

Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Celebration of Mass

July 20, 2025

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Introductory Rite

Gathering Song

As For Me and My House by Michael Cochren, Bryan Fowler, Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty (©2024 Getty Music Publishing)

Oh, choose you this day whom you will serve. The kingdom of heaven or the powers of earth. Has He not spoken have you not heard. There is but one true God.

The God of our fathers set us free. His son paid the price for our covenant peace. Through generations His mercy speaks. We trust in one true God.

(Chorus): **As for me, and my house we will serve, serve the Lord. As for me and my house we will serve the Lord our God. (x2)**

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

[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, 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

Praise Chorus by Brian Johnson, David Funk, Jason Ingram, Phil Wickham (© 2023 Brian and Jenn Publishing)

There is a sound that makes the darkness flee. That overwhelms the enemy. There is a song that leads to victory. It rises up inside of me. It rises up inside of me.

**(Chorus): Praise the Lord. Oh my soul. All that is within me praise the Lord.
(x2)**

This is my rebel cry against the storm. In crashing waves when oceans roar. My anchor holds me and my hope endures in the face of fear when the weapons form. I will lift my voice and sing out all the more. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: I'll sing it on the mountaintop. I'll sing it in the valley low. I'll sing it like I'm waging war against the walls of Jericho. I'll sing it for the rugged cross. I'll sing it for the empty grave. I'll sing it for the One who rose from death to life will come again. (x2) **(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

Remember Him by David Belt, Shane Barnard (©2024 Songs from Wellhouse)

All you poor, weak, and malnourished. You don't need money for bread. Only bring your hunger to Jesus. He will give you the feast of Himself.

All who thirst come to the table. Drink the wine. Buy without debt. Just receive Jesus' offering. He will give you the drink of himself.

(Chorus): Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good. Give thanks and sing of His endless love. Remember Jesus until He comes again. Remember Him.

All you saints come to the banquet. There's a seat for all those unwell. Oh, rejoice in the life of your Savior. He will give you the feast of Himself. Oh, he'll give us the feast of Himself. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: Remember Him. Remember Him. **(Chorus)**

Communion Song No. 2

Never Walk Alone by Ben Fielding, Hannah Hobbs, Jenn Johnson (©2021 Hillsong Music Publishing Australia)

Your heart is for me. Your ear is listening. I'm safe in Your love. Your army of angels watch over me.

You're always present. You're always with me. For all of my life Your favor has followed. You're my covering.

(Chorus): I have never walked alone. I've never been abandoned.
You are my inheritance. You are my strength and shield
and I have confidence. You go before me. You're my
deliverer. I know I never walk alone.

You're always faithful. You're strong and able. I'm lifting my head. In You I find help. You're my providence. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: Every hour, every minute, You have always been there. You are faithful and You always will be. In every triumph, every failure. You are loyal to me. You are faithful and You always will be. (x2) **(Chorus)**

Communion Song No. 3

Open Space by Kirby Kaple, Rob Kaple (©2017 Kaple Music)

Pull me in closer, close to Your heart. May I be a pure reflection of all You are. Love that is patient, love that is kind. A love that keeps no offenses or wrongs in mind. Make me like Jesus, make me like Jesus.

(Chorus): My heart is an open space for You to come and have Your way. I'm open. I'm open. (x2)

You're faithful to find me right where I am. Even in my wandering, You call me friend. Mercy receives me and lifts me to my feet. And I'm caught up in the wonder and mystery. Of knowing Jesus, of knowing Jesus. **(Chorus)**

Bridge: Do whatever You want to do. Say whatever You want to say. Move however You want to move. Change whatever You want to change. (x2) **(Chorus)**

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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