

wisdom, because Moses had laid his hands on him; and the Israelites obeyed him, doing as the LORD had commanded Moses. ¹⁰Never since has there arisen a prophet in Israel like Moses, whom the LORD knew face to face. ¹¹He was unequalled for all the signs and wonders that the LORD sent him to perform in the land of Egypt, against Pharaoh and all his servants and his entire land, ¹²and for all the mighty deeds and all the terrifying displays of power that Moses performed in the sight of all Israel.

Hymn *Immortal Invisible...* #263
Matthew 22:34-46 ³⁴When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, ³⁵and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. ³⁶“Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?” ³⁷He said to him, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.” ³⁸This is the greatest and first commandment. ³⁹And a second is like it: ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ ⁴⁰On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.”
⁴¹Now while the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them this question: ⁴²“What do you think of the Messiah? Whose son is he?” They said to him, “The son of David.” ⁴³He said to them, “How is it then that David by the Spirit calls him Lord, saying, ⁴⁴‘The

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Lord said to my Lord, “Sit at my right hand, until I put your enemies under your feet”?” ⁴⁵If David thus calls him Lord, how can he be his son?” ⁴⁶No one was able to give him an answer, nor from that day did anyone dare to ask him any more questions.

Sermon Rev. Sharon Carter
Responding in Faith
Affirmation of Faith
Apostles' Creed, ecumenical p.14
The Service of Giving
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Sharing of Joys and Concerns
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Going into the World
+Hymn *Sent Out in Jesus' Name* 2184
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+Postlude

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+Stand as you are able
Leader reads plain type, Congregation reads bold type

Preparing Ourselves

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

¡Bienvenido!

Lighting of the Christ candle

La gracia y la paz del Señor Jesucristo estén con ustedes (The grace and peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you!)

+Call to Worship Psalm 19:7-10

L: Este es el día que el Señor ha hecho (This is the day that the Lord has made)

P: Déjanos regocijarnos y alegrarnos (Let us rejoice and be glad in it)

+Opening Prayer

God of grace and glory, today we celebrate our Protestant heritage as well as our friendship with the Nicaragua Partners. Remind us of our history and speak to us of our future, showing us that you are the thread that runs through all of our lives. We pray this in the name of Christ, who taught us to pray together: *Padre nuestro, que estás en el cielo, santificado sea tu Nombre; venga a nosotros tu reino; hágase tu voluntad en la tierra como en el cielo. Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día; perdona nuestras ofensas como también nosotros perdonamos a los que nos ofenden; no*

nos dejes caer en la tentación y libranos del mal. Tuyo es el reino, tuyo el poder y la Gloria, por siempre, Señor. (Our Father, who is in heaven, hallowed is your Name; Your kingdom come; Your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our bread of each day; forgive our offenses as we also forgive the ones who offend us; do not lead us into temptation but save us from evil. Yours is the kingdom, yours is the power and the glory, for always, Lord.)

+Hymn Lord, You Have Come... #377

Call to Confession

Confession Let us pray: We confess to you Almighty God, and to our brothers and sisters, that we have sinned

Why didn't God allow Moses to enter the promised land? What do you think or feel about this? Have you found yourself on the brink of an achievement but unable to complete it? How did that make you feel?

through our own fault, in our thoughts and in our words, in what we have done and what we have failed to do. Have mercy on us, O God and forgive us and move us to forgive as you have forgiven us. Show us a better way through your son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

L: In Jesus Christ we are all forgiven. Thanks be to God! Amen.

P: In Jesus Christ we are all forgiven. Thanks be to God! Amen.

Song Come & Fill Our Hearts STF2157

The Peace

As God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another:

L: La paz de Jesuchristo esté con ustedes. (The peace of Jesus Christ be with you all.)

P: y con tu espíritu. (and with your spirit.)

Anthem Many and Great

Hearing the Word

Prayer for Illumination

May your word, O Lord, bring us comfort and joy, as well as challenge us to live in the way of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Scripture Readings

Deuteronomy 34:1-12 Then Moses went up from the plains of Moab to Mount Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, which

is opposite Jericho, and the LORD showed him the whole land: Gilead as far as Dan, ²all Naphtali, the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, all the land of Judah as far as the Western Sea, ³the Negeb, and the Pin—that is, the valley of Jericho, the city of palm trees—as far as Zoar. ⁴The LORD said to him, “This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, saying, ‘I will give it to your descendants’; I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not cross over there.” ⁵Then Moses, the servant of the LORD, died there in the land of Moab, at the Lord’s command. ⁶He was buried in a valley in the land of Moab, opposite Beth-peor, but no one knows his burial place to this day. ⁷Moses was one hundred twenty years old when he died; his sight was unimpaired and his vigor had not abated. ⁸The Israelites wept for Moses in the plains of Moab thirty days; then the period of mourning for Moses was ended. ⁹Joshua son of Nun was full of the spirit of

The commandments that Jesus gives in answer to the Pharisees’ question is also given in the OT. Use Biblegateway.com or another concordance tool to find where they are located. What is the context? What does Jesus’ use of the OT in this way tell us about why it might be helpful for us to memorize scripture verses or passages?