

Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Celebration of Mass

July 19, 2026 – 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time A

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Entrance: [Come Now Is The Time To Worship](#)

*Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come, just as you are to worship.
Come, just as you are before your God.
Come.*

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One day ev'ry tongue will confess you are God.

One day ev'ry knee will bow.

Still the greatest treasure remains for those who
gladly choose you now.

*Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come, just as you are to worship.
Come, just as you are before your God.
Come.*

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.

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

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.

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

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.

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

Amen.

Liturgy of the Word

Readings from USCCB

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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: Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)

You call me out upon the waters,
the great unknown where feet may fail.
And there I find you in the myst'ry,
in oceans deep, my faith will stand.

*And I will call upon your name
and keep my eyes above the waves.
When oceans rise,
my soul will rest in your embrace
for I am yours and you are mine.*

Your grace abounds in deepest waters,
your sov'reign hand will be my guide.
Where feet may fail and fear surrounds me,
you've never failed and you won't stop now.

*And I will call upon your name
and keep my eyes above the waves.
When oceans rise,
my soul will rest in your embrace
for I am yours and you are mine.*

Spirit, lead me where my trust is without borders;
let me walk upon the waters
wherever you would call me.
Take me deeper than my feet could ever wander
and my faith will be made stronger
in the presence of my Savior.

*I will call upon your name;
keep my eyes above the waves.
My soul will rest in your embrace
for I am yours and you are mine.*

Preparation of the Gifts II: Purify my Heart

Purify my heart,
let me be as gold and precious silver.
Purify my heart,
let me be as gold, pure gold.

*Refiner's fire,
my heart's one desire
is to be holy,
set apart for you, Lord.
I choose to be holy,
set apart for you, my master,
ready to do your will.*

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: Miracle of Grace

Miracle of grace,
mystery of faith,
calling us to venture to the deep.
Though our senses fail,
your graces still prevail,
and we become the love that we receive.

Bread of life, bread of life.

*Those who eat this bread
shall live and never die.*

Bread of life, bread of life.

Your true presence in this holy sacrifice.

Bread of life.

Unworthy though we are,
you feed the hungry heart
with bread come down from heaven above.
And like a grain of wheat,
we fall down at your feet,
dying here with you. Oh, let us rise!

Bread of life, bread of life.

*Those who eat this bread
shall live and never die.*

Bread of life, bread of life.

Your true presence in this holy sacrifice.

Bread of life.

Your faithfulness revealed
in this covenant you've sealed
with your very body and your blood.
Come, claim your bride again
with love that cannot end,
for what God joins no one can divide.

Bread of life, bread of life.

*Those who eat this bread
shall live and never die.*

Bread of life, bread of life.

Your true presence in this holy sacrifice.

Bread of life.

Communion II: O Come to the Altar

Are you hurting and broken within,
overwhelmed by the weight of your sin?

Jesus is calling.

Have you come to the end of yourself?
Do you thirst for a drink from the well?

Jesus is calling.

*O come to the altar;
the Father's arms are open wide.
Forgiveness was bought with
the precious Blood of Jesus Christ.*

Leave behind your regrets and mistakes.

Come today; there's no reason to wait.

Jesus is calling.

Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy.

From the ashes, a new life is born.

Jesus is calling.

*O come to the altar;
the Father's arms are open wide.
Forgiveness was bought with
the precious Blood of Jesus Christ.*

Oh, what a Savior!
Isn't he wonderful?
Sing alleluia, Christ is risen!
Bow down before him,
for he is Lord of all.
Sing alleluia, Christ is risen!

*O come to the altar;
the Father's arms are open wide.
Forgiveness was bought with
the precious Blood of Jesus Christ.*

Bear your cross as you wait for the crown.
Tell the world of the treasure you found.

Communion III: Shout to the Lord

My Jesus, my Savior;
Lord, there is none like you.
All of my days I want to praise
the wonders of your mighty love.

My comfort, my shelter,
tower of refuge and strength;
let ev'ry breath, all that I am,
never cease to worship you.

*Shout to the Lord, all the earth; let us sing
power and majesty praise to the king.
Mountains bow down and the seas will roar
at the sound of your name.
I sing for joy at the work of your hands.
Forever I'll love you, forever I'll stand.
Nothing compares to the promise I have
in you.*

Meditation: The Jesus Song

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God,
have mercy on me, have mercy on me.

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God,
have mercy on me, have mercy on me. Amen.

Jesus, I trust in you. Jesus, I trust in you.

You are the Son of the Living God.

Jesus, I trust in you. Jesus I trust in you.

Concluding Rite

Recessional: Blest Be the Lord

*Blest be the Lord; blest be the Lord,
the God of mercy, the God who saves.
I shall not fear the dark of night,
nor the arrow that flies by day.*

He will release me from the nets of all my foes.
He will protect me from their wicked hands.
Beneath the shadow of his wings I will rejoice
to find a dwelling place secure.

*Blest be the Lord; blest be the Lord,
the God of mercy, the God who saves.
I shall not fear the dark of night,
nor the arrow that flies by day.*

I need not shrink before
the terrors of the night,
nor stand alone before the light of day.
No harm shall come to me,
no arrow strike me down,
no evil settle in my soul.

*Blest be the Lord; blest be the Lord,
the God of mercy, the God who saves.
I shall not fear the dark of night,
nor the arrow that flies by day.*

Although a thousand strong
have fallen at my side,
I'll not be shaken with the Lord at hand.
His faithful love is all
the armor that I need
to wage my battle with the foe.

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