The Liturgy For
The Third Sunday
AFTER TRINITY
3rd July 2022, 11:30am | All Saints’ Cathedral, Nairobi

TOPIC: Church and Politics

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Preacher: The Provost
Minister on Duty: Rev. Alfred Apela

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ORDER OF SERVICE

NOTES

i. This service flows as provided in the programme without announcements.
ii. Families are encouraged to use this liturgy to follow the live stream service and respond accordingly.
iii. At the entry of the procession, people stand.

[People Stand during the procession]

[People sit for the introit]

1. INTROIT: Cantate Domino (Giuseppe Ottavio Pitoni)

(Text from Psalm 148)
Cantate Domino, cantate
Cantate, cantate Domino
Canticum novum:
Laus eius in ecclesia santorum,
In ecclesia santorum.
Laetetur Israel in eo,
Laetetur, laetetur in eo qui fecit eum:
Et filiae Sion, et filiae Sion
Exultent, exultent, exultent in regisuo
Exultent, exultent, in regisuo.
Translation (By Francis Jackson)
Come ye with joyfulness, come sing ye
Come, sing ye, O come ye,
Sing a new song to your maker,
O praise him with the saintly congregation,
With the saintly congregation.
Israel, be joyful and glad in him,
Be joyful and glad in him,
Who made Israel, and the children of Sion
Be joyful, be joyful,
Rejoice and be glad in your King,
Be joyful, rejoice and be glad in your King.

2. WELCOME REMARKS

3. OPENING HYMN: Amazing grace!

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me;
I once was lost, but now am found;
Was blind but now I see.
'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved:  
How precious did that grace appear,  
The hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares  
I have already come:  
'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me,  
His word my hope secures;  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.

Yes, when this heart and flesh shall fail,  
And mortal life shall cease,  
I shall possess within the veil  
A life of joy and peace.

When we've been there a thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we first begun
(People remain standing)

4. CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: The Lord be with you.
All: And also with you

Minister:
We have come together, the people of God, drawn by His spirit, longing for His word, to praise the Holy name of the Lord, to share His glorious news of grace, to pray for our needs and the pain of the world, to rejoice in His love and be sent in His peace.
We are heirs of the Father;
All: Joint heirs with the son,

Minister: Renewed in the Spirit,
All: Together we are one

5. CONFESSION

Minister:
If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and there is no truth in us. If we confess our sins, in repentance and trust, God
is faithful and just, and will forgive us our sins. So let us confess them to our Father

(People Kneel/Sit)

All:
Eternal Father, God of our ancestors, before Your power all things tremble but through Your Son, we approach Your throne. We have done wrong and neglected to do right; our sins weigh heavily on our hearts: Lord, have mercy, count them not against us. Grant us the joy of forgiveness and lighten our hearts with the glory of Christ, who died and rose again for us. Amen.

6. ABSOLUTION

Minister:
The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ rejoices at repentance and declares His acceptance. The dead are alive, the lost are found. His goodness and mercy will follow you all the days of your life, and you will live in the house of the Lord for ever. Amen.
7. RESPONSES (sung)

**Minister:** Blessed are those who live in Your house:  
**All:** They will be always singing Your praise.

**Minister:** Praise the Lord.  
**All:** The name of the Lord be praised.

(People Stand)

**Minister:** Glory to the Father to whom all things began,  
**All:**  
Glory to the Son who became the Son of Man, Glory to the Spirit who inspires and renews, The Lord Our God for ever! Alleluia!

(People remain standing)

(Then Psalm is sung)

8. PSALM 91 (Qui, habitat)

1. Whose dwelleth under the defence of the ‘ most ‘ High: shall abide under the ‘ shadow ‘ of the Al’mighty.
2. I will say unto the Lord, Thou art my hope and my strong hold: my God in Him will I trust.
3. For He shall deliver thee from the snare of the hunter: and from the noisome pestilence.
4. He shall defend thee under His wings, and thou shalt be safe under His feathers: His faithfulness and truth shall be thy shield and buckler.
5. Thou shalt not be afraid for any terror by night: nor for the arrow that flieth by day;
6. For the pestilence that walketh in darkness: nor for the sickness that destroyeth in the noon-day.
7. A thousand shall fall beside Thee, and ten thousand at Thy right hand: but it shall not come nigh Thee.
8. Yea with thine eyes shalt Thou behold: and see the reward of the ungodly.
9. For Thou Lord art my hope: thou hast set thine house of defence very high.
10. There shall no evil happen unto Thee: neither shall any plague come nigh Thy dwelling.
11. For He shall give His angels charge over Thee: to keep Thee in all Thy ways.
12. They shall bear Thee in their hands: that Thou hurt not Thy foot against a stone.
13. Thou shalt go upon the lion and adder: the young lion and the dragon shalt Thou tread under Thy feet.
14. Because He hath set His love upon me, therefore will I de’liver Him: I will set Him up, because He hath known my Name.
15. He shall call upon me and I will hear Him: yea I am with Him in trouble, I will de’liver Him and bring Him to honour.
16. With long life will I satisfy him: and shew Him my sal’vation.

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

People sit


10. SECOND READING: Matthew 22:15-22 ~ Cyrus Wanyoike

People Stand
11. SONG OF THE JESUS (Arr. Timothy Mwangi)


1. Love your enemies,
   Do good to those who hate you,
2. Bless those who curse you,
   Pray for those who abuse you.
3. I was hungry and you gave me food,
   Thirsty and you gave me drink,
4. A stranger and you welcomed me,
   Naked and you clothed me,
5. Sick and you visited me,
   In prison and you came to me:
6. The blind receive their sight,
   The lame walk, the lepers are cleansed.
7. The deaf hear, the dead are raised:
   the good news is preached to the poor
   and blessed are those not offended at me.
8. Glory to the Father, the Lord of heaven and earth,
   Glory to the Son, in whom all things are given.
9. Glory to the Spirit, in whom the Son rejoices,
   Now and for ever. Amen
12. THE APOSTLES’ CREED

Minister:
We join with Christians throughout the centuries, and throughout the world today to affirm our faith in the words of the Apostles’ Creed.

All:
I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord Who was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, died and was buried:
He descended to the dead. On the third day He rose again; He ascended into heaven, He is seated at the right hand of the Father,
And He will come to judge the living and the dead.

13. PRAYERS

Minister: The Lord be with you.
All: And also with you.

Minister: Let us pray
(People kneel and sing)

**All:** Ask and it shall be given unto you, Seek and you shall find, Knock and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia

**14. THE LORD’S PRAYER** *(Sung) (Mwangi)*

Our Father in heaven, Holy be Your name, Your kingdom come, Your will be done, On earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, As we forgive those who sin against us. Do not bring us to the test, But deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the Glory are yours, Now and for ever. **Amen**

**Minister:** Show us Your mercy, O Lord; **All:** And grant us Your salvation.

**Minister:** O Lord, guide our President; **All:** And give Him your wisdom and justice.

**Minister:** May Your ministers serve You faithfully; **All:** And Your royal people joyfully.
Minister: In the valley of the shadow of death;
All: Protect us with Your rod and staff.

Minister: Like trees planted by the waterside;
All: Grant us the fruit of Your Spirit.

Minister: Send us out as the salt of the earth;
All: And as the light of the world.

Minister: May the earth be filled with Your glory;
All: As the waters cover the sea.

15. COLLECT FOR THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

All:
I thank You, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because You have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; Yes Father for such was Your gracious design. Grant that we, like babes, would embrace the imperatives of the kingdom and so conduct our lives in a manner that solely brings glory to Your name. Amen.
PRAYER FOR PEACE

Minister:
Almighty and everlasting God, Father of the Prince of peace, in returning and rest we are saved, in quietness and trust is our strength. Grant us the blessing of making peace and the joy of seeking justice. Take from our souls all strain and stress, and let our ordered lives confess, the beauty of Your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

PRAYER FOR GRACE

Minister:
Almighty God, You have been our guard through the night, keep us in Your care through the day; walking in the light, bearing witness to Your way, seeking first Your kingdom and seeing You in everyone; guide us in the footsteps of your Son, and lead us on the path to Your everlasting Day: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Minister:
Intercessory prayers – For our leaders, the nation, our needs.
PRAYER OF ST. CHRYSOSTOM

All:
Almighty God, by Your grace we have come together at this time to bring our united prayers to You; and You have promised by Your Son Jesus Christ, that when two or three are gathered in His name He will be in the midst of them.
Fulfil 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 world to come life everlasting; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

16. CHOIR ANTHEM: How lovely are thy dwellings (J. Brahms)

How lovely are Thy dwellings fair,
O Lord of Hosts, O Lord of Hosts.
Are Thy dwellings fair, O Lord of Hosts.
How lovely are Thy dwellings fair,
O Lord of Hosts,
How lovely are Thy dwellings fair,
O Lord of Hosts.
My soul ever longeth and fainteth,
My soul ever longeth and faintheth sore
for the blest courts of the Lord;
my heart and flesh do cry to God,
cry to the living God,

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How lovely are Thy dwelling fair,
O Lord of Hosts, O Lord of Hosts.
are Thy dwellings fair,
O Lord of Hosts.

Blest are they,
O blest are they that in thy house are dwelling,
they ever praise Thee, O Lord
they praise Thee, they praise thee
They ever praise, O Lord
they ever praise, ever praise Thee, O Lord,
They ever praise Thee, O Lord
They praise Thee, they praise Thee
they praise Thee, They praise Thee for ever more.
How lovely, how lovely,
how lovely, how lovely, how lovely,
how lovely, O Lord, Thy dwellings fair.

17. SHARING OF PEACE AND WELCOMING OF VISITORS

People Stand

18. HYMN: I need thee every hour

I need Thee every hour,
Most gracious Lord;
No tender voice like Thine
Can peace afford

I need Thee, O I need Thee;
Every hour I need Thee!
O bless me now, my Saviour,
I come to Thee!

I need Thee every hour:
Stay Thou near by;
Temptations lose their power
When Thou art nigh.
    I need Thee........
I need Thee every hour,  
In joy or pain;  
Come quickly and abide,  
Or life is vain.  
    I need Thee........

I need Thee every hour;  
Teach me Thy will;  
And Thy rich promises  
In me fulfil.  
    I need Thee........

I need Thee every hour,  
Most Holy One;  
Oh, make me Thine indeed,  
Thou blessed Son!  
    I need Thee........

19. SERMON: The Provost

20. OFFERTORY

[The Minister invites people to offer their gifts by using the details displayed on the screens]
Paybill No. 303036 for offertory, tithes, Organ Restoration etc
Paybill No. 303035 for Children and Teens Centre (CTC) Project.
Airtel users: Paybill 303035: Indicate what you are giving for
Cash offering using the baskets provided

21. OFFERTORY HYMN: How great thou art

O lord my God! When I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds thy hands have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy pow’r throughout the universe display’d:

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God to thee,
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Saviour God to Thee;
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
And hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze:
Then sings my soul............

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in.
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin;
Then sings my soul............
When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art!
Then sings my soul ...........

**Minister:** All things come from You O Lord.
**All:** And of Your own have we given.

*The Minister blesses the offertory/ tithes and gifts received.*

**22. NOTICES**

**23. THE BLESSING**

**Minister:**
Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us, to Him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever. And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always

**Amen.**
Who is on the Lord’s side? Who will serve the King?  
Who will be His helper’s, Other lives to bring?  
Who will leave the world’s side? Who will face the foe?  
Who is on the Lord’s side? Who for Him will go?  
By Thy call of Mercy, By Thy grace divine,  
We are on the Lord’s side; Saviour, we are Thine!  

Not for weight of glory, Not for crown and palm,  
Enter we the army, Raise the warrior-psalm;  
But for love that claimeth, Lives for whom He died:  
He whom Jesus nameth, Must be on His side!  
By Thy love constraining, By Thy grace divine,  
We are on the Lord’s side: Saviour, we are Thine!  

Jesus, Thou hast bought us. Not with gold or gem.  
But with Thine own life-blood. For Thy diadem.  
With Thy blessing filling, All who come to Thee  
Thou hast made us willing, Thou hast made us free.  
By Thy grand redemption, By Thy grace divine,  
We are on the Lord’s side, Saviour, we are Thine!
Fierce may be the conflict, Strong may be the foe,
But the King's own army, None can overthrow;
Round His standard ranging, Victory is secure,
For His truth unchanging, Makes the triumph sure.
Joyfully enlisting, By Thy grace divine,
We are on the Lord's side, Saviour, we are Thine!
NOTICES

a) WE PUBLISH THE BANNS OF MARRIAGE BETWEEN:


   This is the Third time of announcing

   If any one of you has any just cause why these people should not be joined in marriage you are to declare it to the Provost.

b) CHILDREN AND TEENS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS:

Parents and guardians of children and teens with special needs are requested to register at the Information Tent or via the Cathedral website to assist the Cathedral determines the best way to minister to these children.

c) TEENS CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION:

Registration for the confirmation of December 2022 is ongoing. Parents of teens are requested to register via the Cathedral website.
The registration link is in the “Notices” tab. The deadline for registration is Saturday 16th July 2022.

d) TEENS PARENTS’ REGISTRATION:

The teens ministry is updating their database and requests all parents of teenagers to register their teens’ details via the Cathedral website. The registration link is in the “Notices” tab.

e) IGCSE TEENS WEEK:

The Teens Ministry will hold a **three-day teens week** for teenagers in the IGCSE school system from **20th to 22nd July**. The sessions will be physical at the Cathedral from **8:30am to 12:30pm**. Please contact the teens coordinator for details.

f) CELL GROUP:

If you registered for cell group in the month of **May**, and you have not been contacted and also if you would like to join a **Cell Group**, please visit the information tent after the service. Cell Groups’ Ministry team will be there to attend to you.
g) APPEAL FOR DONATION OF FOOD:

We appeal to Cathedral congregation for support towards the Cathedral Food bank. You can either donate dry foods or send a contribution through paybill 303036 Acct: Food bank.

h) ANNUAL MARRIAGE CONFERENCE 2022:

Couples are invited to the Annual Marriage Conference from 20th to 23rd October at PrideInn Flamingo Beach Resort and Spa, Mombasa. The cost is Kshs. 45,000 per couple excluding transport payable via Cathedral paybill 303036, account Momconf2022. Kindly register via Cathedral website.

i) A HEALTH TALK FOR SENIOR CITIZENS:

Is scheduled to take place on 6th July 2022 from 11am to 12 noon. For planning, register at information tent.

j) SERVICES DURING THE WEEK:

We welcome you to the following services which are held at the Cathedral during the week.
i. 7.00am from Monday to Friday: Holy Communion Service  
ii. 5.00am on Wednesdays: Online Prayer Sessions for women  
iii. 10.00am on Wednesdays: Senior Citizens Holy Communion Service  
iv. 5.30pm on Wednesdays: Prayer & Healing Service (Physical)  
Main Sanctuary
**RESUMPTION OF SUNDAY SERVICES**

we have resume services as they were pre-covid. This means the services are as follows;

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MAKING PAYMENTS

1. For Tithe, Thanksgiving, Offertory, Organ Restoration, etc:
   Paybill No. 303036
   Account Name: All Saints’ Cathedral Church
   ABSA Bank, Queensway Branch
   A/C No. 0941048099

2. For CTC payments:
   Mpesa Paybill No. 303035
   Account: Your phone number
   Bank A/C Name: All Saints Cathedral CTC
   ABSA Bank, Queensway Branch
   A/C No. 2034405894
Let every person be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, & those that exist have been instituted by God.

ROMANS 13:1