

Sunday, January 24, 2021

WORD OF GOD SUNDAY

The Introductory Rites

Processional Hymn

Gather #596 | "Praise to You, O Christ, Our Savior"

Refrain

Praise to you, O Christ, our Savior, Word of the Father, calling us to life;
Son of God who leads us to freedom: glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

1. You are the Word who calls us out of darkness;
You are the Word who leads us into light;
You are the Word who brings us through the desert:
Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ! *R*
2. You are the one whom prophets hoped and longed for;
You are the one who speaks to us today;
You are the one who leads us to our future:
Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ! *R*
3. You are the Word who calls us to be servants;
You are the Word whose only law is love;
You are the Word-made-flesh who lives among us:
Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ! *R*
4. You are the Word who binds us and unites us;
You are the Word who calls us to be one;
You are the Word who teaches us forgiveness:
Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ! *R*

Penitential Act

Kyrie

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.

The Collect

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

A reading from the Book of the Prophet Malachi (3:19-20)

Responsorial Psalm (98:5-6, 7-8, 9)

Refrain: “Teach me your ways, O Lord.”

A reading from the Second Letter of St. Paul to the Thessalonians (3:7-12)

Gospel Acclamation

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke (21:5-19)

Homily

Creed

Prayers of the Faithful

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

The Preparation of the Gifts

Gather #39 | “Psalm 25: To You, O Lord”

Refrain

To you, O Lord, I lift my soul,
To you I lift my soul.

1. Lord, make me know your ways,
Teach me your paths and keep me in the way of your truth,
For you are God, my Savior. *R*

2. For the Lord is good and righteous,
Revealing the way to those who wander,
Gently leading the poor and the humble. *R*

3. To the ones who seek the Lord,
Who look to God’s word, who live God’s love,
God will always be near, and will show them mercy. *R*

The Offertory

Celebrant: Pray, brothers and sisters,
that my sacrifice and yours
may be acceptable to God,
the Almighty Father.

People: 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.

The 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.

The Memorial Acclamation

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

Or:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again.

Or:

Save us, Savior of the world,
for by your Cross and Resurrection
you have set us free.

The Great Amen

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed by 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;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

(The priest continues; then all say...)

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

The 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.

Holy Communion

Celebrant: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

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

Refrain

Taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord.
O taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord,
Of the Lord.

1. I will bless the Lord at all times.
Praise shall always be on my lips;
My soul shall glory in the Lord
For God has been so good to me. *R*

2. Glorify the Lord with me.
Together let us all praise God's name.
I called the Lord who answered me;
From all my troubles I was set free. *R*

3. Worship the Lord, all you people.
You'll want for nothing if you ask.
Taste and see that the Lord is good;
In God we need put all our trust. *R*

Prayer After Communion

The Dismissal

Recessional Hymn

1. Jesus, lead the way
Through our life's long day.
When at times the way is cheerless,
Help us follow, calm and fearless.
Guide us by your hand
To the promised land.

2. Jesus, be our light
In the midst of night.
Let not faithless fears o'ertake us;
Let not faith and hope forsake us.
May we feel you near
As we worship here.

3. When we seek relief
From a long-felt grief;
When temptations come alluring,
Make us patient and enduring.
Lord, we seek your grace
In this holy place.

4. Jesus, still lead on
Till our rest be won.
If you lead us through rough places,
Grant us your redeeming graces.
When our course is o'er,
Open heaven's door.

