

SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRADFORD  
XI SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 14<sup>TH</sup> 2026

\* JUNE 12<sup>TH</sup> — SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS \*

ΕΠΤΑΠΣΕ ΗΥΜΝ

*LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING*



Love di-vine, all loves ex-cel-ling, Joy of heav'n to earth come down; Fix in us your hum-ble  
Come, al - might-y to de-liv-er; Let us all your life re - ceive; Sud-den-ly re - turn and



dwel-ling, all your faith - ful mer-cies crown. Je - sus, source of all com-pas-sion, Love un-  
nev - er, Nev - er - more your tem-ples leave. Lord, we would be al-ways bles-sing, Serve you



bound-ed love all pure. Vis-it us with your sal-va - tion, Let your love in us en - dure.  
as your hosts a-bove, Pray, and praise you with-out ceas-ing, Glo - ry in your pre-cious love.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS



Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace, peace to peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we



bless you, we a - dore you, we glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry, Lord God,



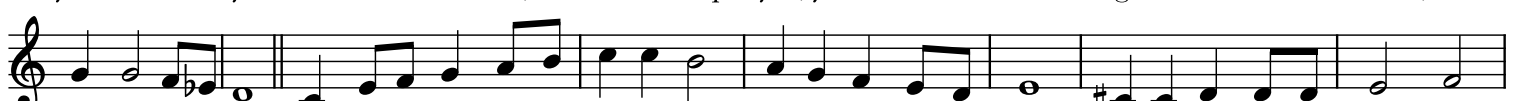
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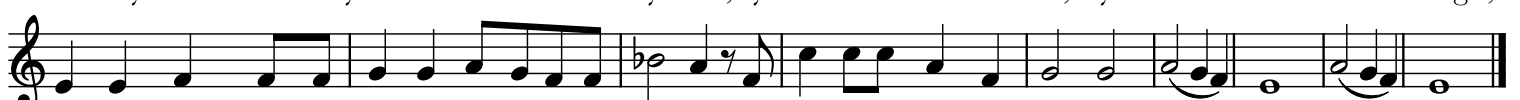
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mer-cy on us. For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord, you a-lone are the Most High,



Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the glo-ry, the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A - men. A - men.


# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

EXODUS 19:2-6A

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 100:1-2, 3-5




We are his peo - ple, the sheep of his flock.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 5:6-11

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

MARK 1:15



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

“The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent and believe in the Gospel.”

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 9:36 - 10:8

HOMILY


PROFESSION OF FAITH

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

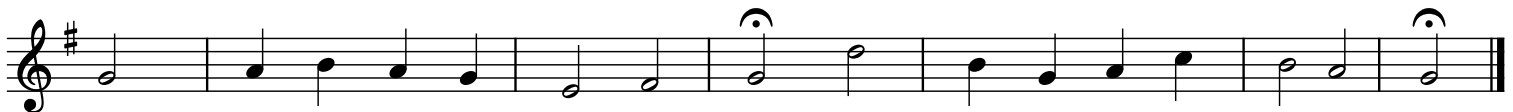
# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

*ALL PEOPLE THAT ON EARTH DO DWELL*



1. All peo-ple that on earth do dwell, Sing to the Lord with cheer-ful voice;  
2. Know that the Lord is God in - deed; With - out our aid he did us make;  
3. O en - ter then his gates with praise; Ap - proach with joy his courts un - to;  
4. To Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, The God whom heav'n and earth a - dore,

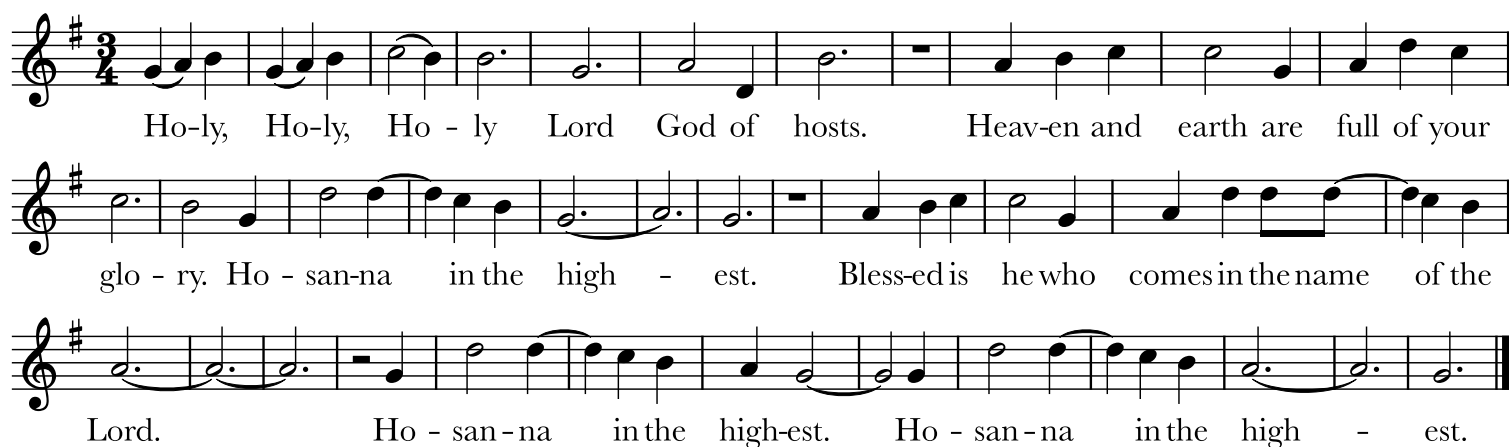


1. Him serve with mirth, his praise forth tell, Come we be - fore him, and re - joice.  
2. We are his folk, he does us feed, And for his sheep he does us take.  
3. Praise, laud, and bless his Name al - ways, For it is seem - ly so to do.  
4. From us and from the an - gel host Be praise and glo - ry ev - er - more.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

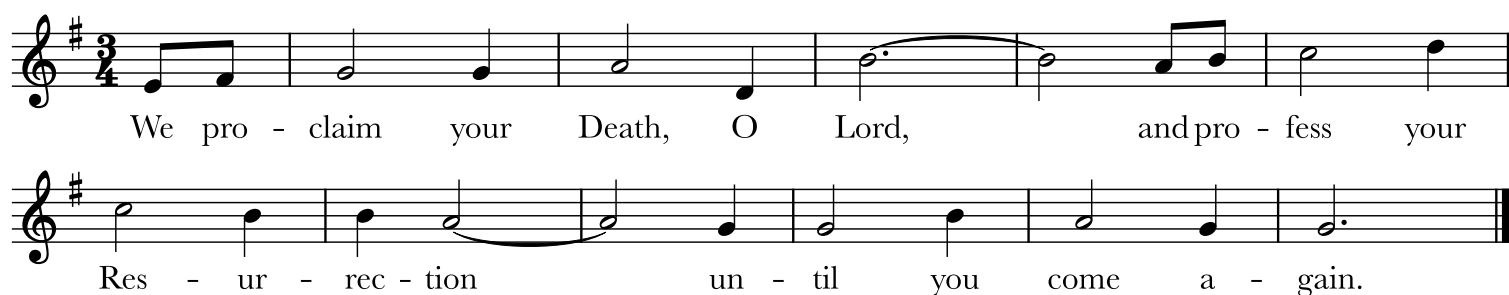
PREFACE DIALOGUE

EUCHARISTIC DIAOGUE



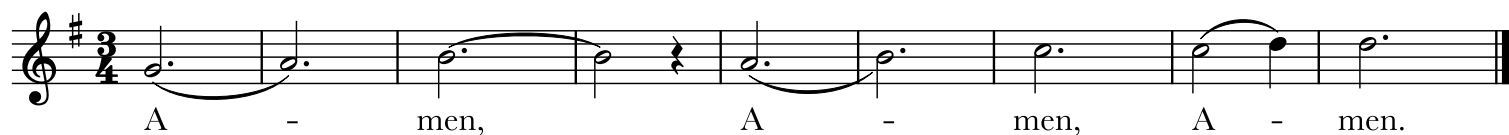
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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



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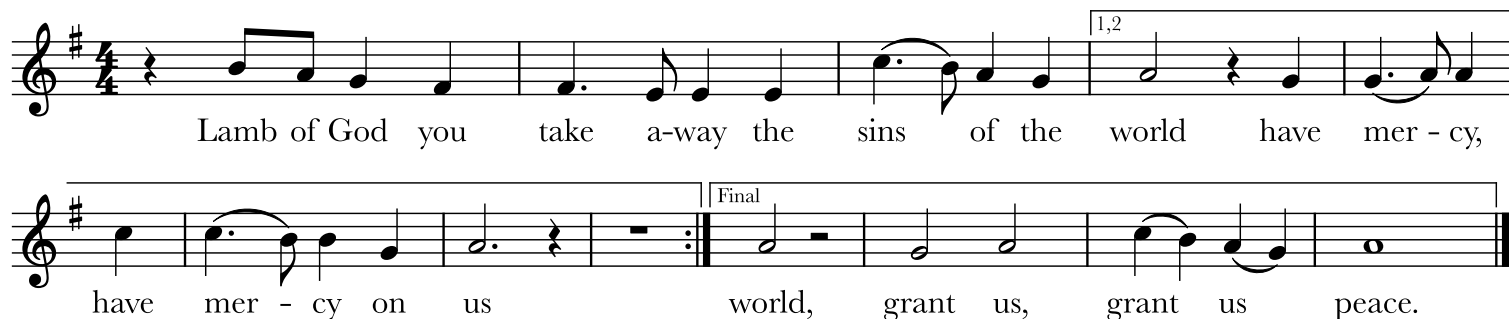
AMEN



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THE LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI



Lamb of God you take a-way the sins of the world have mer - cy, have mer - cy on us world, grant us, grant us peace.

COMMUNION ANTI-PHON

*HOLY FATHER, KEEP IN YOUR NAME*

COMMUNION HYMN

*HEART OF JESUS, MEER AND MILD*

SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD

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1. Will you come and fol - low me If I but call your name? Will you go where
2. Will you let the blind - ed see If I but call your name? Will you set the
3. Will you leave your - self be - hind If I but call your name? Will you care for
4. Lord, your sum-mons e - choes true When you but call my name. Let me turn and



1. you don't know And nev-er be the same? Will you let my love be shown, Will you
2. pris-'ners free And nev-er be the same? Will you kiss the le - per clean, And do
3. cruel and kind And nev-er be the same? Will you risk the hos-tile stare Should your
4. fol - low you And nev-er be the same. In your com-pa - ny I'll go Where your



1. let my name be known, Will you let my life be grown In you and you in me?
2. such as this un - seen, And ad - mit to what I mean In you and you in me?
3. life at - tract or scare? Will you let me an - swer prayer In you and you in me?
4. love and foot-steps show. Thus I'll move and live and grow In you and you in me.

## FINAL BLESSING &amp; DISMISSAL

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Heavenly Father, You have created us for a definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for each of us in this life, and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make my parish, my home and my heart fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations to the priesthood of Jesus Christ. May our young men respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among them a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. We make our prayer for priestly vocations to You, Father, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us. Saint Joseph, Patron of our Archdiocese, pray for us. Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

## RECESSIONAL HYMN

*GOD IS LOVE, LET HEAVEN ADORE HIM*

God is Love, let heav'n a-dore him; God is Love, let earth re-joice; Let cre-a-tion sing be-  
God is Love; and love en-folds us, All the world in one em-brace: With un-fail-ing grasp God



fore him And ex - alt him with one voice. God who laid the earth's foun-da - tion, God who spreads  
holds us, Ev-'ry child of ev-'ry race. And when hu-man hearts are break-ing Un-der sor -



the heav'ns a-bove, God who breathes through all cre - a - tion: God is Love, e - ter-nal Love.  
row's i - ron rod, Then we find that self-same ach-ing Deep with - in the heart of God.

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JUNE 21<sup>ST</sup> 2026 — FATHER'S DAY

ENTRANCE HYMN

*A MIGHTY FORTRESS*



A might-y for-tress is our God, a bul-wark nev-er fail-ing; our help-er he, a -  
 Did we in our own strength con-fide, our striv-ing would be los-ing, were not the right man



mid the flood of mor-tal ills pre - vail - ing. For still our an-cient foe doth seek to work us  
 on our side, the man of God's own choos-ing. Dost ask who that may be? Christ Je-sus, it is



woe; his craft and pow'r are great, and, armed with cru-el hate, on earth is not his e - qual.  
 he; Lord Sa - ba - oth, his name, from age to age the same, and he must win the bat-tle.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS



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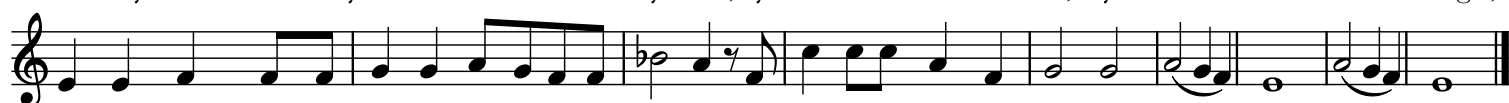
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FIRST READING

JEREMIAH 20:10-13

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35




Lord, in your great love, an - swer me.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 5:12-15

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

JOHN 15:26B, 27A



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

“The Spirit of truth will testify to me, says the Lord; and you also will testify.”

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 10:26-33

HOMILY

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# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

*ALL ΜΑΡΚΙΠΠ FELL IN ADAM'S FALL*



1. All man-kind fell in A-dam's fall; one com-mon sin in-fects us all.
2. But Christ, the se- cond A- dam, came to bear our sin and woe and shame,
3. As by one man all man-kind fell and, born in sin, was doomed to hell,
4. We thank you, Christ; new life is ours, new light, new hope, new strength, new pow'rs.

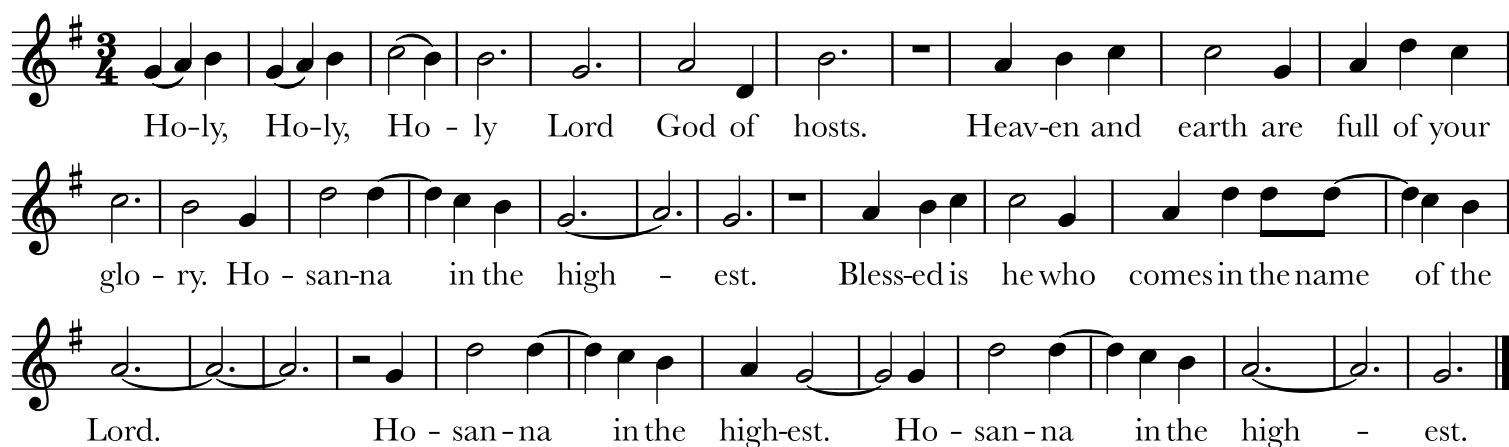


1. From one to all the curse des-cends, and o- ver all God's wrath im-pends.
2. to be our life, our light, our way, our on- ly hope, our on- ly stay.
3. so by one Man, who took our place, we all were jus- ti- fied by grace.
4. This grace our ev- 'ry way at- tend un- til we reach our jour-ney's end.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

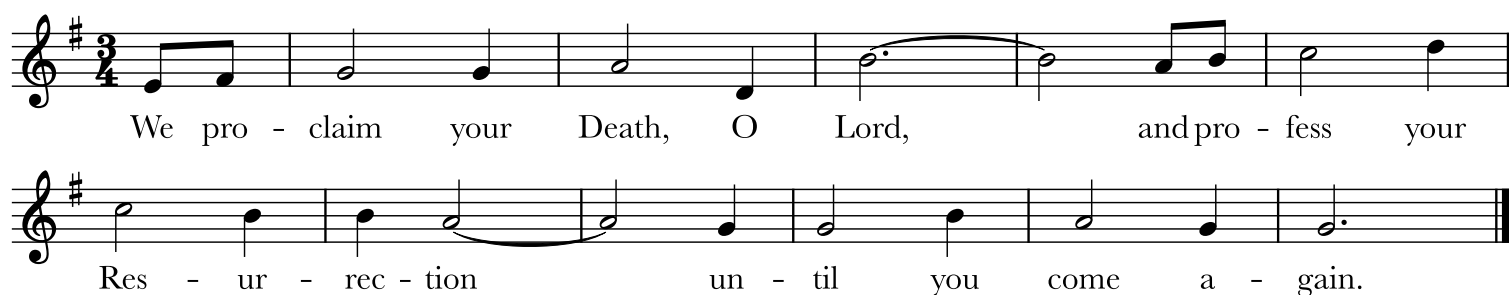
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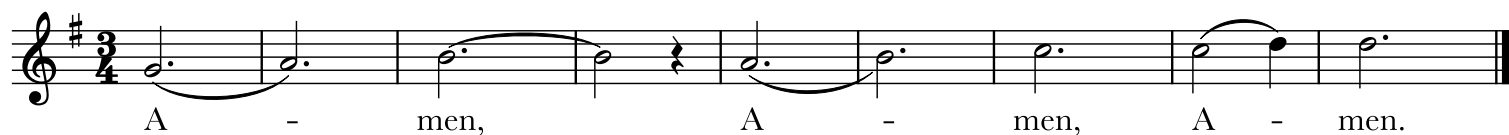
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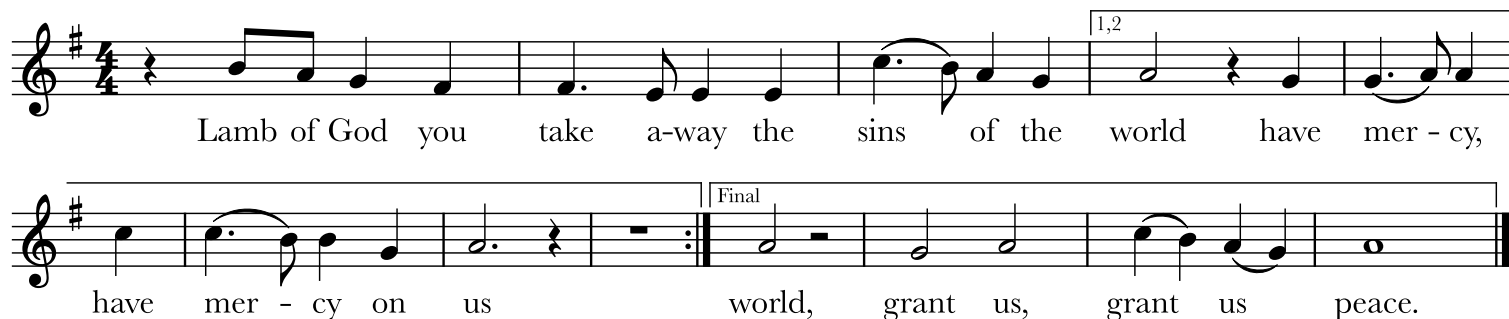
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COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*THE EYES OF ALL LOOK TO YOU, LORD*

COMMUNION HYMN

*GIFT OF FINEST WHEAT*

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Refrain



Be not a - fraid. I go be - fore you al-ways. Come fol-low me, and I will give you rest.

1. You shall cross the barren desert, but you shall not die of thirst.  
You shall wander far in safety though you do not know the way,  
You shall speak your words in foreign lands and all will understand.  
You shall see the face of God and live. **R**

2. If you pass through raging waters in the sea, you shall not drown.  
If you walk amid the burning flames, you shall not be harmed.  
If you stand before the power of hell and death is at your side,  
Know that I am with you through it all. **R**

3. Blessed are your poor, for the kingdom shall be theirs.  
Blest are you that weep and mourn, for one day you shall laugh.  
And if wicked tongues insult and hate you all because of me,  
blessed, blessed are you! **R**


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## RECESSIONAL HYMN

## FAITH OF OUR FATHERS



1. Faith of our fa - thers, liv - ing still in spite of dun - geon, fire, and sword.  
2. Faith of our fa - thers! we will strive To win all na - tions un - to thee.  
3. Faith of our fa - thers! we will love Both friend and foe in all our strife,



1. O how our hearts beat high with joy when-e'er we hear that glo-rious Word!  
2. And through the truth that comes from God We all shall then be tru - ly free:  
3. And preach thee, too, as love knows how By kind - ly words and vir-tuous life:



Faith of our fa - thers, ho - ly faith! We will be true to thee till death.

SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD  
XIII SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 28<sup>TH</sup> 2026

\* JUNE 24<sup>TH</sup> SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST — JUNE 29<sup>TH</sup> SAINTS PETER & PAUL \*

ΕΠΤΑΨΑΛΜΟΣ

TAKE UP YOUR CROSS



1. Take up your cross, the Sav - ior said, If you would my dis - ci - ple be;
2. Take up your cross, be not a - shamed! Let not dis - grace your spir - it fill!
3. Take up your cross, which gives you strength, Which makes your trem - bling spir - it brave:
4. Take up your cross, and fol - low Christ, Nor think till death to lay it down;



1. De - ny your - self, the world for - sake, And hum - bly fol - low af - ter me.
2. For God him - self en - dured to die Up - on a cross, on Cal - vary's hill.
3. 'Twill guide you to a bet - ter home And lead to vict - 'ry o'er the grave.
4. For on - ly they who bear the cross May hope to wear the glo - rious crown.

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RESURRECTION MASS



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# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

2 KINGS 4:8-11, 14-16A

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19



For - ev - er I will sing the good - ness of the Lord

SECOND READING

ROMANS 6:3-4, 8-11

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

I PETER 2:9



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GOSPEL

MATTHEW 10:37-42

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

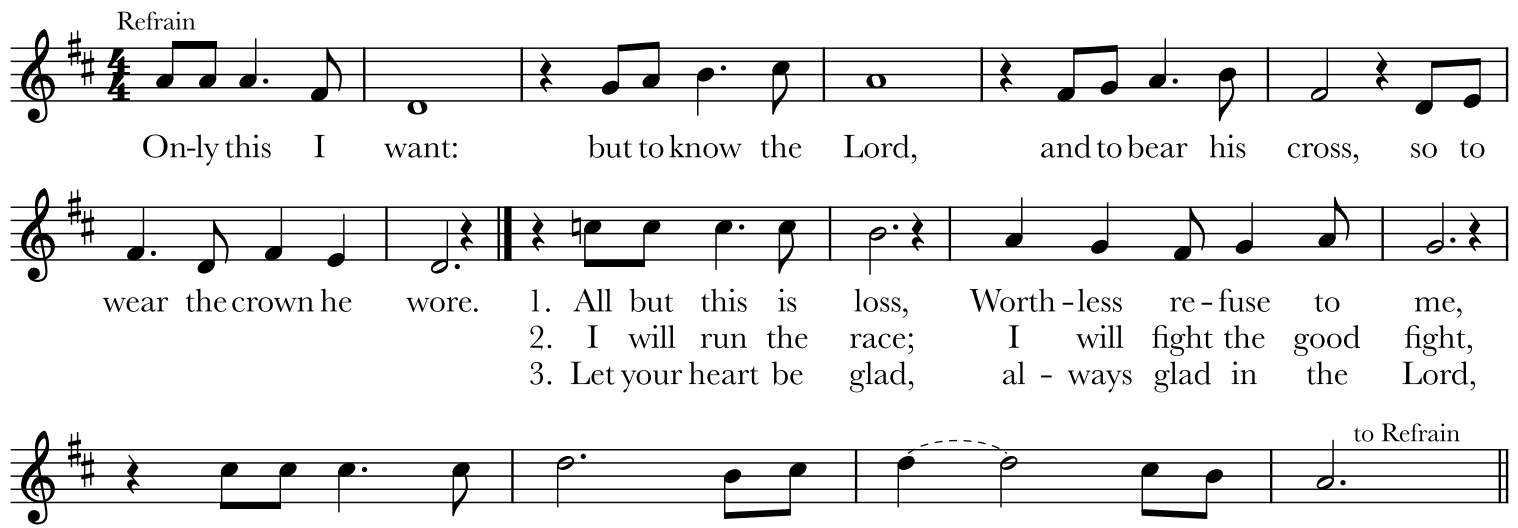
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

*ONLY THIS I WANT*

Refrain



On-ly this I want: but to know the Lord, and to bear his cross, so to wear the crown he wore.

1. All but this is loss, Worth-less re-fuse to me,  
2. I will run the race; I will fight the good fight,  
3. Let your heart be glad, al-ways glad in the Lord,

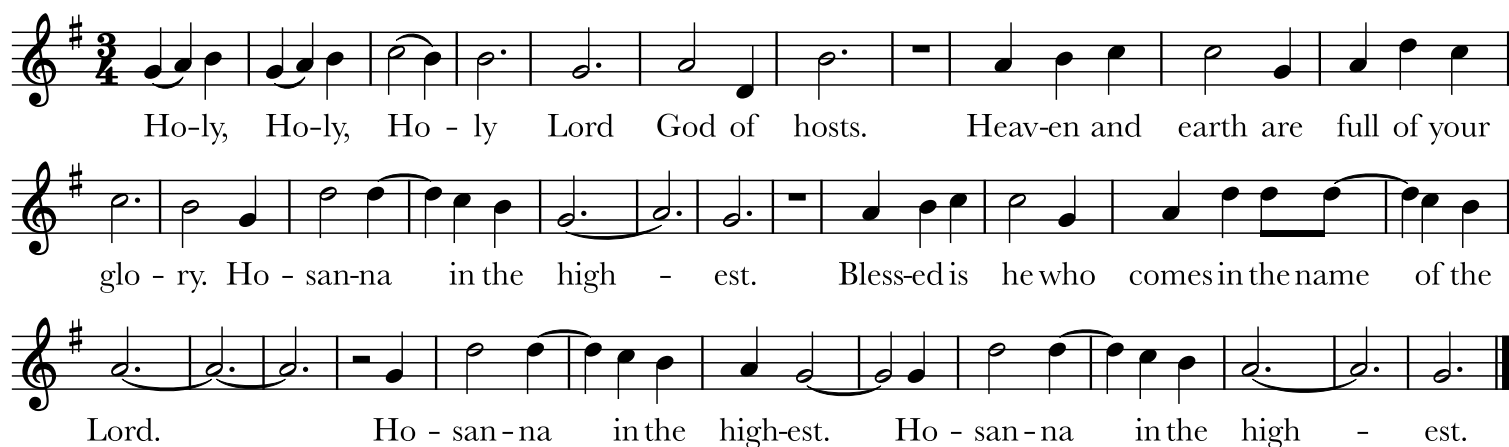
1. for to gain the Lord is to gain all I need.  
2. so to win the prize of the king - dom of my Lord.  
3. so to shine like stars in the dark - ness of the night.

to Refrain

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

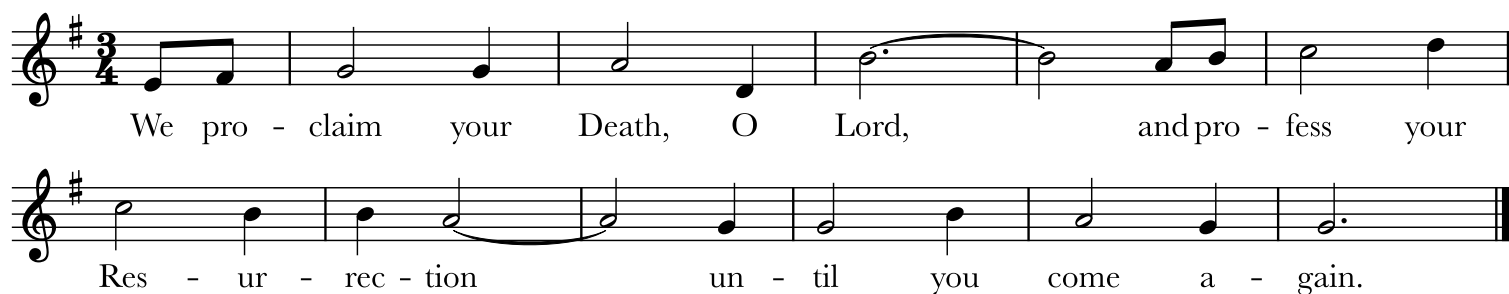
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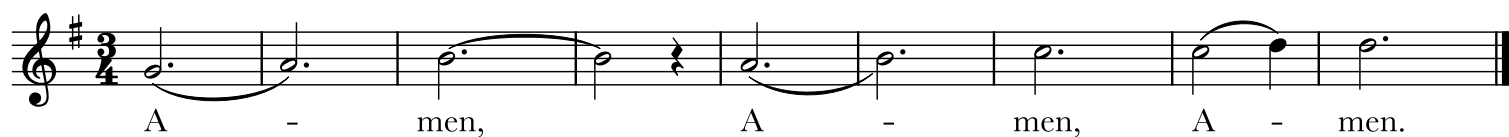
MASS OF RENEWAL



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## AMEN

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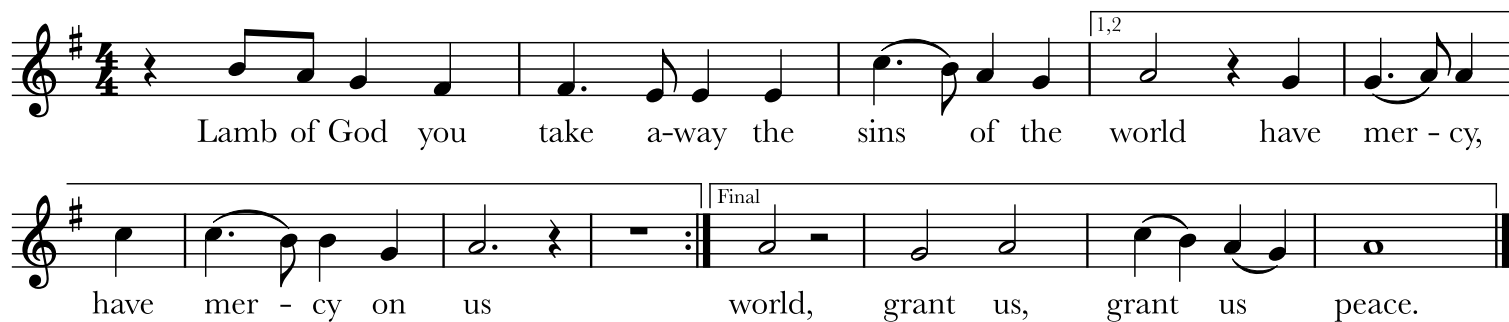
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## THE LORD'S PRAYER

## SIGN OF PEACE

## AGNUS DEI

MASS OF RENEWAL



Lamb of God you take a-way the sins of the world have mer - cy,  
have mer - cy on us world, grant us, grant us peace.

## COMMUNION HYMN

COME, FOLLOW ME



1. Take my life and let it be con - se - crat - ed, Lord, to thee. Take my mo - ments
2. Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no long - er mine. Take my heart it
3. Take my sil - ver and my gold; not a mite would I with - hold. Take my in - tel -



1. and my days; let them flow in end - less praise. Take my hands and let them move
2. is thine own; it shall be thy roy - al throne. Take my love; my Lord, I pour
3. lect and use ev - 'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose. Take my voice and let me sing



1. at the im - pulse of thy love. Take my feet and let them be swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
2. at thy feet its trea - sure store. Take my - self, and I will be ev - er, on - ly, all for thee.
3. al - ways, on - ly, for my King. Take my lips and let them be filled with mes - sa - ges from thee.

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Heavenly Father, You have created us for a definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for each of us in this life, and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make my parish, my home and my heart fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations to the priesthood of Jesus Christ. May our young men respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among them a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. We make our prayer for priestly vocations to You, Father, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us. Saint Joseph, Patron of our Archdiocese, pray for us. Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

## RECESSIONAL HYMN

BY ALL YOUR SAINTS STILL STRIVING



1. By all your saints still striv - ing, For all your saints at rest, Your ho - ly Name, O
2. We praise you for Saint Pe - ter; We praise you for Saint Paul. They taught both Jew and
3. All praise for John the Bap - tist, Fore - run - ner of the Word, Our true E - li - jah,
4. Then let us praise the Fa - ther And wor - ship God the Son And sing to God the



1. Je - sus, For ev - er - more be blessed. You rose, our King vic - to - rious, That
2. Gen - tile that Christ is all in all. To cross and sword they yield - ed And
3. mak - ing A high - way for the Lord. The last and great - est proph - et, He
4. Spir - it, E - ter - nal Three in One, Till all the ran - somed num - ber Who



1. they might wear the crown And ev - er shine in splen - dor Re - flect - ed from your throne.
2. saw the king - dom come: O God your two a - pos - tles Won life through mar - tyr - dom.
3. saw the dawn - ing ray Of light that grows in splen - dor Un - til the per - fect day.
4. stand be - fore the throne, As - cribe all pow'r and glo - ry And praise to God a - lone.

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XIV SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 5<sup>TH</sup> 2026

\* JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> — INDEPENDENCE DAY — 250<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY \*

FRANCE HYMN

AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL



1. O beau-ti-ful for spa-cious skies, for am-ber waves of grain; for pur-ple moun-tain
2. O beau-ti-ful for pil-grim feet, Whose stern, im-pas-sioned stress A thor-ough-fare for
3. O beau-ti-ful for he-roes proved in lib-er-at-ing strife, who more than self their
4. O beau-ti-ful for pa-triot dream that sees be-yond the years thine al-a-bas-ter



1. maj-es-ties a-bove the fruit-ed plain! A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! God
2. free-dom beat A-cross the wil-der-ness! A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! God
3. coun-try loved, and mer-cy more than life! A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! May
4. cit-ies gleam, un-dimmed by hu-man tears! A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! God



1. shed his grace on thee, and crown thy good with broth-er-hood from sea to shin-ing sea.
2. mend thine ev-'ry flaw, Con-firm thy soul in self-con-trol, Thy lib-er-ty in law.
3. God thy gold re-fine, till all suc-cess be no-ble-ness, and ev-'ry gain di-vine.
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GLORIA

MASS OF JOY AND PEACE



Glo - ry to God, Glo - ry to God, Glo - ry to God in the high-est,



and on earth peace, on earth peace to peo-ple of good will. A - men.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. **✠**

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. **✠**

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. **✠**


# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

ZECCHARIAH 9:9-10

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14




I will praise your name for - ev - er, my King and my God!

SECOND READING

ROMANS 8:9, 11-13

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

CF. MATTHEW 11:25



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 11:25-30


HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH & PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS


*MY COUNTRY 'TIS OF THEE*



1. My coun - try, 'tis of thee, sweet land of lib - er - ty,  
2. My na - tive coun - try, thee, Land of the no - ble free,  
3. Our fa - thers' God, to thee, Au - thor of lib - er - ty,



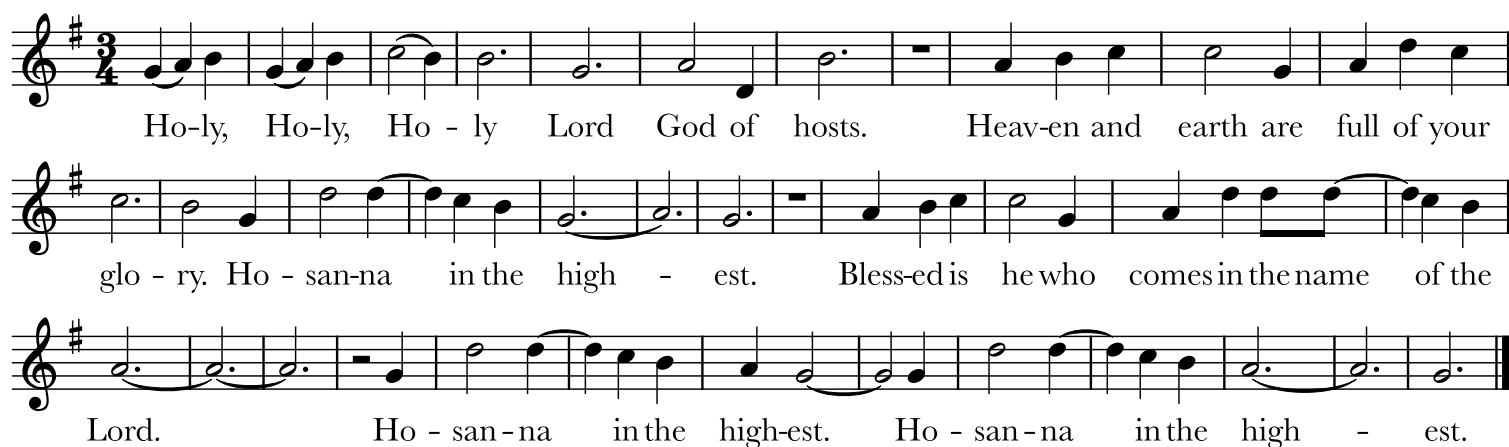
1. of thee I sing; land where my fa - thers died, land of the  
2. Thy name I love; I love thy rocks and rills, Thy woods and  
3. To thee we sing; Long may our land be bright With free - dom's



1. pil - grims' pride, from ev - 'ry moun - tain - side let free - dom ring!  
2. tem - pled hills; My heart with rap - ture thrills, Like that a - bove.  
3. ho - ly light; Pro - tect us by thy might, Great God, our King.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

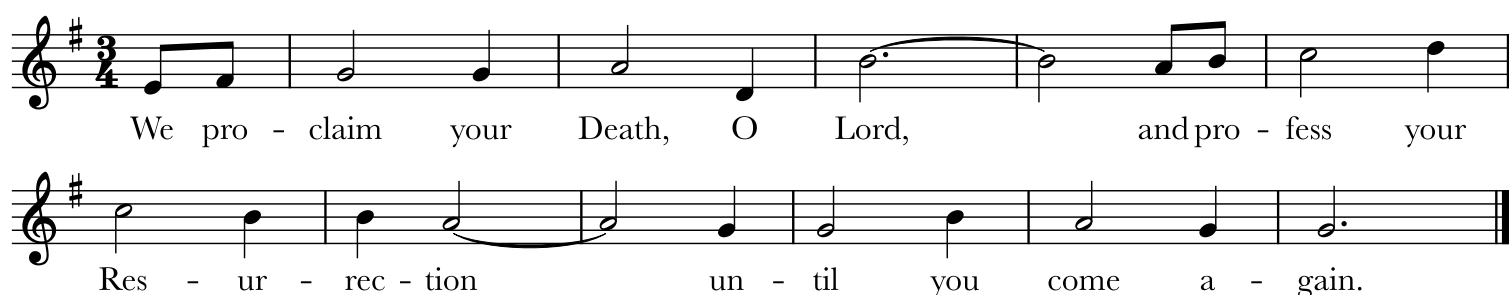
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glo - ry. Ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the  
Lord. Ho - san-na in the high-est. Ho - san-na in the high - est.

## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

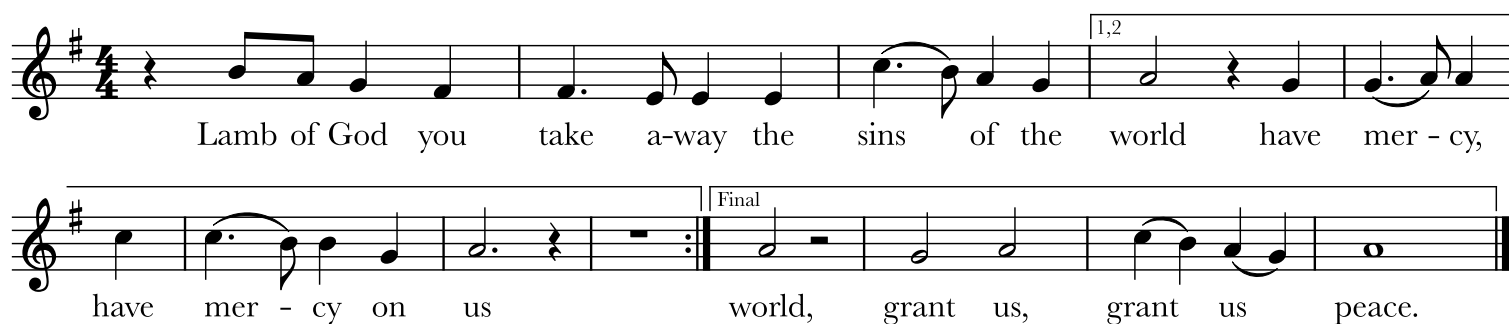
## MASS OF RENEWAL



We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your  
Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

## AGNVS DEI

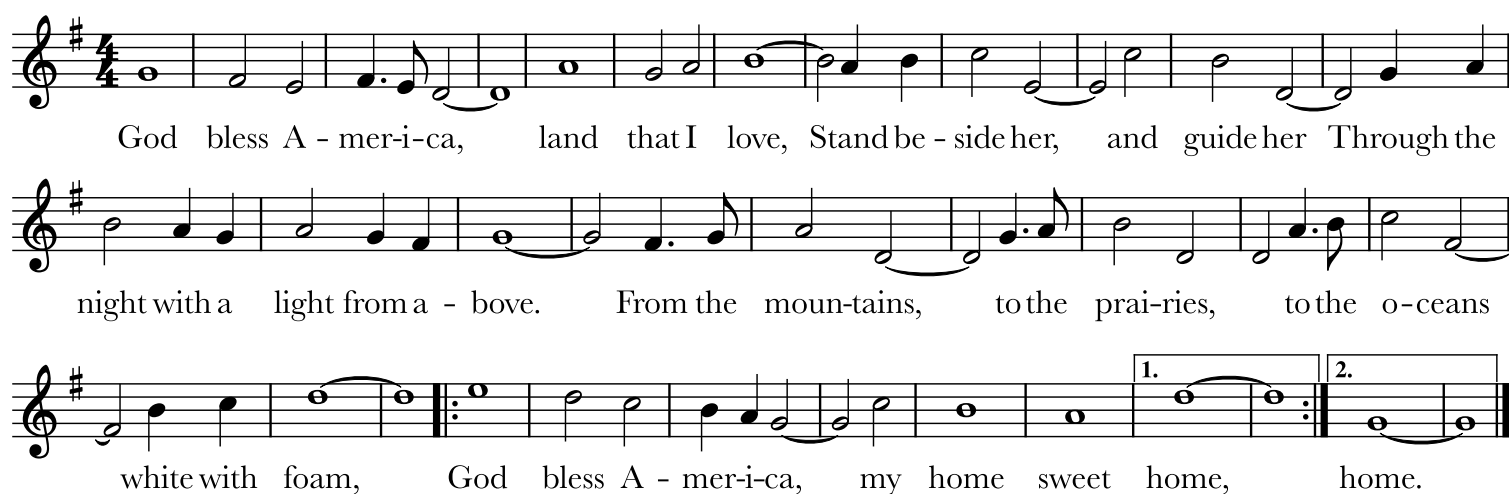
## MASS OF RENEWAL



Lamb of God you take a-way the sins of the world have mer - cy,  
have mer - cy on us world, grant us, grant us peace.

## MEDITATION

## GOD BLESS AMERICA



God bless A - mer-i-ca, land that I love, Stand be - side her, and guide her Through the  
night with a light from a - bove. From the moun-tains, to the prai-ries, to the o-ceans  
white with foam, God bless A - mer-i-ca, my home sweet home, home.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Heavenly Father, You have created us for a definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for each of us in this life, and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make my parish, my home and my heart fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations to the priesthood of Jesus Christ. May our young men respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among them a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. We make our prayer for priestly vocations to You, Father, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us. Saint Joseph, Patron of our Archdiocese, pray for us. Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

*MINE EYES HAVE SEEN THE GLORY*



1. Mine eyes have seen the glo - ry of the com - ing of the Lord; He is tramp - ling out  
2. I have seen Him in the watch fires of a hun - dred circ - ling camps They have build - ed Him  
3. In the beau - ty of the lil - ies Christ was born a - cross the sea, With a glo - ry in



1. the vin - tage where the grapes of wrath are stored; He hath loosed the fate - ful light - ning  
2. an al - tar in the ev - ening dews and damps; I can read His right - eous sen - tence  
3. His bo - som that trans - fig - ures you and me: As He died to make men ho - ly,



1. of His ter - ri - ble swift sword; His truth is march - ing on.  
2. by the dim and flar - ing lamps; His day is march - ing on. } Glo - ry! Glo - ry! Hal - le - lu - jah!  
3. let us live to make men free; While God is march - ing on. }



Glo - ry! Glo - ry! Hal - le - lu - jah! Glo - ry! Glo - ry! Hal - le - lu - jah! His truth is march - ing on.

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We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.

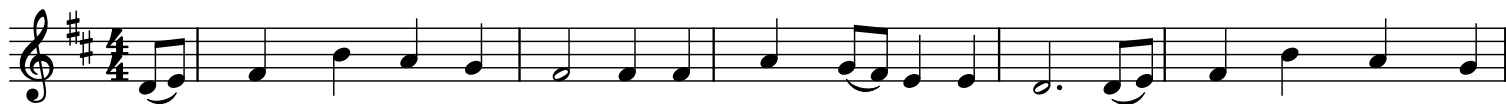


SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD  
 XV SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 12<sup>TH</sup> 2026

ΕΠΙΡΑΪΣΕ ΎΜΝΗ

O WORD OF GOD INCARNATE



1. O Word of God in - car-nate, O Wis-dom from on high, O Truth un-changed, un-  
 2. The church from her dear Mas-ter re - ceived the gift di - vine, and still that light she



1. chang-ing, O Light of our dark sky, we praise thee for the ra - diance that  
 2. lift - eth o'er all the earth to shine. It is the gold-en cas - ket, where



1. from the hal-lowed page, a lan-tern to our foot-steps, shines on from age to age.  
 2. gems of truth are stored; it is the heav'n drawn pic-ture Of Christ, the liv-ing Word.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS



Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace, peace to peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we



bless you, we a - dore you, we glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry, Lord God,



heav-en-ly King, O God, al-might-y Fa-ther. Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son, Lord God,



Lamb of God, Son of the Fa-ther; you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us;



you take a-way the sins of the world, re-ceive our prayer; you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther, have



mer-cy on us. For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord, you a-lone are the Most High,



Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the glo-ry, the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A - men. A - men.

# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

ISAIAH 55:10-8

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14




The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruit-ful har-vest.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 8:18-23

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*THE SEED IS THE WORD OF GOD*



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 13:1-23

HOMILY


PROFESSION OF FAITH

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

*UNLESS A GRAIN OF WHEAT*



Un - less a grain of wheat shall fall up - on the ground and die, it re - mains but a



sin - gle grain with no life.

1. If we have died with him, then we shall
2. If a - ny - one serves me, then they must
3. † Make your home in me as I make
4. If you re - main in me and my word



1. live with him; if we hold firm, we shall reign with him.
2. fol low me; where - ev - er I am, my ser - vants will be.
3. mine in you; those who re - main in me bear much fruit.
4. lives in you, then you will be my dis - ci - ples.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na in the high-est. Ho - san-na in the high - est.

## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

## AMEN

A - men, A - men, A - men.

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

## SIGN OF PEACE

## AGNUS DEI

Lamb of God you take a-way the sins of the world have mer - cy, have mer - cy on us world, grant us, grant us peace.

## COMMUNION HYMN



1. O-pen my eyes, Lord, help me to see your face. help me to see.
2. O-pen my ears, Lord, help me to hear your voice. help me to hear.
3. O-pen my heart, Lord, help me to love like you. help me to love.



Bridge (after vs. 2)

And the last shall be first, and our eyes are o-pened, and we'll hear like nev-er be - fore.



to Verse 3

And we'll speak in new ways, and we'll see God's face in plac-es we've nev-er known.

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Heavenly Father, You have created us for a definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for each of us in this life, and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make my parish, my home and my heart fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations to the priesthood of Jesus Christ. May our young men respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among them a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. We make our prayer for priestly vocations to You, Father, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us. Saint Joseph, Patron of our Archdiocese, pray for us. Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

## RECESSIONAL HYMN

FOR THE FRUITS OF THIS CREATION



1. For the fruits of this cre - a - tion, Thanks be to God; For the gifts to ev - 'ry na - tion
2. In the just re - ward of la - bor, God's will be done; In the help we give our neigh - bor,
3. For the har - vests of the Spir - it, Thanks be to God; For the good we all in - her - it,



1. Thanks be to God; For the plow - ing, sow - ing, reap - ing, Si - lent growth while
2. God's will be done; In our world - wide task of car - ing For the hun - gry
3. Thanks be to God; For the won - ders that as - tound us, For the truths that



1. we are sleep - ing, Fu - ture needs in earth's safe keep - ing, Thanks be to God.
2. and des - pair - ing, In the har - vests we are shar - ing, God's will be done.
3. still con - found us, Most of all, that love has found us, Thanks be to God.

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SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD  
 XVI SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 19<sup>TH</sup> 2026

ENTRANCE HYMN

*THE REIGN OF GOD*



1. The reign of God, like far - mer's field, Bears weed a - long with wheat;
2. Like mus - tard tree, the reign of God From ti - ny seed will spread,
3. The reign of God is come in Christ; The reign of God is near.
4. The reign of God can - not be found In far - off, fo - reign land



1. The good and bad are in - ter - twined Till har - vest is com - plete.
2. Till birds of ev - 'ry feath - er come To nest, and there be fed.
3. A - blaze a - mong us, kind - ling hearts, The reign of God is here!
4. Till in fa - mil - iar face and plate We find it close - at hand.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS



Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace, peace to peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we



bless you, we a - dore you, we glo - ri - fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord God,



heav - en - ly King, O God, al - might - y Fa - ther. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God,



Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us;



you take a - way the sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer; you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther, have



mer - cy on us. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the Most High,



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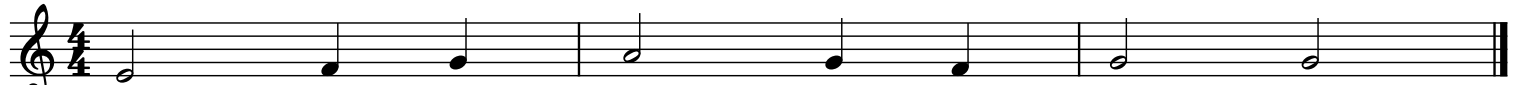
# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

WISDOM 12:13, 16-19

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 86: 5-6, 9-10, 15-16




Lord, you are good and for - giv - ing.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 8:26-27

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

CF. MATTHEW 11:25



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 13:24-43

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

*COME, YE THANKFUL PEOPLE, COME*



1. Come, ye thank-ful peo - ple, come, Raise the song of har - vest-home: All is safe - ly
2. All the world is God's own field, Fruit un - to his praise to yield; Wheat and tares to -
3. For the Lord our God shall come, And shall take his har - vest home; From his field shall



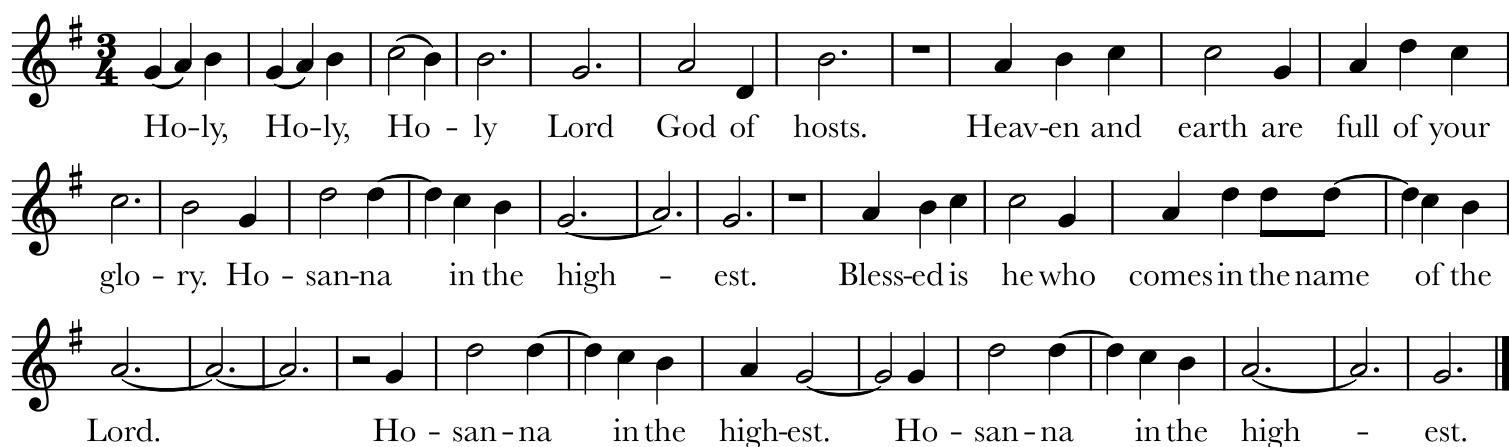
1. gath - ered in, Ere the win - ter storms be - gin; God, our Mak - er, does pro - vide For our wants to
2. geth - er sown, Un - to joy or sor - row grown; First the blade, and then the ear, Then the full corn
3. in that day All of - fen - ses purge a - way; Give his an - gels charge at last In the fire the



1. be sup - plied; Come to God's own tem - ple, come, Raise the song of har - vest home.
2. shall ap - pear: Grant, O har - vest Lord, that we Whole - some grain and pure may be.
3. tares to cast, But the fruit - ful ears to store In his gar - ner ev - er - more.

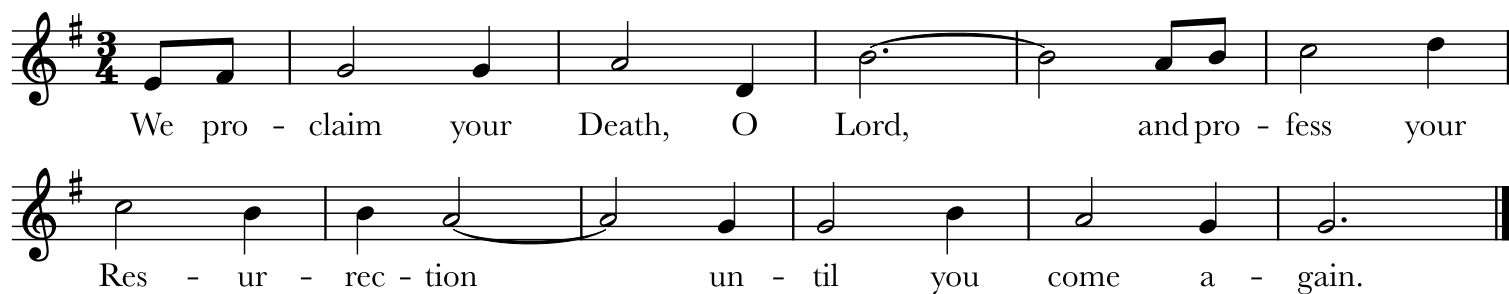
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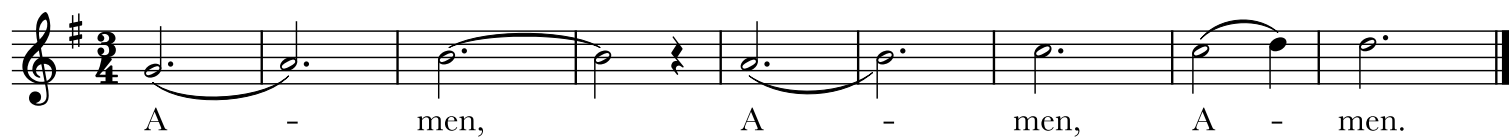
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AMEN

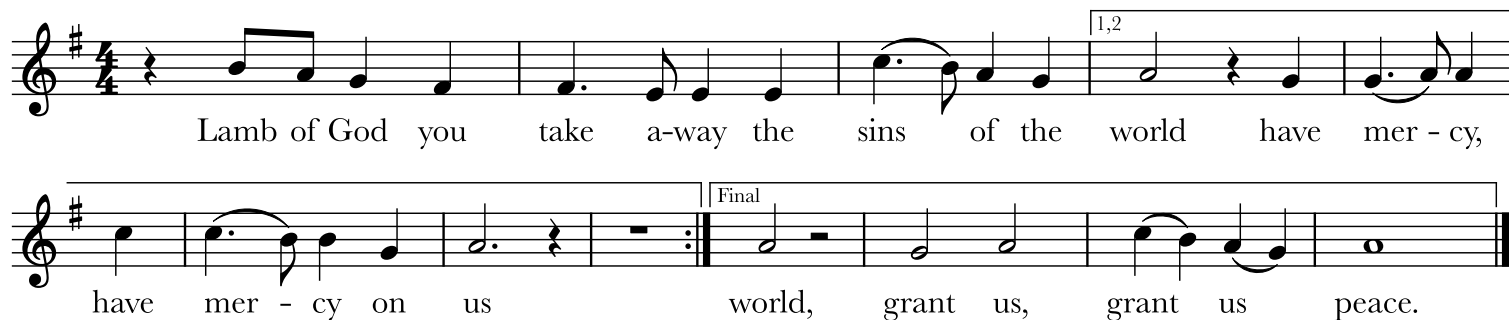


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THE LORD'S PRAYER

SIGN OF PEACE

AGNUS DEI



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COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*THE LORD, THE GRACIOUS, THE MERCIFUL*

COMMUNION HYMN

*A SOWER CAME FROM ANCIENT HILLS*


Refrain




Lov-ing and for - giv-ing are you, O Lord; slow to an-ger, rich in kind-ness, lov-ing and for -

giv-ing are you.

Verses



1. All my be - ing, bless the Lord, bless the ho - ly name of God.  
 2. God for-gives us all our sins, Heal-ing those who live in pain,  
 3. Good and gra-cious is the Lord, slow to an - ger, rich in love.



1. All my be - ing, bless the Lord, re - memb'ring the good-ness of God.  
 2. Sav-ing us from fi - nal death, God fills us with good-ness and love.  
 3. God re-mem-bers not our sins; for - giv - ing and lov - ing is God.

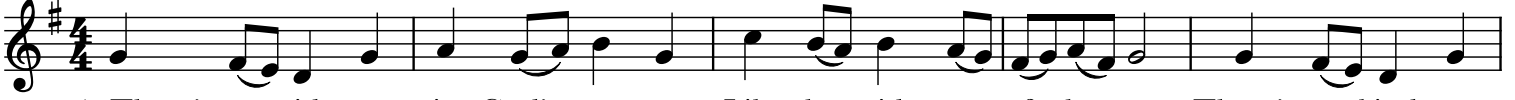
## FINAL BLESSING &amp; DISMISSAL

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## RECESSIONAL HYMN


## THERE'S A WIDENESS IN GOD'S MERCY



1. There's a wide-ness in God's mer-cy, Like the wide-ness of the sea. There's a kind-ness  
 2. For the love of God is broad-er Than the meas-ures of our mind, And the heart of



1. in God's jus-tice, Which is more than li - ber - ty. There's a wel-come for the sin-ner And more  
 2. the E - ter-nal Is most won - der - fully kind. If our love were but more sim-ple We should



1. gra - ces for the good. There is mer - cy with the Sav-ior There is heal-ing in his blood.  
 2. take him at his word, And our lives would be thanks-giv-ing For the good-ness of our Lord.

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SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD  
 XVII SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 26<sup>TH</sup> 2026

ΕΠΤΑΠΣΕ ΗΥΜΝ

BE THOU MY Vision

1. Be Thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart; Naught be all  
 2. Rich - es I heed not, or man's emp - ty praise, Thou mine in -  
 3. Be thou my Wis - dom, and thou my true Word, I ev - er

1. else to me, save that Thou art: Thou my best thought, by day or by  
 2. her - i - tance, now and al - ways: Thou and Thou on - ly, first in my  
 3. with thee and thou with me, Lord; Thou my great Fa - ther, I Thy true

1. night, Wak - ing or sleep - ing, Thy pres - ence my light.  
 2. heart, High King of heav - en, my trea - sure Thou art.  
 3. son, Thou in me dwell - ing, and I with Thee one.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS

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 bless you, we a - dore you, we glo - ri - fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord God,  
 heav - en - ly King, O God, al - might - y Fa - ther. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God,  
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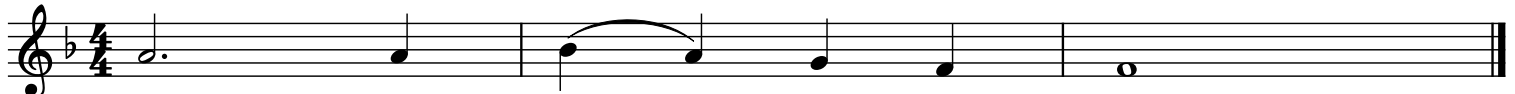
# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

I KINGS 3:5, 7-12

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130




Lord, I love your com - mands.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 8:28-30

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

CF. MATTHEW 11:25



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 13:44-52

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

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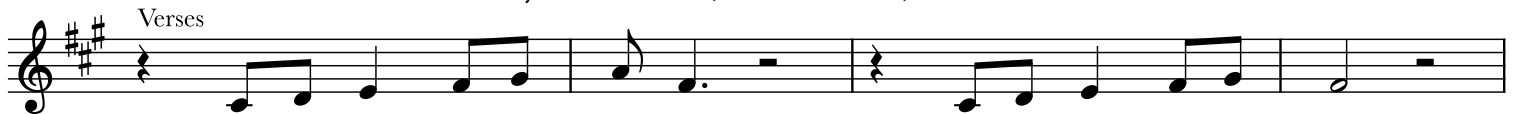
HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

*EARTHEN VESSELS*



Refrain

We hold a treas-ure, not made of gold, in earth-en ves-sels wealth un - told;  
one treas-ure on-ly: the Lord, the Christ, in earth-en ves - sels.



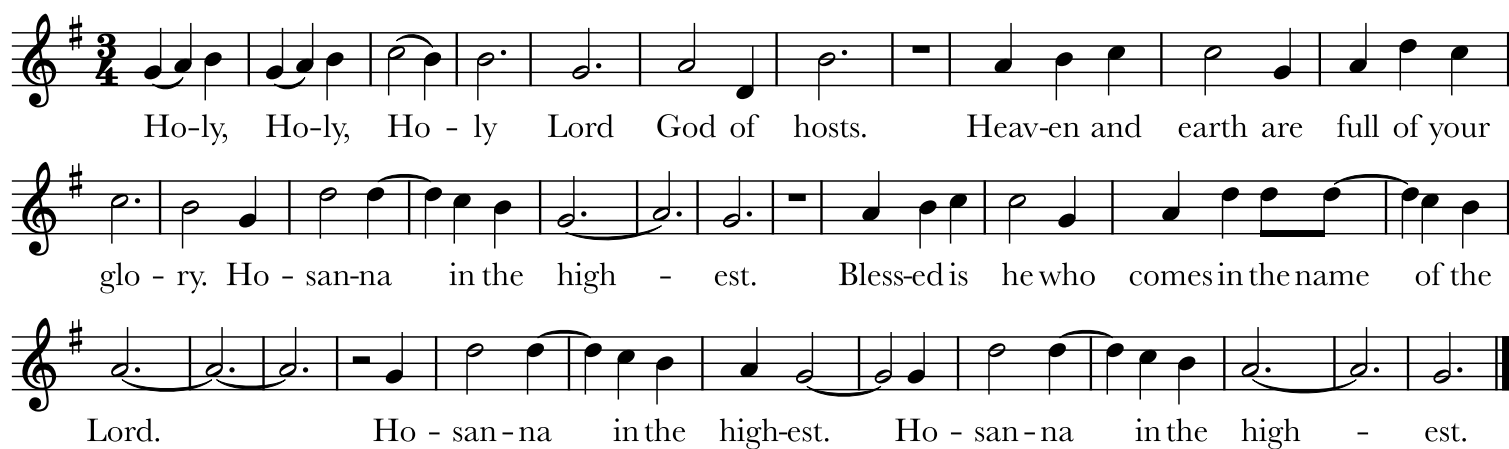
Verses

1. Light has shone in our dark-ness: God has shone in our heart  
2. God has cho - sen the low - ly who are small in this world;

1. with the light of the glo-ry of Je - sus, the Lord.  
2. in this weak - ness is glo-ry in Je - sus, the Lord.

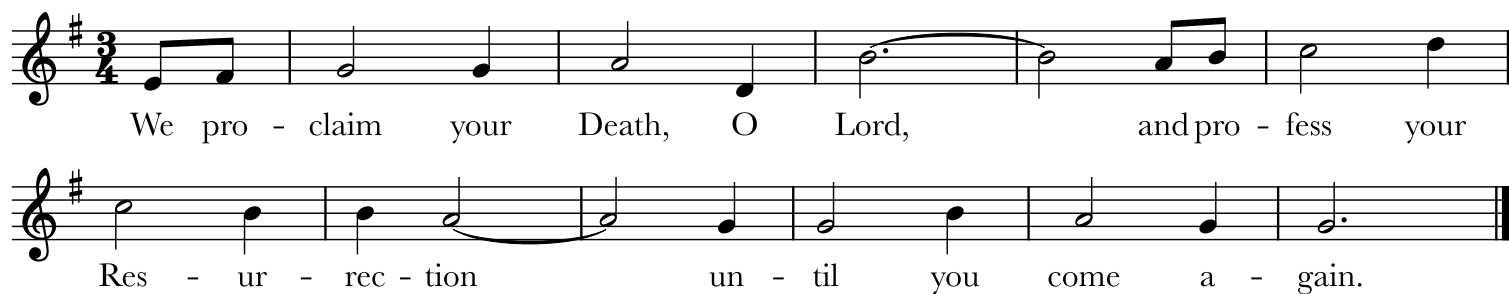
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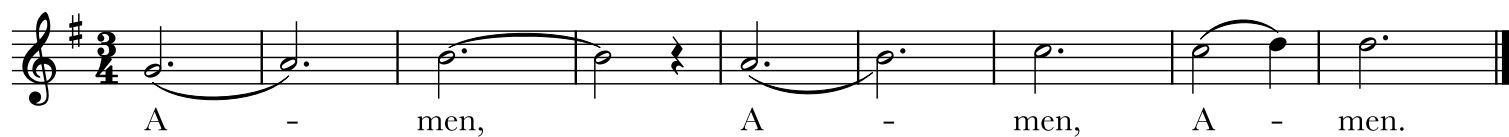
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AMEN

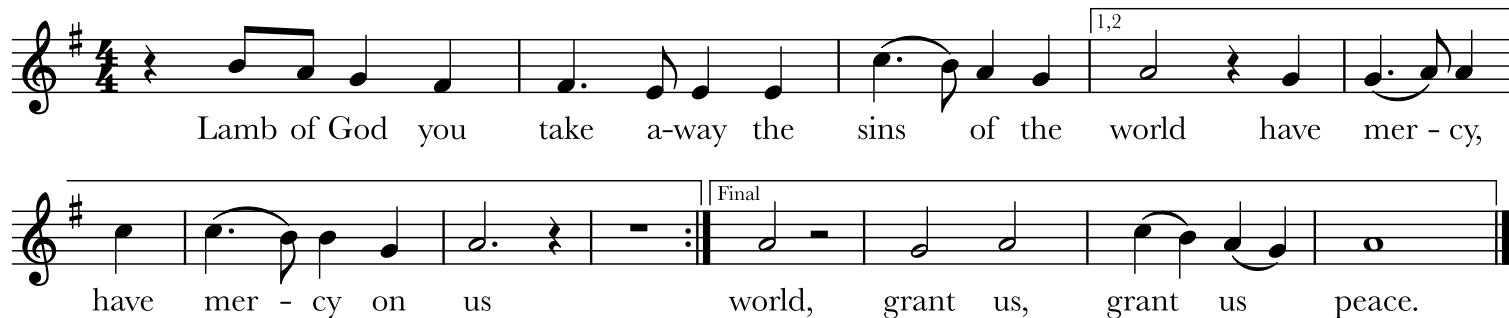


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COMMUNION ANTIPHON

COMMUNION HYMN

BLESSED ARE THE MERCIFUL  
SOWING THE SEED OF THE KINGDOM



1. My Christ, he is the Tree of Life, Which in God's gar-den grows; Whose fruit does feed,  
 2. The rose of Sha-ron bright and pure, The fair - est from a - bove, No earth - ly je -  
 3. He is so pre-cious now to me, The fair - est of the fair; There's not a thing



1. whose leaves do heal; My Christ is Sha-ron's rose.  
 2. wel is so fair, He's God's own gift of love.  
 3. in heav'n or earth That can with Him com - pare; } I've found the pearl of great - est price,



My heart doth sing for joy; And sing I must, for Christ is mine; Christ shall my song em - ploy.

## FINAL BLESSING &amp; DISMISSAL

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

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RECESSIONAL HYMN (JULY 25<sup>TH</sup> — FEAST OF ST JAMES THE APOSTLE)

## FOR ALL THY SAINTS, A PEOPLE THROUO



1. For all thy saints, a no - ble throng, Who fell by sword and flame,  
 2. For James, who left his fa - ther's side, Nor lin - gered by the shore,  
 3. Who stood be - side the maid - en dead, Who climbed the mount with thee,  
 4. Who knelt be - neath the o - live shade, Who drank thy cup of pain,



1. Who soon were called, or wait - ed long, O Christ, we praise thy name.  
 2. When, soft - er than the roll - ing tide, Thy sum - mons glid - ed o'er.  
 3. And saw the glo - ry round thy head, One of thy cho - sen three.  
 4. And passed from He - rod's flash - ing blade To see thy face a - gain.

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SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD  
XVIII SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 2<sup>ND</sup> 2026

ΕΠΤΑΡΑΙΣΕ ΗΥΜΝΗ

TABLE OF PLENTY

Come to the feast of heav-en and earth! Come to the ta - ble of plen - ty!  
God will pro-vide for all that we need, here at the ta - ble of plen - ty.  
1. O come and eat with-out mo-ney;      & come to drink with-out price.  
2. My bread will ev - er sus - tain you through days of sor - row and woe.  
1. My feast of glad-ness will feed your spir - it with faith and full - ness of life.  
2. My wine will flow like a sea of glad-ness to flood the depths of your soul.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS

Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace, peace to peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we  
bless you, we a - dore you, we glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry, Lord God,  
heav-en-ly King, O God, al-might-y Fa-ther. Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son, Lord God,  
Lamb of God, Son of the Fa-ther, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us;  
you take a-way the sins of the world, re-ceive our prayer; you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther, have  
mer-cy on us. For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord, you a-lone are the Most High,  
Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the glo-ry, the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A - men. A - men.


# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

ISAIAH 55:1-3

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 145:8-9, 15-16, 17-18




The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 8:35, 37-39

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

MATTHEW 4:4B



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 14:13-21

HOMILY


PROFESSION OF FAITH

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL


# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

*If God Is For Us*



1. If God is for us, who can be a - gainst us? If God is on our side,  
2. If God is for us, who then can con - demn us? Sure - ly not Christ our Lord,  
3. If God is for us, who can stand a - gainst us? If Christ did set us free,



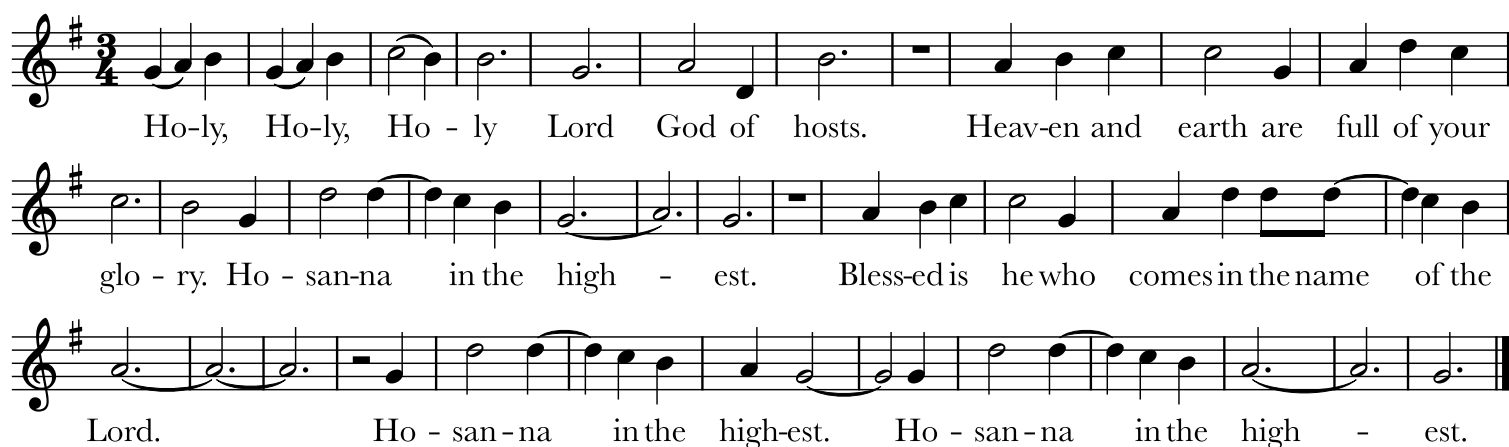
1. what can we be de - nied? In all these things we are more than con-quer-ors in  
2. who a - rose from the dead. There's noth - ing in this world that can sep - a - rate us  
3. who can make us a slave? Can pain or suf - fer - ing keep us from the love of



1. Je - sus. If God is on our side, what can we be de - nied?  
2. from his love. If God is on our side, what can we be de - nied?  
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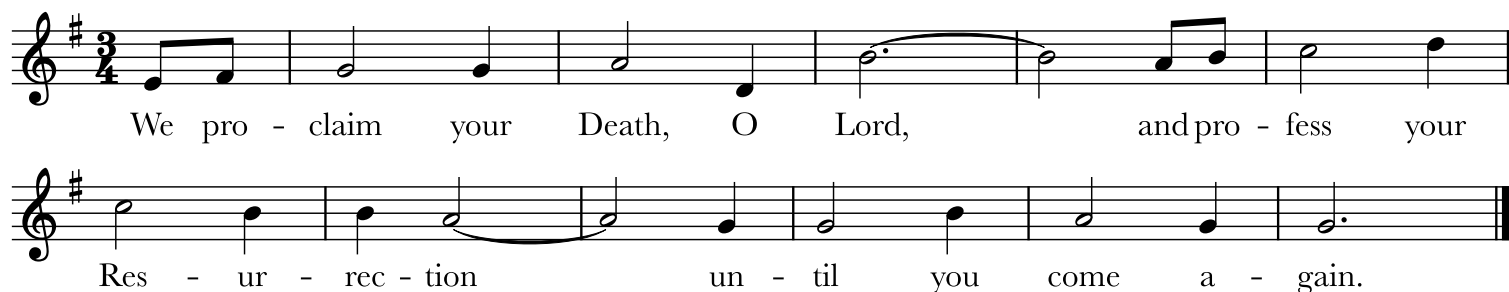
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EUCHARISTIC PRAYER



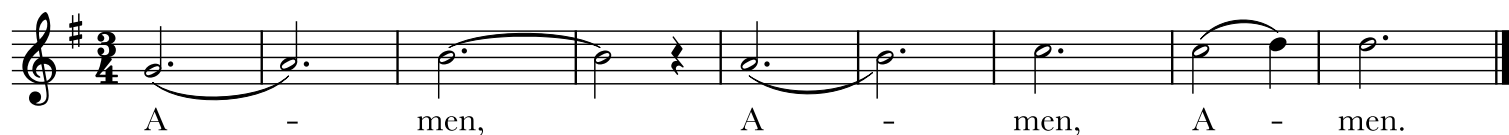
Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na in the high-est. Ho - san-na in the high - est.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



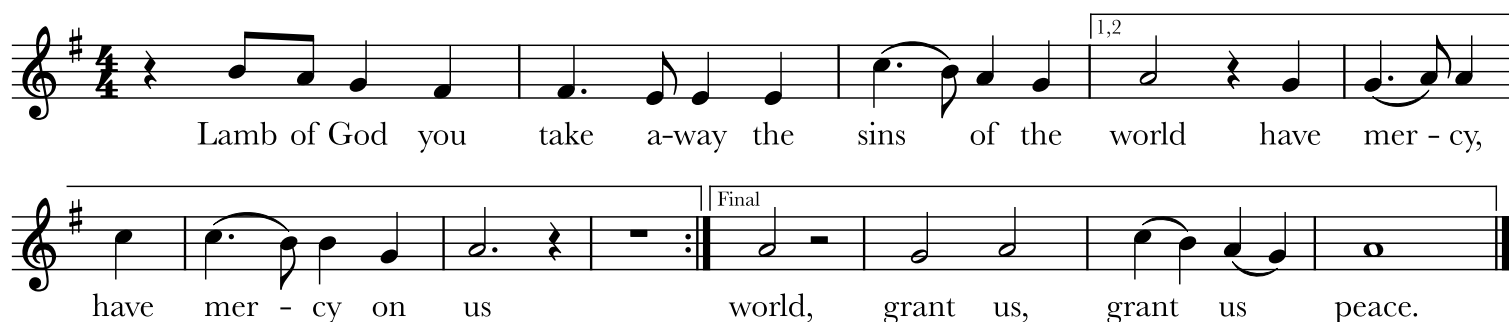
We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

AMEN



A - men, A - men, A - men.

AGNUS DEI



Lamb of God you take a-way the sins of the world have mer - cy, have mer - cy on us world, grant us, grant us peace.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*YOU HAVE GIVEN US BREAD FROM HEAVEN*

COMMUNION HYMN

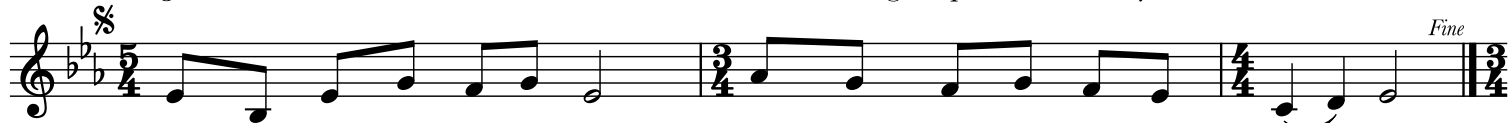
*COME TO THE WATER*

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1. Je - sus, on the moun-tain peak, stands a - lone in glo - ry blaz - ing.  
 2. Trem-bling at his feet we saw Mo - ses and E - li - jah speak - ing.  
 3. Swift the cloud of glo - ry came, God, pro-claim-ing in its thun - der,  
 4. Je - sus is the cho - sen one, liv - ing hope of ev - 'ry na - tion,



1. Let us, if we dare to speak, join the saints and an - gels Prais - ing.  
 2. All the proph-ets and the law shout through them their joy - ful greet - ing:  
 3. Je - sus as the Son by name! Na - tions, cry a - loud in won - der:  
 4. hear and heed him, ev - 'ry - one; sing, with earth and all cre - a - tion:



Praise and glo - ry, praise and glo - ry, praise and glo - ry to our Lord!

FINAL BLESSING & DISMISSAL

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

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RECESSIONAL HYMN

LOAVES WERE BROKEN



1. Loaves were bro - ken, words were spo - ken, by the Gal - i - le - an shore. Je - sus,  
 2. Loaves were bro - ken, words were spo - ken in a qui - et room one night. In the  
 3. By the loaves you break and give us, send us in your name to share bread for



1. Bread of Life from heav - en, was their food for - ev - er more.  
 2. bread and wine you gave them, Christ, you came as Light from Light. } By your bo - dy bro - ken  
 3. which the mil - lions hun - ger, words that tell your love and care. }



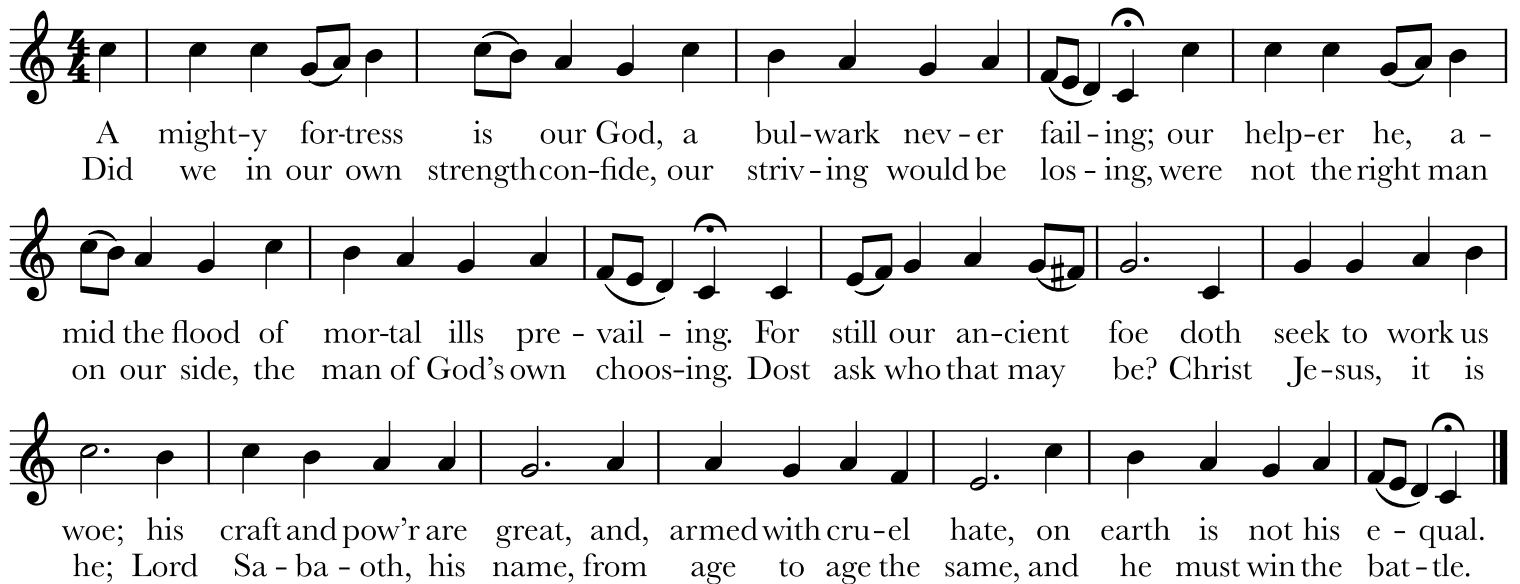
for us, By your wine of Life out-poured, Je - sus feed a - gain our peo - ple. Be our Host, our Life, our Lord.

SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD  
XIX SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 9<sup>TH</sup> 2026

ENTRANCE HYMN

*A MIGHTY FORTRESS*



A might-y for-tress is our God, a bul-wark nev-er fail-ing; our help-er he, a -  
Did we in our own strength con-fide, our striv-ing would be los - ing, were not the right man  
mid the flood of mor-tal ills pre - vail - ing. For still our an-cient foe doth seek to work us  
on our side, the man of God's own choos-ing. Dost ask who that may be? Christ Je-sus, it is  
woe; his craft and pow'r are great, and, armed with cru-el hate, on earth is not his e - qual.  
he; Lord Sa - ba - oth, his name, from age to age the same, and he must win the bat-tle.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS



Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace, peace to peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we  
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# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

I Kings 19:9A, 11-13A

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14




Lord, let us see your kind - ness, and grant us your sal - va - tion.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 9:1-5

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

CF. PSALM 130:5



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 14:22-33

HOMILY


PROFESSION OF FAITH

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL


# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS


*ALL IS WELL WITH MY SOUL*



1. When peace, like a riv - er, at - tend - eth my way; When sor - rows like  
2. My soul is at rest in the Lord God a - lone; From God comes sal -  
3. My God is my safe - ty, my glo - ry, my strength; My re - fuge when



1. sea bil - lows roll; What - ev - er my lot, you have taught me to say: It is well, it is  
2. va - tion and hope. With God as my rock, I shall not be dis - turbed: All is well, all is  
3. life takes its toll. I trust in my God, as I pour out my heart: All is well, all is

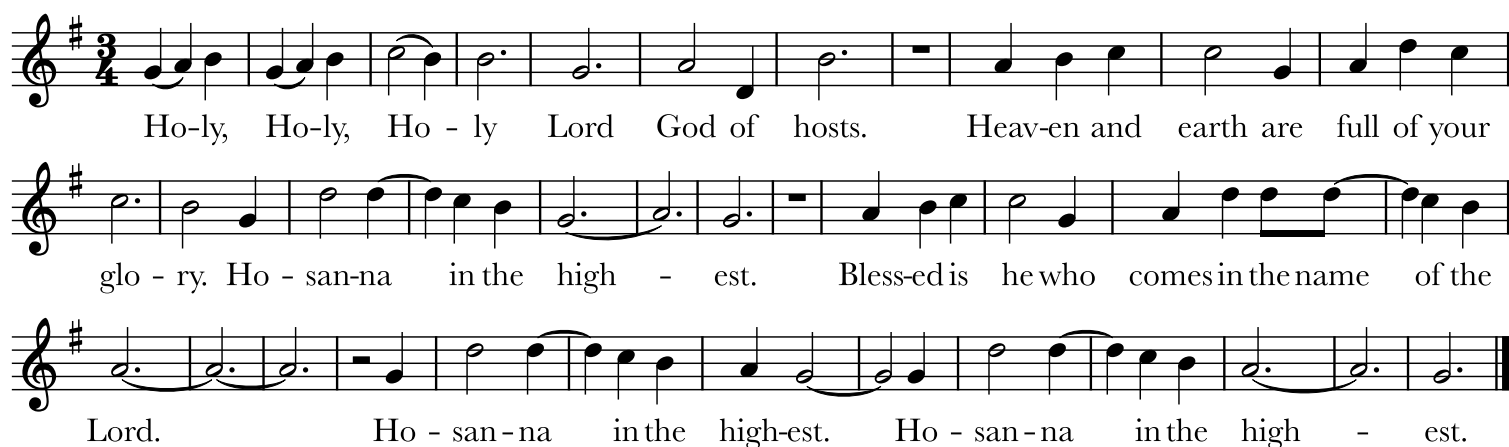


1.-3. well with my soul. All is well with my soul; All is well, all is well with my soul.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

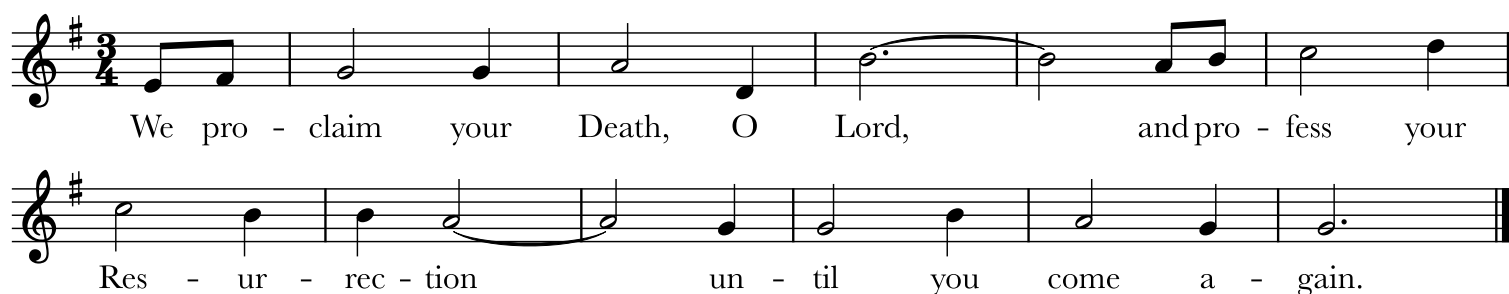
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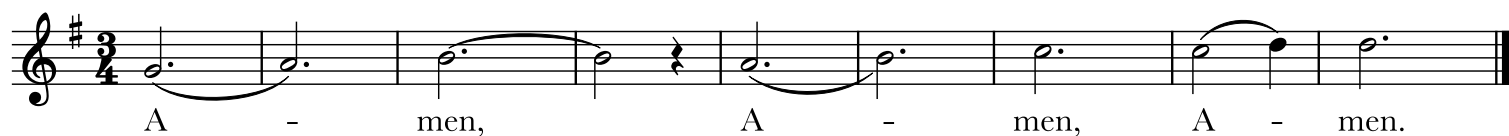
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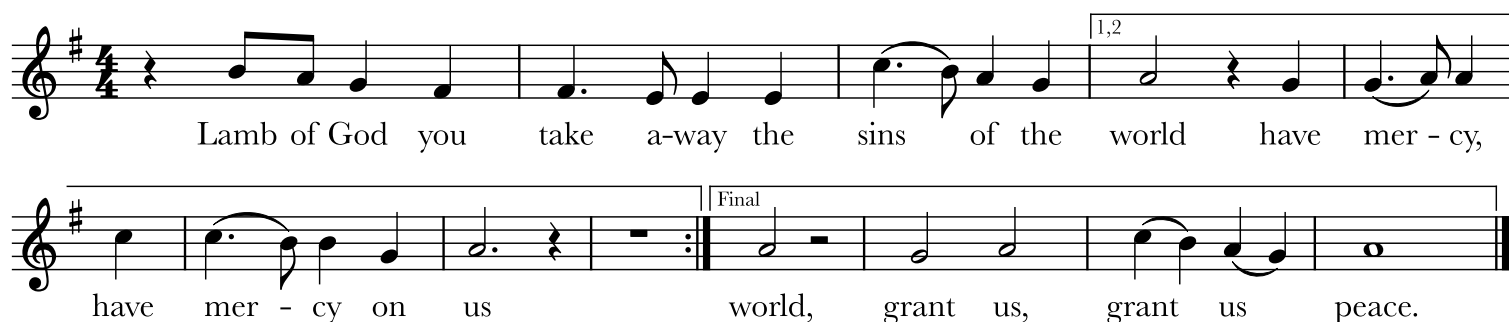
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## COMMUNION ANTIPHON


*THE BREAD THAT I WILL GIVE*

## COMMUNION HYMN

*YOU ARE NEAR*

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1. Pre - cious Lord, take my hand, Lead me on let me stand, I am tired I am
2. When my way grows drear, Pre-cious Lord, lin - ger near, When my life is
3. When the dark - ness ap - pears And the night draws near, And the day is



1. weak, I am worn. Through the storm, through the night, Lead me on to the light.
2. al - most gone, Hear my cry, hear my call, Hold my hand lest I fall,
3. past and gone, At the riv - er I stand, Guide my feet, hold my hand.



Take my hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

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## RECESSIONAL HYMN

## HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING



1. My life flows on in end-less song; a - bove earth's la - men - ta - tion,
2. Through all the tu - mult and the strife, I hear the mu - sic ring - ing.
3. What though the tem - pest 'round me roar, I hear the truth it liv - eth.
4. The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a foun - tain ev - er spring - ing!



1. I hear the real though far - off hymn that hails a new cre - a - tion.
2. It sounds and e - choes in my soul. How can I keep from sing - ing?
3. What though the dark - ness 'round me close, songs in the night he giv - eth.
4. All things are mine since I am his! How can I keep from sing - ing?



No storm can shake my in-most calm while to that Rock I'm cling - ing.



Since Christ is Lord of heav - en and earth, how can I keep from sing - ing?

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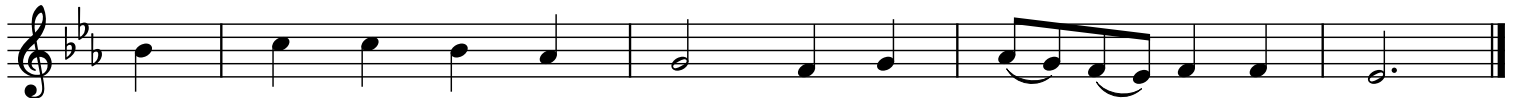
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ΕΠΤΑΠΣΕ ΗΥΜΝ

*To Christ Whose Hands Will Bless*



1. To Christ whose hands will bless we bring our hurt for heal - ing,  
 2. Lord Je - sus, take our pain, our an - ger and des - pair - ing,  
 3. As chil - dren we re - turn, the child with - in us cry - ing,  
 4. Now set us in our feet, se - cure with - in your keep - ing,



1. our brok - en lives re - veal - ing in sick - ness and in stress.  
 2. let us ad - mit your car - ing, Lord car - ry us a - gain.  
 3. yet fear with - in us dy - ing at love we do not earn.  
 4. our whole - ness in your shap - ing, where pain and Spir - it meet.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS



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# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

ISAIAH 55:1, 6-7

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8




O God, let all the na - tions praise - you!

SECOND READING

ROMANS 11:13-15, 29-32

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

MATTHEW 4:23



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

“Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom and cured every disease among the people.”

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 15:21-28

HOMILY

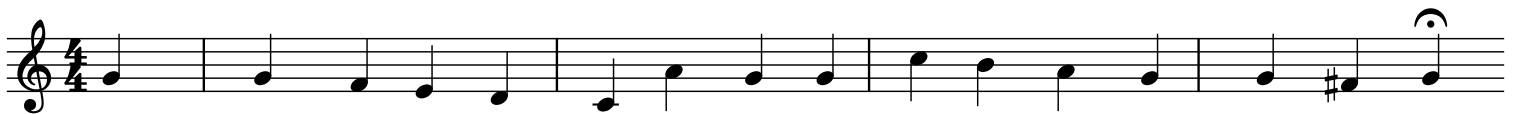
PROFESSION OF FAITH

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

*O CHRIST THE HEALER*



1. O Christ, the heal - er, we have come to pray for health, to plead for friends.
2. From ev - 'ry ail - ment flesh en - dures our bo - dies cla - mor to be freed;
3. In con - flicts that des - troy our health We rec - og - nize the world's dis - ease;
4. Grant that we all, made one in faith, in your com - mu - ni - ty may find



1. How can we fail to be res-tored, when reached by love that nev - er ends?
2. yet in our hearts we would con-fess that whole-ness is our deep - est need.
3. Our com-mon life de - clares our ills: Is there no cure, O Christ, for these?
4. the whole-ness that, en - rich - ing us, shall reach the whole of hu - man-kind.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

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## MASS OF RENEWAL

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## AMEN

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## AGNVS DEI

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## COMMUNION HYMN I

*Ave Maria*, F. SCHUBERT (1797-1828)

## COMMUNION HYMN II

*Your Hands, O Lord, in Days Of Old*

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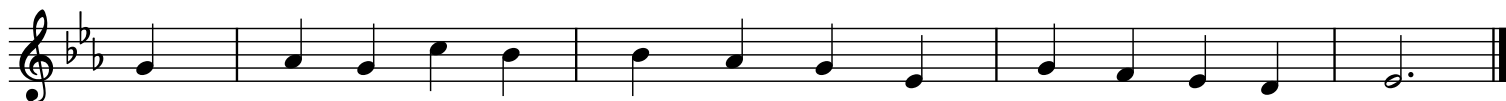
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1. O for a faith that will not shrink, Though pressed by e - v'ry foe,
2. That will not mur - mur nor com - plain Be - neath the chast'ning rod,
3. A faith that shines more bright and clear When tem - pests rage with - out:
4. A faith that keeps the nar - row way Till life's last hour is fled,
5. Lord, give us such a faith as this; And then, what e'er may come,



1. That will not trem - ble on the brink Of a - ny earth - ly woe.
2. But, in the hour of grief or pain, Will lean up - on its God.
3. That when in dan - ger knows no fear, In dark - ness feels no doubt.
4. And with a pure and heav'n - ly ray Lights up a dy - ing bed.
5. I'll taste, e'en now, the hal - lowed bliss Of an e - ter - nal home.

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

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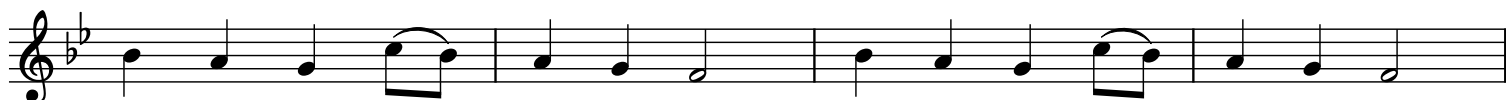
## HAIL HOLY QUEEN



1. Hail, ho - ly Queen en - throned a - bove,
  2. Our life, our sweet - ness here be - low,
  3. O gen - tle, lov - ing, ho - ly one,
- } O Ma - ri - a.



1. Hail, Moth - er of mer - cy and of love,
  2. The hope in sor - row and in woe,
  3. The God of light be - came your Son,
- } O Ma - ri - a.



Tri - umph, all ye Che - ru - bim; Sing with us, ye Ser - a - phim.



Heav'n and earth re - sound the hymn: Sal - ve, Sal - ve, Sal - ve Re - gi - na.

SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD  
XXI SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 23<sup>RD</sup> 2026

ΕΠΤΑΡΑΙΣΕ ΗΥΜΝΗ

CHRIST IS MADE THE SURE FOUNDATION



1. Christ is made the sure foun - da - tion, Christ the head and cor - ner - stone,  
2. To this tem - ple, where we call You, come, O Lord of Hosts, to - day;  
3. Here bes - tow on all Your ser - vants What they ask of You to gain;



1. cho - sen of the Lord, and pre - cious, bind - ing all the church in one,  
2. with your stead - fast lov - ing - kind - ness, hear Your ser - vants as they pray;  
3. What they gain from You, for - ev - er With the bles - sed to re - tain;



1. Ho - ly Zi - on's help for - ev - er, and her con - fi - dence a - lone.  
2. and Your ful - lest ben - e - dic - tion shed in all its bright ar - ray.  
3. And here - af - ter in Your glo - ry Ev - er - more with You to reign.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS



Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace, peace to peo - ple of good will. We praise you, we



bless you, we a - dore you, we glo - ri - fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord God,



heav - en - ly King, O God, al - migh - ty Fa - ther. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God,



Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us;



you take a - way the sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer; you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther, have



mer - cy on us. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the Most High,



Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it, in the glo - ry, the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men. A - men.

# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

ISAIAH 22:19-23

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8



Lord, your love is e - ter - nal do not for - sake the work of your hands.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 11:33-36

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

MATTHEW 16:18



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

“You are Peter and upon this rock I will build my Church and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it.”

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 16:13-20

HOMILY


PROFESSION OF FAITH

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL


# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

*GOD MOVES IN A MYSTERIOUS WAY*



1. God moves in a mys - ter - ious way, His won - ders to per - form;  
2. Deep in un - fath - om - a - ble mines Of nev - er fail - ing skill;  
3. Judge not the Lord by fee - ble sense, But trust him for his grace;  
4. His pur - pos - es will ri - pen fast, Un - fold - ing ev - 'ry hour;  
5. Blind un - be - lief is sure to err, And scan his work in vain;



1. He plants his foot - steps in the sea, And rides up - on the storm.  
2. He treas - ures up his bright de - signs, And works His sov' - reign will.  
3. Be - hind a frown - ing prov - i - dence, He hides a smil - ing face.  
4. The bud may have a bit - ter taste, But sweet will be the flow'r.  
5. God is his own in - ter - pret - er, And he will make it plain.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your  
 glo - ry. Ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the  
 Lord. Ho - san-na in the high-est. Ho - san-na in the high - est.

## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

## MASS OF RENEWAL

We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your  
 Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

## AMEN

## MASS OF RENEWAL

A - men, A - men, A - men.

## AGNVS DEI

## MASS OF RENEWAL

Lamb of God you take a-way the sins of the world have mer - cy,  
 have mer - cy on us world, grant us, grant us peace.

## COMMUNION HYMN I

*WHOEVER EATS MY FLESH*

## COMMUNION HYMN II

*TU ES PETRUS, G. FAURÉ (1845-1924)*

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1. Up - on the rock of Pe - ter, A hum-ble fish-er - man, The Church, O Lord, you
2. The faith of faith-ful wit-ness From Pe - ter to our day Calls us the Church to
3. We cel - e-brate this mys - t'ry, The gift of Pe - ter's chair, The teach - ing and tra -



1. found - ed To preach to ev - 'ry land. The King - dom's keys you gave him, The
2. fol - low, To run the nar - row way. In ap - os - tol - ic un - ion, With
3. di - tion, The un - i - ty we share. One with the Ho - ly Fa - ther, We



1. keys to bind and loose, That freed from sin and bond-age We might be joined to you.
2. all the saints a - bove, Let us re - vere and cher - ish One faith, one hope, one love.
3. praise your maj - es - ty: O Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it, Most Ho - ly Trin - i - ty.

## FINAL BLESSING &amp; DISMISSAL

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Heavenly Father, You have created us for a definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for each of us in this life, and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make my parish, my home and my heart fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations to the priesthood of Jesus Christ. May our young men respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among them a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. We make our prayer for priestly vocations to You, Father, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us. Saint Joseph, Patron of our Archdiocese, pray for us. Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

## RECESSIONAL HYMN

*MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS*

1. My hope is built on noth - ing less than Je - sus' blood and right - eous - ness;
2. When dark - ness veils his love - ly face, I rest on his un - chang - ing grace;
3. His oath, his cov - e - nant, his blood, sup - port me in the whelm - ing flood;
4. When he shall come with trum - pet sound, O may I then in him be found:



1. I dare not trust the sweet - est frame, but whol - ly lean on Je - sus' name.
2. in ev - 'ry high and storm - y gale, my an - chor holds with - in the veil.
3. when all a - round my soul gives way, he then is all my hope and stay.
4. dressed in his right - eous - ness a - lone, fault - less to stand be - fore the throne.



On Christ, the sol - id Rock, I stand: all oth - er ground is sink - ing sand.

SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD  
**XXII SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

AUGUST 30<sup>TH</sup> 2026

ENTRANCE HYMN

*TAKE UP YOUR CROSS*



1. Take up your cross, the Sav - ior said, If you would my dis - ci - ple be;
2. Take up your cross, be not a - shamed! Let not dis - grace your spir - it fill!
3. Take up your cross, which gives you strength, Which makes your trem - bling spir - it brave:
4. Take up your cross, and fol - low Christ, Nor think till death to lay it down;



1. De - ny your - self, the world for - sake, And hum - bly fol - low af - ter me.
2. For God him - self en - dured to die Up - on a cross, on Cal - vary's hill.
3. 'Twill guide you to a bet - ter home And lead to vict - 'ry o'er the grave.
4. For on - ly they who bear the cross May hope to wear the glo - rious crown.

GLORIA

RESURRECTION MASS



Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace, peace to peo - ple of good will. We praise you, we



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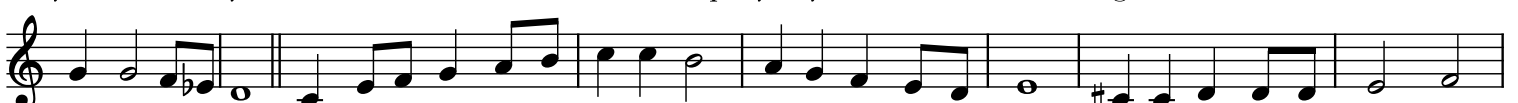
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# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

JEREMIAH 20:7-9

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9



My soul is thirst - ing fo you, O Lord, my God.

SECOND READING

ROMANS 12:1-2

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

CF. EPHESIANS 1:17-18



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 16:21-27

HOMILY

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# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS


*ONLY THIS I WANT*

Refrain



On-ly this I want: but to know the Lord, and to bear his cross, so to wear the crown he wore.

1. All but this is loss, Worth-less re-fuse to me,  
2. I will run the race; I will fight the good fight,  
3. Let your heart be glad, al-ways glad in the Lord,



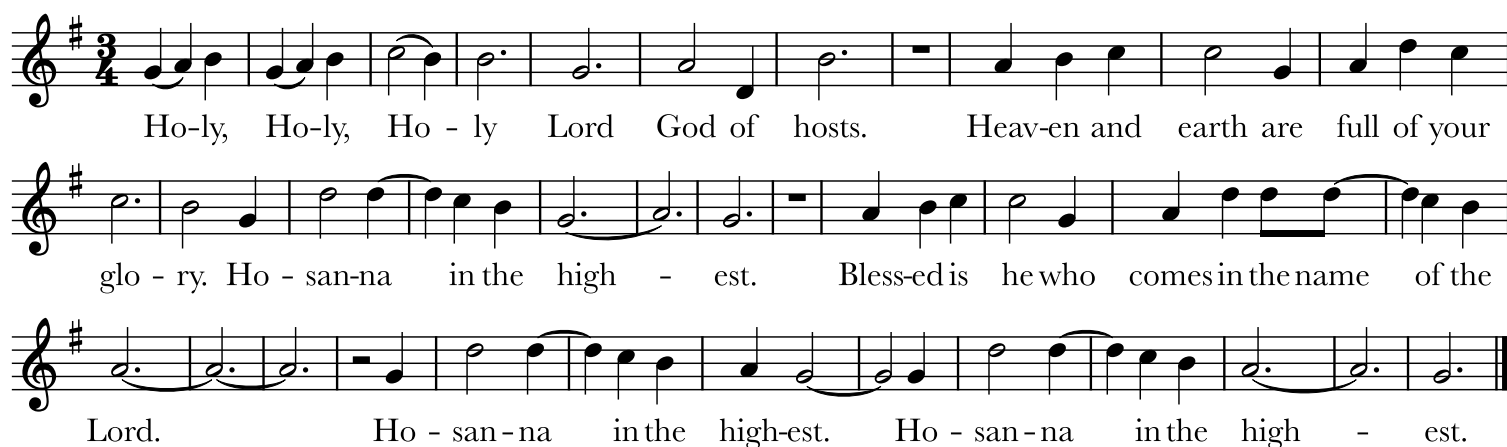
to Refrain

1. for to gain the Lord is to gain all I need.  
2. so to win the prize of the king - dom of my Lord.  
3. so to shine like stars in the dark - ness of the night.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

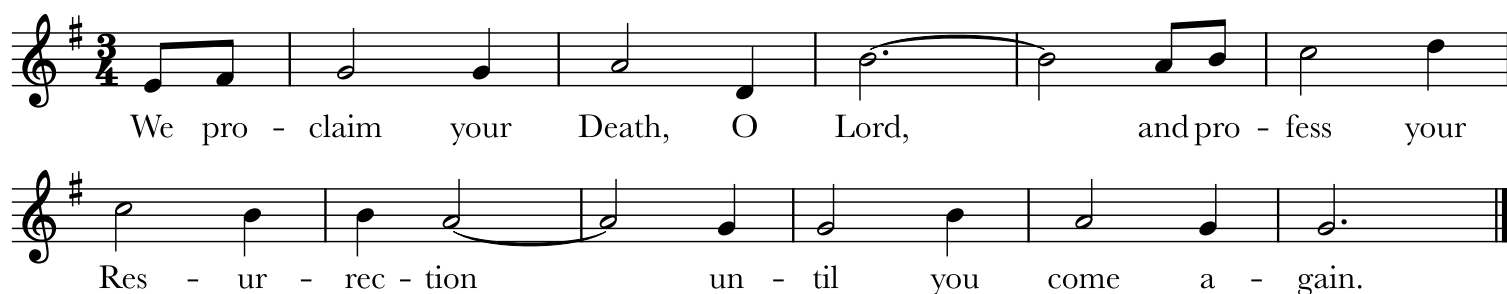
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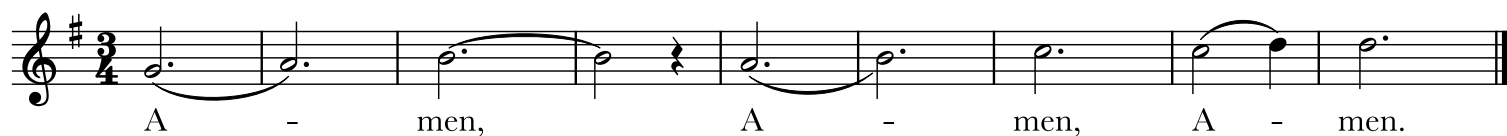
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## AMEN

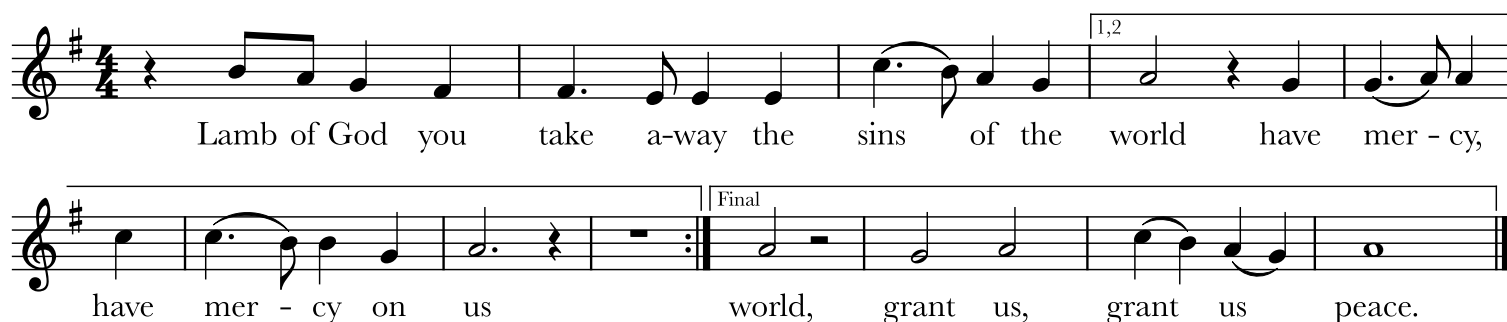
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## COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*HOW GREAT IS THY GOODNESS*

## COMMUNION HYMN

*COME, FOLLOW ME*

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1. Je - sus, I my cross have ta - ken, all to leave and fol - low thee;
2. Per - ish ev - 'ry fond am - bi - tion, all I've sought or hoped or known;
3. Go, then, earth - ly fame and treas - ure, Come, dis - as - ter, scorn and pain:
4. Let the world des - pise and leave me, they have left my Sav - ior, too.
5. And while Thou shalt smile up - on me, God of wis - dom, love and might,



1. des - ti - tute, des - pised, for - sa - ken, thou from hence my all shalt be.
2. yet how rich is my con - di - tion, God and heav'n are still my own.
3. in thy ser - vice pain is pleas - ure, With thy fa - vor, loss is gain.
4. Hu - man hearts and looks de - ceive me; Thou art not, like them, un - true.
5. Foes may hate and friends dis - own me, show Thy face and all is bright.

## FINAL BLESSING

## DISMISSAL

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## RECESSIONAL HYMN

## TAKE MY LIFE AND LET IT BE



1. Take my life and let it be con - se - crat - ed, Lord, to thee. Take my mo - ments
2. Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no long - er mine. Take my heart it
3. Take my sil - ver and my gold; not a mite would I with - hold. Take my in - tel -



1. and my days; let them flow in end - less praise. Take my hands and let them move
2. is thine own; it shall be thy roy - al throne. Take my love; my Lord, I pour
3. lect and use ev - 'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose. Take my voice and let me sing



1. at the im - pulse of thy love. Take my feet and let them be swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
2. at thy feet its trea - sure store. Take my - self, and I will be ev - er, on - ly, all for thee.
3. al - ways, on - ly, for my King. Take my lips and let them be filled with mes - sa - ges from thee.