



The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany  
31 January 2021

11 AM The Liturgy of the Word



The Cathedral  
Church of **Saint John**  
the **Divine**

**125**  
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**THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

The Reverend Canon Patrick Malloy, *Officiant*  
The Reverend Pamela Cooper-White, *Preacher*  
The Cathedral Choir & Chorale

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**OPENING VOLUNTARY**

*Mein junges Leben hat ein End'*     Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck  
(1562–1621)

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**THE OPENING ACCLAMATION**

*Officiant*    Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.  
*People*      Glory to God for ever and ever.

## OPENING HYMN

*Sung by All.*

1 Thine arm, O Lord, in days of old was strong to heal and save; it  
 2 And lo! thy touch brought life and health, gave hear - ing, strength, and sight; and  
 3 Be thou our great de - liv - erer still, thou Lord of life and death; re -

tri - umphed o'er dis - ease and death, o'er dark - ness and the grave. To  
 youth re - newed and fren - zy calmed owned thee, the Lord of light: and  
 store and quick - en, soothe and bless, with thine al - might - y breath: to

thee they went, the blind, the deaf, the pal - sied, and the lame, the  
 now, O Lord, be near to bless, al - might - y as of yore, in  
 hands that work and eyes that see, give wis - dom's heaven - ly lore, that

lep - er set a - part and shunned, the sick with fe - vered frame.  
 crowd - ed street, by rest - less couch, as by Gen - nes - aret's shore.  
 whole and sick, and weak and strong, may praise thee ev - er - more.

Words: Edward Hayes Plumptre (1821–1891), alt.

Music: *St. Matthew*, from *Supplement to the New Version of Psalms* by Dr. Brady and Mr. Tate, 1708

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**THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

*Officiant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Officiant* Let us pray.

**A**LMIGHTY and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

*People* Amen.

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**A READING FROM THE BOOK OF DEUTERONOMY**

**M**OSSES said: The Lord your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among your own people; you shall heed such a prophet. This is what you requested of the Lord your God at Horeb on the day of the assembly when you said: "If I hear the voice of the Lord my God any more, or ever again see this great fire, I will die." Then the Lord replied to me: "They are right in what they have said. I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their own people; I will put my words in the mouth of the prophet, who shall speak to them everything that I command. Anyone who does not heed the words that the prophet shall speak in my name, I myself will hold accountable. But any prophet who speaks in the name of other gods, or who presumes to speak in my name a word that I have not commanded the prophet to speak—that prophet shall die." (18:15–20)

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

## PSALM 111

*Said responsively.**Confitebor tibi**Lector* Hallelujah!

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart,

*People* in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.*Lector* Great are the deeds of the Lord!*People* they are studied by all who delight in them.*Lector* His work is full of majesty and splendor,*People* and his righteousness endures for ever.*Lector* He makes his marvelous works to be remembered;*People* the Lord is gracious and full of compassion.*Lector* He gives food to those who fear him;*People* he is ever mindful of his covenant.*Lector* He has shown his people the power of his works*People* in giving them the lands of the nations.*Lector* The works of his hands are faithfulness and justice;*People* all his commandments are sure.*Lector* They stand fast for ever and ever,*People* because they are done in truth and equity.*Lector* He sent redemption to his people;

he commanded his covenant for ever;

*People* holy and awesome is his Name.*Lector* The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;*People* those who act accordingly have a good understanding; his praise endures for ever.

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**A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL**

*Officiant* The ✠ Holy Gospel of our  
Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

**J**ESUS and his disciples went to Capernaum; and when the sabbath came, he entered the synagogue and taught. They were astounded at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes. Just then there was in their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit, and he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are, the Holy One of God." But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "Be silent, and come out of him!" And the unclean spirit, convulsing him and crying with a loud voice, came out of him. They were all amazed, and they kept on asking one another, "What is this? A new teaching—with authority! He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey him." At once his fame began to spread throughout the surrounding region of Galilee. (1:21–28)

*Officiant* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

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**THE SERMON**

The Reverend Pamela Cooper-White  
*Vice-President of Academic Affairs and Dean,  
Union Theological Seminary*

## ANTHEM

*Balm in Gilead*African-American Spiritual,  
arr. William L. Dawson (1899–1990)

**T**HERE is a balm in Gilead,  
To make the wounded whole,  
There is a balm in Gilead,  
To heal the sin-sick soul.

Sometimes I feel discouraged,  
And think my work's in vain,  
But then the Holy Spirit  
Revives my soul again.

If you cannot sing like angels,  
If you cannot preach like Paul,  
You can tell the love of Jesus,  
And say "He died for all."

African-American Spiritual

## THE NICENE CREED

*Said by All.*

**W**E 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 and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son  
he is worshiped 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.

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## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*The People are asked to pray for the Church, the nations and their leaders, those in need, and the dead.*

*After each petition, the People say*

Lord, hear our prayer.

*The Officiant concludes with a collect, and the People respond*

Amen.

*The weekly list of Cathedral intercessions may be found on page 11 of this leaflet.*

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## THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

*Officiant and People*



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.

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## THE BLESSING

*The Officiant pronounces a blessing,  
and the People respond*

Amen.



## CLOSING HYMN

1 O for a thou - sand tongues to sing my dear Re-deem-er's  
 2 My gra - cious Mas - ter and my God, as - sist me to pro -  
 3 Je - sus! the Name that charms our fears and bids our sor - rows

praise, my dear Re - deem - er's praise, the glo - ries  
 claim, as - sist me to pro - claim and spread through  
 cease, and bids our sor - rows cease; 'tis mu - sic

of my God and King, the tri-umphs of his grace, the  
 all the earth a - broad, the hon - ors of thy Name, the  
 in the sin - ner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace, 'tis

the tri-umphs of his grace, the tri-umphs of his  
 the ho - nors of thy Name, the ho - nors of thy  
 'tis life and health and peace, 'tis life and health and

tri - umphs of his grace, the tri - umphs of his grace!  
 ho - nors of thy Name, the ho - nors of thy Name.  
 life and health and peace, 'tis life and health and peace.

grace, the tri-umphs of his grace, the tri-umphs of his grace!  
 Name, the ho - nors of thy Name, the ho - nors of thy Name.  
 peace, 'tis life and health and peace, 'tis life and health and peace.

Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt.

Music: *Lyngham*, Thomas Jarman (1776-1861)

**THE DISMISSAL**

*Officiant* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People* Thanks be to God.

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**CLOSING VOLUNTARY**

Organ Sonata in G Major, Op. 28      Edward Elgar (1857-1934)  
I. Allegro maestoso

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*Thanks to Jie Yi, Christopher Cloudus, and Goura Rivera for producing the hymn videos.*

**ONLINE SERVICES****MONDAY–SATURDAY**

8:30 AM Morning Prayer

5:30 PM Evening Prayer

**WEDNESDAY**

8:30 PM Compline

**SUNDAY**

11 AM Liturgy of the Word

**INTERCESSIONS**

*The Cathedral Community intends to pray the following intercessions at all services in the course of the week. Congregants are always invited to name their intercessions aloud during the Prayers of the People.*

**I**N the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil. In the New York Diocesan Calendar of Intercession, we pray for the Wardens & Vestries of the Diocese.

For all those who are sick or in distress or any trouble:

Ghislaine	Terry
Harvey Austin	Erika
Karen	Darrel
Robert	Louis Rivera-Rivera, <i>Deacon</i>
Madison	Margaret Groarke
Mary	Karin Garcia
Aundrea	River Lee Queen

For those who rest in Christ and for all the dead:

Gene Gollogly  
Benjamin Philips  
Kevin Greeson  
Rosanne Boyland  
Mimi Sims

We lift up prayers of thanksgiving for:

William Castle Lawson

**CLERGY**

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Bishop Suffragan of New York

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Bishop Assistant of New York

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Canon Pastor and Vicar, Congregation of Saint Saviour

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**ONGOING PROGRAMS AND INITIATIVES****THE CATHEDRAL REGATHERS**

Whether in person or on our website, there are many ways to join the Cathedral community and stay in touch. The Cathedral is now open 9:30 AM – 3 PM Mondays – Fridays and 9:30 AM – 5 PM Saturdays – Sundays. Admission for sightseeing is \$5. All those seeking individual prayer, reflection, meditation, or Columbarium visits will be welcomed without charge. Our online community resources and programs, including streaming worship services, messages from the Dean, virtual tours, music recitals, and children's activities, and contact information for Cathedral clergy, are just a few clicks away at [stjohndivine.org](http://stjohndivine.org).

**CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY CARES (CCC)  
SUNDAY SOUP KITCHEN**

During this time, the CCC Soup Kitchen remains open each Sunday, serving bagged meals to those in need. For more information or to volunteer, contact Thomas Perry at [tperry@stjohndivine.org](mailto:tperry@stjohndivine.org). Your support and contributions are greatly appreciated as we continue to serve our most vulnerable community members.

**THE CONGREGATION OF SAINT SAVIOUR**

Chartered in 1992, the Congregation of Saint Saviour is a 400-member strong community of believers who support the Cathedral with our time, talent, and money. We serve as lay ministers, ushers, vergers, readers, acolytes, choir members, and outreach volunteers. Although the Cathedral remains closed to large gatherings, we have created a vibrant online community with opportunities for worship, Bible study, and fellowship. To learn more about 'the heart of the Cathedral,' visit [www.saintsaviour.org](http://www.saintsaviour.org), or reach out to our Canon Pastor, Steven Lee, at [slee@stjohndivine.org](mailto:slee@stjohndivine.org).

**IMMIGRATION AND SANCTUARY RESOURCES**

The Cathedral is a house of worship for all, regardless of immigration status. If you, or members of your family, community or parish, need assistance navigating life as an immigrant of any legal status, we hope to connect you with the resources you need. For information on upcoming programs and more resources from the city and Diocese, visit [stjohndivine.org](http://stjohndivine.org).

**SERMONS ARCHIVE NOW ONLINE**

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