

Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Celebration of Mass

July 14, 2024

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Introductory Rite

Gathering Song

Alive Again by Matt Maher & Jason Ingram (@spiritandsong.com)

I woke up in darkness surrounded by silence. Oh where, where have I gone? I woke to reality losing its grip on me. Oh where, where have I gone? 'Cause I can see the light before I see the sunrise.

(Chorus): You called and you shouted, broke through the deafness. Now I'm breathing in and breathing out. I'm alive again. You shattered my darkness, washed away my blindness. Now I'm breathing in and breathing out. I'm alive again.

Late have I loved You. You waited for me I searched for You. What took me so long? I was looking outside as if love would ever want to hide. I'm finding I was wrong. 'Cause I feel the wind before it hits my skin. **(Chorus)**

Introductory Rite

Greeting

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

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

Love of God by Benjamin Hastings, Brandon Lake, Cody Carnes, Phil Wickham (© Brandon Lake Music)

It's so good, I almost can't believe it. Far beyond what hearts could ever dream. The God who set the galaxies in motion would descend to give His life for me. For what could make perfection bleed for sinners? What leads a King to pay so great a cost? All my life, my heart will sing the answer. Only the love of God.

(Chorus): **Singing, Oh, how great is the love of God. He paid our debt on that rugged cross. For all our days, we will sing our Savior's praise. How great is the love of God.**

It's so kind, it leads us to repentance. And it's so bright the darkness has to flee. Hallelujah, it cleared my guilty sentence. For I was bound, but now I stand redeemed. For what could break the chains of any prison? What force could rob the power from the grave? What would trade my rags for heaven's riches? Only the love of God. **(Chorus)**

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Preparation Song (cont.)

Love of God (cont.)

Though I try, my mind can't comprehend it. It's so high, too marvelous for words. I could sing a million songs about it and barely scratch the surface of Your worth. This all my life, the banner I'll be waving. My anthem cry, no matter what may come. And when I rise to walk the streets of heaven. I'll still be singing this song. For ev'rything that You've done. How great the love of God.

(Chorus): **Singing, Oh, how great is the love of God. He paid our debt on that rugged cross. For all our days, we will sing our Savior's praise. How great is the love of God.**

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

Behold the Lamb of God by Matt Maher (©2005 Spiritandsong.com)

You are my Lord. It's You I adore. Nothing on earth could ever take Your place. Your might humbles ev'ry heart. The highest of heavens bow. For nothing on earth could ever take Your place. And now we see Your sacrifice, the greatest gift, our greatest prize.

(Chorus): Behold the Lamb of God. Behold the Lamb of God. Who takes away the sins of the world.

Bridge: We will not forget. We will stay awake. We will not abandon the promise that You made. (2x) **(Chorus)**

Communion Song No. 2

Blessed (Nothing More Than You) by Andi Rozier, Jason Ingram, Jud Harris, Vanessa Dalrymple (©2021 All Essential Music)

Blessed are the poor in spirit, blessed are the ones in need. For ev'ry thirst and ev'ry hunger, You are ev'rything. Blessed are the worn and weary, blessed are the ones who grieve. And ev'ry moment unexpected, You are ev'rything.

(Chorus): To seek You is to find You, and to know You is to want You. And I want nothing more than You. To see You is to love You, and I can't believe I get to. And I want nothing more than You.

Blessed is the mercy giver, blessed is the way of peace. I will trust Your heart and head, You are ev'rything. Yes, I will trust Your heart and head, You are ev'rything. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: Take this world, give me Jesus, take this life, give me Yours. In ev'ry season, You are the blessing, Jesus, You are my reward. (x2) **(Chorus)**

Communion Song No. 3

All The Poor and Powerless David Leonard, Leslie Jordan (© 2011 Integrity's Praise! Music)

All the poor and powerless. And all the lost and lonely. All the thieves will come confess. And know that You are holy. And know that You are holy.

Chorus: And all will sing out Hallelujah and we will cry out Hallelujah (x2).

All the hearts who are content. And all who feel unworthy. And all who hurt with nothing left. Will know that you are holy. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: Shout it. Go on and scream it from the mountains. Go on and tell it to the masses that he is God. (x3)

Concluding Rite

Sending Song

Joy by David Eric Moore, Jessie Harris, Martin Smith, Matthew Harris, Ryan Rich, Zac Rowe (© Gateway Music Global Publishing)

(Chorus 1): I've got joy in the morning, joy in the evening. You keep me dancing in every season. Whatever comes tomorrow, I've got joy.

Why would I not sing of Your praises even when troubles come. Why would I not worship forever 'cause I've seen the good You've done.

(Pre-Chorus) And I'm not ashamed. I'm a sinner saved. No I'm not afraid anymore. What the world calls foolish, You call freedom. Now I won't hold back anymore. **(Chorus 1)**

I'm letting go I'm wild in Your presence. Dance till the sun comes up. You make me strong whenever I praise You. Jesus, You fill my cup. **(Pre-Chorus, Chorus 1, then Chorus 2)**

(Chorus 2): I've got joy in the sunshine, joy in the rain. You keep me dancing again and again. Whatever comes tomorrow, I've got joy.

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