# Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Celebration of Mass

November 15th, 2026 – 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

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# Entrance: Here at This Table

*Come and be filled here at this table.*
*Food for all who hunger*
*and drink for all who thirst.*
*Drink of his love, wine of salvation.*
*You shall live forever in Jesus Christ the Lord.*

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You who labor for justice,
you who labor for peace,
you who steady the plow in the field
of the Lord,

*Come and be filled here at this table.*
*Food for all who hunger*
*and drink for all who thirst.*
*Drink of his love, wine of salvation.*
*You shall live forever*
*in Jesus Christ the Lord.*

# 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, eléison
Christe eléison
Kyrie eléison

## 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

*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:
# Vine and Branches

*I am the vine and you the branches.*
*Remain in me as I remain in you;*
*you will bear great fruit in me.*

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A new commandment I give you:
even as I have loved you,
now love one another.

*I am the vine and you the branches.*
*Remain in me as I remain in you;*
*you will bear great fruit in me.*

No greater love is there than this:
than to lay down your life,
your life for your friends.

*I am the vine and you the branches.*
*Remain in me as I remain in you;*
*you will bear great fruit in me.*

I am the living bread from heaven;
if you eat this bread,
you will live forever.

*I am the vine and you the branches.*
*Remain in me as I remain in you;*
*you will bear great fruit in me.*

All those who eat my flesh
and drink my blood
remain in me and I remain in them.

*I am the vine and you the branches.*
*Remain in me as I remain in you;*
*you will bear great fruit in me.*

The words that I have spoken
are spirit and life,
they are spirit and life.

*I am the vine and you the branches.*
*Remain in me as I remain in you;*
*you will bear great fruit in me.*

And now as I have washed your feet,
so you must do just as I have done.

*I am the vine and you the branches.*
*Remain in me as I remain in you;*
*you will bear great fruit in me.*

# Preparation of the Gifts: Worthy

It was my cross you bore
so I could live
in the freedom you died for.
And now my life is yours
and I will sing
of your goodness forevermore.

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*Worthy is your name, Jesus;*
*you deserve the praise,*
*worthy is your name.*
*Worthy is your name, Jesus;*
*you deserve the praise,*
*worthy is your name.*

And now my shame is gone;
I stand amazed
in your love undeniable.
Your grace goes on and on
and I will sing
of your goodness forevermore.

*Worthy is your name, Jesus;*
*you deserve the praise,*
*worthy is your name.*
*Worthy is your name, Jesus;*
*you deserve the praise,*
*worthy is your name.*

Be exalted now in the heavens
as your glory fills this place.
You alone deserve our praise;
you’re the name above all names.

*Worthy is your name, Jesus;*
*you deserve the praise,*
*worthy is your name.*
*Worthy is your name, Jesus;*
*you deserve the praise,*
*worthy is your name.*

# Preparation of the Gifts II: Christ the Lord

Darkness hangs, the world is aching,
Yearning for the coming light.
In his rising, hope awaking,
Love has come to steal the night.
In our hearts true east we're facing,
Toward the coming of our Lord.
Morning rising, gloom now fleeing;
Christ returned! His word is true!

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As we wait with hope for rescue
Love descends and all is well.
Prophets tell, “Your God is with us.
Heaven’s gift, Emmanuel.”
He is here, but hid as lowly
In the poor and mystery.
Where the bread and wine are offered
He is here: our God and King.

Parting clouds reveal his wonder:
Mighty King in victory.
Trembling earth and rolling thunder,
Blazing sun and quaking sea.
Now he comes, our King, in glory;
Saints rejoice and darkness flees.
Rising rays of light his chariot,
Christ the Lord has made us free.

On us now the Son is shining,
Lifting us to his embrace.
Shame is cursed, no more confounding;
Lift your head and know his face.
Love incarnate, breath indwelling,
Now in truth is truth made known.
We are his and he forever
Is our God and he alone.

# 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: All for Love

We hunger for our God,
we thirst to be renewed,
we wait in joyful hope
and make our way to you.
*As we receive, we receive.*

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*In this bread, in this cup,*
*broken and poured out all for us:*
*You the body, you the blood,*
*broken and poured out all for love.*
*All for love.*

And in your sacrifice,
forgiveness gently comes
Into our every doubt
you make your way to us.
*As we receive, we receive.*

*In this bread, in this cup,*
*broken and poured out all for us:*
*You the body, you the blood,*
*broken and poured out all for love.*
*All for love.*

The angels and the saints,
the lowly and the least,
you gather to yourself
in this eternal feast.
*As we receive, we receive.*

*In this bread, in this cup,*
*broken and poured out all for us:*
*You the body, you the blood,*
*broken and poured out all for love.*
*All for love.*

# Communion II: God With Us

You are higher than all of our questions,
you are deeper than all of our needs,
wider than all that we can imagine;
you are greater than anything.

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You are stronger than all of our burdens, you are sweeter than all of our dreams, closer than all the air that surrounds us; you are greater than anything.

*You are holy, Holy God almighty,*
*God with us.*
*You are holy, Holy God Almighty,*
*God with us.*

You bring joy into all of our sadness,
you bring peace into all of our pain,
shining light into all of our darkness;
you are greater than anything.

*You are holy, Holy God almighty,*
*God with us.*
*You are holy, Holy God Almighty,*
*God with us.*

Ever before us and ever beside us,
ever above us and ever behind us,
ever around us and ever within us,
and always God with us.

*You are holy, Holy God almighty,*
*God with us.*
*You are holy, Holy God Almighty,*
*God with us.*

# Communion III: Broken Vessels (Amazing Grace)

All these pieces, broken and scattered
In mercy, gathered, mended and whole.
Empty handed, but not forsaken,
I've been set free,
I've been set free.

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*Amazing grace, how sweet the sound,*
*that saved a wretch like me.*
*I once was lost, but now am found,*
*was blind but now I see.*
*Oh, I can see You now.*
*Oh, I can see the love in  Your eyes.*
*Laying Yourself down,*
*raising up the broken to life.*

You take our failure,
you take our weakness.
You set Your treasure
in jars of clay.
So take this heart, Lord.
I'll be Your vessel.
The world, to see Your life in me.

*Amazing grace, how sweet the sound,*
*that saved a wretch like me.*
*I once was lost, but now am found,*
*was blind but now I see.*
*Oh, I can see You now.*
*Oh, I can see the love in  Your eyes.*
*Laying Yourself down,*
*raising up the broken to life.*

# Meditation: Open the Eyes of My Heart

*Open the eyes of my heart, Lord,*
*Open the eyes of my heart.*
*I want to see you.*
*I want to see you.*

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To see you high and lifted up,
Shining in the light of your glory.
Pour out your pow’r and love
As we sing “Holy, holy, holy.”

*Open the eyes of my heart, Lord,*
*Open the eyes of my heart.*
*I want to see you.*
*I want to see you.*

To see you high and lifted up,
Shining in the light of your glory.
Pour out your pow’r and love
As we sing “Holy, holy, holy.”

*Holy, holy, holy,*
*Holy, holy, holy,*
*Holy, holy holy,*
*I want to see you.*

# Recessional: City of God

Awake from your slumber!
Arise from your sleep!
A new day is dawning for all those who weep.
The people in darkness have seen a great light.
The Lord of our longing
has conquered the night.

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*Let us build the city of God.*
*May our tears be turned into dancing!*
*For the Lord, our light and our love,*
*Has turned the night into day!*

We are sons of the morning;
we are daughters of day.
The one who has loved us
has brightened our way.
The Lord of all kindness
has called us to be
a light for his people
to set their hearts free.

*Let us build the city of God.*
*May our tears be turned into dancing!*
*For the Lord, our light and our love,*
*Has turned the night into day!*

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