



# National ECD Worship

Third Sunday after Epiphany | The Rev. Richard Mahaffy - Presiding

*January 21, 2024 - 3 PM EST | 12 PM PST*

# Today's Worship Leaders

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❖ **Collects, Sermon, Confession & Dismissal**

The Rev. Richard Mahaffy, Diocese of SW Florida

❖ **Lectors & Gospel**

The Rev. Erich Kregel, Episcopal Church of Connecticut

The Rev. Christine Verrone, St. Barnabas Deaf Church, Diocese of Washington

❖ **Apostle Creed**

Ricardo Lopez, St. Barnabas Deaf Church

❖ **Prayer of the People**

Fran Croft, St. Barnabas Deaf Church

❖ **The Lord's Prayer**

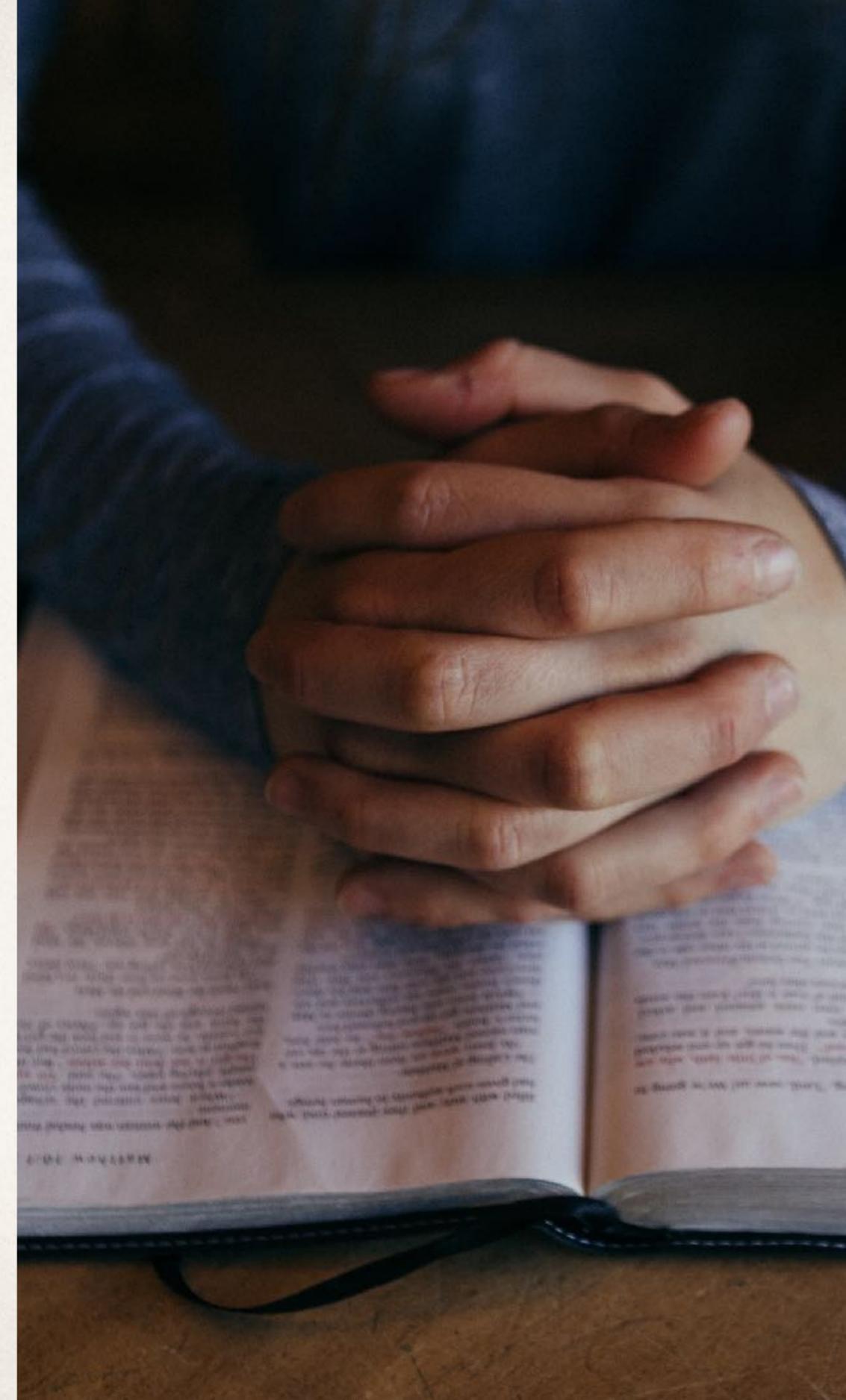
Rebecca Aranow, St. Ann's Deaf Church

❖ **Technology Verger**

Jason D. Boyd, Diocese of Mississippi

❖ **Voice Interpreter**

Diane Lynch, Diocese of Atlanta



# The Collect (Prayer of the Week)

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Presider: God is with you.

People: **And also with you**

Presider: Let us pray.

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*



# First Reading

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The Rev. Erich Kregel

Jonah 3:1-5, 10

3:1 The word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time, saying,

3:2 "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you."

3:3 So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across.

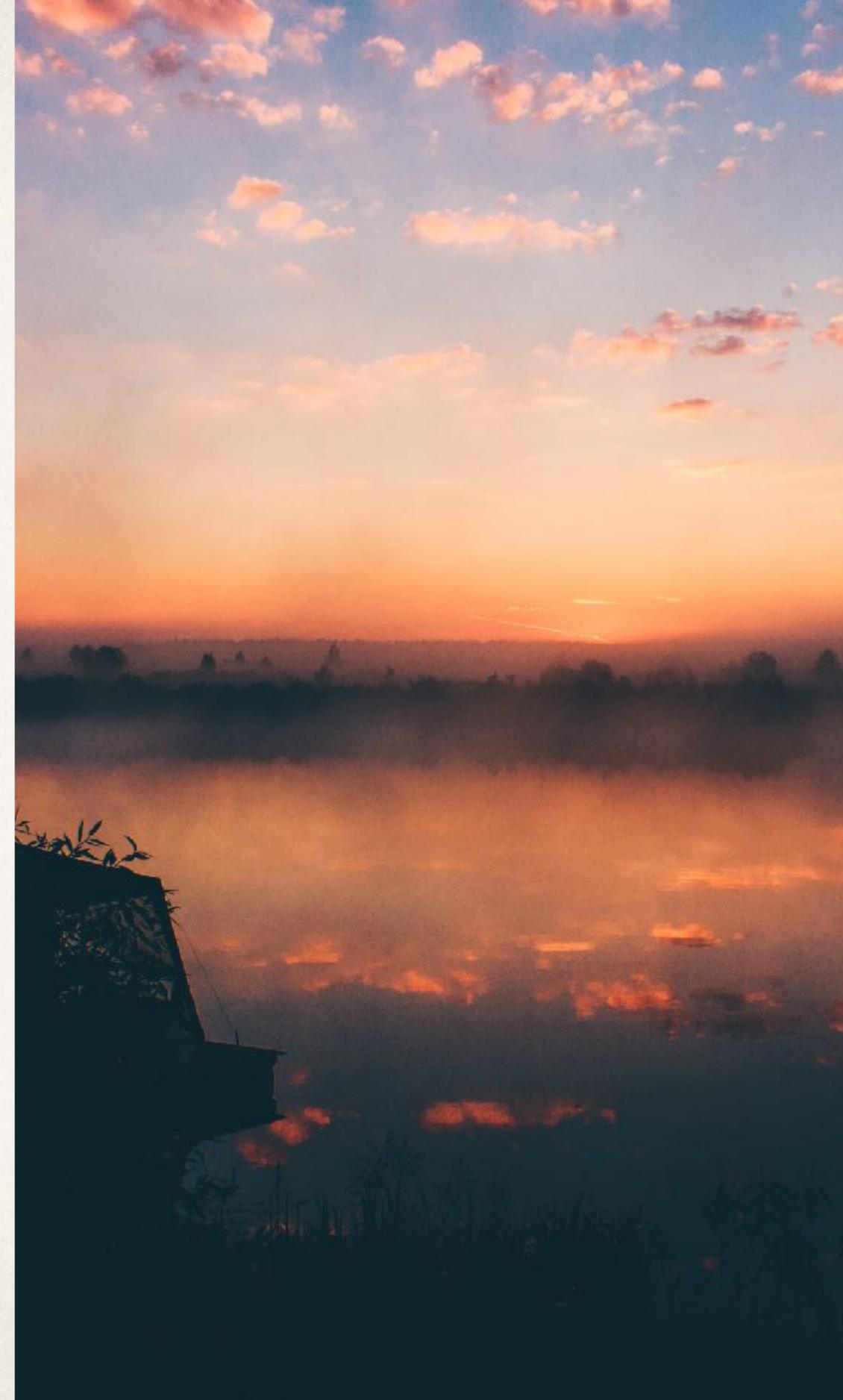
3:4 Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!"

3:5 And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth.

3:10 When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord

*People:* **Thanks be to God**



# The Gospel

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The Rev. Christine Verrone

Mark 1:14-20

*Reader:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Mark.

*People:* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

1:14 Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God,

1:15 and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news."

1:16 As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea--for they were fishermen.

1:17 And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people."

1:18 And immediately they left their nets and followed him.

1:19 As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets.

1:20 Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

*Reader:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:* **Praise to you Lord Christ.**

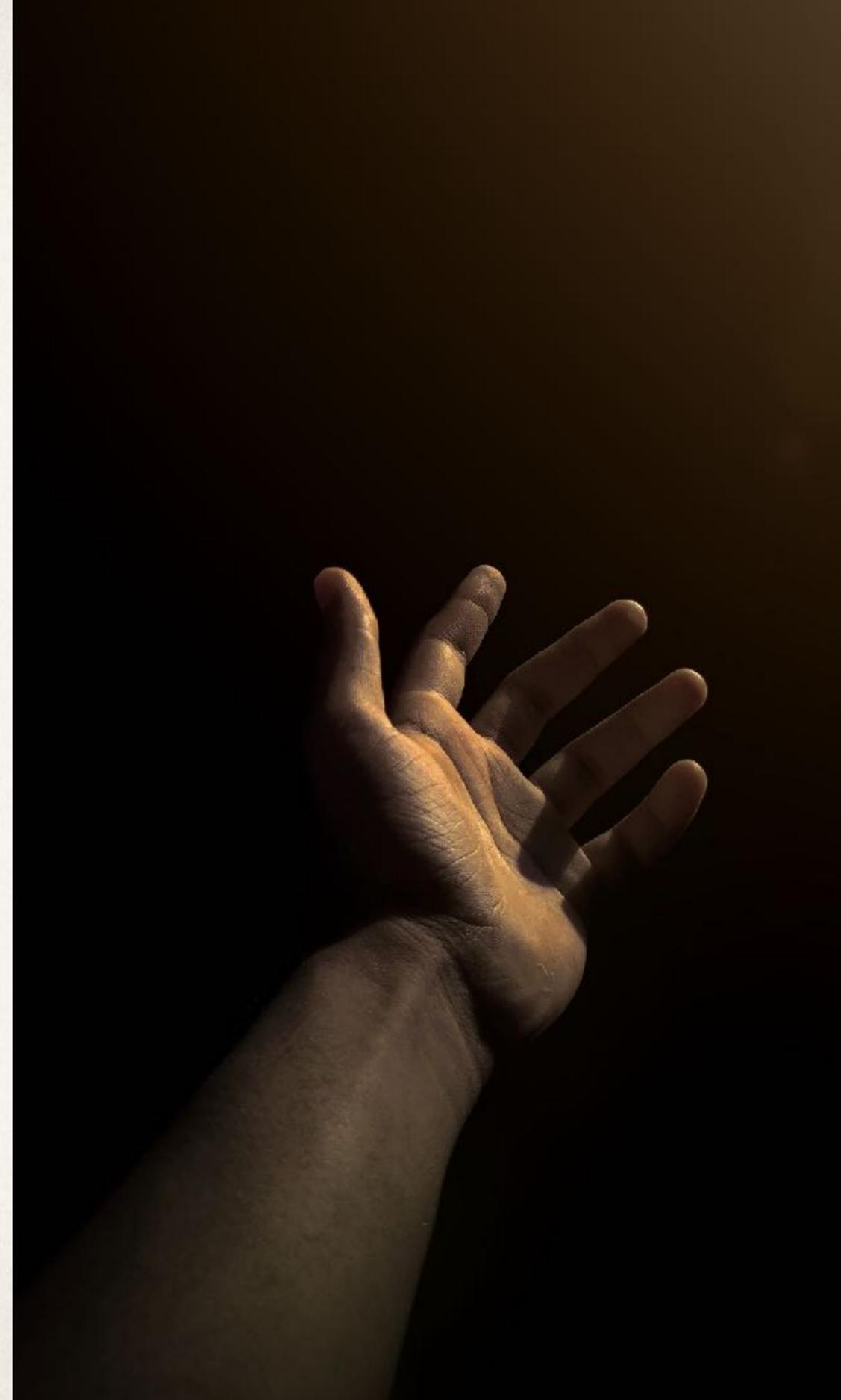


# The Sermon

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The Rev. Richard Mahaffy  
Diocese of Southwest Florida

Follow me and  
I will make you fish for people



# The Apostles' Creed

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Ricardo Lopez

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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 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 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.



# Please open "Chat" to share prayers.

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**On a computer, chat will open on the side, and you can type in prayers below**

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# The Prayers of the People

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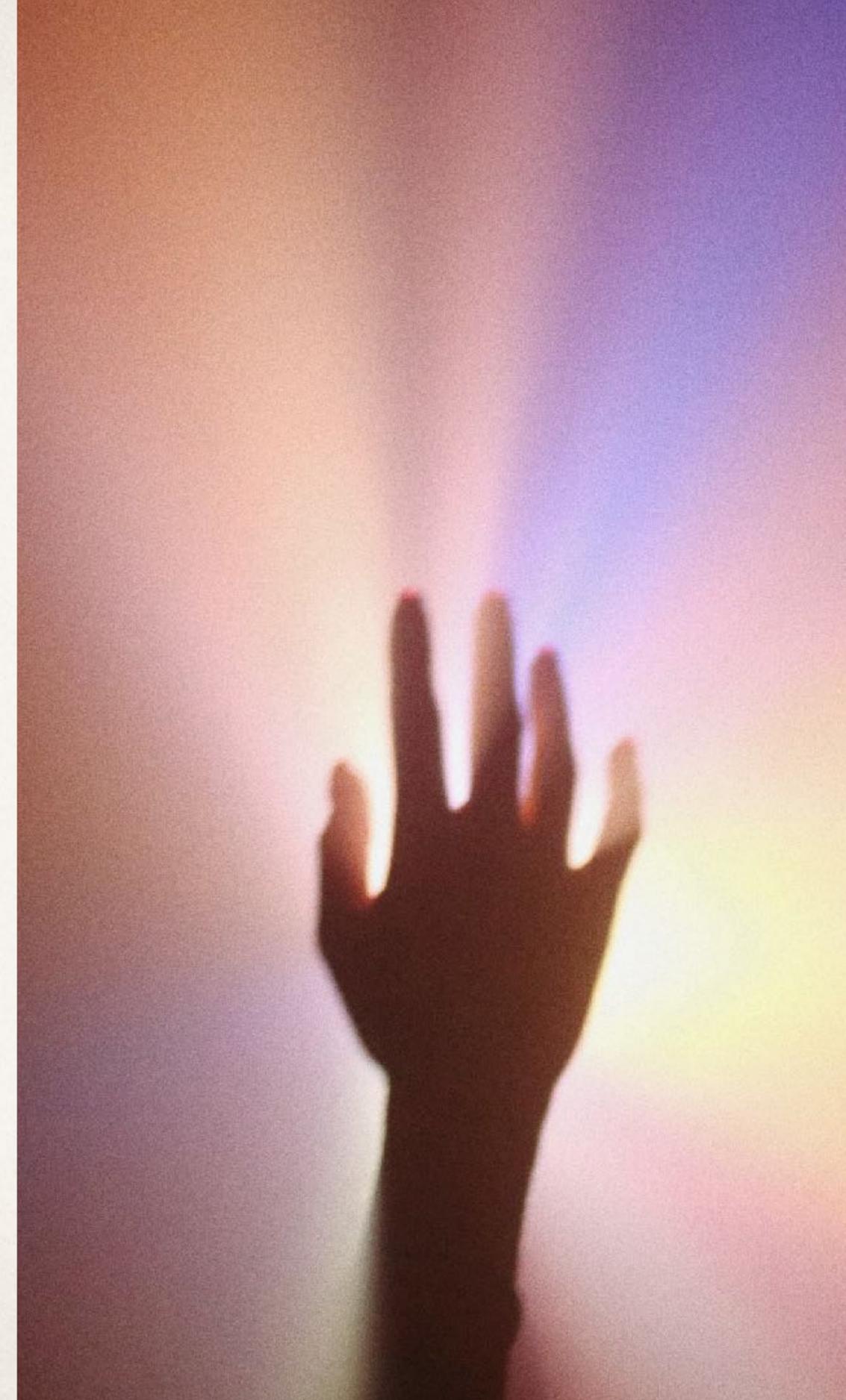
Frances Croft - Intercessor

Now, we pray for the Church, People, and World.

- ❖ People are sad, sick, scared, broke, or in trouble.
- ❖ For our local communities, nation, and world; for leaders — fair, compassionate.
- ❖ For God's Church all over the world, enacting God's mission.
- ❖ For people who recently died and all people grieving.

The intercessor signs the prayer request from CHAT, then leads the closing:

*People:* **Prayers we typed,  
prayers we thought,  
prayers touch-heart,  
all lifted to YOU Lord.**



# Confession of Sin

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The Rev. Richard Mahaffy

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Leader: Let us confess our sins to God and our neighbor.  
*(we pause to examine our sins, mistakes, and regrets.)*

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against  
you  
with thought, word, and deed,  
How? activity-finished, activity-not yet.  
We love you completely? No;  
we love our neighbors as ourselves? No.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
Because of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us:  
that we are pleased in your will,  
and follow in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.



# Assurance of God's Forgiveness & Love

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The Rev. Richard Mahaffy

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Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in life everlasting.

*People:* **Amen.**

The Peace

*Priest:* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**



# The Lord's Prayer

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Rebecca Aranow

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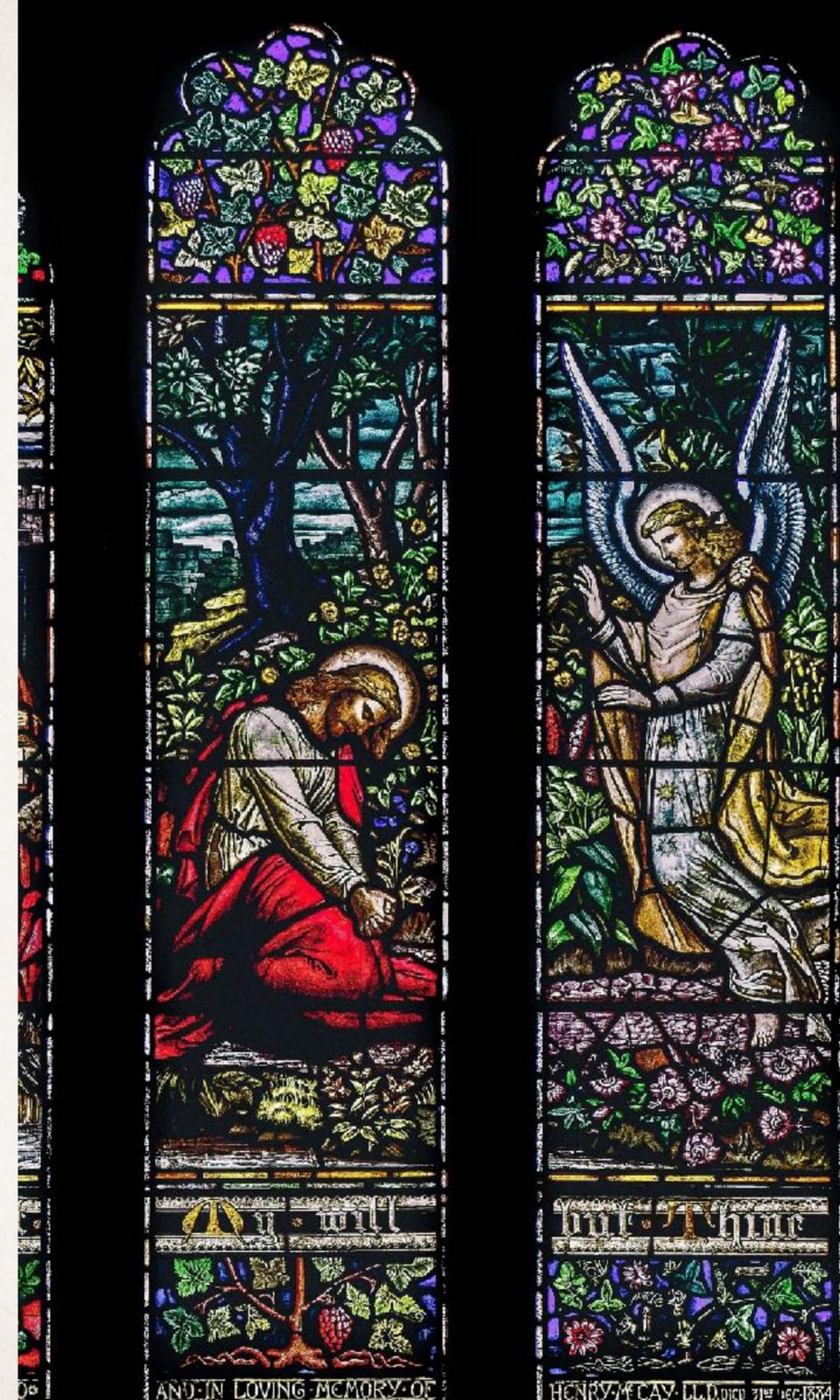
Our Father, where, heaven, your Name holy,  
your kingdom come, your will (want) is done,  
here earth - heaven same.

Today, give-us our daily bread.

You forgive our sins likewise we forgive  
people's sin against us.

Save us during time of struggle, save us from  
evil.

Why? Kingdom, power, glory are yours,  
now — forever. Amen.



AND IN LOVING MEMORY OF

HENRY M. CAY, LL.D. DIED 7th DEC 1884

# The Dismissal

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The Rev Richard Mahaffy

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*Priest:* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**





# Virtual Coffee Hour

Feel free to grab coffee or snack, and come back.

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