth, watch over children and

guide the young, bring reconciliation to those in discord and peace to those in stress.

Hear us, good Lord.

Help and comfort the lonely, the bereaved and the oppressed.

Lord, have mercy.

Keep in safety those who travel, and all who are in danger.

Lord, have mercy.

Heal the sick in body and mind, and provide for the homeless, the hungry and the destitute.

Lord, have mercy.

Pour out your mercy on [*Prayer List*] and all who have been entrusted to our prayers.

Lord, have mercy.

Show your pity on prisoners and refugees, and all who are in trouble.

Lord, have mercy.

Forgive our enemies, persecutors and slanderers, and turn their hearts.

Lord, have mercy.

Hear us as we remember those who have died in the peace of Christ, especially those who have gone before us in this church, those we remember today [*Prayer List*], those who have confessed the faith and those whose faith is known to you alone, and grant us with them a share in your eternal kingdom.

Lord, have mercy.

**Holy God,
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
have mercy upon us.**

Peace

Priest

All

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

Offertory

Priest Blessed are You, O Lord God, Ruler of the universe, that we have this bread to offer, which earth has given and human hands have made: it will become for us the bread of life.

All Blessed be God forever.

Priest Blessed are You, O Lord God, Ruler of the universe, that we have this wine to offer, fruit of the vine and work of human hands: it will become for us the cup of salvation.

All Blessed be God forever.

The Canon

Priest The Lord be with you.

All And also with you.

Priest Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Priest continues It is indeed right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through Jesus Christ our Lord. And so we join with angels and archangels, for ever praising you and saying:

**All Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

The Celebrant continues We praise and bless you, loving Father, through Jesus Christ, our Lord; and as we obey his command, send your Holy Spirit, that broken bread and wine outpoured may be for us the body and blood of your dear Son. On the night before he died he had supper with his friends and, taking bread, he praised you. He broke the bread, gave it to them and said: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.

When supper was ended he took the cup of wine. Again he praised you, 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. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me. So, Father, we remember all that Jesus did, in him we plead with

confidence his sacrifice made once for all upon the cross. Bringing before you the bread of life and cup of salvation, we proclaim his death and resurrection until he comes in glory. Christ is the bread of life:

Celebrant and People

**When we eat this bread and drink this cup,
we proclaim your death, Lord Jesus,
until you come in glory.**

The Celebrant continues Lord of all life, help us to work together for that day when your kingdom comes and justice and mercy will be seen in all the earth. Look with favor on your people, gather us in your loving arms and bring us with the Ever-Blessed Virgin Mary, Blessed Nicholas, Blessed Thomas, and all the saints to feast at your table in heaven. Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory are yours, O loving Father, for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

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

All 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 priest breaks the bread.

Priest Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

All Therefore let us keep the feast. **Alleluia!**

Priest Behold the Lamb of God.
Behold him who takes away the sin of the world.
Happy are they who are called to the supper of the Lamb.

All receive Communion.

Post-Communion Prayer

All **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Blessing

Dismissal

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