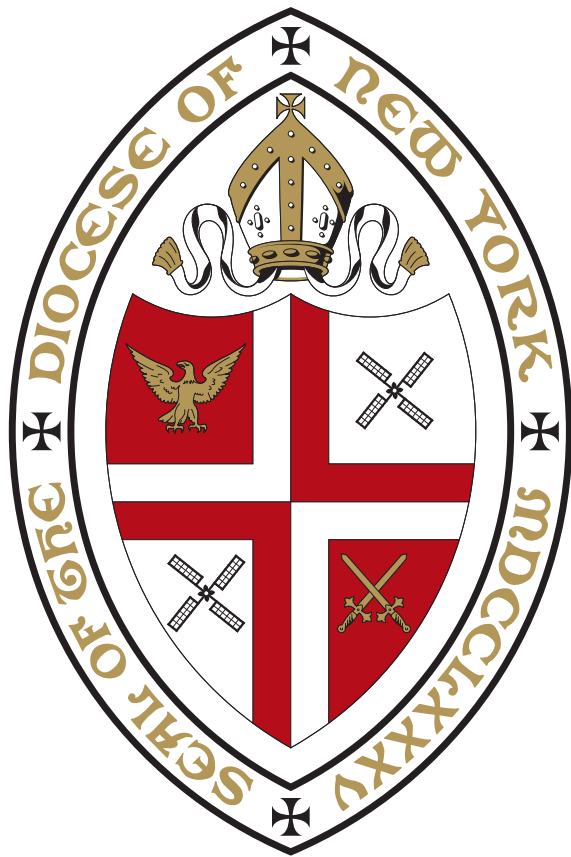
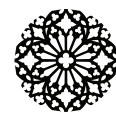


The Ordination of Transitional Deacons



The Feast of Saint Matthias the Apostle
Saturday, 24 February 2024
10:30 AM Holy Eucharist & Ordination



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

The People stand as the Procession enters.

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Andante Tranquillo Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)
from Organ Sonata No. 3 in A Major, Op. 65

HYMN IN PROCESSION

Sung by All, standing as able.

1 Love di - vine, all loves ex - cell - ing, joy of heaven, to earth come down,
2 Come, al - might - y to de - liv - er, let us all thy life re - ceive;
3 Fi - nish then thy new cre - a - tion; pure and spot - less let us be;

fix in us thy hum - ble dwell - ing, all thy faith - ful mer - cies crown.
sud - den - ly re - turn, and nev - er, nev - er - more thy tem - ples leave.
let us see thy great sal - va - tion per - fect - ly re - stored in thee:

Je - sus, thou art all com - pas - sion, pure, un - bound - ed love thou art;
Thee we would be al - way bless - ing, serve thee as thy hosts a - bove,
changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry, till in heaven we take our place,

vis - it us with thy sal - va - tion, en - ter ev - ery trem - bling heart.
pray, and praise thee with - out ceas - ing, glo - ry in thy per - fect love.
till we cast our crowns be - fore thee, lost in won - der, love, and praise.

Words: Charles Wesley (1747)

Music: *Hyfrydol*, Rowland Hugh Prichard (1811-1887)

THE ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

Bishop ✠ Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People God's mercy endures forever.

The Bishop says

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.

People Amen.

THE PRESENTATION

The Bishop and People sit. Priests and Lay People present the Ordinands, saying

MATTHEW, Bishop in the Church of God, on behalf of the clergy and people of the Diocese of New York,
we present to you

Sarah Nancie Bonay

The Parish of Calvary – Saint George's, Manhattan

Flourish LeNore Klink

Saint Mark's Church-in-the-Bowery, Manhattan

Christy Lyn Lent Miller

Christ Church, Poughkeepsie

to be ordained a deacon in Christ's holy catholic Church.

Bishop Have they been selected in accordance with the canons of this Church? And do you believe their manner of life to be suitable to the exercise of this ministry?

Presenters We certify to you that they have satisfied the requirements of the canons, and we believe them qualified for this order.

Bishop Will you be loyal to the doctrine, discipline, and worship of Christ as this Church has received them? And will you, in accordance with the canons of this Church, obey your bishop and other ministers who may have authority over you and your work?

Ordinands I am willing and ready to do so; and I solemnly declare that I do believe the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be the Word of God, and to contain all things necessary to salvation; and I do solemnly engage to conform to the doctrine, discipline, and worship of the Episcopal Church.

The Ordinands then sign the above Declaration in the sight of all present. Then, All stand, as able, and the Bishop addresses the People.

DEAR friends in Christ, you know the importance of this ministry, and the weight of your responsibility in presenting these persons for ordination to the sacred order of deacons. Therefore if any of you know any impediment or crime because of which we should not proceed, come forward now and make it known.

If no objection is made, the Bishop continues.

Bishop Is it your will that they be ordained deacons?

People It is.

Bishop Will you uphold them in this ministry?

People We will.

THE LITANY FOR ORDINATIONS

*Sung in Spanish.**Líder* Dios Padre,*Pueblo*

ten pie - dad ___ de nos - o - - tros. ___

Líder Dios Hijo,*Pueblo* ten piedad de nosotros.*Líder* Dios Espíritu Santo,*Pueblo* ten piedad de nosotros.*Líder* Santa Trinidad, un solo Dios,*Pueblo* ten piedad de nosotros.*Líder* Oramos a ti, Cristo Señor.*Pueblo*

Se - ñor, a - tien - de nues - tra sú - pli - ca. ___

Líder Por la santa Iglesia de Dios, para que esté llena de verdad y de amor, y se halle sin mancha en el día de tu venida, te suplicamos, oh Señor.*Pueblo* Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.*Líder* Por todos los miembros de tu Iglesia en su vocación y ministerio, para que te sirvan en verdad y santidad de vida, te suplicamos, oh Señor.*Pueblo* Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.*Líder* Por Michael, nuestro Primado, Matthew nuestro obispo, Allen nuestro obispo sufragáneo, Mary nuestra obispa asistente, y por todos los obispos, presbíteros y diáconos, para que estén llenos de tu amor, tengan hambre de tu verdad y sed de tu justicia, te suplicamos, oh Señor.*Pueblo* Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.*Líder* Por Sarah, Flourish, y Christy, elegidos diáconos en tu Iglesia, te suplicamos, oh Señor.*Pueblo* Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.*Líder* Que cumplan ellos con fidelidad los deberes de este ministerio, edifique tu Iglesia y glorifique tu Nombre, te suplicamos, oh Señor.*Pueblo* Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.*Líder* Que por la presencia del Espíritu Santo te dignes sostenerles y alentarles a perseverar hasta el fin, te suplicamos, oh Señor.*Pueblo* Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.*Leader* God the Father,*People*

ten pie - dad ___ de nos - o - - tros. ___

Leader God the Son,*People* Have mercy on us.*Leader* God the Holy Spirit,*People* Have mercy on us.*Leader* Holy Trinity, one God*People* Have mercy on us.*Leader* We pray to you, Lord Christ,*People*


Se - ñor, a - tien - de nues - tra sú - pli - ca. ___

Leader For the holy Church of God, that it may be filled with truth and love, and be found without fault at the Day of your Coming, we pray to you, O Lord.*People* Lord, hear our prayer.*Leader* For all members of your Church in their vocation and ministry, that they may serve you in a true and godly life, we pray to you, O Lord.*People* Lord, hear our prayer.*Leader* For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, Matthew our Bishop, Allen our Bishop Suffragan, Mary our Bishop Assistant, and all bishops, priests and deacons, that they may be filled with your love, may hunger for truth, and may thirst after righteousness, we pray to you, O Lord.*People* Lord, hear our prayer.*Leader* For Sarah, Flourish, and Christy, chosen deacons in your Church, we pray to you, O Lord.*People* Lord, hear our prayer.*Leader* That they may faithfully fulfill the duties of this ministry, build up your Church, and glorify your Name, we pray to you, O Lord.*People* Lord, hear our prayer.*Leader* That by the indwelling of the Holy Spirit they may be sustained and encouraged to persevere to the end, we pray to you, O Lord.*People* Lord, hear our prayer.

<i>Líder</i>	Por sus familias; para que sea adornada de todas las virtudes cristianas, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For their families, that they may be adorned with all Christian virtues, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.
<i>Líder</i>	Por cuantos temen a Dios y creen en ti, Cristo Señor, para que cesen nuestras divisiones y todos seamos uno, como tú y el Padre son uno, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For all who fear God and believe in you, Lord Christ, that our divisions may cease and that all may be one as you and the Father are one, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.
<i>Líder</i>	Por la misión de la Iglesia, para que en testimonio fiel proclame el Evangelio hasta los confines de la tierra, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For the mission of the Church, that in faithful witness it may preach the Gospel to the ends of the earth, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.
<i>Líder</i>	Por quienes aún no creen y por quienes han perdido la fe, para que reciban la luz del Evangelio, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For those who do not yet believe, and for those who have lost their faith, that they may receive the light of the Gospel, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.
<i>Líder</i>	Por la paz del mundo, para que entre las naciones y los pueblos crezca un espíritu de respeto y comprensión, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For the peace of the world, that a spirit of respect and forbearance may grow among nations and peoples, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.
<i>Líder</i>	Por quienes tienen cargos de responsabilidad pública, para que sirvan a la justicia y promuevan la dignidad y la libertad de toda persona, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For those in positions of public trust, that they may serve justice and promote the dignity and freedom of every person, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.
<i>Líder</i>	Por tu bendición sobre todo trabajo humano y por el uso debido de las riquezas de la creación, para que el mundo sea librado de la pobreza, el hambre y el desastre, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For a blessing upon all human labor, and for the right use of the riches of creation, that the world may be freed from poverty, famine, and disaster, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.
<i>Líder</i>	Por las personas pobres, perseguidas, enfermas y quienes sufren; por las personas refugiadas, prisioneras y por quienes están en peligro, para que hallen alivio y protección, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For the poor, the persecuted, the sick, and all who suffer; for refugees, prisoners, and all who are in danger; that they may be relieved and protected, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.
<i>Líder</i>	Por nosotros, por el perdón de nuestros pecados y por la gracia del Espíritu Santo para enmendar nuestras vidas, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For ourselves; for the forgiveness of our sins, and for the grace of the Holy Spirit to amend our lives, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.
<i>Líder</i>	Por quienes han muerto en la comunión de tu Iglesia, y por quienes cuya fe sólo tú conoces, para que con tus santos y santas tengan descanso en ese lugar donde no hay dolor ni tristeza, sino vida eterna, te suplicamos, oh Señor.	<i>Leader</i>	For all who have died in the communion of your Church, and those whose faith is known to you alone, that, with all the saints, they may have rest in that place where there is no pain or grief, but life eternal, we pray to you, O Lord.
<i>Pueblo</i>	Señor, atiende nuestra súplica.	<i>People</i>	Lord, hear our prayer.

Líder Gozándonos en la comunión de la siempre Bendita Virgen María, del bienaventurado San Juan el Teólogo y todos los santos, encomendémonos, mutuamente, y toda nuestra vida, a Cristo nuestro Dios.

Pueblo



A ti, Se - ñor ___ nucs - tro Dios. ___

Líder



Se - ñor ten pie-dad. ___

Todos



Cri-sto, ten pie-dad. ___

Se - ñor ten pie-dad. ___

Leader Rejoicing in the fellowship of the Ever-Blessed Virgin Mary, Blessed John the Divine, and all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life to Christ our God.

People



A ti, Se - ñor ___ nucs - tro Dios. ___

To you, O Lord, our God.

Leader



Se - ñor ten pie-dad. ___

Lord have mercy.

All



Cri-sto, ten pie-dad. ___

Se - ñor ten pie-dad. ___

Christ have mercy.
Lord have mercy.

THE COLLECT

Bishop The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Bishop Let us pray.

ALMIGHTY God, who in the place of Judas chose your faithful servant Matthias to be numbered among the Twelve: Grant that your Church, being delivered from false apostles, may always be guided and governed by faithful and true pastors; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People Amen.

All are seated.

A READING FROM THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

IN those days Peter stood up among the believers (together the crowd numbered about one hundred and twenty people) and said, ‘Friends, the scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit through David foretold concerning Judas, who became a guide for those who arrested Jesus— for he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry.’ (Now this man acquired a field with the reward of his wickedness; and falling headlong, he burst open in the middle and all his bowels gushed out. This became known to all the residents of Jerusalem, so that the field was called in their language Hakeldama, that is, Field of Blood.) ‘For it is written in the book of Psalms,

“Let his homestead become desolate,
and let there be no one to live in it”;

and

“Let another take his position of overseer.”

So one of the men who have accompanied us throughout the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us—one of these must become a witness with us to his resurrection.’ So they proposed two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also known as Justus, and Matthias. Then they prayed and said, ‘Lord, you know everyone’s heart. Show us which one of these two you have chosen to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place.’ And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias; and he was added to the eleven apostles.
(1:15-26)

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Silence is kept.

PSALM 15*Domine, quis habitabit?**All sing the Antiphon; the Cantor sings the verses.*

Through the great - ness of your mer - cy, I will come in - to your house.

Lord, who may dwell in your tabernacle?
 who may abide upon your holy hill?
 Whoever leads a blameless life and does what is right,
 who speaks the truth from his heart.
 There is no guile upon his tongue;
 he does no evil to his friend;
 he does not heap contempt upon his neighbor.

Repeat Antiphon.

In his sight the wicked is rejected,
 but he honors those who fear the Lord.
 He has sworn to do no wrong
 and does not take back his word.
 He does not give his money in hope of gain,
 nor does he take a bribe against the innocent.
 Whoever does these things
 shall never be overthrown.

Repeat Antiphon.

Antiphon: Daniel Ficarri (b. 1996);
 Verses: Plainsong

A READING FROM THE SECOND LETTER OF PAUL TO THE PHILIPPIANS

THIS one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus. Let those of us then who are mature be of the same mind; and if you think differently about anything, this too God will reveal to you. Only let us hold fast to what we have attained.

Brothers and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. He will transform the body of our humiliation that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself. (3:13b-21)

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

SEQUENCE HYMN

Sung by All, standing as able.

1 When I sur - vey the won - drous cross where the young
 2 For - bid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the
 3 See, from his head, his hands, his feet sor - row and
 4 Were the whole realm of na - ture mine, that were an

Prince of Glo - ry died, my rich - est gain I
 cross of Christ, my God: all the vain things that
 love flow min - gled down! Did e'er such love and
 of - fering far - too small; love so a - maz - ing,

count but loss, and pour con - tempt on all my pride.
 charm me most, I sac - ri - fice them to his blood.
 sor - row meet, or thorns com - pose so rich a crown?
 so di - vine, de - mands my soul, my life, my all.

Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748)

Music: *Rockingham*, from *Second Supplement to Psalmody in Miniature*, ca. 1970; harm. Edward Miller (1731-1807)

All stand, as able.

LECTURA DEL SANTO EVANGELIO

Diacono ✠ Santo Evangelio de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo según San Juan.

Pueblo ¡Gloria a ti, Cristo Señor!

UO soy la vid verdadera, y mi Padre es el que la cultiva. El que no permanece unido a mí, será echado fuera y se secará como las ramas que se recogen y se queman en el fuego.

«Si ustedes permanecen unidos a mí, y si permanecen fieles a mis enseñanzas, pidan lo que quieran y se les dará. En esto se muestra la gloria de mi Padre, en que den mucho fruto y lleguen así a ser verdaderos discípulos míos. Yo los amo a ustedes como el Padre me ama a mí; permanezcan, pues, en el amor que les tengo. Si obedecen mis mandamientos, permanecerán en mi amor, así como yo obedezco los mandamientos de mi Padre y permanezco en su amor.

«Les hablo así para que se alegren conmigo y su alegría sea completa. Mi mandamiento es este: Que se amen unos a otros como yo los he amado a ustedes. El amor más grande que uno puede tener es dar su vida por sus amigos. Ustedes son mis amigos, si hacen lo que yo les mando. Ya no los llamo siervos, porque el siervo no sabe lo que hace su amo. Los llamo mis amigos, porque les he dado a conocer todo lo que mi Padre me ha dicho. Ustedes no me escogieron a mí, sino que yo los he escogido a ustedes y les he encargado que vayan y den mucho fruto, y que ese fruto permanezca. Así el Padre les dará todo lo que le pidan en mi nombre. (15:1, 6-16)

Diacono El Evangelio del Señor.

Pueblo Te alabamos, Cristo Señor.

A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL

Deacon The ✠ Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

JESUS said, “I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinegrower. Whoever does not abide in me is thrown away like a branch and withers; such branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned. If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask for whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. My Father is glorified by this, that you bear much fruit and become my disciples. As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father’s commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete.

“This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one’s life for one’s friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name.” (15:1, 6-16)

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The People are seated.

THE SERMON

The Reverend Theodora Brooks

Priest-in-Charge, Saint Margaret's Church (Longwood)

THE NICENE CREED

Said by All, standing as able.

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 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.

THE EXAMINATION

The People sit. The Ordinands stand before the Bishop. The Bishop addresses them, saying

MY beloved, every Christian is called to follow Jesus Christ, serving God the Father, through the power of the Holy Spirit. God now calls you to a special ministry of servanthood directly under your bishop. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are to serve all people, particularly the poor, the weak, the sick, and the lonely.

As a deacon in the Church, you are to study the Holy Scriptures, to seek nourishment from them, and to model your life upon them. You are to make Christ and his redemptive love known, by your word and example, to those among whom you live, and work, and worship. You are to interpret to the Church the needs, concerns, and hopes of the world. You are to assist the bishop and priests in public worship and in the ministration of God's Word and Sacraments, and you are to carry out other duties assigned to you from time to time. At all times, your life and teaching are to show Christ's people that in serving the helpless they are serving Christ himself.

The Bishop continues

My beloved, do you believe that you are truly called by God and his Church to the life and work of a deacon?

Answer I believe I am so called.

Bishop Do you now in the presence of the Church commit yourself to this trust and responsibility?

Answer I do.

Bishop Will you be guided by the pastoral direction and leadership of your bishop?

Answer I will.

Bishop Will you be faithful in prayer, and in the reading and study of the Holy Scriptures?

Answer I will.

Bishop Will you look for Christ in all others, being ready to help and serve those in need?

Answer I will.

Bishop Will you do your best to pattern your life in accordance with the teachings of Christ, so that you may be a wholesome example to all people?

Answer I will.

Bishop Will you in all things seek not your glory but the glory of the Lord Christ?

Answer I will.

Bishop May the Lord by his grace uphold you in the service he lays upon you.

Answer Amen.

THE CONSECRATION OF THE DEACONS

All stand as able, except the Ordinands, who kneel. The following is sung by the Cantor and repeated by All, continually:

The image shows a musical score for the Pentecost Sequence. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the notes: "Ve - ni San - cte Spi - ri - tus." The melody is simple and repetitive, with a final cadence at the end of the phrase.

Words: Pentecost Sequence, Taizé Community, 1978

Music: Jacques Berthier (1923–1994)

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

A period of silent prayer follows, the People still standing. The Bishop then says this Prayer of Consecration

GOD, most merciful Father, we praise you for sending your Son Jesus Christ, who took on himself the form of a servant, and humbled himself, becoming obedient even to death on the cross. We praise you that you have highly exalted him, and made him Lord of all; and that, through him, we know that whoever would be great must be servant of all. We praise you for the many ministries in your Church, and for calling these your servants to the order of deacons.

Here the Bishop lays hands upon the head of each Ordinand, and prays

Therefore, Father, through Jesus Christ your Son, give your Holy Spirit to N.; fill them with grace and power, and make them a deacon in your Church.

This action having been completed, the Bishop continues

MAKE them, O Lord, modest and humble, strong and constant, to observe the discipline of Christ. Let their lives and teaching so reflect your commandments, that through them many may come to know you and love you. As your Son came not to be served but to serve, may these deacons share in Christ's service, and come to the unending glory of him who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever.

The People, in a loud voice, respond

AMEN.

The new Deacons are now vested according the order of deacons.

The Bishop gives a Bible to each of the newly ordained, saying

Receive this Bible as the sign of your authority to proclaim God's Word and to assist in the ministration of his holy Sacraments.

THE PEACE

Bishop The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

After exchanging greetings, the People are seated.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Sung by the Choir.

How lovely are the messengers Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

HOW lovely are the messengers
that preach us the gospel of peace.
To all the nations is gone forth
the sound of their words;
throughout all the lands their glad tidings.



The offering today will go to the Discretionary Fund of the ordinands. The People may place their offerings in the basket as it is passed or use the QR code.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Bishop The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Bishop Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Bishop Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

The Bishop continues

IT is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through the great shepherd of your flock, Jesus Christ our Lord; who after his resurrection sent forth his apostles to preach the Gospel and to teach all nations; and promised to be with them always, even to the end of the ages.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

Sung by All.

Ho - ly, san - to, san - to es el Señ -

- or, God of pow'r and might, heav'n and

earth are full of your glo - ry! Oh, Ho - san - na in the

high - est, O, Ho - san - na en el

cie - lo! Ben - di - to el que vie - ne en el

nom - bre del Señ - or! Oh, ho - san - na in the

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high - est, Oh, ho - san - na en el

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cie-lo! Oh, ho - san - na in the high - est!

Music: Elaine Romanelli

Then the Celebrant continues

HOLY and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he 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. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

Celebrant and People AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant

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

Celebrant and People. All are invited to say the Lord's Prayer in their native language.

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 BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Bishop breaks the consecrated Bread. Silence is kept.

Bishop Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast.

The Bishop invites the People to Communion saying

THE Gifts of God for the People of God. [Take them in remembrance that Christ died for us, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.]

THE COMMUNION

The People are seated.

The Holy Communion is distributed under the forms of both Bread and Wine. In the interest of public health, the Cathedral does not practice intinction, that is, the dipping of the Bread into the Wine. It is the faith of the Church that Jesus gives himself in the Sacrament whether it is received in only one kind or both. Gluten-free Wafers are available; please make your need known to the minister.

HYMN AT THE COMMUNION

Sung by All, seated.

1 I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo-ple cry. All who dwell in
 2 I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo-ple's pain. I have wept for
 3 I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame. I will set a
 deep - est sin My hand will save. I who made the stars of night,
 love of them, They turn a - way. I will break their hearts of stone,
 feast for them, My hand will save. Fin-est bread I will pro-vide
 I will make their dark - ness bright, Who will bear my
 Give them hearts for love a - lone. I will speak my
 Till their hearts be sat - is - fied. I will give my
 light to them? Whom shall I send? Here I am, Lord.____
 word to them. Whom shall I send?
 life to them. Whom shall I send?
 — Is it I, Lord? — I have heard you call-ing in the night. — I will go, Lord, — If you
 lead me, — I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.

Words: Daniel L. Schutte (1981)

Music: *Here I Am, Lord*, Daniel L. Schutte (1981, 1983)

ANTHEM AT THE COMMUNION*Sung by the Choir.**There is a Balm in Gilead*African American Spiritual;
arr. William Dawson (1899–1990)

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

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.”

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

POST COMMUNION PRAYER*Bishop* Let us pray.*All stand, as able, and join in saying*

ALmighty Father, we thank you for feeding us
with the holy food
of the Body and Blood of your Son,
and for uniting us through him
in the fellowship of your Holy Spirit.

We thank you for raising up among us faithful servants
for the ministry of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray that they may be to us effective examples
in word and action, in love and patience, and in holiness of life.

Grant that we, with them, may serve you now,
and always rejoice in your glory;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

THE BLESSING*The Bishop then blesses the People.*

THE peace of God, which passes all understanding,
keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and
love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord;
and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and
the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

People Amen.**THE DISMISSAL***The new Deacons dismiss the People, saying*

Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the
power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.

HYMN IN PROCESSION

Sung by All, standing as able.

1 In the cross of Christ I glo - ry, tower - ing
 2 When the woes of life o'er - take me, hopes de -
 3 When the sun of bliss is beam - ing light and
 4 Bane and bless - ing, pain and plea - sure, by the
 5 In the cross of Christ I glo - ry, tower - ing

o'er the wrecks of time; all the light of sa - cred
 ceive, and fears an - noy, nev - er shall the cross for -
 love up - on my way, from the cross the ra - diance
 cross are sanc - ti - fied; peace is there that knows no
 o'er the wrecks of time; all the light of sa - cred

sto - ry gath - ers round its head su - blime.
 sake me: lo, it glows with peace and joy.
 stream - ing adds new lus - ter to the day.
 mea - sure, joys that through all time a - bide.
 sto - ry gath - ers round its head su - blime.

Words: John Bowring (1792-1872)

Music: *Rathbun*, Ithamar Conkey (1815-1867)

POSTLUDE

“Ev’ry Time I Feel the Spirit” African American Spiritual;
 from Suite No. 2: arr. Daniel Ficarri (b. 1996)
Homage to H. T. Burleigh

After the Bishop’s party has retired, the People disperse informally.

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