

Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Celebration of Mass

August 30, 2026 – 5:00 PM Mass
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Introductory Rite

Gathering Song

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I Will Call Upon the Lord by Michael O'Shields (© 1981 MCA Music Publ.)

I will call upon the Lord. Who is worthy to be praised. So shall I be saved from my enemies. I will call upon the Lord.

Chorus: The Lord liveth and blessed be my Rock. Let the God of my salvation be exalted. The Lord liveth and blessed be my Rock. Let the God of my salvation be exalted.

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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.

-OR-

Lord have Mercy,

Christ have Mercy,

Lord have Mercy

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Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and 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 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.

Liturgy of the Word

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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, 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.

Universal Prayer

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation Song No. 1

How Great is the Greatness of God by Bryan Fowler, Matt Boswell, Matt Papa (© Getty Music Hymns and Songs)

Morning by morning with every dawn my soul with a new song awaits.
Even in evening my praise goes on forever my God is the same.

**Chorus: How faithful the Father above. How wondrous the work
 of the Son. How sweet is the Spirit given to us. How
 great is the greatness of God.**

When my heart gazes on Calvary at all of Your mercies arrayed. Oh,
that my Savior would die for me. I sing out with infinite thanks.

(Chorus)

Oh, what a comfort in every trial. His presence is all that I need. Power
that brought resurrection life. That power is living in me. That power is
living in me. **(Chorus)**

Preparation Song No. 2

Goodness of God by Jenn Johnson, Ed Cash, Jason Ingram, Ben Fielding, Brian Johnson (© 2018 Alletrop Music)

I love You Lord. Oh, Your mercy never fails me. All my days, I've been held in Your hands. From the moment that I wake up until I lay my head. I will sing of the goodness of God.

Chorus: **All my life You have been faithful. All my life You have been so, so good. With every breath that I am able. I will sing of the goodness of God.**

I love Your voice. You have led me through the fire. In darkest night, You are close like no other. I've known You as a father. I've known you as a friend. I have lived in the goodness of God. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: Your goodness is running after, it's running after me. Your goodness is running after, it's running after me. With my life laid down I'm surrendered now, I give You everything. Your goodness is running after, it's running after me. **(Chorus)**

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Eucharistic Acclamations

Holy, Holy, Holy

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 Acclamations

1. We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.
Or-
2. When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again. *Or-*
3. Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.

Great Amen

Our Father

Lamb of God Litany

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.

Communion Song No. 1

Come As You Are by Ben Glover, David Crowder, Matt Maher (© 2014 Ariose Music)

Come out of sadness from wherever you've been. Come brokenhearted let rescue begin. Come find your mercy, O sinner come kneel. Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal. Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal.

Chorus: **So lay down your burdens. Lay down your shame. All who are broken lift up your face. O wanderer come home. You're not too far. So lay down your hurt. Lay down your heart. Come as you are.**

There's hope for the hopeless and all those who've strayed. Come sit at the table. Come taste the grace. There's rest for the weary. Rest that endures. Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't cure. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: Come as you are. Fall in His arms. Come as you are.

There's joy for the morning. O sinner be still. Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal. Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal. **(Chorus)**

Communion Song No. 2

Holy and Pleasing Amanda Cook, Austin Davis, Brett Younker, Mia Fieldes (©2026 A.L.K.D. Music)

Chorus: **Let my life be a sacrifice. Holy and pleasing to You. My heart I
bring as an offering. Holy and pleasing to You.**

Here before Your altar. Jesus, I surrender. Take the highest place again. I lay down
my own plans. All I am in Your hands. Come and have Your way Amen. **(Chorus)**

Anything You ask me let my one response be yes to You and You alone. Everything
You're after is my alabaster. Emptied out before Your throne. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: Let it be a sweet sound one that makes Your heart pound. This will be my
worship. Jesus, You are worth it. Let it all be incense rising to the Heavens. This
will be my worship. Jesus, You are worth it. **(Chorus)**

Communion Song No. 3

Open the Eyes of My Heart by Paul Baloche (©1997 Integrity's Hosanna! Music)

Chorus: **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
power and love as we sing holy, holy holy. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. I want to see You.
(Chorus)

Concluding Rite

Sending Song

I Thank God by Aaron Moses, Chuck Butler, Dante Bowe, Jesse Cline, Enrique Holmes, Maryanne J. George (©2021 Bethel Worship Publishing)

Wandering into the night wanting a place to hide, this weary soul this bag of bones.
I try with all of my might, but I just can't win the fight. I'm slowly drifting a
vagabond. And just when I ran out of the road I met a man I didn't know. And he
told me that I was not alone.

**Chorus: You picked me up. You turned me around and placed my feet on
solid ground. I thank the Master. I thank the Savior. Because You
healed my heart. You changed my name. Forever free I'm not the
same. I thank the Master. I thank the Savior. It thank God!**

I cannot deny what I've seen, got no choice but to believe. My doubts are burnin'
like ashes in the wind. So so long to my old friends burden and bitterness. You
can't just keep it moving, nah you ain't welcome here. From now till I walk the
streets of gold I'll sing of how You saved my soul. This wayward son has found his
way back home. **(Chorus)**

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