

July 4, 2021: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRELUDE: *Performed by Tom Fagan*

Chorale Prelude -- Bitten Wir -- Buxtehude

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aatw7z4h0sE>

INTRODUCTORY RITES:

Introduction:

Good morning to all of you. Welcome to today's Liturgy of the Word on this Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

We acknowledge our presence on the traditional territories of the Indigenous communities that preceded the founding of our parish.

– pause –

We offer today's Liturgy of the Word in prayer for those whose unmarked graves were uncovered at the former Residential School on the territory of the Ktunaxa (pronounced: K-too-nah-ha) Nation. We also offer the Liturgy in prayer for the people of Lytton, B.C. and for all people in Western Canada struggling with the extreme heat and wildfires. Finally, we pray for the community of St. Jean Baptiste Parish in Morinville, Alberta, whose church burned this week as well as for the many indigenous parish communities whose churches also recently burned. – *pause* –

We encourage full, conscious, and active participation in today's celebration. All are invited to pray and sing together. Our participation, in whatever form, is a gift and ministry to each other.

This morning's homily is offered by our former pastor, Fr. Richard Beaudette.

Let us begin with a moment of silence as we prepare our hearts and minds for transformation and renewal.

ONE Minute of Silence

Sharing in God's peace - let us welcome each other.

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Entrance Chant:

As We Gather at Your Table – Carl P. Daw Jr.

Music: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3WlgV63-ZxA>

Lyrics: <https://digitalsongsandhymns.com/songs/4638>

Greeting:

Leader: **We gather in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.**

ALL: **Amen.**

Penitential Act:

Leader: Gathered together in Christ, let us ask forgiveness with confidence, for God is full of gentleness and compassion.

– *pause* –

Leader: Lord Jesus, you were sent to lift us out of fear:
Lord, have mercy.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: Christ Jesus, you transform weakness to strength:
Christ, have mercy.

ALL: Christ, have mercy.

Leader: Lord Jesus, your words bring us truth and life:
Lord, have mercy.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

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Leader: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

ALL: Amen.

Gloria:

Leader: Together let us sing praise to God.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qOPkiFXjqII>

Collect:

Leader: Let us pray: *- pause -*

God of the prophets,

in every age you send the word of truth,

familiar yet new,

a sign of contradiction.

Give us the vision

to see Christ in our midst

and to welcome your saving word.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,

who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

God for ever and ever.

ALL: **Amen**

Leader: Let us prepare to listen to God's Word.

LITURGY OF THE WORD:

*** Please see the document titled “Readings for the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time”. The readings from the Children’s Lectionary are also included for those families with young children. The second reading is omitted when the readings for children are used. Pre-recorded readings are available via this link: <https://bible.usccb.org/podcasts/audio/2021-07-04-usccb-daily-mass-readings>

First Reading..... Ezekiel 2.3-5

<i>RESPONSE AT THE END OF THE FIRST READING:</i>	
Lector:	The word of the Lord.
ALL:	Thanks be to God.

**** 30 seconds of silence****

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 123

https://www.livingwithchrist.ca/mp3/B-188%20Fourteenth%20Sunday%20in%20Ordinary%20Time%20B%20-%20Psalm%20123.mp3?_ga=2.240694851.1173550664.1624996233-1279089305.1591722439

Second Reading.....2 Corinthians 12.7-10

<i>RESPONSE AT THE END OF THE SECOND READING:</i>	
Lector:	The word of the Lord.
ALL:	Thanks be to God.

**** 30 seconds of silence****

Gospel Acclamation..... Luke 4.18

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o91X6sMfVJ0>

RESPONSE AT THE BEGINNING OF THE GOSPEL:

Lector: **A reading from the holy Gospel according to
Mark.**

ALL: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Gospel..... Mark 6.1-6

RESPONSE AT THE END OF THE GOSPEL:

Lector: **The Gospel of the Lord.**

ALL: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Homily..... Fr. Richard Beaudette

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=af3pnAMEyrg>

Profession of Faith:

**** Following the reflection, the Leader invites those gathered to profess their faith with the Apostles' Creed. Pg. 15 in the Sunday Missal.*

Leader: **Let us profess our faith together:**

ALL: **I believe in God,
the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day He rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father
almighty;
from there He will come to judge the living and the
dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.
Amen.**

Prayers of the Faithful:

Leader: Let us bring our prayers before God.

***** INTENTIONS ARE READ**

****Response: Loving God, hear our prayer.*

****Following the Intentions, the Leader prays the following:*

Leader: God of insight and God of love, we humbly present our prayers to you, mindful of our failures to recognize your presence in our midst, but confident that your mercy is everlasting and abundant. Open our eyes, heal our hearts, transform our need with your grace. We ask this through Christ, our Lord.

ALL: Amen.

HYMN:

Eye Has Not Seen – Marty Haugen

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rRyOS0nZr7s>

THE LORD’S PRAYER:

Leader: With the words that Jesus taught us, let us now pray together:

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

Leader: Deliver us, God, from every evil.
Graciously grant peace in our days,
that by the help of your mercy,
we may always be free from sin
and safe from all distress,
as we await the blessed hope
and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

ALL: **For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and forever.**

Leader: Lord, Jesus Christ, you said to your apostles:
“I leave you peace, my peace I give you.”
Look not on our sins, but on the faith of your
Church, and grant us the peace and unity of
your Kingdom, where you live for ever and ever.

ALL: **Amen**

Sign of Peace:

Leader: Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

Closing Prayer:

Leader: Let us pray:
Through your word, O God,
you have filled us with every blessing.
Grant that we may hold fast to your saving gifts
and never cease to sing your praise.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

ALL: Amen

CONCLUDING RITES:

Blessing:

Leader: May almighty God bless us, the Father, and the Son,
and the Holy Spirit.

ALL: Amen.

Dismissal:

Leader: Let us go forth in the peace of Christ.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

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CLOSING HYMN:

For the Healing of the Nations

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QXtfIE6jSYQ>

POSTLUDE: *Performed by Tom Fagan*

Postlude on Carlisle – Healey Willan

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l4N8XsCqcTM>