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St. Margaret's Church

Sunday, Sept. 24, 2023

17th Sunday after Pentecost



Gathering of the Community

BAS Page 185

Celebrant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

People: **And also with you.**

MP38 As We Are Gathered by John Daniels (🎵 🎵)

**As we are gathered, Jesus is here;
one with each other, Jesus is here;
joined by the Spirit, washed in His blood
part of the Body, the Church of God.
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Collect for Purity

BAS Page 185

Celebrant: Almighty God,

All: To you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. 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.

The Gloria

BAS Page 186

Celebrant: Glory to God in the highest,

All: And peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly king,

almighty God and Father,

we worship you, we give you thanks,

we praise you for your glory.

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
You take away the sin of the world:
Have mercy on us;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father:
Receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One,
You alone are the Lord,
You alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
In the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

Kyrie Eleison

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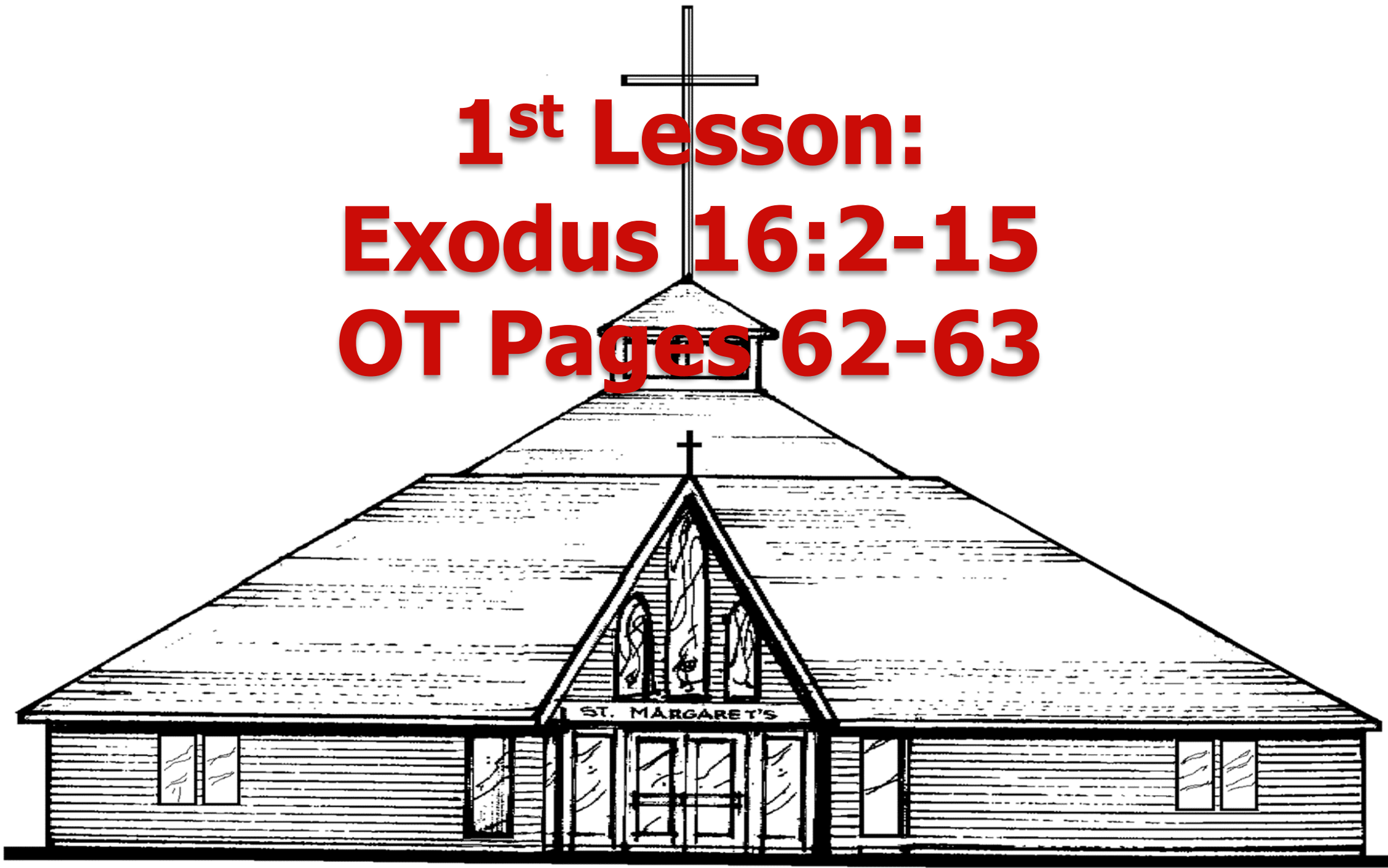
Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth, and ourselves in your image. Teach us to discern your hand in all your works and to serve you with reverence and thanksgiving; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

1st Lesson:
Exodus 16:2-15
OT Pages 62-63



Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45

BAS Pages 845-846, 848

**Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name;
make known his deeds among the peoples.**

**Sing to him, sing praises to him, and speak of all
his marvellous works.**

**Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those
who seek the Lord rejoice.**

**Search for the Lord and his strength;
continually seek his face.**

**Remember the marvels he has done, his
wonders and the judgements of his mouth,
O offspring of Abraham his servant, O children
of Jacob his chosen.**

He led out his people with silver and gold; in all their tribes there was not one that stumbled. Egypt was glad of their going, because they were afraid of them.

He spread out a cloud for a covering and a fire to give light in the night season.

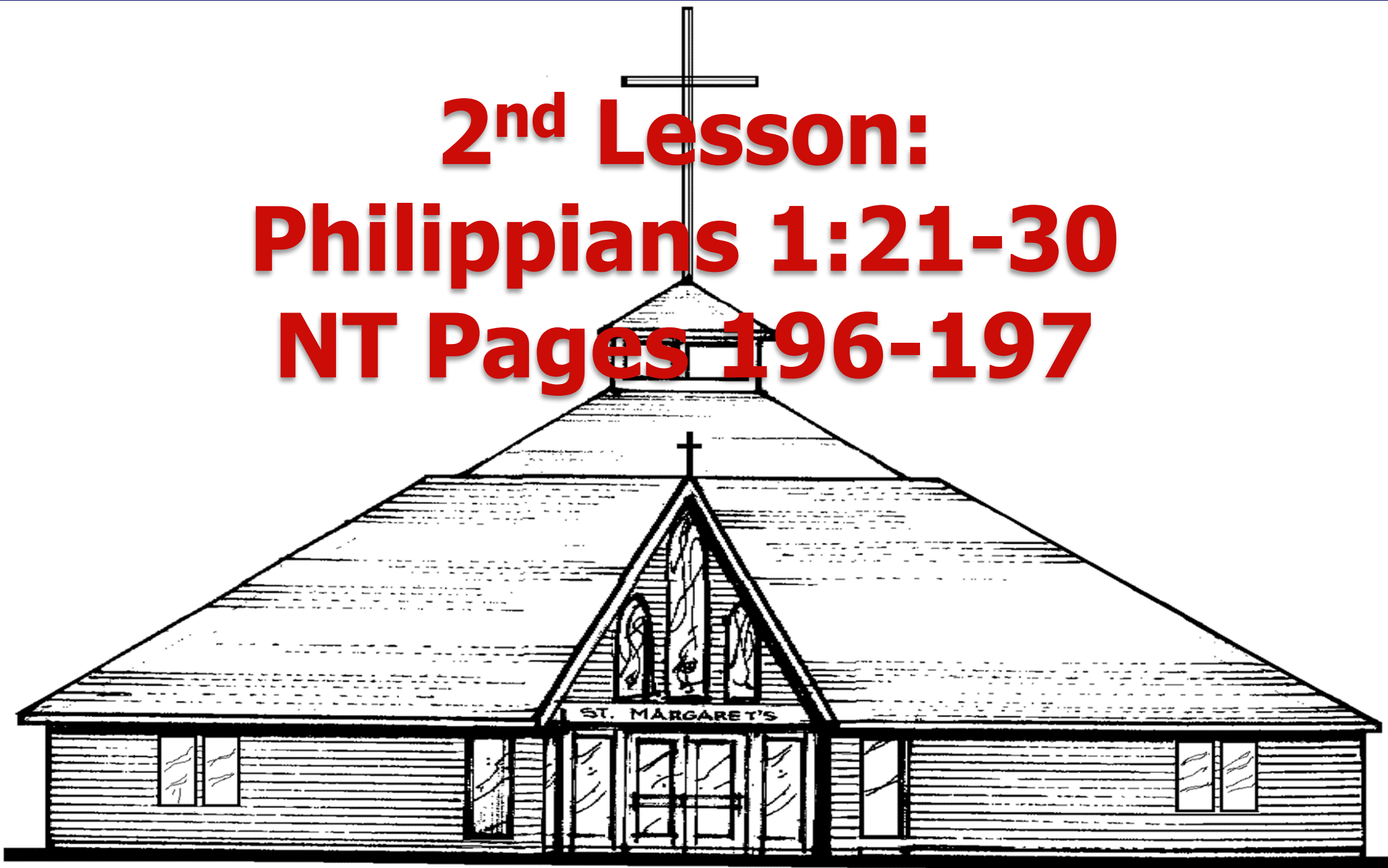
They asked, and quails appeared, and he satisfied them with bread from heaven. He opened the rock, and water flowed, so the river ran in the dry places. For God remembered his holy word and Abraham his servant.

**So he led forth his people with gladness, his
chosen with shouts of joy.**

**He gave his people the lands of the nations,
and they took the fruit of others' toil,
That they might keep his statutes and
observe his laws.**

Hallelujah!

2nd Lesson:
Philippians 1:21-30
NT Pages 196-197



Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel:
Matthew 20:1-16
NT Pages 21-22



Reader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

**Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to St. Matthew.**

People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Holy Gospel:
Matthew 20:1-16
NT Pages 21-22



Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Sermon



The Nicene Creed

BAS Page 188

Celebrant: Let us confess our faith, as we say,

All: **We believe in one God, the Father,
the Almighty, maker of heaven and
earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.

**On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets.

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.
Amen.**

Prayers of The People 6

BAS Pages 115-116

(As we stand in God's presence, let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy.")

For the whole People of God, that each one may be a true and faithful servant of Christ, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

**For those drawing near to the light of faith,
that the Lord will bring them to true
knowledge of himself, let us pray to the Lord.
Lord, have mercy.**

**For our families and friends, that the Lord will
give them joy and satisfaction in all that they
do, let us pray to the Lord.
Lord, have mercy.**

For those who are lonely, sick, hungry, persecuted, or ignored, that the Lord will comfort and sustain them, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For our country, that the Lord will help us to contribute to its true growth and well-being, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the whole human family, that we may live together in justice and peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

Celebrant: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Celebrant: Most merciful God,

All: 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 neighbours 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.**

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

The Peace

BAS Page 192

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with
you.

All: **And also with you.**



The Announcements



Offertory Sentence

BAS Page 381

Open our hearts, O Lord, to give heed to what is said by your Son.

Prayer Over the Gifts

BAS Page 382

**God of power, the glory of your works fills us with wonder and awe. Accept our offering this day, and help us to live in peace and harmony with all your creation, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer 2

BAS Pages 196-197

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

**We give you thanks and praise, almighty
God, through your beloved Son, Jesus
Christ, our Saviour and Redeemer.
He is your living Word, through whom you
have created all things.**

By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh of the Virgin Mary and shared our human nature. He lived and died as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

In fulfilment of your will he stretched out his hands in suffering, to bring release to those who place their hope in you; and so he won for you a holy people.

He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows, and to give up his life on the cross, that he might shatter the chains of evil and death, and banish the darkness of sin and despair. By his resurrection he brings us into the light of your presence.

**Now with all creation we raise our voices
to proclaim the glory of your name.**

**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.**

**Holy and gracious God, accept our praise,
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ;
who on the night he was handed over to
suffering and death, took bread and gave
you thanks, saying, “Take, and eat:
this is my body which is broken for you.”**

**In the same way he took the cup, saying,
“This is my blood which is shed for you.
When you do this, you do it in memory of
me.”**

Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you.

We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church. Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ.

All glory and honour are yours, Father
and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy
Church, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

BAS Page 211

Celebrant: And now, as our Saviour 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,
the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread 2

BAS Page 212

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.
We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread...



The Communion

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Ruler of the universe, all creation yearns for its fulfilment in your Son. May we who have shared in holy things grow into maturity in him. This we ask in the name of the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Doxology

BAS Page 214

Celebrant: Glory to God,

All: whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Blessing



The Dismissal

BAS Page 215

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Send Us Out (♪ ♪)

**Send us out in the power of Your Spirit Lord.
May our lives bring Jesus to the world.
May each thought and word bring glory to Your
name;
Send us out in Your Spirit Lord we pray.**

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God be with you!

