THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT — MARCH 8, 2026

PRELUDE: Chorale Prelude: *Auf meinen lieben Gott* — Johann Nicolaus Hanff (1663-1711)

INTRODUCTORY RITE

GATHERING: *From Ashes to the Living Font* — ST. FLAVIAN

Ritual Song Hymnal **#562**, stanza 3: Yr A Sunday 3

PENITENTIAL ACT: CONFITEOR & KYRIE (8:30, Introduction to Penitential Rite) — Chant

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COLLECT

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: — Exodus 17:3-7

Abraham God satisfied the thirst of the Israelites.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: *Ps. 95 If today you hear his voice* — Guimont

Ps. 95:1-2,6-9. Text: Verses, *The Abbey Psalms and Canticles*, © 2018, 2010, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, DC; refrain, *Lectionary for Mass,* © 1969, 1981, 1997, ICEL. Music: Michel Guimont, © 1994, GIA Publications, Inc. All Rights Reserved.

SECOND READING: — Romans 5:1-2,5-8

Through his spirit his grace has been poured inro our hearts.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: *Mass of Remembrance* — Haugen

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GOSPEL READING: John 4:5-42

Jesus satisfies our thirst for eternal life.

HOMILY Fr. Paul Ruwe

APOSTLES' CREED (4 & 11:15 ONLY)

8:30: FIRST SCRUTINY OF THE ELECT

The celebration of this rite presumes a maturity of faith and understanding which are needed for fuller life in the Christian community. This rite is intended to help prepare candidates for Reconciliation.

INVITATION TO SLIENT PRAYER & PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES

INTERCESSIONS FOR CANDIDATES & FOR ALL (including 4 & 11:15) Byzantine Chant

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PRAYER OVER THE CANDIDATES & DISMISSAL

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION: Ps. 130: *With the Lord There is Mercy* Joncas

Ritual Song Hymnal **#104**

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY: *Mass of Remembrance* Haugen

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION: *Mass of Remembrance* Haugen

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GREAT AMEN: *Mass of Remembrance* Haugen

COMMUNION RITE

LAMB OF GOD: *Agnus Dei XVIII* Chant

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COMMUNION ANTIPHON: John 4: 14; Ps. 115 — Johnson

Vs 1: How can I repay the Lord of all his goodness to me? The cup of salvation I will raise; I will call on the name of the Lord. *R./*

Vs 2: My vows to the Lord I will fulfil before all his people/ How precious in the eyes of the Lord is the death of his faithful.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Spirit…Amen. *R./*

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COMMUNION PROCESSIONAL: *We Belong to You* — Thomson

Ritual Song Hymnal **#865**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

CONCLUDING RITE

SENDING: *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say* — KINGSFOLD

Ritual Song Hymnal **#821**

POSTLUDE: Prelude on "St. Flavian" — T.F.H. Candlyn (1892-1964)

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