



The Church of Saint Andrew

MONDAY IN HOLY WEEK – NOONDAY PRAYER

APRIL 6, 2020

12:00 PM

Officiant: O God, make speed to save us.

ALL: O Lord, make haste to help us.

ALL: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

THE PSALM: 36: 5-11

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Your love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens, *
and your faithfulness to the clouds.

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**Your righteousness is like the strong mountains,
your justice like the great deep; *
you save both man and beast, O Lord.**

7

How priceless is your love, O God! *
your people take refuge under the shadow of your wings.

8

**They feast upon the abundance of your house; *
you give them drink from the river of your delights.**

9

For with you is the well of life, *
and in your light we see light.

10

**Continue your loving-kindness to those who know you, *
and your favor to those who are true of heart.**

11

Let not the foot of the proud come near me, *
nor the hand of the wicked push me aside.

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.**

THE READING

John 12: 1-11

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, "Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?" (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, "Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me." When the great crowd of the Jews learned that he was there, they came not only because of Jesus but also to see Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. So the chief priests planned to put Lazarus to death as well, since it was on account of him that many of the Jews were deserting and were believing in Jesus.

ALL: **Thanks be to God.**

Officiant: Lord, have mercy.

ALL: **Christ, have mercy.**

Officiant: Lord, have mercy.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ALL: **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.**

Officiant: Lord, hear our prayer;

ALL: **And let our cry come to you.**

Officiant: Let us pray.
Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: Mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

***ALL:* Amen.**

THE SOLEMN PRAYER OVER THE PEOPLE

Officiant: Bow down before the Lord. Almighty God, we pray you graciously to behold this your family, for whom our Lord Jesus Christ was willing to be betrayed, and given into the hands of sinners, and to suffer death upon the cross; who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

***ALL:* Amen.**

THE DISMISSAL

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.

***ALL:* Thanks be to God.**