

EVENSONG

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The Second Sunday in Lent
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Evensong

Rite I

The Procession

The Invitatory, S26 (*stand*)

Officiant

O God, make speed to save us.

People

O Lord, make haste to help us.

Officiant and People

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spi - rit:

as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. A - men.

The Phos hilaron, Hymn 26, O gracious Light

CONDITOR ALME SIDERUM

1 O gra - cious Light, Lord Je - sus Christ, in you the
 2 Now sun - set comes, but light shines forth, the lamps are
 3 Wor - thy are you of end - less praise, O Son of

Fa - ther's glo - ry shone. Im - mor - tal, ho - ly,
 lit to pierce the night. Praise Fa - ther, Son, and
 God, Life - giv - ing Lord; where - fore you are through

blest is he, and blest are you, his ho - ly Son.
 Spi - rit: God who dwells in the e - ter - nal light.
 all the earth and in the high - est heaven a - dored.

This melody may be sung in rhythmic form:

The Psalms

Psalm 8

Domine, Dominus noster

C. Hylton Stewart



Chant composed by Charles Hylton Stewart (1884-1932), organist at St. George's Chapel, Windsor Castle

- 1 O / LORD our / Governor, *
how exalted is your / Name in / all the / world!
- 2 Out of the mouths of / infants and / children *
your majesty is / praised a - / bove the / heavens.
- 3 You have set up a stronghold a - / gainst your / adversaries, *
to quell the / ene - my / and the a - / venger.
- 4 When I consider your heavens the / work of your / fingers, *
the moon and the / stars you have / set in their / courses,
- 5 What is man that you should be / mindful of / him? *
the son of man that / you should / seek him / out?
- 6 You have made him but little / lower than the / angels; *
you a - / dorn him with / glory and / honor;
- 7 You give him mastery over the / works of your / hands; *
you put / all things / under his / feet:
- 8 All / sheep and / oxen, *
even the wild / **beasts** / of the / field,
- 9 The birds of the air the / fish of the / sea, *
and whatsoever / walks in the / paths of the / sea.
- 10 O / LORD our / Governor, *
how exalted is your / Name in / all the / world!



1 How dear to me is your dwelling O / LORD of / hosts! *
 My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD;
 my heart and my flesh re - / joice in the / living God.

2 The sparrow has found her a house,
 and the swallow a nest where she may / lay her / young; *
 by the side of your altars O LORD of hosts,
 my / **King** / and my / God.

3 Happy are they who / dwell in your / house! *
 they will / always be / praising / you.

4 Happy are the people whose / strength is in you! *
 whose hearts are / set on the / pilgrims' / way.

5 Those who go through the desolate valley will find
 it a / place of / springs, *
 for the early rains have / covered it with / pools of / water.

6 They will climb from / height to / height, *
 and the God of gods will re - / veal him - / self in / Zion.

7 LORD God of hosts / hear my / prayer; *
 -- / hearken O / God of / Jacob.

8 Behold our de - / fender O / God; *
 and look upon the / face of / your A - / nointed.

9 For one day in your courts is better than
 a thousand in my / **own** / room, *
 and to stand at the threshold of the house of my God,
 than to / dwell in the / tents of the / wicked.

10 For the LORD God is both / sun and / shield; *
 -- / he will give / grace and / glory;



11 No good thing will the / LORD with - / hold *
from / those who / walk with in - / tegrity.

12 O / LORD of / hosts, *
happy are they who / put their / trust in / you!

Glory to the Father and / to the / Son, *
and / to the / Holy / Spirit:

As it was in the be - / ginning is / now, *
and will be for - / ever. / A - / men.

The First Lesson, Jeremiah 1:1-10

Revised Standard Version

The words of Jeremiah, the son of Hilki'ah, of the priests who were in An'athoth in the land of Benjamin, to whom the word of the Lord came in the days of Josi'ah the son of Amon, king of Judah, in the thirteenth year of his reign. It came also in the days of Jehoi'akim the son of Josi'ah, king of Judah, and until the end of the eleventh year of Zedeki'ah, the son of Josi'ah, king of Judah, until the captivity of Jerusalem in the fifth month. Now the word of the LORD came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." Then I said, "Ah, LORD God! Behold, I do not know how to speak, for I am only a youth." But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a youth'; for to all to whom I send you you shall go, and whatever I command you you shall speak. Be not afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD." Then the LORD put forth his hand and touched my mouth; and the LORD said to me, "Behold, I have put my words in your mouth. See, I have set you this day over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to break down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

1. My soul doth mag - ni - fy the Lord, and my spi - rit
hath rejoiced in God my Sav - ior. 2. For he hath re-gard - ed
the low - li - ness of his hand-maid-en. 3. For be - hold from hence - forth
all gen - er - a - tions shall call me bless - ed. 4. For he that is
might - y hath mag - ni - fied me, and ho - ly is his Name.
5. And his mer - cy is on them that fear him through-out all gen-er-a-tions.
6. He hath showed strength with his arm; he hath scat - tered the
proud in the imagi - na - tion of their hearts. 7. He hath put
down the might - y from their seat, and hath ex - alt - ed the
hum - ble and meek. 8. He hath filled the hun - gry with good things,
and the rich he hath sent emp - ty a - way. 9. He re -
mem - ber-ing his mer-cy hath hol-pen his ser - vant Is - ra - el,
as he prom - ised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed for ev - er. [Ant.]
(Gloria Patri may be omitted)
10. Glo-ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spi-rit:
11. As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for ev-er. A-men.

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The Second Lesson, Mark 3:31-4:9

Revised Standard Version

Jesus' mother and his brothers came; and standing outside they sent to him and called him. And a crowd was sitting about him; and they said to him, "Your mother and your brothers are outside, asking for you." And he replied, "Who are my mother and my brothers?" And looking around on those who sat about him, he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother, and sister, and mother." Again he began to teach beside the sea. And a very large crowd gathered about him, so that he got into a boat and sat in it on the sea; and the whole crowd was beside the sea on the land. And he taught them many things in parables, and in his teaching he said to them: "Listen! A sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seed fell along the path, and the birds came and devoured it. Other seed fell on rocky ground, where it had not much soil, and immediately it sprang up, since it had no depth of soil; and when the sun rose it was scorched, and since it had no root it withered away. Other seed fell among thorns and the thorns grew up and choked it, and it yielded no grain. And other seeds fell into good soil and brought forth grain, growing up and increasing and yielding thirtyfold and sixtyfold and a hundredfold." And he said, "He who has ears to hear, let him hear."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Song of Simeon, S196

Nunc Dimittis

1. Lord, now lettest thou thy ser-vant de-part in peace, ac-cord-ing
to thy word; 2. For mine eyes have seen thy sal-va-tion,
which thou hast prepared before the face of all peo-ple,
3. To be a light to light-en the Gen-tiles,
and to be the glory of thy peo-ple Is-ra-el. [Ant.]
(Gloria Patri may be omitted)
4. Glo-ry to the Fa-ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spi-rit:
5. As it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and will be for ev-er. A-men.

The Apostles' Creed (*sung on tone*)

Officiant I believe in God,
All the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

Officiant The Lord be with you.
All And with thy spirit.
Officiant Let us pray.

The Our Father (*kneel*)

Officiant Our Father,
All who art in heaven,
hallow'd 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 Suffrages, S29

Cantor or Officiant
That this evening may be holy, good, and peace-ful,

People
We en-treat thee, O Lord.

(This response is sung after each of the following petitions)

That thy holy angels may lead us in paths of peace and good-will,

That we may be pardoned and forgiven for our sins and of-fen-ses,

That there may be peace to thy Church and to the whole world,

That we may depart this life in thy faith and fear,

and not be condemned before the great judg-ment seat of Christ,

That we may be bound together by thy Holy Spirit in the communion of

[_____ and] all thy saints, entrusting one another and all our life to Christ,

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The Collect of the Day

O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy: Be gracious to all who have gone astray from thy ways, and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of thy Word, Jesus Christ thy Son; who with thee and the Holy Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Collect for Sundays

Lord God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ triumphed over the powers of death and prepared for us our place in the new Jerusalem: Grant that we, who have this day given thanks for his resurrection, may praise thee in

that City of which he is the light; and where he liveth and reigneth for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Collect for Mission

O God, who dost manifest in thy servants the signs of thy presence: Send forth upon us the Spirit of love, that in companionship with one another thine abounding grace may increase among us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Anthem

PETER MOGER

Teach me, O Lord, the way of thy statutes and I shall keep it unto the end. Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law: yea, I shall keep it with my whole heart. *Amen.*

Music composed by Peter Moger (b. 1965), Canon Precentor of York Minister

The General Thanksgiving

Officiant and People

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,
we thine unworthy servants
do give thee most humble and hearty thanks
for all thy goodness and loving-kindness
to us and to all men.
We bless thee for our creation, preservation,
and all the blessings of this life;
but above all for thine inestimable love
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.
And, we beseech thee,
give us that due sense of all thy mercies,
that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful;
and that we show forth thy praise,
not only with our lips, but in our lives,
by giving up our selves to thy service,
and by walking before thee
in holiness and righteousness all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost,
be all honor and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

The Dismissal, S31

Cantor or Officiant

Let us bless the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

The Grace

Officiant

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. *Amen.*

The Office Hymn, Hymn 28, O blest Creator

BROMLEY

1 O blest Cre - a - tor, source of light, you gave the
2 You joined the morn and eve - ning ray; you found it
3 Lest we, be - set by doubt and strife, for - get your
4 E - te - rnal Fa - ther, help us rise and strive to
#5 De - fend us, Fa - ther, through the night, and with your

1 day with splen - dor bright, when on the new and
2 good and called it 'day.' But now the threat - ening
3 bless - ed gift of life, and an - guished and in
4 gain the heav - en - ly prize; for you a - lone can
5 Son, and Spi - rit bright— the Tri - ni - ty whom

1 liv - ing earth you brought all things to glo - rious birth.
2 dark - ness nears— we pray you, Fa - ther, calm our fears.
3 mind dis - tressed, be crushed by guilt, by sin op - pressed.
4 make us strong to turn from sin and cease from wrong.
5 we a - dore— be with us now and ev - er - more.

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