The Offertory

Anthem Jesus, My Breath, My Life, My Lord
Transfiguration Choir

K. Lee Scott

Jesus my breath, my life, my Lord,
take of my soul the inmost part;
let vision, mind and will be stored
with Christ the Master of my heart,
my breath, my life, my Lord.

Jesus my Lord, my breath, my life,
my living bread for every day,
in calm and comfort, storm and strife,
Christ be my truth, as Christ my way,
my Lord, my breath, my life.

Jesus my life, my Lord, the pulse and beat of all my years,
constant alike in life and death;
and when eternal day appears,
my life, my Lord, my breath.

– Timothy Dudley-Smith, b. 1926


Music: Adapted from the hymntune Puer Nobis by William Trafka.

Text:
You are encouraged to open See Insert

The Postcommunion Prayer
BCP 366

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ, and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

The Dismissal

Presider Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

Processional Hymn Jesus Shall Reign Where’er the Sun

The Hymnal 544

Voluntary Trumpet Voluntary in D Major

John Stanley

The Lord’s Prayer Sung

The Hymnal S 119

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem Deutsche Messe – Franz Schubert

The Holy Eucharist

Voluntary Rondo – Passacaglia

Cynthia Dobrinski

Bela Musica Handbell Choir

Welcome

Please stand at the ringing of the singing bell.

Entrance Hymn Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

The Hymnal 423

The Opening Acclamation The Book of Common Prayer, page 355

Prayer * Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Collect for Purity BCP 355

Song of Praise Father, We Praise Thee The Hymnal 1

The Collect of the Day

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you: Mercifully accept our prayers; and because in our weakness we can do nothing good without you, give us the help of your grace, that in keeping your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Be seated.

The First Lesson Jeremiah 17:5-10

Thus says the LORD: Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals and make mere flesh their strength, whose hearts turn away from the LORD. They shall be like a shrub in the desert, and shall not see when relief comes. They shall live in the parched places of the wilderness, in an uninhabited salt land. Blessed are those who trust in the LORD, whose trust is the LORD. They shall be like a tree
planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green; in the year of drought it is not anxious, and it does not cease to bear fruit. The heart is devious above all else; it is perverse—who can understand it? I the Lord test the mind and search the heart, to give to all according to their ways, according to the fruit of their doings.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

The Gradual  Psalm 1

Cantor  Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, * nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the scoffful!

People  Their delight is in the law of the Lord, * and they meditate on his law day and night. They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; * everything they do shall prosper. It is not so with the wicked; * they are like chaff which the wind blows away. Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes, * nor the sinner in the council of the righteous. For the Lord knows the way of the righteous, * but the way of the wicked is doomed.

The Second Lesson  1 Corinthians 15:12-20

Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say there is no resurrection of the dead? If there is no resurrection of the dead, then Christ has not been raised; and if Christ has not been raised, then our proclamation and your faith is futile. Then those also who have died in Christ have perished. If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins. Then those also who have died in Christ have perished. If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

The Gospel Acclamation  Alleluia  Richard Proulx

Please sing this refrain after the organ introduction and following the verse.

Verse: Rejoice and be glad; your reward is great in heaven.


The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People  Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus came down with the twelve apostles and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them. Then he looked up at his disciples and said: “Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. Blessed are you when people hate you, and when you exclude them, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets. Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.”

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Peace  The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People  And also with you.

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 Prayers of the People

The Intercessor invites the prayers of the congregation, and offers on the altar the prayers printed in the Parish Intercession Book.

Each petition concludes:  
Presider  Lord, have mercy.

People  Christ have mercy.

The Presider prays a Concluding Collect:

Almighty and merciful God, in your goodness keep us, we pray, ever to delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. 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 Missionary Sentences

The congregation is seated following the sentence.

The Peace  The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People  And also with you.