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MASSES
Daily Mon - Sat: 8:00 AM
Saturday 4:30PM, Sunday 7:30 & 9:30AM
Holy Days 8:00 AM, Noon, 5:30 PM
PENANCE Saturdays 2:30-3:30 PM

OUR LADY OF LOURDES



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Mission Statement:

"Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, disciples of Jesus Christ in Worcester, MA, reaches out with love into the neighborhoods to welcome, serve, support, and engage the community in Jesus. In creating a welcoming relationship with Eucharistic and prayerful celebrations, we gather to make a difference by coming closer to God and one another."

May 3 2020 ~ Fourth Sunday of Easter



"... I came so that they may have life and have it more abundantly."

John: 10:10

An abundant life comes not from gathering or hoarding possessions but in giving of ourselves.

Rest in Peace

We, the parish community of Our Lady of Lourdes, extend our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of **George P. Duquette** who recently passed. May God grant him peace forever and bring comfort to his family and friends.

Mass Intentions

Due to the cancellation of weekday and weekend masses, any mass intentions in memory of a loved one will be rescheduled to a later date. Please call the rectory end of May to set up a new date.

May God keep you safe and healthy.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKLY OFFERING

Sunday Offertory 4/25-4/26	\$2,937.04
Maintenance	70.00
Holy Land/Good Friday	35.00
Easter Sunday	90.00

Thank you for your continued, generous support to keep Our Lady of Lourdes going strong

SCRIPTURE READINGS

- 3 SUN** Acts 2:14a, 36-41/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/
1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10
- 4 MON** Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4 [cf. 3a]/Jn 10:11-18
- 5 TUE** Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 [Ps 117:1a]/
Jn 10:22-30
- 6 WED** Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8 [4]/
Jn 12:44-50
- 7 THU** Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27 [2]/
Jn 13:16-20
- 8 FRI** Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab [7bc]/
Jn 14:1-6
- 9 SAT** Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [3cd]/
Jn 14:7-14

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

CYCLE A

GATHERING HYMN

Mute Mics

Canticle of the Sun

Marty Haugen

Refrain

The heav-ens are tell-ing the glo-ry of God, and all cre-
a-tion is shout-ing for joy. Come, dance in the for-est, come,
play in the field, and sing, sing to the glo - ry
of the Lord. Lord. Sing,
sing to the glo - ry of the Lord!

Verses

1. Praise for the sun,	the bring - er	of day,	he car - ries the
2. Praise for the wind	that blows through	the trees,	the seas' might - y
3. Praise for the rain	that wa - ters	our fields,	and bless - es our
4. Praise for the fire	who gives us	his light,	the warmth of the
5. Praise for the earth	who makes life	to grow,	the crea - tures you
6. Praise for our death	that makes our	life real,	the knowl - edge of

1. light	of the Lord	in his rays;	the moon and the stars	who
2. storms,	the gen - tl - est	breeze;	they blow where they will,	they
3. crops	so all the earth	yields;	from death un - to life	her
4. sun	to bright-en our	night;	he danc - es with joy,	his
5. made	to let your life	show;	the flow - ers and trees	that
6. loss	that helps us to	feel;	the gift of your - self,	your

to Refrain

1. light up	the way	un - to	your throne.
2. blow where	they please	to please	the Lord.
3. mys - t'ry	re - vealed	springs forth	in joy.
4. spir - it	so bright,	he sings	of you.
5. help us	to know	the heart	of love.
6. pres - ence	re - vealed	to bring	us home.

GLORIA

Unmute mics

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

HOMILY

NICENE CREED

Unmute mics

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. ·

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

The Response is: “Risen Lord hear us.”

PRAYER IN A TIME OF PANDEMIC

 God, whose Only Begotten Son bore the weight of human suffering for our salvation, hear the prayers of your Church for our sick brothers and sisters and deliver us from this time of trial.

Open our ears and our hearts to the voice of your Son:
Be not afraid, for I am with you always.

Bless all doctors and nurses, researchers and public servants;
give us the wisdom to do what is right and the faith to endure this hour,
that we might gather once again to praise your name in the heart of your Church,
delivered from all distress and confident in your mercy.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

Because the Lord Is My Shepherd

Christopher Walker

Verses

1. Be - cause ___ the Lord is my shep - herd, I have
 2. And when ___ the road leads to dark - ness, I shall
 3. In love ___ you make me a ban - quet for my
 4. Your good - ness ___ al - ways is with me and your

1. ev - 'ry thing ___ I need. He lets me rest in the
 2. walk there ___ un - a - fraid. E - ven when death is close ___
 3. en - e - mies ___ to see. You make me wel - come, ___
 4. mer - cy ___ I know. Your lov - ing kind - ness ___

1. mead - ow and leads me to the qui - et streams. He re -
 2. ___ I have cour - age, for your help is there. You are
 3. pour - ing down hon - or from your might - y hand, and this
 4. strength - ens me al - ways as I go through life. I shall

1. stores ___ my soul and he leads me in the paths that are right:
 2. close ___ be - side me with com - fort, you are guid - ing my way:
 3. joy ___ fills me with glad - ness; it is too much to bear:
 4. dwell in your pres - ence for - ev - er, giv - ing praise to your name:

Refrain

HOLY, HOLY

MASS OF SPIRIT AND GRACE

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

MASS OF SPIRIT AND GRACE

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

GREAT AMEN

MASS OF SPIRIT AND GRACE

OUR FATHER

Unmute Mics

SIGN OF PEACE

LAMB OF GOD

MASS OF SPIRIT AND GRACE

Prayer For Making A 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.

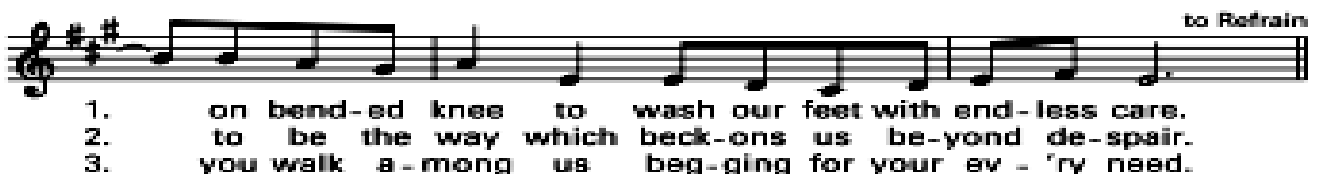
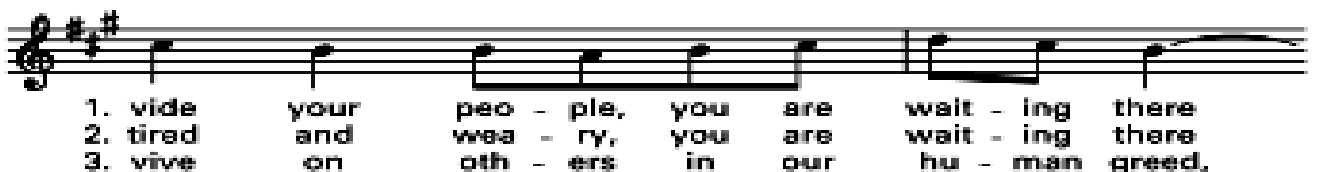
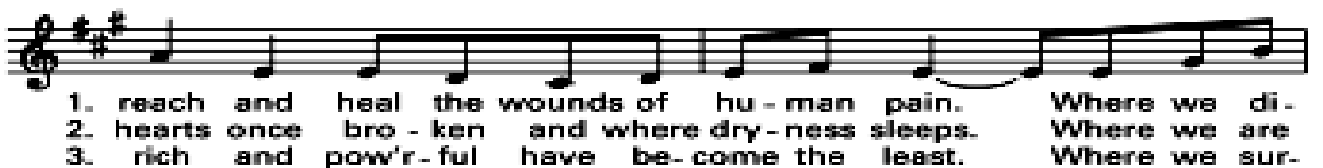
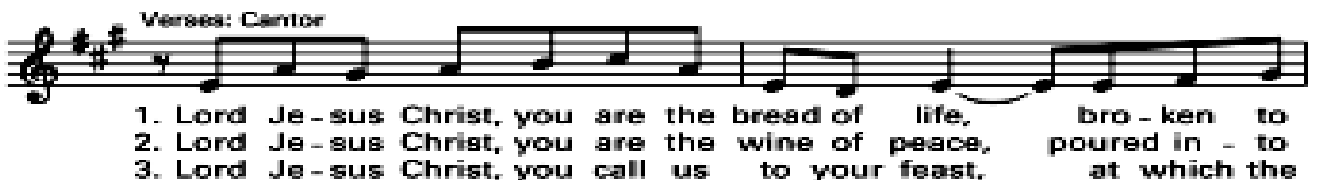
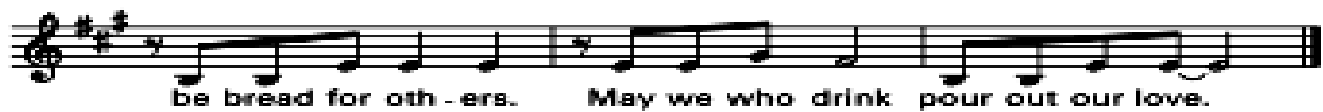
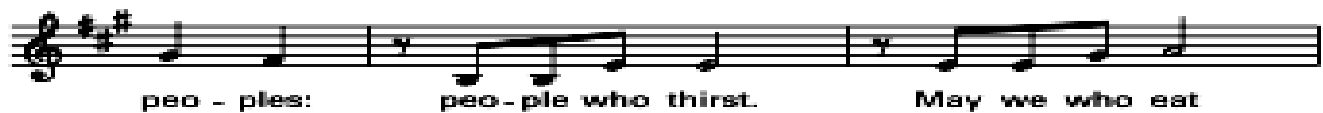
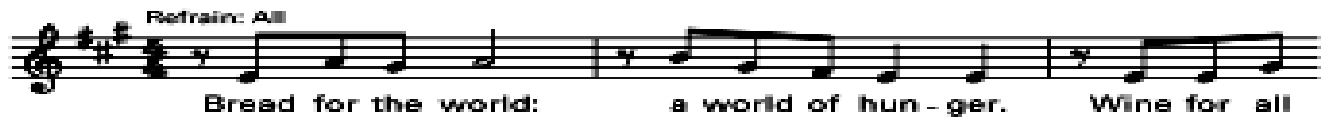
Amen.

COMMUNION

Mute Mics

Bread For The World

Bernadette Farrell



Prayer of Pope Francis to Mary During the Coronavirus Pandemic

O Mary, you always shine on our path as a sign of salvation and of hope.
 We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain,
 keeping your faith firm. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need,
 and we are sure you will provide so that, as in Cana of Galilee,
 we may return to joy and to feasting after this time of trial.
 Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father
 and to do as we are told by Jesus,
 who has taken upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows to lead us,
 through the cross, to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.
 Under your protection, we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God.
 Do not disdain the entreaties of we who are in trial,
 but deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.

RECESSIONAL Mute Mics

How Can I Keep From Singing

ENDLESS SONG

Verses

1. My life flows on in end-less song; A -
 2. Through all the tu - mult and the strife, I
 3. What though the tem - pest 'round me roar, I
 4. When ty - rants trem - ble, sick with fear, And
 5. The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, A

1. bove earth's lam - en - ta - tion. I hear the real though
 2. hear that mu - sic ring - ing; It sounds and ech - oes
 3. hear the truth it liv - eth. What though the dark - ness
 4. hear their death knells ring - ing; When friends re - joice both
 5. foun - tain ev - er spring - ing. All things are mine since

1. far - off hymn That hails a new cre - a - tion.
 2. in my soul; How can I keep from sing - ing?
 3. 'round me close, Songs in the night it giv - eth.
 4. far and near, How can I keep from sing - ing?
 5. I am his; How can I keep from sing - ing?

Refrain

No storm can shake my in - most calm, While to that rock I'm
 cling - ing. Since Love is Lord of heav - en and earth,
 How can I keep from sing - ing?