

WORSHIP AID

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King

Verse 1:

**To Jesus Christ, our Sov'reign King,
Who is the world's salvation,
All praise and homage do we bring
And thanks and adoration.
Christ Jesus, victor!
Christ Jesus, ruler!
Christ Jesus, Lord and redeemer.**

Verse 2:

**Thy reign extend, O King benign,
To ev'ry land and nation;
For in thy kingdom, Lord diving,
Alone we find salvation.
Christ Jesus, victor!
Christ Jesus, ruler!
Christ Jesus, Lord and redeemer.**

GLORY TO GOD

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.

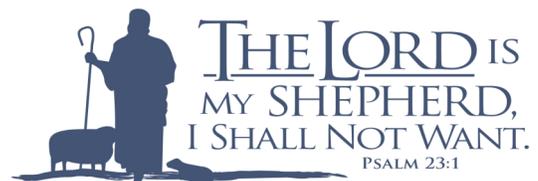
FIRST READING - EZ 34:11-12, 15-17

Thus says the Lord GOD:
I myself will look after and tend my sheep.
As a shepherd tends his flock
when he finds himself among his scattered sheep,
so will I tend my sheep.
I will rescue them from every place where they were
scattered
when it was cloudy and dark.
I myself will pasture my sheep;
I myself will give them rest, says the Lord GOD.
The lost I will seek out,
the strayed I will bring back,
the injured I will bind up,
the sick I will heal,
but the sleek and the strong I will destroy,
shepherding them rightly.
As for you, my sheep, says the Lord GOD,
I will judge between one sheep and another,
between rams and goats.

R. Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM— Psalm 23

R. **The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.**
The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.
In verdant pastures he gives me repose.
R. **The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.**
Beside restful waters he leads me;
he refreshes my soul.
He guides me in right paths
for his name's sake.
R. **The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.**
You spread the table before me
in the sight of my foes;
you anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.
R. **The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.**
Only goodness and kindness follow me
all the days of my life;
and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD
for years to come.
R. **The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.**



SECOND READING – 1 COR 15:20-26, 28

Brothers and sisters:

Christ has been raised from the dead,
the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep. For
since death came through man, the resurrection of
the dead came also through man.
For just as in Adam all die, so too in Christ shall all
be brought to life, but each one in proper order:
Christ the first fruits; then, at his coming, those who
belong to Christ; then comes the end,
when he hands over the kingdom to his God and
Father, when he has destroyed every sovereignty
and every authority and power.
For he must reign until he has put all his enemies
under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is
death. When everything is subjected to him,
then the Son himself will also be subjected
to the one who subjected everything to him,
so that God may be all in all.

R./ Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL – MT 25:31-46

Jesus said to his disciples:

"When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels
with him, he will sit upon his glorious throne, and all the
nations will be assembled before him. And he will separate
them one from another, as a shepherd separates the sheep
from the goats. He will place the sheep on his right and the
goats on his left. Then the king will say to those on his right,
'Come, you who are blessed by my Father.
Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation
of the world. For I was hungry and you gave me food,
I was thirsty and you gave me drink,
a stranger and you welcomed me, naked and you clothed
me, ill and you cared for me, in prison and you visited me.'
Then the righteous will answer him and say, 'Lord, when
did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give
you drink? When did we see you a stranger and welcome
you, or naked and clothe you? When did we see you ill or in
prison, and visit you?' And the king will say to them in
reply, 'Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of the
least brothers of mine, you did for me.' Then he will say to
those on his left, 'Depart from me, you accursed, into the
eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. For I was
hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you
gave me no drink, a stranger and you gave me no welcome,
naked and you gave me no clothing, ill and in prison, and
you did not care for me.'
Then they will answer and say,
'Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty
or a stranger or naked or ill or in prison,
and not minister to your needs?'
He will answer them, 'Amen, I say to you,
what you did not do for one of these least ones,
you did not do for me.'
And these will go off to eternal punishment,
but the righteous to eternal life."

R. Praise to you Lord, Jesus Christ.

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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.

RECESSIONAL *Rejoice, the Lord is King*

Verse 1:

**Rejoice, the Lord is King:
Your Lord and King adore!
Rejoice, give thanks and sing,
And triumph evermore:
Lift up your heart,
Lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again, I say, rejoice!**

Verse 2:

**Our Lord and Savior reigns,
The God of truth and love;
When he had purged our stains,
He took his seat above:
Lift up your heart,
Lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again, I say, rejoice!**