



6th Sunday of Easter

May 16-17, 2020



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Introductory Rites

Gathering Hymn:

FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH

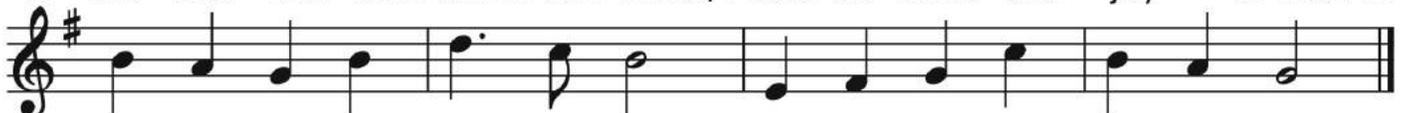
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1. For the beau - ty of the earth, For the glo - ry of the skies,
2. For the beau - ty of each hour Of the day and of the night,
3. For the joy of hu - man love, Broth - er, sis - ter, par - ent, child,
4. For your Church, that ev - er - more Lifts its ho - ly hands a - bove,
5. For Your - self, O Gift Di - vine To our world so free - ly giv'n,



1. For the love which from our birth O - ver and a - round us lies:
2. Hill and vale, and tree and flow'r, Sun and moon, and stars of light:
3. Friends on earth and friends a - bove; For all gen - tle thoughts and mild:
4. Of - f'ring up on ev - ery shore A pure sac - ri - fice of love:
5. For that love from which will shine, Peace on earth and joy in heav'n:

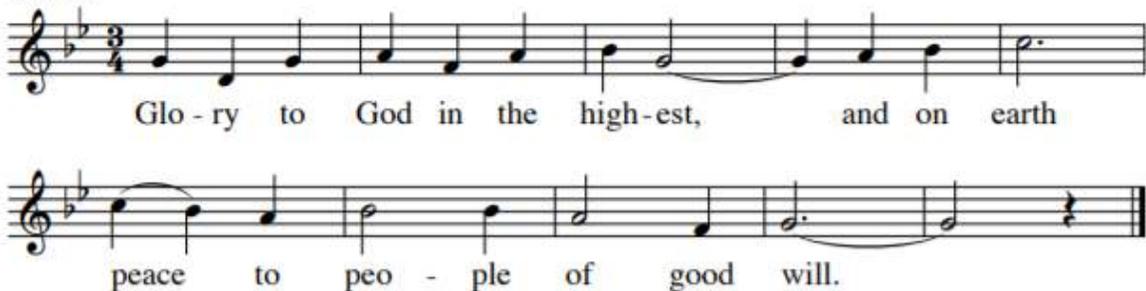


1-5. Lord of all, to you we raise This our hymn of grate - ful praise.

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Gloria

Refrain



Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth
peace to peo - ple of good will.

Verses

1. 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.
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.
2. 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;
3. 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.

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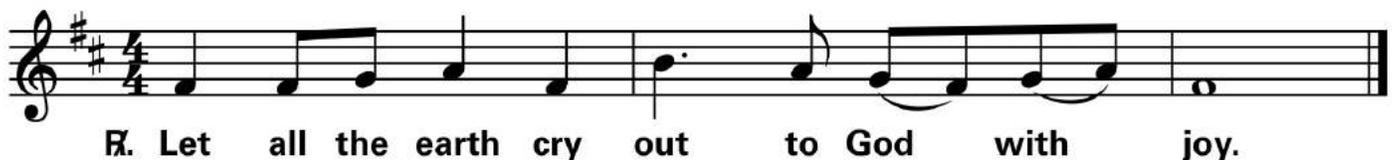


The Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17

Responsorial Psalm:

PSALM 66: SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, YEAR A



R. Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

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Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:15-18

Gospel Acclamation:



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Gospel: John 14:15-21

Profession of Faith: Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, and 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 Vir-
gin Mary,
and became man.*

For our sake he was crucified under Pon-
tius 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 Fa-
ther.

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 apostol-
ic 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.

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Gifts: Miracle of Grace

Curtis Stephan

Verses



1. 7 Mir - a - cle of grace, 7 7 mys - ter - y of faith,
2. Un - wor - thy though we are, 7 you feed the hun - gry heart
3. Your faith - ful - ness re - vealed in this cov - e - nant you've sealed



1. 7 call - ing us to ven - ture to the deep. 7
2. with bread come down from heav - en a - bove. And
3. 7 with your ver - y bod - y and your blood. Come,



1. Though our sens - es fail, your grac - es still pre - vail, and
2. like a grain of wheat, we fall down at your feet, 7
3. claim your bride a - gain with love that can - not end, for



1. we be - come the love that we re - ceive.
2. dy - ing here with you. Oh, let us rise!
3. what God joins no one can di - vide.

Refrain



Bread of life, bread of life. Those who eat this bread shall live

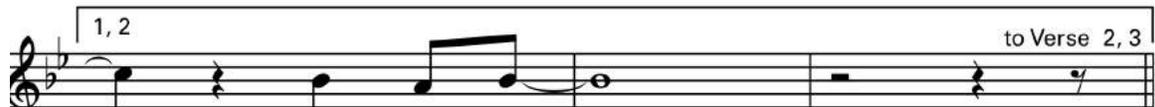


and nev - er die. Bread of life, bread of life.



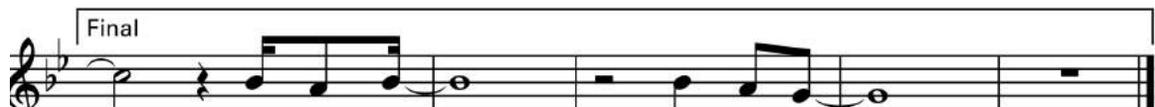
Your true pres - ence in this ho - ly sac - ri - fice.

1, 2 to Verse 2, 3



Bread of life.

Final



Bread of life, bread of life.

The Eucharistic Prayer

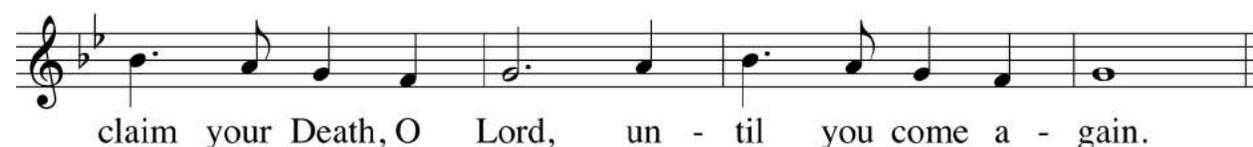
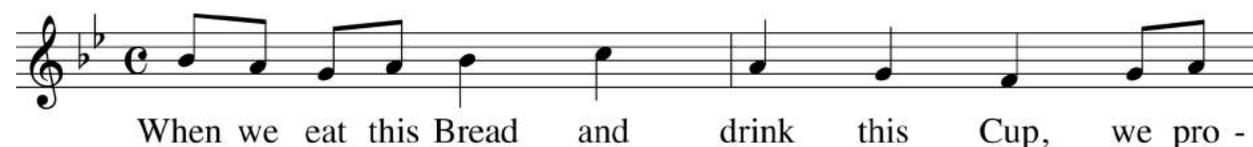
Priest: The Lord be with you. **All: And with your spirit.**

Priest: Lift up your hearts. **All: We lift them up to the Lord.**

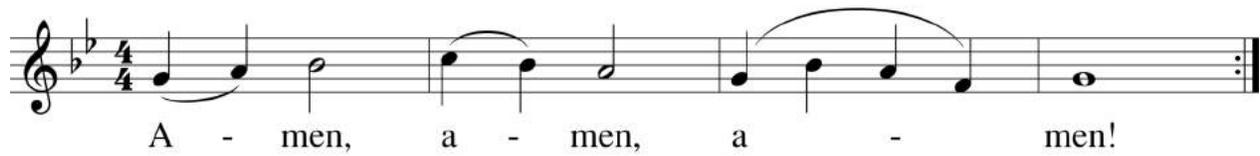
Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **All: It is right and just.**



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Cantor: Lamb of God, *Assembly:* you take a-way the sins of the

To repeat
world, have mer - cy on us.

Last time
world, grant us peace.

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Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Prayer for Spiritual Communion:

My Jesus,

I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things,

and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there

and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

Communion Hymn:

BEHOLD THE LAMB

Martin Willett

Verses



1. Those who were in the dark are thank - ful for the
2. Peace - ful now, those whose hearts are blessed with un - der -
3. Gen - tle one, Child of God, join with us at this
4. Lord of all, give us light. De - liv - er us from



1. sun - light; we who live, we who die are grate - ful for his
2. stand - ing of the wheat, of the wine u - nit - ed with his
3. ta - ble. Bless our lives; nour - ish all who hun - ger for this
4. e - vil. Make us one; be our shield. Make still the winds that

Refrain



1. gift, thank - ful for his love. Be - hold, be - hold the Lamb of
2. word and the love we share.
3. feast; shel - ter them with peace.
4. blow; cra - dle us with love.



God. All who eat, all who drink shall live; and all,



all who dwell in God shall come to know his glo - ry.

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Song of Sending Forth:

Glory and Praise to Our God

Refrain

Glo - ry and praise to our God, who a - lone gives
light to our days. Man - y are the
bless-ings he bears to those who trust in his ways.

Verses 1-3

1. We, the daugh - ters and sons of him who built the
2. In his wis - dom he strength - ens us, like gold that's
3. Ev - 'ry mom - ent of ev - 'ry day our God is
val - leys and plains, Praise the won - ders our God has
test - ed in fire. Though the pow - er of sin pre -
wait - ing to save, Al - ways read - y to seek the
done in ev - 'ry heart that sings.
vails, our God is there to save.
lost, to an - swer those who pray.

Verse 4

4. God has wa - tered our bar - ren land and spent his
mer - ci - ful rain. Now the riv - ers of life run
full for an - y - one to drink.