

# **St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church**

## **Worship Aid**

### **May 1/2 - Fifth Sunday of Easter**

#### ***Prayer to Our Lady of Perpetual Help***

Oh Mother of Perpetual Help, grant that I may ever invoke your powerful name, the protection of the living and the salvation of the dying. Purest Mary, let your name henceforth be ever on my lips. Delay not, Blessed Lady, to rescue me whenever I call on you. In my temptations, in my needs, I will never cease to call on you, ever repeating your sacred name, Mary, Mary.

What a consolation, what sweetness, what confidence fills my soul when I utter your sacred name or even only think of you! I thank the Lord for having given you so sweet, so powerful, so lovely a name. But I will not be content with merely uttering your name. Let my love for you prompt me ever to hail of your Mother of Perpetual Help. Mother of Perpetual Help, pray for me and grant me the favor I confidently ask of you.

*(Then say three Hail Mary's)*

#### ***St. Michael the Archangel***

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle  
Be our protection us against the wickedness and snares of the devil  
May God rebuke him, we humble pray  
And do thou oh Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God  
Thrust into hell, Satan and all the other evil spirits  
Who prowl about the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

## **NICENE CREED**

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father; God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God; begotten not made, one in being with the Father. Through Him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation He came down from heaven. By the power of the Holy Spirit, He was born of the Virgin Mary and became man. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate. He suffered, died, and was buried. On the third day He rose again, in fulfillment of 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.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son, He is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### **4:00PM, 8:00AM and 9:30AM Songs**

#### **Gather: Alleluia! The Strife is Over. (452)**

(Refrain) Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Vs.1: The strife is o'er, the battle done; Now is the Victor's triumph won; O let the song of praise be sung: Alleluia. (Refrain)

Vs.2: On the third morn he rose again, Glorious in majesty to reign; O let us swell the joyful strain. (Refrain)

Vs.3: O risen Lord, to you we sing. You set us free from death's cold sting that all creation's song may ring: Alleluia

**Psalm:** I will praise you Lord, in the assembly of your people.

**Presentation: Partners in the Mission. (709)**

Vs. 1: In the lives of all who suffer, in the fear and in the pain, God is there when in our trials Christ is crucified again. May we recognize our Savior in the stranger on the road; may we bend to bind the wounded, help the burdened bear the load.

Vs.2: We are partners in the work of bringing faith and hope to birth; seeking wholeness for the broken, we, the hands of Christ on earth. Like the saints who came before us, let our deeds and witness be living promise of the Kingdom, and a sign of unity.

**Communion: Jesus Christ, Bread of Life. (545)**

(Refrain). Jesus Christ, Bread of Life, fill us with your love, Jesus Christ, Lamb of God, fill us with your peace.

Vs.1: Thankfully, here we bring simple bread and wine, for the life of the world, once and for all time. (Refrain)

Vs.2: Faithfully, we recall, gathered here as one, Bread of Life, cup of peace, which we now become. (Refrain)

Vs.3: When we drink of this cup, when we eat this bread, we proclaim Jesus Christ risen from the dead. (Refrain)

Vs. 4: Joyfully we partake in this holy food. Offering all we have, praise and gratitude. (Refrain)

**Sending Song: He Is Exalted. (841)**

He is exalted, the King is exalted on high; I will praise him. He is exalted, forever exalted and I will praise his name! He is the Lord, forever his truth shall reign; heaven and earth rejoice in his holy name. He is exalted, the King is exalted on high.

**Music for 11:15AM Mass**

**Opening: At the Lambs High Feast**

Vs 1: At the Lambs high feast we sing praise to our victorious king. Who has washed us in the tide flowing from his pierced side; praise we him, whose

love divine gives his sacred blood for wine, gives his body for the feast,  
Christ the victim, Christ the priest

Vs 2: Where the Paschal blood is poured, Deaths dark angel sheaths his sword; Israel's hosts triumphant go through the wave that drowns the foe. Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed, Paschal victim, Paschal bread; with sincerity and love eat we manna from above

**Psalm: I will praise you Lord, in the assembly of your people**

**Presentation: O Breathe on Me, O Breath of God**

Vs 1: O breathe on me, O breath of God, fill me with life anew; that I may love the things you love, and do what you would do

Vs 2: O breathe on me, O breath of God, until my heart is pure; until my will is one with yours, to do and to endure

Vs 3: O breathe on me, O breath of God, my will to yours incline, until this selfish part of me glows with your fire divine

**Communion: Eat This Bread**

Refrain: Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and never be hungry. Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in me and you will not thirst

Vs 1: I am the bread of life, the true bread sent from the Father (Refrain)

Vs 2: Your ancestors ate manna in the desert, but this is the bread come down from heaven (Refrain)

Vs 3: Eat my flesh and drink my blood, and I will raise you up on the last day (Refrain)

Vs 4: Anyone who east this bread will live forever (Refrain)

**Closing: He is Exalted**

He is exalted, the king is exalted on high; I will praise him. He is exalted, forever exalted, and I will praise his name! He is the Lord, forever his truth shall reign; heaven and earth rejoice in his holy name. He is exalted, the king is exalted on high (sing whole song 2x)