

# Good Shepherd Catholic Church

## Celebration of Mass

June 22, 2025

**The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood  
of Christ**



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Introductory Rite

Gathering Song

**Higher Praise** by Craig Colson

Open our hearts that we might bring You higher praise. Open our hearts that we might worship You without fear. And as we bring this offering let it be enough. That we might bring to You higher praise. (x2)

**(Chorus): Let it rise. Let it rise. Let is rise. Let it rise up to You. And as we bring this offering let it be enough. That we might bring to You higher praise.**

## 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 No. 1

**Praise the Lord Forever** by Ben Smith, Benjamin Hastings, Jonathan Smith, Pat Barrett, Phil Wickham (© Also Also Industries Publishing)

Oh let all that is within me bless his holy name. For His love endures forever and His mercies new today. We will enter with thanksgiving and fill his courts with praise. Come on church lift your voice and sing.

**(Chorus):**           **Praise the Lord. Praise the Lord. Praise the Lord forever. Bless His name. Let all within me sing. Praise the Lord forever.**

If your life's been resurrected by the war that Jesus won. If you wait in expectation for a kingdom yet to come. All you citizens of heaven sons and daughters of the King. Come on church lift your voice and sing. **(Chorus)**

For the one who's brokenhearted and it's hard to sing this song. You've been walking through the valley and your faith is feeling small. I pray peace and love surround you from the God who understands. As the family all around you lifts your arms up when you can't. Join the choir of creation with the song of the redeemed. Come on church lift your voice and sing. **(Chorus)**

## Preparation Song No. 2

**If The Lord** Abbie Gamboa, Brian Johnson, Ed Cash, Gabriel Gamboa, Zahriya Zachary (© 2024 Brian and Jenn Publishing)

If the Lord has brought you through the fire right into a wide and open space. If the Lord delivered you from darkness when He pulled your heart out of the grave.

**Chorus:**           **If the Lord's been good to you lift up your song. And if He saved you, healed you, then give Him your all. If you've seen His faithful hand through all of your days. And if you've got breath in your lungs, then give Him your praise.**

If the Lord has met you with compassion though you have run after other things. If the Lord has shown you His great mercy and if He's overwhelmed you with His grace. **(Chorus)**

**Bridge:**           Sing it in the morning. Sing it in the evening. The Lord's been good to me. Sing it on the mountain. Sing a little louder. The Lord's been good to me. **(x3) (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

**Remembrance** by Chris Davenport, Benjamin Hastings (© 2017 Hillsong MP Songs)

I take the bread of life. Broken for all my sins. Your body crucified to make me whole again. I will recall the cup poured out in sacrifice. To trade this sinner's end for Your new covenant.

**(Chorus 1):**     **Hallelujah. I live my life in remembrance. Hallelujah. Your promise I won't forget.**

I'll walk salvation's road with fear and trembling. Your way borne as my own as Christ is formed in me. **(Chorus)**

**(Chorus 2):**     **Hallelujah. I live my life in remembrance. Hallelujah. Your promise I won't forget. If ever I should lose my way. If ever I deny Your grace. Remind me of the price You paid. Hallelujah. I'll live in remembrance.**

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## Communion Song #1 (cont.)

### Remembrance (cont.)

**Bridge:** You've been so, so good to me. You've been so, so good to me. Oh to think where I would be. If not for You. If not for You. (x3)

**(Chorus 3):** As far as heights reach from the depths. As far as east is from the west. So far Your grace has carried me. Until I see You face to face. Until at last I've won my race. Remind me you're not finished yet. Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah. I'll live in remembrance.

## Communion Song No. 2

### God and God Alone by Aaron Williams © Aaronwilliamsmusic

In the terrors of the night when the morning never comes. How long must I wait until the rising of the sun. Our pain and griefs are many yet still we're holding on. We put our hope in God and God alone.

**(Chorus):**     **God and God alone. God and God alone. He will be our shelter. He will lead us home. Our Father and His love will keep us till the dawn. We put out our hope in God and God alone.**

In the ache of what's been lost. For the joy of what's to come. We're looking to the cross and to the resurrected Son. These bitter days are numbered. This world's been overcome. We put our hope in God and God alone. **(Chorus)**

**Bridge:**       He will make all things new. He will make all things new.  
**(x4) (Verse 2)**

## Communion Song No. 3

### He Has Done Great Things by Brian Johnson, Chris Tomlin, Jason Ingram, Jonas Myrin, Phil Wickham (©Brian and Jenn Publishing)

He has done great things. He has done great things. Arms open wide.  
The lamb crucified. Worthy is He.

He has done great things. Our God has done great things. Thorns on  
His brow. Grace flowing down. Worthy is He.

**(Chorus): As high as the heavens above. Great is His everlasting  
love. Rivers of mercy run over us. As far as the east from  
the west. He has removed all our sin. We are forgiven by  
His blood.**

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