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# WORSHIP BULLETIN

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## MORNING PRAYER

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18, 2016  
7:00 A.M.

### ***Opening Sentence***

You shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth. (Acts 1:8)

V. Lord, open our lips.

R. **And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

*Together:*

**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. Alleluia!**

*Invitatory Psalm and antiphons are said together*

*Antiphon*

**Alleluia.**

**Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us;\***

**Therefore let us keep the feast,**

**Not with the old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil,\***

**but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. Alleluia.**

**Christ being raised from the dead will never die again;\***

**death no longer has dominion over him.**

**The death that he dies, he dies to sin, once for all;\***

**but the life he lives, he lives to God.**

**So also consider yourselves dead to sin,\***

**and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia.**

**Christ has been raised from the dead,\***

**the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.**

**For since by man came death,\***

**By man has come also the resurrection of the dead.**

**For as in Adam all die,\***

**so also in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia.**

(1 Corinthians 5:7-8; Romans 6:9-11; Corinthians 15:20-22)

*Antiphon*

**Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord renews the face of the earth: Come let us adore him. Alleluia!**

**Psalm 119:1-24**

1. Happy are they whose way is blameless,\*  
who walk in the law of the Lord!  
2. Happy are they who observe his decrees\*  
and seek him with all their hearts!  
3. Who never do any wrong,\*  
but always walk in his ways.  
4. You laid down your commandments,\*  
That we should fully keep them.  
5. Oh, that my ways were made so direct\*  
That I might keep your statutes!  
6. Then I should not be put to shame,\*  
when I regard all commandments.  
7. I will thank you with an unfeigned heart,\*  
when I have learned your righteous judgments.  
8. I will keep your statutes;\*  
do not utterly forsake me.  
9. How shall a young man cleanse his way?\*  
by keeping to your words.  
10. With my whole heart I seek you;\*  
let me not stray from your commandments.  
11. I treasure your promise in my heart,\*  
That I may not sin against you.  
12. Blessed are you, O Lord;\*  
instruct me in your statutes.

13. With my lips will I recite\*  
all the judgments of your mouth.  
14. I have taken greater delight in the way of your decrees\*  
that in all manner of riches.  
15. I will meditate on your commandments\*  
and give attention to your ways.  
16. My delight is in your statutes;\*  
i will not forget your word.  
17. Deal bountifully with your servant,\*  
that I may live and keep your word.  
18. Open my eyes, that I may see\*  
the wonders of your law.  
19. I am stranger here on earth;\*  
do not hide your commandments from me.  
20. My soul is consumed at all times\*  
with longing for your judgments.  
21. You have rebuked the insolent;\*  
Cursed are they who stray from your commandments!  
22. Turn from me shame and rebuke,\*  
23. Even though rulers sit and plot against me,\*  
I will meditate on your statutes.  
24. For your decrees are my delight,\*  
and they are my counselors

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.**

*Reading 1 John 5:1-12*

5Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ<sup>\*</sup> has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. 2By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. 3For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, 4for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. 5Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? 6This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth. 7There are three that testify:<sup>\*8</sup>the Spirit and the water and the blood, and these three agree. 9If we receive human testimony, the testimony of God is greater; for this is the testimony of God that he has testified to his Son. 10Those who believe in the Son of God have the testimony in their hearts. Those who do not believe in God<sup>\*</sup> have made him a liar by not believing in the testimony that God has given concerning his Son. 11And this is the testimony: God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. 12Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

**People: Thanks be to God**

*Canticle 11 The Third Song of Isaiah (Isaiah 60:1-3,11a,14c,18-19)*

*The canticle is read in unison:*

Arise, shine, for your light has come, \*  
and the glory of the Lord has dawned upon you.  
For behold, darkness covers the land; \*  
deep gloom enshrouds the peoples.  
But over you the Lord will rise, \*  
and his glory will appear upon you.  
Nations will stream to your light, \*  
and kings to the brightness of your dawning.  
Your gates will always be open; \*  
by day or night they will never be shut.

They will call you, The City of the Lord, \*  
The Zion of the Holy One of Israel.  
Violence will no more be heard in your land, \*  
ruin or destruction within your borders.  
You will call your walls, Salvation, \*  
and all your portals, Praise.  
The sun will no more be your light by day; \*  
by night you will not need the brightness of the moon.  
The Lord will be your everlasting light, \*

and your God will be your glory.

**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.**

Officiant: The Lord be with you

**People: And also with you**

Officiant: Let us pray

*The Lord's Prayers-together:*

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.**

*Suffrages*

V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;

**R. And grant us your salvation.**

V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;

**R. Let your people sing with joy.**

V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;

**R. For only in you can we live in safety.**

V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;

**R. And guide us in the way of justice and truth.**

V. Let your way be known upon earth;

**R. Your saving health among all nations.**

V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;

**R. Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**

V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;

**R. And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.**

*Collect for the Day of Pentecost*

Almighty God, on this day you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

*A Collect for Peace*

O God, the author of peace and love of concord, to know you is eternal life and to serve you is perfect freedom: Defend us, your humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in your defense, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Oh God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

#### World Cycle of Prayer

We pray for the people of the Diocese of Chicago (Province VI), for the Rt. Revd Jeffrey Lee, Bishop of Diocese of Chicago and Rt. Revd John Buchanan, Assistant Bishop.

We pray for our suffering sisters and brothers in all part of the world victim of natural disasters.

#### Ecumenical Cycle of Prayer

We pray for our sister and brothers, members of the churches of Kenya and Tanzania.

For whom or what else, shall we pray? (*Intercessions and thanksgivings may be added aloud or silently*).

Together: **Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. Amen.**

#### Benediction

Let us bless the lord. Alleluia, Alleluia!

**Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. **Amen.** (2 Corinthians 13:14)

**COMPLINE SERVICE**  
**WEDNESDAY NIGHT, MAY 18, 2016**

*The Officiant begins*

The Lord Almighty grant us a peaceful night and perfect end. **Amen.**

*Officiant:* Our help is in the Name of the lord;

**People: The maker of the heaven and earth.**

*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 Spirit: as it was  
in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia!**

Psalm 4              *Officiant and People read the Psalm together*

- 1. Answer me when I call, O God, defender of my cause;\* you set me free when I am hard-pressed; have mercy on me and hear my prayer.**
- 3. Know that the Lord does wonders for the faithful;\* when I call upon the Lord, he will hear me.**
- 4. Tremble, then, and do not sin;\* speak to your heart in silence upon your bed.**
- 7. You have put gladness in my heart,\* more than when grain and wine and oil increase.**
- 8. I lie down in peace; at once I fall asleep;\* for only you, Lord, make me dwell in safety.**

*Officiant* Lord, you are in the mids of us, and we are called by your Name:  
Do not forsake us, O Lord our God. (Jeremiah 14:9,22).

**People: Thank be to God**

V. Into your hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit;

**R. For you have redeemed me, O Lord, O God of truth.**

V. Keep us, O Lord, as the apple of your eye;

**R. Hide us under the shadow of your wings.**

Lord, have mercy.

**Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy.

*Officiant and People*

**Our Father in heaven, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespasses against us. And lead us not into temptation, but delver us from evil.**

*Officiant* Lord, hear our prayer;

*People* **And let our cry come to you.**

*Officiant* Let us pray.

*The Officiant* the says

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work, or watch, or weep this night, and give your angels charge over those who sleep. Tend the sick, Lord Christ; give rest to the weary, bless the dying, soothe the suffering, pity the afflicted, shield the joyous; and all for love's sake. **Amen.**

*Officiant* Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia, Alleluia!

*People* **Thank be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!**

*The Officiant concludes*

The almighty and merciful Lord, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, bless us and keep us. **Amen.**

MORNING PRAYER [ORACION MATUTINA DIARIA]  
Thursday [JUEVES], MAY [MAYO] 19, 2016  
7:00 AM

***Opening Sentence***

Christ has entered, not into a sanctuary with hands, a copy of the true one, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf (Hebrews 9:24)

Let us confess our sin against God and our neighbor

*Silence may be kept*

**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.**

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

*Celebrante [Officiant]: Señor, abre nuestros labios*

*Pueblo [People]: Y nuestra boca proclamara tu alabanza.*

*Oficiante y Pueblo [Together]: ¡Aleluya! El Espíritu del Señor renueva la faz de la tierra: vengan y adorémosle. ¡Aleluya!*

*Celebrante y Pueblo [Together]*

**Gloria al Padre, y al Hijo y al Espíritu Santo: \* como era en el principio, ahora y siempre, por los siglos de los siglos. Amen.**

*Invitatory Psalm and antiphon are said together [Celebrante y Pueblo]*

*Antiphon*

**Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord renews the face of the earth: Come let us adore him. Alleluia!**

*Invitatory Psalm (63:1-8) [Invitatorio y Salterio]*

**Oh God, you are my God;  
eagerly I seek you;\***  
**My soul thirsts for you, my  
flesh faints for you,  
as in a barren and dry land  
where there is no water**  
**Therefore I have gazed upon  
you in your holy place,\***  
**that I might behold your power  
and your glory.**  
**For your loving-kindness is  
better than life itself,\***  
**my lips shall give you praise.**  
**So will I bless you as long as I  
live\***

**and lift up my hands in your  
Name.**  
**My soul is content, as with  
marrow and fatness,\***  
**And my mouth praises you with  
joyful lips,**  
**When I remember you upon my  
bed,\***  
**And meditate on you in the  
night watches.**  
**For you have been my helper,\***  
**And under the shadow of your  
wings I will rejoice.**  
**My soul clings to you;\***  
**your right hand holds me fast.**

*Anthiphon*

**Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord renews the face of the earth: Come let  
us adore him. Alleluia!**

Proverbs 7:1-21

**7 My child, keep my words and  
store up my commandments  
with you;**  
**2 keep my commandments and  
live, keep my teachings as the  
apple of your eye;**  
**3 bind them on your fingers,  
write them on the tablet of  
your heart.**  
**4 Say to wisdom, 'You are my  
sister', and call insight your  
intimate friend,**  
**5 that they may keep you from  
the loose\* woman, from the  
adulteress with her smooth  
words.**  
**6 For at the window of my  
house**  
**I looked out through my  
lattice,**  
**7 and I saw among the simple  
ones, I observed among the**

**youths, a young man without  
sense,**  
**8 passing along the street near  
her corner, taking the road to  
her house**  
**9 in the twilight, in the evening,  
at the time of night and  
darkness.**  
**10 Then a woman comes  
towards him, decked out like a  
prostitute, wily of heart.\***  
**11 She is loud and wayward; her  
feet do not stay at home;**  
**12 now in the street, now in the  
squares, and at every corner  
she lies in wait.**  
**13 She seizes him and kisses  
him, and with impudent face  
she says to him:**  
**14 'I had to offer sacrifices, and  
today I have paid my vows;**  
**15 so now I have come out to**

**meet you, to seek you eagerly,  
and I have found you!**

**<sup>16</sup> I have decked my couch with  
coverings, coloured spreads of  
Egyptian linen;**

**<sup>17</sup> I have perfumed my bed with  
myrrh, aloes, and cinnamon.**

**<sup>18</sup> Come, let us take our fill of  
love until morning; let us  
delight ourselves with love.**

**<sup>19</sup> For my husband is not at  
home; he has gone on a long  
journey.**

**<sup>20</sup> He took a bag of money with  
him; he will not come home  
until full moon.'**

**<sup>21</sup> With much seductive speech  
she persuades him; with her  
smooth talk she compels him.**

**<sup>22</sup> Right away he follows her,  
and goes like an ox to the**

**slaughter,  
or bounds like a stag towards  
the trap\***

**<sup>23</sup> until an arrow pierces its  
entrails. He is like a bird  
rushing into a snare, not  
knowing that it will cost him  
his life.**

**<sup>24</sup> And now, my children, listen  
to me, and be attentive to the  
words of my mouth.**

**<sup>25</sup> Do not let your hearts turn  
aside to her ways; do not stray  
into her paths.**

**<sup>26</sup> for many are those she has  
laid low, and numerous are her  
victims.**

**<sup>27</sup> Her house is the way to  
Sheol, going down to the  
chambers of death.**

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and the Holy Ghost. As it was in  
the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.**

Lectura del Santo Evangelio según San Mateo 11:25-30

25. En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo: "te alabo, Padre, Señor del cielo y de la tierra, porque has mostrado a los sencillos las cosas que escondiste de los sabios y entendidos. 26. Si, Padre, porque así lo has querido. 27. "Mi padre me ha entregado todas las cosas. Nadie conoce realmente al Padre, sino el Hijo y aquellos a quien el Hijo quiera darlo a conocer. 28. Vengan a mí todos los que están cansados de sus trabajos y cargas, y yo los haré descansar. 29. Acepten el yugo que les pongo, y aprendan de mí, que soy paciente y de corazón humilde; así encontraran descanso. 30. Porque el yugo que les pongo y la carga que les doy a llevar son ligeros."

Palabra del Señor  
*Respuesta* Demos gracias a Dios

### Cantico 13 Gloria a Dios

Gloria a Dios en el cielo, y en la tierra paz para quienes aman al Señor.  
Por tu inmensa gloria; te alabamos, te bendecimos, te adoramos, te glorificamos, te damos gracias, Señor Dios, Rey celestial, Dios Padre todopoderoso.

Señor, Hijo único Jesucristo, Señor Dios, Cordero de Dios, Hijo del Padre:  
Tú que quitas el pecado del mundo, ten piedad de nosotros; Tú que quitas el pecado del mundo, atiende nuestra súplica; Tú que estás sentado a la derecha del Padre, ten piedad de nosotros:

Porque solo tú eres Santo, solo tú Señor, solo tú Altísimo, Jesucristo, con el Espíritu Santo en la gloria de Dios Padre. Amen.

*Officiant [Celebrante]: Hear our cry, O God*

**People [Pueblo]: And listen to our prayer**

*Officiant: Let us pray*

*The Lord's Prayers-together:*

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come,  
your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us  
from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the  
power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.**

### Suffrages

V. Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance;

**R. Govern and uphold them, now and always.**

V. day by day we bless you;

**R. We praise your Name for ever.**

V. Lord, keep us from all sin today;

**R. Have mercy on us, Lord, have mercy.**

V. Lord, show us your love and mercy;

**R. For we put our trust in you.**

V. In you, Lord, is our hope;

**R. And we shall never hope in vain.**

### Collects

Oh heavenly Father, who has filled the world with beauty: Open to behold your gracious hand in all your works; that, rejoicing in your whole creation, we may learn to serve you with gladness; for the sake of him through whom all things were made, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Señor Dios, todopoderoso y eterno Padre, nos hiciste llegar sanos y salvos hasta este Nuevo día: Consérvanos con tu gran poder, para que no caigamos en pecado, ni nos venza la adversidad; y, en todo lo que hagamos, dirígenos a realizar tus designios: por Jesucristo nuestro Señor. **Amén.**

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: grant that people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh, and hasten the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

#### Special Prayer

We pray for the government and people of Puerto Rico in this moment of financial crisis and lack the increase the local economy.

#### Ecumenical Prayer

We pray of the Council of Churches of Puerto Rico, the National Council of Churches USA and the World Council of Churches.

From whom or what else, shall we pray? (*intercession and thanksgivings may added aloud or silently*). Pueden seguir intercesiones y acciones de gracia.

Together [Celebrante y Pueblo]

**Accept, O Lord, our thank and praise for all that you have done for us. We thank, you for the splendor of the whole creation, for the beauty of this world, for the wonder of life, and for the mystery of love.**

**We thank you for the blessing of family and friends, and for the loving care which surrounds us on every side.**

**We thank you for setting us at task which demand our best efforts, and for leading us to accomplishments which safety and delight us.**

**We thank you also for those disappointments and failures that lead us to acknowledge our dependence on you alone.**

**Above all, we thank you for your Son Jesus Christ, for the truth of his Word and the example of his life; for his steadfast obedience, by which he overcame temptation; for his dying, through which he overcame death; and for his rising to life again, in which we raised to life of your kingdom.**

**Grant us the gift of your Spirit, that we may know him and make known; and through him, at all times and in all place, may give thanks to you in all things. Amen.**

*Benediction [Bendición]*

Bendigamos al Señor.

*Demos gracias a Dios.*

Gloria a Dios, cuyo poder, actuando en nosotros, puede realizar todas las cosas infinitamente mejor de lo que podemos pedir o pensar: Gloria a él en la Iglesia de generación en generación, y en Cristo Jesús por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.

Worship for the Evening  
THURSDAY, May 19, 2016, 4:30 PM

*People* Alleluia. Christ is risen  
The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

If I say, "Surely the darkness will cover me, and the light around me turn to night," darkness is not dark to you, O Lord; the night is a bright as the day; darkness and light to you are both alike (Psalm 139:10-11)

Let us pray.

Lighten our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of thy only Son, our savior, Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

Eternal God, who led your ancient people into freedom by a pillar of cloud by day and pillar of fire by night: Grant that we who walk in the light of your presence may rejoice in the liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

**O Gracious Light**                   *Phos hilaron*  
O gracious Light, pure brightness of the everliving Father in heaven, O Jesus Christ, holy and blessed!  
Now as we come to the setting of the sun, and our eyes behold the vesper light, we sing your praises, O God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
You are worthy at all times to be praised by happy voices, O Son of God, O Giver of life, and to be glorified through all the worlds.

The Lord's Prayer- Together  
**Our Father in heaven, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespasses against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

*A bishop or priest may use the follow or some other blessing or grace*  
The Lord bless you and keep you. *Amen.* The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you. *Amen.* The Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. *Amen.*

Let us bless the Lord  
*Thank be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.*

ORACION MATUTINA DIARIA  
VIERNES 20 DE MAYO DE 2016  
7:00 AM

*Celebrante* Recibirán poder, cuando haya venido sobre ustedes el Espíritu Santo, y me serán testigos en Jerusalén, en toda Judea, en Samaria, y hasta lo último de la tierra. (Hechos 1:8)

*Celebrante:* Señor, abre nuestros labios

*Pueblo [People]: Y nuestra boca proclamara tu alabanza.*

*Oficiante y Pueblo [Together]: ¡Aleluya! El Espíritu del Señor renueva la faz de la tierra: vengan y adorémosle. ¡Aleluya!*

*Invitatorio y Salterio se dice al unísono* [Invitatory Psalm and antiphon are said together]

**¡Aleluya! Cristo nuestra Pascua, se ha sacrificado por nosotros.\***

**¡Celebremos la fiesta!**

**No con la vieja levadura, la levadura de malicia y de maldad,\* sino con el pan ázimo de sinceridad y verdad. ¡Aleluya!**

**Cristo, siendo resucitado de los muertos, ya no muere;\* la muerte ya no tiene señorío sobre él.**

**Su muerte fue un morir al pecado de una vez para siempre,\* mas su vida es un vivir para Dios.**

**Así también ustedes, considérense muertos al pecado,\* pero vivo para Dios en Jesucristo nuestro Señor. ¡Aleluya!**

**Cristo ha sido resucitado de los muertos,\* primicia de los que durmieron; Porque habiendo venido por un hombre la muerte,\* también por un hombre vino la resurrección de los muertos.**

**Pues así como en Adán mueren todos,\* así también en Cristo todos serán vivificados. ¡Aleluya!**

**Salmo 18:1-20**

1. Te amo, oh Señor, fortaleza mía,\* oh Señor, castillo mío, mi risco y mi abrigo.
2. Dios mío, roca mía en quien confiare,\* mi escudo, el cuerno de mi salvación y mi alto refugio, eres digno de ser alabado.
3. Invocare al Señor,\* y seré salvo de mis enemigos.
4. Me sumergieron las olas de muerte,\* y torrentes del abismo me atemorizaron.
5. Ligaduras infernales me rodearon,\* previniéronme lazos de muerte.
6. En mi angustia invoque al Señor,\* y clame a mi Dios.

7. El oyó mi voz desde su templo,\* y mi clamor llegó delante de él, a sus oídos.
8. Se sacudió y tembló la tierra,\* temblaron los cimientos de los montes, se sacudieron, porque él se indignó.
9. Humo subió de su nariz y de su boca fuego consumidor;\* carbones fueron por él encendidos.
10. Partió los cielos, y descendió;\* y había densas tinieblas debajo de sus pies.
11. Cabalgo sobre un querubín, y voló;\* sobre las alas del viento se abalanzó.
12. Puso tinieblas por su escondedero, su pabellón en derredor de sí;\* oscuridad de aguas, nubes de los cielos.
13. Por el resplandor de su presencia, sus nubes pasaron;\* granizo y carbones ardientes.
14. Tronó en los cielos el Señor;\* el Altísimo dio su voz.
15. Envió sus saetas, los disperso;\* lanzó relámpagos, y los destruyó.
16. Aparecieron las honduras de las aguas, y se descubrieron los cimientos del mundo,\* a tu grito de guerra, oh Señor, por la ráfaga del aliento de tu nariz.
17. alargó la mano desde lo alto, y me agarró;\* me sacó de las aguas profundas.
18. Me libro de mi poderoso enemigo, y de los que me aborrecían,\* pues eran más fuertes que yo.
19. Me asaltaron en el día de mi quebranto,\* más el Señor fue mi apoyo.
20. Me sacó a un lugar espacioso;\* me libró porque se agrado de mí.

**Gloria al Padre, y al Hijo y al Espíritu Santo:\*** como era en el principio, ahora y siempre, por los siglos de los siglos. Amen.

Lectura de la Segunda Carta de san Juan

1. Yo, el anciano, escribo esta carta a la congregación escogida por Dios y a los que pertenecen a ella, a quienes amo de veras; y no sólo yo, sino también todos los que han conocido la verdad. 2. Los amo a ustedes por causa de la verdad que tenemos en nuestro corazón y que estará con nosotros para siempre. 3. Que Dios el Padre, y Jesucristo, Hijo del Padre, derramen su gracia sobre ustedes y les en misericordia y paz, en verdad y amor. 4. Me he alegrado de mucho encontrar a algunos de los tuyos viviendo conforme a la verdad, como Dios el Padre nos ha mandado. 5. Ahora, querido hermanos, les ruego que nos amemos los unos a los otros. Esto que les escribo no es un mandamiento nuevo, sino el mismo que recibimos desde el principio. 6. El amor consiste en vivir según los mandamientos de Dios, y el mandamiento, como ya lo han oído ustedes desde el principio, es que vivan en el amor. 7. Pues andan por el mundo muchos engañadores que no reconocen que Jesucristo vino como hombre

verdadero. El que es así, es el engañador y el enemigo de Cristo. 8. Tengan ustedes cuidado, para no perder el resultado de su trabajo, sino recibir su recompensa completa. 9. Cualquiera que pretenda avanzar más allá de lo que Cristo enseño, no tiene a Dios; pero el que permanece en esa enseñanza, tiene al Padre y también al Hijo. 10. Si alguno va a visitarlos a ustedes y no lleva esta enseñanza, no lo reciban en su casa ni lo saluden, 11. Porque quien lo salude se hará cómplice de sus malas acciones. 12. Tengo mucho que decirles a ustedes, pero no quiero hacerlo por carta. Espero ir a verlos y hablar con ustedes personalmente, para que así nuestra alegría sea completa. 13. Los que pertenecen a la congregación hermana de ustedes, a la cual Dios también ha escogido, les manda saludos.

Aquí termina la Lección.

11 Cántico al Cordero *Dignus es "[Todos, together]"*  
*Digno es, Señor nuestro Dios,\* atribuirte la gloria, el honor y el poder;*  
*Porque tú has creado el universo,\* y por tu voluntad existió y fue creado.*

*Y digno es atribuir lo mismo a ti, Cordero inmolado,\* porque con tu sangre compraste para Dios  
De toda raza, lengua, pueblo y nación,\* un reino de sacerdotes para servir a nuestro Dios.*

*Por tanto, al que está sentado en el trono,\* y a Cristo el Cordero,  
Sean adoración y honor, gloria y señorío,\* por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.*

*Lectura: Lectura del Evangelio según San Mateo 12:1-14*

1. Por aquel tiempo, en un día de reposo, Jesús caminaba entre los sembrados. Sus discípulos sintieron hambre, y comenzaron a arrancar espigas de trigo y a comer sus granos. 2. Los fariseos lo vieron, y dijeron a Jesús: Mira, tus discípulos están haciendo algo que no está permitido hacer el día de reposo. 3. Él les contestó: ¿No han leído ustedes lo que hizo David en una ocasión en que él y sus compañeros tuvieron hambre? 4. Pues entro en la casa de Dios y comió los panes consagrados a Dios, los cuales no les estaba permitido comer ni a él ni a sus compañeros, sino solamente a los sacerdotes. 5. ¿O no han leído en la ley de Moisés que los sacerdotes en el templo no cometan pecado aunque no descansen en los días de reposo? 6. Pues les digo que aquí hay algo más importante que el templo 7. Ustedes no han entendido el significado de esta Escritura: "Lo que quiero es que sean compasivos, y no que ofrezcan sacrificios." Si lo hubieran entendido, no condenarían a quienes no han cometido ninguna falta. 8. Pues bien, el hijo del hombre tiene autoridad sobre el día del reposo. 9. Jesús se fue de allí y entró en la sinagoga del lugar. 10. Había en ella un hombre que tenía una mano tullida; y como buscaban algún pretexto para acusar a Jesús, le

preguntaron: ¿Está permitido sanar a un enfermo en el día de reposo? 11. Jesús les contestó: ¿Quién de ustedes, si tiene una oveja y se le cae en un pozo en el día de reposo, no va y la saca? 12. Pues ¡Cuánto más vale un hombre que una oveja! Por lo tanto, si está permitido hacer el bien en los días de reposo. 13. Entonces le dijo a aquel hombre: Extiende la mano. El hombre la extendió, y le quedó tan sana como la otra. 14. Pero cuando los fariseos salieron, comenzaron a hacer planes para matar a Jesús.

Palabra de Dios

Respuesta Demos gracias a Dios.

*Credo de los Apóstoles*

*Oficiante y el Pueblo al unísono, todos de pie [together, all standing]*

**Creo en Dios Padre todopoderoso, creador del cielo y de la tierra.**

**Creo en Jesucristo, su único Hijo, nuestro Señor. Fue concebido por obra del Espíritu Santo y nació de la Virgen María.**

**Padeció bajo el poder de Poncio Pilato. Fue crucificado, muerto y sepultado. Descendió a los infiernos. Al tercer día resucitó de los muertos. Subió a los cielos, y está sentado a la diestra de Dios**

**Padre. Desde allí ha de venir a juzgar a vivos y muertos. Creo en el Espíritu Santo, la santa Iglesia católica, la comunión de los santos, el perdón de los pecados, la resurrección de los muertos, y la vida eterna. Amen.**

## **PLEGARIAS**

*El pueblo puede permanecer de pie [all standing]*

Oficiante El Señor sea con ustedes.

Pueblo Y con tu espíritu.

Oficiante Oremos.

*Oficiante y el pueblo [together]*

**Padre nuestro que estas en el cielo, santificado sea tu Nombre, venga tu reino, hágase tu voluntad, en la tierra como en el cielo.**

**Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día. Perdona nuestras ofensas, como también nosotros perdonamos a los que nos ofenden. No nos dejes caer en tentación y líbranos del mal. Porque tuyo es el reino, tuyo es el poder, y tuya es la gloria, ahora y por siempre. Amen.**

### *Sufragio*

- V. Señor, muéstranos tu misericordia;  
R. Y concédenos tu salvación.  
V. Reviste a tus ministros de justicia  
R. Que cante tu pueblo de júbilo.  
V. Establece, Señor, la paz en todo el mundo;  
R. Porque solo en ti vivimos seguros.  
V. Protege, Señor, a esta nación;  
R. Y guíanos por la senda de justicia y de verdad.  
V. Que se conozcan en la tierra tus caminos;  
R. Y entre los pueblos tu salvación.  
V. Señor, que no se olvide a los necesitados  
R. Ni se arranque la esperanza a los pobres.  
V. Señor, crea en nosotros un corazón limpio;  
R. Y susténtanos con tu Santo Espíritu.

### Colecta del día

Dios omnipotente, en este día abriste el camino de la vida eterna a toda raza y nación por el don prometido de tu Espíritu Santo: Esparce este don sobre todo el mundo por la predicación del Evangelio, para que llegue a los confines de la tierra; por Jesucristo nuestro Señor, que vive y reina contigo, en la unidad del Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, por los siglos de los siglos.

**Amén.**

### Colecta para guía divina

Padre celestial, en ti vivimos, nos movemos y tenemos el ser; Te suplicamos humildemente que nos guíes y gobiernes con tu Santo Espíritu, para que en todo los afanes y quehaceres de nuestra vida no te olvidemos, sino que recordemos que siempre caminamos en tu presencia; por Jesucristo nuestro Señor, **Amén.**

Señor Jesucristo, tú extendiste tus brazos amorosos sobre el cruel madero de la cruz, para estrechar a todos los seres humanos en tu abrazo salvador: Revístenos con tu Espíritu de tal manera que, extendiendo nuestras manos en amor, llevemos a quienes no te conocen a reconocerte y amarte; por el honor de tu Nombre. **Amén.**

Oramos hoy por el pueblo de Ecuador en especial de la Provincia de Manabí y por la Diócesis de Ecuador Litoral y su obispo Rvdmo. Alfredo Morante España.

Intersecciones y Acciones de Gracias [Intersessions and thanksgivings may be added aloud or silently]

*Oficiante y Pueblo [Together]*

Dios todopoderoso, que nos diste la gracia para unirnos en este momento, a fin de ofrecerte nuestras suplicas en común; y que, por tu muy amado Hijo, nos prometiste que, cuando dos o tres se congregan en tu Nombre, tú estarás en medio de ellos: Realiza ahora, Señor, nuestros deseos y peticiones como mejor nos convengan; y concédenos en este mundo el conocimiento de tu verdad y en el venidero, la vida eterna. *Amén.*

*Bendición [Benediction]*

Bendigamos al Señor

***Demos gracias a Dios***

La gracia de nuestro Señor Jesucristo, el amor de Dios y la comunión del Espíritu Santo sean con todos nosotros, ahora y por siempre. *Amén.*

