

ENTRANCE HYMN

All Are Welcome



1. Let us build a house where love can dwell And
 2. Let us build a house where proph - ets speak, And
 3. Let us build a house where love is found In
 4. Let us build a house where hands will reach Be -
 5. Let us build a house where all are named, Their



all can safe - ly live, A place where saints and
 words are strong and true, Where all God's chil - dren
 wa - ter, wine and wheat: A ban - quet hall on
 yond the wood and stone To heal and strength - en,
 songs and vi - sions heard And loved and treas - ured,



chil - dren tell How hearts learn to for -
 dare to seek To dream God's reign a -
 ho - ly ground, Where peace and jus - tice
 serve and teach, And live the Word they've
 taught and claimed As words with - in the



give. Built of hopes and dreams and vi - sions,
 new. Here the cross shall stand as wit - ness
 meet. Here the love of God, through Je - sus,
 known. Here the out - cast and the stran - ger
 Word. Built of tears and cries and laugh - ter,



Rock of faith and vault of grace; Here the
 And as sym - bol of God's grace; Here as
 Is re - vealed in time and space; As we
 Bear the im - age of God's face; Let us
 Prayers of faith and songs of grace, Let this



love of Christ shall end di - vi - sions:
 one we claim the faith of Je - sus:
 share in Christ the feast that frees us: All are wel - come,
 bring an end to fear and dan - ger:
 house pro - claim from floor to raft - er:



all are wel - come, all are wel - come in this place.

FIRST READING**EX 17:22-24**

Thus says the Lord GOD: I, too, will take from the crest of the cedar, from its topmost branches tear off a tender shoot, and plant it on a high and lofty mountain; on the mountain heights of Israel I will plant it. It shall put forth branches and bear fruit, and become a majestic cedar. Birds of every kind shall dwell beneath it, every winged thing in the shade of its boughs. And all the trees of the field shall know that I, the LORD, bring low the high tree, lift high the lowly tree, wither up the green tree, and make the withered tree bloom. As I, the LORD, have spoken, so will I do.

The Word of the Lord**R/ Thanks be to God****RESPONSORIAL PSALM****PS 92:2-3,13-14,15-16****R. Lord, it is good to give you thanks**

It is good to give thanks to the LORD, to sing praise to your name, Most High, To proclaim your kindness at dawn and your faithfulness throughout the night. **R/**

The just one shall flourish like the palm tree, like a cedar of Lebanon shall he grow. They that are planted in the house of the LORD shall flourish in the courts of our God. **R/**

They shall bear fruit even in old age; vigorous and sturdy shall they be, Declaring how just is the LORD, my rock, in whom there is no wrong. **R/**

SECOND READING**2 COR 5:6-10**

Brothers and sisters: We are always courageous, although we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord, for we walk by faith, not by sight. Yet we are courageous, and we would rather leave the body and go home to the Lord. Therefore, we aspire to please him, whether we are at home or away. For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense, according to what he did in the body, whether good or evil.

The Word of the Lord**R/ Thanks be to God****ALLELUIA**

The seed is the word of God, Christ is the sower. All who come to him will live forever. **R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

GOSPEL**MK 4:26-34**

Jesus said to the crowds: "This is how it is with the kingdom of God; it is as if a man were to scatter seed on the land and would sleep and rise night and day and through it all the seed would sprout and grow, he knows not how. Of its own accord the land yields fruit, first the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear. And when the grain is ripe, he wields the sickle at once, for the harvest has come." He said, "To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade." With many such parables he spoke the word to them as they were able to understand it. Without parables he did not speak to them, but to his own disciples he explained everything in private.

This is the Gospel of the Lord**R/ Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ**

OFFERTORY HYMN – This Alone

Tim Marior

Refrain

One thing I ask, this a-lone I seek, to dwell in the house of the Lord all my days. For one day with-in your tem-ple heals ev - 'ry day a - lone. O Lord, bring me to your dwell - ing.

Verses 1, 3

1. Hear, O Lord, the sound of my call - ing.
3. Wait on the Lord, and hope in his mer - cy.

to Refrain

1. Hear, O Lord, and show me your way.
3. Wait on the Lord, and live in his love.

Verse 2

2. The Lord is my light and hope of sal - va - tion. The Lord is my ref-uge; whom should I fear?

to Refrain

COMMUNION HYMN – One Bread One Body

Tim Marior

Refrain

One bread, one bod-y, one Lord of all, one cup of bless-ing which we bless. And we, though man-y, through-out the earth, we are one bod - y in this

- Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more.
- Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all.
- Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to one, for all.

Prayer of Thanksgiving after Communion My good Jesus, I thank You with all my heart for giving me Yourself, the Source of all graces, in holy communion. I thank You for all the blessings that I have received from You, especially through the Holy Eucharist, in which You are ever present to console us and to help us in our needs. In thanksgiving of all Your favors, I offer You all that I am and have. Dispose of me according to Your pleasure. May Your will be done in me and through me, now and forever.

RECESSIONAL HYMN –

Canticle of the Sun

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.

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

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

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light up	the way	Un - to your	throne.
blow where	they please	To please the	Lord.
mys - t'ry	re - vealed	Springs forth in	joy.
spir - it	so bright,	He sings of	you.
help us	to know	The heart of	love.
pres - ence	re - vealed	To lead us	home.

