

Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Celebration of Mass

July 13th, 2025– 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time C

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Entrance: We Gather as One

We come here broken, we come in need,
searching for truth longing for peace.
You are the answer, you are the way.
Draw us to you, be present this day.

*May we be one with you,
a people of hope and truth.
In this sacrifice, the bread of life
unites us in love.
We gather as one.*

All that we carry, all that we bear,
we bring to your altar,
we place in your care.

Take all our chaos and turn it to rest.
We offer our hearts that we may be blessed.

*May we be one with you,
a people of hope and truth.
In this sacrifice, the bread of life
unites us in love.
We gather as one.*

Light of the world, redeemer, and friend,
Alpha, Omega, beginning and end.
Life-giving bread, our saving cup,
may all those who share be united in love.

*May we be one with you,
a people of hope and truth.
In this sacrifice, the bread of life
unites us in love.
We gather as one.*

Penitential Act: *Confiteor*

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Kyrie, éléison
Christe éléison
Kyrie éléison

Glory to God (Mass of St. Kilian)

Glory to God in the highest, on earth peace to people of good will.

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, 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.

Amen. Amen.

Liturgy of the Word

Readings from USCCB

*Click on the link above to follow the readings for today.
Then use your browser's “back” button to return to the worship aid.*

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all things
visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only
Begotten Son of God, born of the Father
before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light, true God
from true God, begotten, not made,
consubstantial with the Father; through him
all things were made. For us men and for
our salvation he came down from heaven,

(Bow your heads)

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of
the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic
Church. I confess one Baptism for the
forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the
resurrection of the dead and the life of the
world to come. Amen.

Preparation of the Gifts I: Drawn to You

*Draw to you,
Lord, we are drawn to you,
to the beauty of your presence in this place.
Here for you, God, we are here for you
as the gifts we bring become a feast of grace.
We are drawn to you.*

Drawn by the love
that you have poured on us,
We bring these gifts,
works of our hands.
You gather all we offer to yourself,
receive our prayer.

*Draw to you,
Lord, we are drawn to you,
to the beauty of your presence in this place.
Here for you, God, we are here for you
as the gifts we bring become a feast of grace.
We are drawn to you.*

Drawn by the faith
that you accept our gifts,
and sanctify,
what we have shared.

To make us holy by this bread and wine,
receive our prayer.

*Draw to you,
Lord, we are drawn to you,
to the beauty of your presence in this place.
Here for you, God, we are here for you
as the gifts we bring become a feast of grace.
We are drawn to you.*

Drawn by the table
you have laid for us,
the welcome feast,
your heart prepares,
the words now spoken that will make us one,
receive our prayer.

*Draw to you,
Lord, we are drawn to you,
to the beauty of your presence in this place.
Here for you, God, we are here for you
as the gifts we bring become a feast of grace.
We are drawn to you.*

Preparation of the Gifts II:

The House That Love Is Building

In the house that Love is building
there is room enough for all,
endless welcome in her rafters,
mercy singing through her walls.

Here is refuge for all people
from every tribe and tongue.
In the house that Love is building
there is room for everyone.

In the garden Love is tending
there's a great and boundless feast,
where the seeds of hope are planted,
and the yield is heaven's peace.
As the field becomes a harvest
for the many hungry ones,
in the garden Love is tending
there's enough for everyone.

Oh, the song that Love is raising
is of pure, unending light
in the voices of her people,
rising to eternal skies.

Now the darkness shall be swallowed
by the Living Word of God.

Oh, the song that Love is raising
is a song for everyone.

In the house that Love is building
there is room enough for all,
endless welcome in her rafters,
mercy singing through her walls.

Here is refuge for all people
from every tribe and tongue.

In the house that Love is building
there is room for everyone.

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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Holy (Mass of St. Kilian)

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of
the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Memorial Acclamation

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we
proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come
again.

Amen (Mass of St. Kilian)

Amen, amen, amen, amen.

Lamb of God (Mass of St. Kilian)

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of
the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of
the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of
the world, grant us peace.

Pre-Communion Prayer: Sanctuary

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary,
pure and holy, tried and true;
with thanksgiving, I'll be a living
Sanctuary for you.

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Communion I: God of Mercy

*God of mercy, holy myst'ry, ever faithful one,
you have pitched your tent among us,
reconciling love.*

*Heart and mind of Christ,
live within our lives,
form us into people of mercy and grace.*

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You have called us each by name
in your great compassion,
encompassing our failings with mercy.
God of mercy, lead us.

*God of mercy, holy myst'ry, ever faithful one,
you have pitched your tent among us,
reconciling love.*

*Heart and mind of Christ,
live within our lives,
form us into people of mercy and grace.*

Slow to anger, rich in love,
you bestow forgiveness.

May we, in turn,
forgive those who harm us.

God of mercy, lead us.

*God of mercy, holy myst'ry, ever faithful one,
you have pitched your tent among us,
reconciling love.*

*Heart and mind of Christ,
live within our lives,
form us into people of mercy and grace.*

In our midst as one who serves,
breaking down divisions,
to all in need you send us as neighbor.
God of mercy, lead us.

*God of mercy, holy myst'ry, ever faithful one,
you have pitched your tent among us,
reconciling love.*

*Heart and mind of Christ,
live within our lives,
form us into people of mercy and grace.*

Reaching out to those in pain,
wounded and abandoned,
may we create safe havens for healing.
God of mercy, lead us.

*God of mercy, holy myst'ry, ever faithful one,
you have pitched your tent among us,
reconciling love.*

*Heart and mind of Christ,
live within our lives,
form us into people of mercy and grace.*

In the word of truth you speak,
word of hope and challenge,
you summon us to speak
for the voiceless.

God of mercy, lead us.

*God of mercy, holy myst'ry, ever faithful one,
you have pitched your tent among us,
reconciling love.*

*Heart and mind of Christ,
live within our lives,
form us into people of mercy and grace.*

In this Bread we break and share,
in this Cup of blessing,
you summon us to work for true justice.
God of mercy, lead us.

*God of mercy, holy myst'ry, ever faithful one,
you have pitched your tent among us,
reconciling love.*

*Heart and mind of Christ,
live within our lives,
form us into people of mercy and grace.*

Communion II: Fragrance Prayer

*Dear Jesus, help me to spread your
fragrance ev'rywhere that I go.
Dear Jesus, flood my soul with your
spirit and your love.*

Penetrate and possess my being
so utterly that all my life
may only be a radiance of you.

*Dear Jesus, help me to spread your
fragrance ev'rywhere that I go.*

*Dear Jesus, flood my soul with your spirit
and your love.*

Shine through me and be so in me
that ev'ry soul I come in contact with
may feel your presence in my soul.

*Dear Jesus, help me to spread your
fragrance ev'rywhere that I go.*

*Dear Jesus, flood my soul with your spirit
and your love.*

Let them look up and see no longer me
but only you, my Jesus.
Stay with me and then I shall begin
to shine as you shine
so to shine as a light to all.

*Dear Jesus, help me to spread your
fragrance ev'rywhere that I go.*

*Dear Jesus, flood my soul with your spirit
and your love.*

Communion III: By Our Love

*By our love, by our love,
They will know we are Christians by
our love.*

*Not by words, but how we live,
Yes, they'll know we are Christians
by our love, by our love.*

When we feed the hungry, they will
know by our love,
Lifting up the lowly, by our love, by
our love.

We are one in the Spirit, we are one
in the Lord,

And we pray that all unity may one
day be restored.

*By our love, by our love,
They will know we are Christians by
our love.*

*Not by words, but how we live,
Yes, they'll know we are Christians
by our love, by our love.*

Welcome to the stranger, they will
know by our love,

Shelter for the homeless, by our
love, by our love.

We will walk with each other, we will
walk hand in hand,

And together we'll spread the news
that God is in our land.

*By our love, by our love,
They will know we are Christians by
our love.*

*Not by words, but how we live,
Yes, they'll know we are Christians
by our love, by our love.*

Freedom to the captive, they will
know by our love,
Comfort to the broken, by our love,
by our love.

We will work with each other, we
will work side by side,
And we'll guard each one's dignity
and save each one's pride.

*By our love, by our love,
They will know we are Christians by
our love.*

*Not by words, but how we live,
Yes, they'll know we are Christians
by our love, by our love.*

We sing praise to the Father, from
whom all things come,
And all praise to Christ Jesus, his
only Son,
And all praise to the Spirit, who
makes us one,
They will know we are Christians by
our love, by our love.

*By our love, by our love,
They will know we are Christians by
our love.*

*Not by words, but how we live,
Yes, they'll know we are Christians
by our love, by our love.*

Meditation:
From Glory to Glory (We Adore You)

We long to see your face
as you dwell in this holy place.
Your presence we behold;
you are more precious than gold.

*We adore you, we adore you,
We adore you, Holy One.
We adore you, we adore you,
We adore you, Holy One.*

You are light from light,
transfigured in our sight.
Your freedom captivates,
and we are still by your gaze.

*We adore you, we adore you,
We adore you, Holy One.
We adore you, we adore you,
We adore you, Holy One.*

Lift the veil; we are changed
from glory to glory, Lord.
Lift the veil; we are changed
from glory to glory, Lord...

*We adore you, we adore you,
We adore you, Holy One.
We adore you, we adore you,
We adore you, Holy One.*

Recessional: High Above Our Way

There's a love that is greater than my own;
there's a spirit that brings me back to life.
There's a seed that's been planted in my soul
that can only grow in the light of Christ.

There's a mercy that's wider than my own;
there's a hope every sinner can be saved.
There's a power that rolls away the stone
that is only found in the light of Christ.

*High above our way is the mind of God,
love much greater than my own.
Into your hands I commend my life;
true love is found in Christ alone.*

There is water for every thirsty soul;
there is bread that will truly satisfy.

There's a seed that's been planted in my soul
that can only grow in the light of Christ.

*High above our way is the mind of God,
love much greater than my own.
Into your hands I commend my life;
true love is found in Christ alone.*

All you who wander, come and see.
All you who labor, come find peace.
Lay down your burden and be free;
come to the Lord.

There's a love that is greater than my own;
there's a spirit that brings me back to life.
There's a seed that's been planted in my soul
that can only grow in the light of Christ.

*High above our way is the mind of God,
love much greater than my own.
Into your hands I commend my life;
true love is found in Christ alone.*

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