

# GRACE CHURCH IN PROVIDENCE

*Welcome to "Voices of Grace", our virtual worship experience that features parishioners leading worship from their own homes. We hope you join us from yours! Wherever you are, we pray for your health and well-being. God bless you!*

*Jonathan+*

**JANUARY 24, 2021 ~ THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER  
THE EPIPHANY**

VOICES OF GRACE "VIRTUAL" WORSHIP



## VOLUNTARY

Voluntary in C minor

*Maurice Greene (1696-1755)*

## HYMN 550

*Unison or harmony*

1 Je - sus calls us; o'er the tu - mult  
2 as, of old, Saint An - drew heard it  
3 Je - sus calls us from the wor - ship  
4 In our joys and in our sor - rows,  
5 Je - sus calls us! By thy mer - cies,

1 of our life's wild, rest - less sea, day by day his  
2 by the Gal - i - le - an lake, turned from home and  
3 of the vain world's gold - en store; from each i - dol  
4 days of toil and hours of ease, still he calls, in  
5 Sa - vior, make us hear thy call, give our hearts to

1 clear voice sound - eth, say - ing, "Chris - tian, fol - low me;"  
 2 toil and kin - dred, leav - ing all for his dear sake.  
 3 that would keep us, say - ing, "Chris - tian, love me more."  
 4 cares and plea - sures, "Chris - tian, love me more than these."  
 5 thine o - be - dience, serve and love thee best of all.

Words: Cecil Frances Alexander (1818-1895), alt.  
 Music: Restoration, melody from *The Southern Harmony*, 1835;  
 harm. Hymnal 1982, after *The Southern Harmony*, 1835

## THE LESSONS

THE FIRST LESSON

*Jonah 3:1-5, 10*

*Read by Charles White*

**T**HE WORD OF THE LORD CAME TO JONAH a second time, saying, "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you." So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the Lord. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth. When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 62:6-14

*Said by all*

*Led by Catherine Ford*

**F**OR GOD ALONE my soul in silence waits; \*

truly, my hope is in him.

<sup>7</sup> He alone is my rock and my salvation, \*

my stronghold, so that I shall not be shaken.

<sup>8</sup> In God is my safety and my honor; \*

God is my strong rock and my refuge.

<sup>9</sup> Put your trust in him always, O people, \*

pour out your hearts before him, for God is our refuge.

<sup>10</sup> Those of high degree are but a fleeting breath, \*

- even those of low estate cannot be trusted.
- <sup>11</sup> **On the scales they are lighter than a breath, \***  
**all of them together.**
- <sup>12</sup> **Put no trust in extortion; in robbery take no empty pride; \***  
**though wealth increase, set not your heart upon it.**
- <sup>13</sup> **God has spoken once, twice have I heard it, \***  
**that power belongs to God.**
- <sup>14</sup> **Steadfast love is yours, O LORD, \***  
**for you repay everyone according to his deeds.**

ANTHEM

MY SOUL TRULY WAITETH STILL UPON GOD: for of him cometh my salvation.  
 He verily is my strength and my salvation: he is my defence, so that I shall not greatly fall.  
 In God is my health, and my glory: the rock of my might, and in God is my trust.  
 O put your trust in him alway, ye people: pour out your hearts before him, for God is our hope.

*Olivia & Brad Kleyla, Soloists*

*Words: Psalm 62:1-2, 7-8  
 Music: William Bennett (1816-1875)*

THE SECOND LESSON

*Mark 1:14-20*

*Read by Anne White*

**A**FTER JOHN WAS ARRESTED, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.” As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea – for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, “Follow me and I will make you fish for people.” And immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

The Word of the Lord.

*People*      **Thanks be to God.**

THE HOMILY

The Rev. Canon Jonathan Huyck, *Rector*

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

*Led by Benjamin West*

*Please join in responding to each petition saying:*

**Hear our prayer.**



HYMN 659



1 O Mas - ter, let me walk with thee in low - ly  
 2 (Help me the slow of heart to) move by some clear,  
 3 (Teach me thy pa - tience; still with) thee in clos - er,  
 4 (in hope that sends a shin - ing) ray far down the



paths of ser - vice free; tell me thy sec - ret; help me  
 win - ning word of love; teach me the way - ward feet to  
 dear - er com - pa - ny, in work that keeps faith sweet and  
 fu - ture's broad - ening way, in peace that on - ly thou canst



bear the strain of toil, the fret of  
 stay, and guide them in the home - ward  
 strong, in trust that tri - umphs o - ver  
 give, with thee, O Mas - ter, let me



care. 2 Help me the slow of heart to  
 way. 3 Teach me thy pa - tience; still with  
 wrong, 4 in hope that sends a shin - ing  
 live.

*Words: Washington Gladden (1836-1918)  
 Music: de Tar, Calvin Hampton (1938-1984)*

THE BLESSING

*The Rector*

**THE COLLECT FOR THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**

GIVE US GRACE, O LORD, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ  
 and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation,  
 that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works;  
 who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

*Amen.*



~ PRAYER LIST ~

This week, we pray for: *The Hughes Family, Miriam Ganache, Hope Brothers, Buddy Lancaster, the Violet family, Jennifer Novia, the Jarrett family, Dan Jentzen, Marguerite, and all those caring for the sick, those seeking treatments and vaccines for the virus, and all those whose work places them in harm's way.* We also pray for those members of our church who are homebound.



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