

**Service of Morning Prayer
The Seventh Sunday After Epiphany
Emmanuel Church West Roxbury, MA
Sunday, February 20, 2022**

Welcome to Emmanuel Church, West Roxbury. Today's service is a lay-led service of Morning Prayer

Processional Hymn 390

Praise to the lord

Leader: Nations shall come to your light, and Kings to the brightness of your rising. *Isaiah 60:3*

Leader: From the rising of the sun to its setting my Name shall be great among the nations, and in every place incense shall be offered to my Name, and a pure offering; For my Name shall be great among the nations, says the Lord of hosts. *Malachi 1:11*

Leader: Send out your light and your truth, that they may lead me, and bring me to your holy hill and to your dwelling. *Psalms 43:3*

Confession of Sin

The Leader says to the people

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Response

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Leader: Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. *Amen.*

The Invitatory and Psalter*All stand**Leader:* Lord, open our lips.*Response:* And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as
it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.
Alleluia!

Leader: The Lord has shown forth his glory: come let us adore Him.**Venite** *Psalm 95:1-7*

Come, let us sing to the Lord; *

let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving *

and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God, *

and a great King above all gods.

In his hand are the caverns of the earth, *

and the heights of the hills are his also.

The sea is his, for he made it, *

and his hands have molded the dry land.

Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, *

and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

For he is our God,

and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand. *

Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

The Psalm Appointed for the Day**Psalm 37***See white insert***The Lessons****A Reading from Genesis 45:3-11, 15***see white insert*

The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God**A Reading from 1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50***See white insert*

The word of the Lord

Response Thanks be to God

Canticle 9 The First Song of Isaiah 12:2-6

Surely, it is God who saves me; *
 I will trust in him and not be afraid.
 For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense, *
 and he will be my Savior.
 Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing *
 from the springs of salvation.
 And on that day you shall say, *
 Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his Name;
 Make his deeds known among the peoples; *
 see that they remember that his Name is exalted.
 Sing the praises of the Lord, for he has done great things, *
 and this is known in all the world.
 Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, *
 for the great one in the midst of you is the Holy One of Israel.
 Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
 as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

The Third Reading Luke 6:27-38

see white insert

Response The Word of the Lord
 Thanks be to God

The Apostles' Creed

Officiant and People together, all standing

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
 creator of heaven and earth;
 I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
 He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
 and born of the Virgin Mary.
 He 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,
 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
 He will come again 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 the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Response: And also with you.

Leader: Let us Pray.

Leader and people

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.

For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen

Suffrages B

Responsively

V. Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance;

R. Govern and uphold them, now and always.

V. Day by day we bless you;

R. We praise your name for ever.

V. Lord, keep us from all sin today;

R. Have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy.

V. Lord, show us your love and mercy;

R. For we put our trust in you.

V. In you, Lord, is our hope;

R. And we shall never hope in vain.

Today's Collect

Oh, Lord, you have taught us that without love whatever we do is worth nothing; Send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts your greatest gift, which is love the true bond of peace and of all virtue, without which whoever lives is accounted dead before you. Grant this for the sake of

your only Son Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit one God now and forever. Amen.

A Collect for Sundays

O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

A Collect for the Renewal of Life

O God, the King eternal, whose light divides the day from the night and turns the shadow of death into the morning: Drive far from us all wrong desires, incline our hearts to keep your law, and guide our feet into the way of peace; that, having done your will with cheerfulness during the day, we may, when night comes, rejoice to give you thanks; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Prayer for Mission

Lord Jesus Christ, you stretched out your arms of love on the hard wood of the cross that everyone might come within the reach of your saving embrace: So clothe us in your Spirit that we, reaching forth our hands in love, may bring those who do not know you to the knowledge and love of you; for the honor of your Name. *Amen.*

Intercessions

We pray for those in the Diocesan cycle of Prayer.

We pray for Paul, Mary, Catherine, Brant, Michael, Parker, Sergio, Martha, Gail, Anne, Patricia, Joanna, KJ, and Fr. Robert.

We invite you own intercessions

Hymnal 304

I come with Joy

The General Thanksgiving

Leader and People

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,

we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks
 for all your goodness and loving-kindness
 to us and to all whom you have made.
 We bless you for our creation, preservation,
 and all the blessings of this life;
 but above all for your immeasurable love
 in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;
 for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.
 And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,
 that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,
 not only with our lips, but in our lives,
 by giving up our selves to your service,
 and by walking before you
 in holiness and righteousness all our days;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord,
 to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
 be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

A Prayer of St Chrysostom

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one
 accord to make our common supplication to you; and you
 have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two
 or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the
 midst of them: Fulfill 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 age to come life everlasting. *Amen.*

Leader: Let us bless the Lord, Alleluia, Alleluia

Response: Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia

Hymnal 657

Love Divine

May the God of all hope fill us with all joy and peace in believing through the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen. *Romans 15:13*

Thank you for worshiping with us today. We invite you to join us next Sunday for our live in-person service.

Serving Today

Celebrant
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Notes

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