



LENT 3

SUNDAY 7 MARCH 2021

WELCOME

Grace to you and peace from God our Creator,
the love at our beginning and without end,
in our midst and with us.

God is with us, here we find new life.

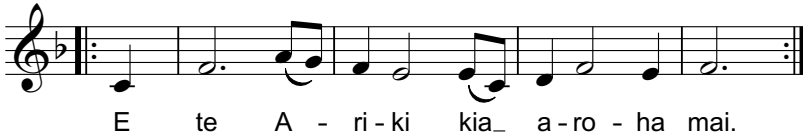
We gather as a community of faith
to make our Lenten journey.
May God be with us in our letting go
and in our living with hope.

Eternal Spirit, living God,
in whom we live and move and have our being,
all that we are, have been, and shall be is known to you,
to the very secret of our hearts
and all that rises to trouble us.

**Living flame burn into us,
cleansing wind, blow through us,
fountain of water, well up within us,
that we may love and praise in deed and in truth.**

FORGIVENESS

1st time CANTOR, 2nd time ALL



[Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy]

Ian Render. Tune: Newlands Road. FFS 13

THE SENTENCE AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

Your word is a lamp for my feet, and a light upon my path.

Psalm 119:105

**God of challenge,
come into this temple,
that we, your people,
may become a temple of your presence,
gathered around your word.
Amen.**

PSALM 122

Matthew Howes

THE GOSPEL

John 2:13-22

THE SERMON

Rev George Bush, Rector of St Mary-le-Bow Church, London

HYMN

**Breathe on me, breath of God,
fill me with life anew,
that I may love what thou dost love
and do what thou wouldst do.**

**Breathe on me, breath of God
until my heart is pure,
until with thee I will one will,
to do and to endure.**

**Breathe on me, breath of God,
till I am wholly thine,
until this earthly part of me
glows with thy fire divine.**

**Breathe on me, breath of God;
so shall I never die,
but live with thee the perfect life
of thine eternity.**

Words: Edwin Hatch (1835-1889)

Tune: Carlisle, Charles Lockhart (1745-1815)

THE PRAYERS

THE SILENCE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

E tō mātou Matua i te rangi
Kia tapu tōu Ingoa.
Kia tae mai tōu rangatiratanga.
Kia meatia tāu e pai ai
ki runga ki te whenua,
kia rite anō ki tō te rangi.
Hōmai ki a mātou āiane
he taro mā mātou mō tēnei rā.
Murua ō mātou hara,
Me mātou hoki e muru nei
i ō te hunga e hara ana ki a mātou.
Aua hoki mātou e kawea kia whakawaia;
Engari whakaorangia mātou i te kino:
Nōu hoki te rangatiratanga, te kaha,
me te korōria,
Āke ake ake. Āmine.

THE BLESSING

May Christ who calls you to take up your cross,
give you strength to bear your own
and one another's burdens and the blessing of God our
Creator, Redeemer and Giver of life
be with you now and always. Amen.

DISMISSAL

Go now to live the gospel, go in peace.
Amen. We go to serve in love.

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Fantasia in C minor, BWV 537
Paul Chan, Director of Music

J. S. Bach