

THE 5TH SUNDAY IN LENT

MARCH 22, 2026

MORNING PRAYER

*Please stand when the * appears.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship Isaiah 57:15

“Thus says the High and Lofty One Who inhabits eternity,

Whose Name is Holy: ‘I dwell in the high and holy place,

With him who has a contrite and humble spirit, To revive the spirit of
the humble, And to revive the heart of the contrite ones.”

*Hymn #344 *O God Beyond All Praising*

*Order for Morning Prayer Book of Common Prayer (BCP) p. 7

A General Confession BCP 7

Personal Confession of Sin

An Alternate Declaration of Remission of Sins BCP 76

The Lord’s Prayer BCP 8

Congregational Response

*The Psalter Psalm 66 Pew Bible, page 588

**The Gloria Patri* BCP 10

The First Lesson Lamentations 3:19-33 Pew Bible, page 822

Special Music Praise Team

The Second Lesson Matthew 5:21-32 Pew Bible, page 961

**The Jubilate Deo* BCP 16

*The Apostles’ Creed BCP 16

Congregational Response

The Collect of the Day

WE beg You, Almighty God, mercifully to look upon Your people;
that by Your great goodness they may be governed and preserved

evermore, both in body and soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

THE Collect for Lent

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, Who hates nothing that You have
made, and does forgive the sins of all those who are penitent;
Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that we, worthily
lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, may
obtain of You, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and
forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A Collect for Peace BCP 17

A Collect for Grace BCP 18

A Prayer for Every Man in His Work BCP 68

A Prayer for the Impenitent BCP 69

A Prayer for All Conditions of Men BCP 20

A General Thanksgiving BCP 21

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom BCP 21

The Grace Pascuzzi

Special Music Krystle Fink, *Soprano*

**The Doxology*

*Presentation of the Offering

*Praise Song *Purify My Heart*

Sermon Pastor Cedric R. Benner

Sermon Title: “Christ’s Authoritative Interpretation of the Law”

Sermon text: Matthew 5:21-32

*Hymn #338 *The God of Abraham Praise*

*Benediction

*Postlude
