

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT (B) – 21 FEBRUARY 2021

*Hymns are only given here to accompany the on-line Celebration of Mass during the covid-19 Pandemic.
Unless otherwise stated all hymns are taken from our parish hymn books,
'Laudate,' and 'Hymns Old & New,' and my own hymn book collections.*

Entrance: Alleluia! Amen! No. 35

I have made a covenant with My chosen given My servant My word.
I have made Your name to last forever built to outlast all time.

*I will celebrate Your love, O Lord, forever.
Age on age my words proclaim Your love.
For I claim that love is built to last forever,
founded firm Your faithfulness*

Lord, that assembly of those who love You applaud Your marvellous word.
Who in the skies compares with You, Lord? Who can rival You?

I have revealed My chosen servant and He can rely on Me;
given Him My love to last forever He shall rise in My name.

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Genesis 9:8-15

Psalm: - *Psalm 24:* **Remember, remember, your mercy Lord.
Remember, remember, your mercy Lord.
Hear your people's prayer as they call to you.
Remember, remember, your mercy Lord.**

Second Reading: The first letter of St Peter 3:18-22

Acclamation: **'Glory to you O Christ, you are the Word of God.'**

Gospel: Mark 1:12-15 **Homily.** **Creed.**

Prayer of the Faithful: *R/. Lord, bless your people (x3) redeemed by your blood.*

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts: Hymns Old & New. No.286

God forgave my sin in Jesus' name. I've been born again in Jesus' name.
And in Jesus' name I come to you to share His love as He told me to.

*He said: 'Freely, freely, you have received; freely, freely give.
Go in My name, and because you believe, others will know that I live.'*

All pow'r is given in Jesus' name, in earth and heaven in Jesus' name.
And in Jesus' name I come to you to share His power as He told me to.

Communion: Hymns Old & New. No.757

You shall cross the barren desert, but you shall not die of thirst.
You shall wander far in safety though you do not know the way.
You shall speak your words in foreign lands and all will understand.
You shall see the face of God and live.

*Be not afraid. I go before you always.
Come follow me, and I will give you rest.*

If you pass through raging waters in the sea, you shall not drown.
If you walk amid the burning flames, you shall not be harmed.
If you stand before the pow'r of hell and death is at your side,
know that I am with you through it all.

Blessed are your poor, for the kingdom shall be theirs.
Blest are you that weep and mourn, for one day you shall laugh.
And if wicked men insult and hate you all because of me,
blessed, blessed are you!

Blessing and Dismissal

Recessional: Celebration Hymnal for Everyone. No.219

God of mercy and compassion, look with pity upon me;
Father, let me call Thee Father, 'tis Thy child returns to Thee.

*Jesus, Lord, I ask for mercy; let me not implore in vain;
all my sins, I now detest them, help me never sin again.*

By my sins I have deserved death and endless misery,
Hell with all its pains and torments, and for all eternity.

By my sins I have abandoned right and claim to heav'n above.
Where the saints rejoice forever in a boundless sea of love.

See our Saviour, bleeding, dying, on the cross of Calvary;
To that cross my sins have nail'd Him, yet He bleeds and dies for me.