



CHRIST

in your home

Mass

Tuesday of the Ninth Week in Ordinary Time

[Stand]

All: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

Leader: Let us call to mind our sins.

Penitential Act

All: 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.

Leader: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: Christ, have mercy.

All: Christ, have mercy.

Leader: Lord, have mercy.

All: Christ, have mercy.

Opening Prayer

Leader: Let us pray

O God, whose providence never fails in its design,
keep from us, we humbly beseech you,
all that might harm us
and grant all that works for our good.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
One God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

[Only Reader Stands]

Reader: A reading the second Letter of Saint Peter

Beloved: Wait for and hasten the coming of the day of God, because of which the heavens will be dissolved in flames and the elements melted by fire. But according to his promise we await new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells.

Therefore, beloved, since you await these things, be eager to be found without spot or blemish before him, at peace. And consider the patience of our Lord as salvation.

Therefore, beloved, since you are forewarned, be on your guard not to be led into the error of the unprincipled and to fall from your own stability. But grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory now and to the day of eternity. Amen.

[Peter 3:12-15a, 17-18]

The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Reader: In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.

All: In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.

Reader: Before the mountains were begotten
and the earth and the world were brought forth,
from everlasting to everlasting you are God. **Response**

You turn man back to dust,
saying, "Return, O children of men."
For a thousand years in your sight
are as yesterday, now that it is past,
or as a watch of the night. **Response**

Seventy is the sum of our years,
or eighty, if we are strong,
And most of them are fruitless toil,
for they pass quickly and we drift away. **Response**

Fill us at daybreak with your kindness,
that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days.
Let your work be seen by your servants
and your glory by their children. **Response** *[Psalm 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 and 16]*

[All Stand for Gospel]

Leader: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Some Pharisees and Herodians were sent to Jesus to ensnare him in his speech. They came and said to him, "Teacher, we know that you are a truthful man and that you are not concerned with anyone's opinion. You do not regard a person's status but teach the way of God in accordance with the truth. Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not? Should we pay or should we not pay?" Knowing their hypocrisy he said to them, "Why are you testing me? Bring me a denarius to look at." They brought one to him and he said to them, "Whose image and inscription is this?" They replied to him, "Caesar's." So Jesus said to them, "Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." They were utterly amazed at him.

[Mark 12:13-17]

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Reflection/Discussion

Universal Prayer

Leader: Let us pray.

For the leaders of the Church... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: For the leaders of nations... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: For the sick and their caregivers, especially those sick with coronavirus, and for an end to this pandemic... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*

We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: For our St. Elizabeth parish family... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*
We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: For those who have died... *[Pause for silent or spoken intentions.]*
We pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Let us gather all of our intentions into the prayer that Jesus taught us.

All: Our Father, who art in heaven...

Leader: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days,
that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all
distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus
Christ.

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

Leader: May the Lord bless us, protect us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life.

All: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.