



## The Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 12, 2021

### Worship Aid

#### 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

##### Reading 1

##### Isaiah 50:5-9a

The Lord GOD opens my ear that I may hear;  
and I have not rebelled,  
have not turned back.

I gave my back to those who beat me,  
my cheeks to those who plucked my beard;  
my face I did not shield  
from buffets and spitting.

The Lord GOD is my help,  
therefore I am not disgraced;  
I have set my face like flint,  
knowing that I shall not be put to shame.

He is near who upholds my right;  
if anyone wishes to oppose me,  
let us appear together.

Who disputes my right?  
Let that man confront me.

See, the Lord GOD is my help;  
who will prove me wrong?

##### R. Thanks be to God

##### Responsorial Psalm

116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9

**R. (9) I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.**

I love the LORD because he has heard  
my voice in supplication,  
Because he has inclined his ear to me  
the day I called.

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.**

The cords of death encompassed me;  
the snares of the netherworld seized upon me;  
I fell into distress and sorrow,  
And I called upon the name of the LORD,  
"O LORD, save my life!"

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.**

Gracious is the LORD and just;  
yes, our God is merciful.  
The LORD keeps the little ones;  
I was brought low, and he saved me.

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.**

For he has freed my soul from death,  
my eyes from tears, my feet from stumbling.  
I shall walk before the LORD  
in the land of the living.

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.**

## **Reading 2**

## **James 2:14-18**

What good is it, my brothers and sisters,  
if someone says he has faith but does not have works?  
Can that faith save him?  
If a brother or sister has nothing to wear  
and has no food for the day,  
and one of you says to them,  
"Go in peace, keep warm, and eat well, "  
but you do not give them the necessities of the body,  
what good is it?  
So also faith of itself,  
if it does not have works, is dead.

Indeed someone might say,  
"You have faith and I have works."  
Demonstrate your faith to me without works,  
and I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works.

**Thanks to be to God**

**Gospel Acclamation**

**Galatians 6-14**

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord  
through which the world has been crucified to me and I to the world.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

**Gospel**

**Mark 7:31-37**

Jesus and his disciples set out  
for the villages of Caesarea Philippi.  
Along the way he asked his disciples,  
“Who do people say that I am?”  
They said in reply,  
“John the Baptist, others Elijah,  
still others one of the prophets.”  
And he asked them,  
“But who do you say that I am?”  
Peter said to him in reply,  
“You are the Christ.”  
Then he warned them not to tell anyone about him.

He began to teach them  
that the Son of Man must suffer greatly  
and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes,  
and be killed, and rise after three days.  
He spoke this openly.  
Then Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him.  
At this he turned around and, looking at his disciples,  
rebuked Peter and said, “Get behind me, Satan.  
You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do.”

He summoned the crowd with his disciples and said to them,  
“Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself,  
take up his cross, and follow me.  
For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it,  
but whoever loses his life for my sake  
and that of the gospel will save it.”

**R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

**Profession of Faith (Apostles' Creed)**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and Jesus  
Christ, his only Son, our Lord  
*(At the words that follow, up to and including the “Virgin Mary,” all bow.)*  
who was conceived by the Holy spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered  
under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into  
hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he  
will come to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of  
saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life

everlasting. Amen.

## **LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

### **Presentation and Preparation of Gifts**

**R.** Blessed be God forever.

### **Invitation to Prayer**

**R.** May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

### **Sanctus**

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 Acclamation – The Mystery of Faith**

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,  
and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

### **Great Amen**

Amen

## **COMMUNION RITE**

### **Lord's Prayer**

Our Father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come thy will be done  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread  
and forgive us our trespasses  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.

Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

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For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours  
now and forever. Amen.

### **Agnus Dei**

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.

**Invitation to Communion**

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

**Concluding Rites**

**P.** The Lord be with you.

**R.** And with your spirit.

**P.** May Almighty God bless you, the Father and the Son,  
and the Holy Spirit

**R.** Amen

**D.** The Mass is ended. Go in peace.

**R.** **Thanks be to God.**

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