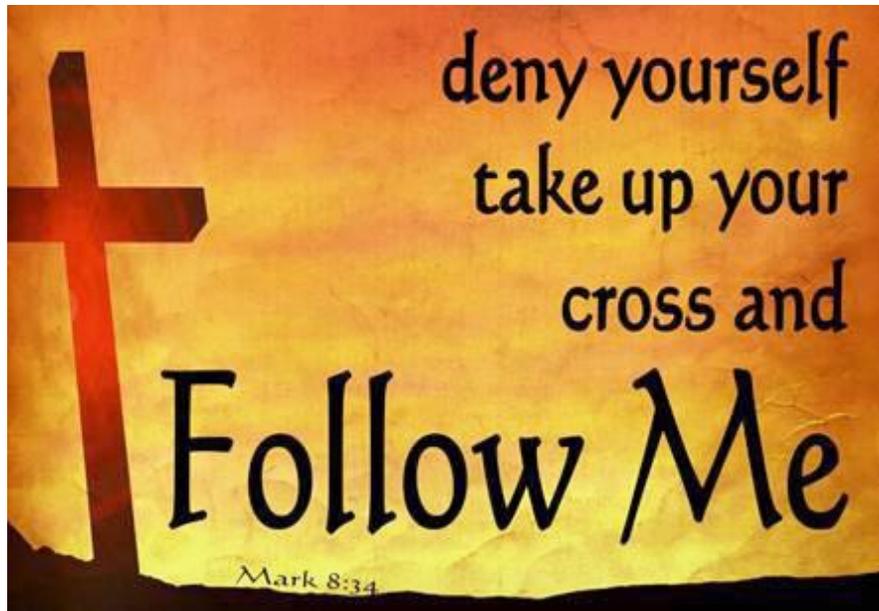




**6 and 7 February 2021**  
**Third Sunday in Lent**



“Live Worship Times” [www.facebook.com/saintbenedicts/](https://www.facebook.com/saintbenedicts/)

**Saturday and Sundays: All services “In-person” (10:00 AM Service ONLINE and in-person)**  
**To receive Holy Communion in your car – a minister will come to you at Communion time.**  
**We have a “Communion Lane” on the East Side Church Entrance.**

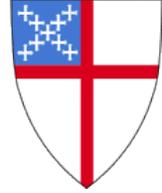
**SUNDAYS: 8:00, 10:00 and 11:30 AM HOLY EUCHARIST**  
**MONDAY: MORNING PRAYER 8:30 AM**  
**TUESDAY: MORNING PRAYER 8:30 AM**  
**WEDNESDAY: HEALING PRAYERS 7:00 PM**  
**THURSDAY: MORNING PRAYER 8:30 AM**  
**FRIDAY: MIDDAY PRAYER 12 NOON**  
**SATURDAY: 6:00 PM HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II**  
**(In Church Service and Drive-In Church)**

The Reverend Father Albert Cutié, *Rector*  
The Reverend Debra McLaughlin, *Deacon*

The Lessons Appointed for Use on the

# Third Sunday in Lent

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## The Collect

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## Old Testament

### Exodus 20:1-17

Then God spoke all these words:

I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me.

You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments.

You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the Lord your God, for the Lord will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.

Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. For six days you shall labour and do all your work. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the Lord your God; you shall not do any work—you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns. For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the Lord blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it.

Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you.

You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall

not covet your neighbor's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

## The Psalm

### Psalm 19 *Caeli enarrant*

- 1 The heavens declare the glory of God, \*  
and the firmament shows his handiwork.
- 2 One day tells its tale to another, \*  
and one night imparts knowledge to another.
- 3 Although they have no words or language, \*  
and their voices are not heard,
- 4 Their sound has gone out into all lands, \*  
and their message to the ends of the world.
- 5 In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; \*  
it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber;  
it rejoices like a champion to run its course.
- 6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens  
and runs about to the end of it again; \*  
nothing is hidden from its burning heat.
- 7 The law of the Lord is perfect  
and revives the soul; \*  
the testimony of the Lord is sure  
and gives wisdom to the innocent.
- 8 The statutes of the Lord are just  
and rejoice the heart; \*  
the commandment of the Lord is clear  
and gives light to the eyes.
- 9 The fear of the Lord is clean  
and endures for ever; \*  
the judgments of the Lord are true  
and righteous altogether.
- 10 More to be desired are they than gold,  
more than much fine gold, \*  
sweeter far than honey,  
than honey in the comb.
- 11 By them also is your servant enlightened, \*  
and in keeping them there is great reward.
- 12 Who can tell how often he offends? \*  
cleanse me from my secret faults.

13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins;  
let them not get dominion over me; \*  
then shall I be whole and sound,  
and innocent of a great offense.

14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my  
heart be acceptable in your sight, \*  
O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.

## **The Epistle**

### **1 Corinthians 1:18-25**

The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written,

“I will destroy the wisdom of the wise,  
and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart.”

Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God’s foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God’s weakness is stronger than human strength.

## **The Gospel**

### **John 2:13-22**

The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, “Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father’s house a marketplace!” His disciples remembered that it was written, “Zeal for your house will consume me.” The Jews then said to him, “What sign can you show us for doing this?” Jesus answered them, “Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.” The Jews then said, “This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?” But he was speaking of the temple of his body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

**Homily/Sermon**

**Father Albert**

## The Nicene Creed

### The Prayers of the People

### Form I

With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying "***Lord, have mercy.***"

For the peace from above, for the loving-kindness of God, and for the salvation of our souls, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For our Bishop, the Diocese of Southeast Florida, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, for the victims of COVID-19, and for all the departed, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

In the communion of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Saint Benedict, and of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.

*To thee, O Lord our God.*

**Sunday 7 March 2021** *3rd Sunday of Lent*

Pray for the Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo

Saint Margaret, Nassau

Transfiguration, Miami Gardens

Saint Kevin, Opa-Locka

### **Confession of Sin**

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God,  
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 neighbors 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.

*Priest:*

Almighty God have mercy on you, +forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

### **The Peace**

*Celebrant:* The peace of the Lord be always with you. **People:** *And also with you.*

### **Special Announcements from the Rector**

*Please be generous! Feel free to make a secure donation ONLINE [www.saintbenedicts.org](http://www.saintbenedicts.org) and go to "Online giving". Pledge envelopes and special donations can also be placed in the Collection Plates in the back of the church or mailed to the parish office:*

*7801 NW 5<sup>th</sup> Street Plantation, FL 33324*

### **The Holy Communion**

#### **Offertory Hymn**

#### **The Doxology**

*Old Hundredth*

#### **The Great Thanksgiving**

#### **The Lord's Prayer**

#### **The Breaking of the Bread**

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; **Therefore let us keep the feast.**

#### **The Fraction Anthem**

*Agnus Dei – Lamb of God*

Priest: The Gifts of God for the People of God!

***In these times of COVID19, the above rubric applies to all who desire to receive the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist, but desire it... Let us pray together!***

### **Prayer During Spiritual Communion**

**My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I desire to offer you praise and thanksgiving as I proclaim your resurrection. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot receive you in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.**

*– From Washington National Cathedral; material adapted from Prayer of St. Alphonsus de Liguori (1696-1787) and A Prayer Book for the Armed Services*

### **Prayer after Holy Communion**

Let us pray.

**Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
you have graciously accepted us as living members  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
and you have fed us with spiritual food  
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you  
with gladness and singleness of heart;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**The Blessing**

**The Dismissal**

**Distribution of Holy Communion and departure**

**Please feel free to contact us with your comments and suggestions:**

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***St. Benedict's welcomes you  
to our Holy Week services:***

**Palm Sunday-March 27<sup>th</sup> and March 28<sup>th</sup>**

Saturday, March 27<sup>th</sup> at **6:00 pm** with the **Procession beginning on the Labyrinth.**

Sunday, March 28<sup>th</sup> **8:00 am** Mass with the Procession beginning on Labyrinth.

Sunday, March 28<sup>th</sup> **10:00 am** Mass will begin in the Labyrinth. (*in person and Online*)

**11:30 am** (*Spanglish*).

**Wednesday of Holy Week-March 31<sup>st</sup>**

Healing Service and Stations of the Cross Meditation 7:00 PM (*Online only*)

**Maundy Thursday-April 1<sup>st</sup>**

The Eucharist will begin at **7:00 pm** (*in person and Online*)

The Great Watch will take place with two persons at a time, wearing masks and socially distanced, starting at 8:00 PM on Thursday and ending at Noon on Friday. Sign up by calling parish office.

Please sign-up ASAP

**Good Friday-April 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**12:00 pm** Stations of the Cross in our church

**3:00 pm** Traditional Good Friday Service (*in person and Online*)

**EASTER Services-April 3<sup>rd</sup> and April 4<sup>th</sup>**

Holy Saturday Night (April 3<sup>rd</sup>) The Easter Vigil will be at **6:00 pm** (*in person and Online*)

Sunday (April 4<sup>th</sup>) Traditional Easter Day Masses will be at **8:00 and 10:00 am** (*in person and Online*)

**and 11:30 am** (*Spanglish*).