

ST. MARY CHURCH HYDE PARK

NOVEMBER 19, 2023

Lord, we thank you for the goodness of our people
and for the spirit of justice that fills this nation.
We thank you for the beauty and fullness of the
land and the challenge of the cities.

We thank you for our work and our rest,
for one another, and for our homes.

We thank you, Lord.

Accept our thanksgiving on this day.

We pray and give thanks through
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.



ST. MARY
HYDE PARK
CHURCH





Weekend Mass Schedule

St. Cecilia (Oakley): Saturday 3:30 PM | Sunday 8 AM, 10 AM, and 8:15 PM

St. Mary (Hyde Park): Saturday at 4 PM | Sunday at 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

The Oratory of St. John Vianney at St. Anthony Church (Madisonville): Saturday 3 PM | Sunday 9:30 AM

Daily Mass Schedule

St. Cecilia (Oakley): 9 AM Mass, Monday-Saturday. Communion service, Monday-Saturday 8 AM

All-day Adoration follows the 9 AM Mass on Wednesdays with 7 PM Holy Hour and Confessions from 7-7:50 PM

St. Mary (Hyde Park): 5:30 PM evening Mass, Monday-Thursday with Holy Hour on Tuesdays following the 5:30 PM Mass.

The Oratory of St. John Vianney at St. Anthony Church (Madisonville): 11:45 AM Mass, Monday-Friday

Confession Schedule

Confessions begin immediately after all daily Masses and one hour before weekend Masses, ending 30 minutes before Mass.

For information on weddings, baptisms and funerals, please visit eastsidefaith.org or call the appropriate parish office.

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Oratory of St. John Vianney at St. Anthony Church (Madisonville)

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Priest Emergency Line: (513) 815-5038

Mass Intentions (St. Mary)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20

5:30 PM Larry Sexton ☩

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21

5:30 PM Catherine Butler ☩

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22

5:30 PM Jim and Rita Vetter ☩

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23 Thanksgiving Day

5:30 PM No Mass

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4

5:30 PM No Mass

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25

4:00 PM Catherine Butler ☩

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM Patty Misrach ☩

10:30 AM Paul Kelley ☩

Mass intentions may be requested and paid for online at EastsideFaith.org, under the "About" section. Masses may also be scheduled at one of our offices. Payment may be made online, in an envelope clearly marked in the collection basket, or in person during office hours. Intentions are often requested for those who have died, but may include any kind of need that you or someone you know is experiencing for which prayer is needed.

Wedding Banns

BANN III Monica Huzener & Robert Salatin

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Thanksgiving November 19, 2023

It is so appropriate that the word thanksgiving in Greek is *Eucharistia*. As we know, the Body and Blood of Christ is the truest of all “thanksgiving meals.” Just as we gather at Mass for our Eucharistic meal, we also gather on Thanksgiving Day with family and friends in a communal meal.

As we plan our family gatherings this week, it is important to show that we are thankful for the meals we will be sharing with our families by performing some type of service to the poor. It is a tradition in the Eastside Family and many other churches to spend the day doing something to help feed those who are in need. In our family of churches, we have a special Thanksgiving meal held at St. Cecilia that we serve to hundreds of people, including many meals that are delivered to those who cannot join us here at the parish. Also, at the 9 AM mass on Thanksgiving, you can share of your personal abundance by donating canned and boxed foodstuffs and/or monetary offerings and bringing them to the altar during the Offertory of the Mass. They will then be given to the Oakley Food Pantry/St. Vincent de Paul.

In addition to incorporating some act of service into your Thanksgiving traditions, consider a new tradition by having everyone in the family bring and share a prayer of thanksgiving or a scriptural quote they have found helpful.

Let us all join together this week with our families, friends, and our church family to give thanks to God for our abundant blessings. Amen? Amen.

Fr. Jessie



This weekend we celebrate the Feast of St. Cecilia, Virgin-Martyr and Patroness of Music, with beautiful hymns at Mass and a special acknowledgment of music director, Bob Kellison, as he gets ready to retire from his position at St. Cecilia. Please take some time to thank him for bringing music to our worship. St. Augustine: “The one who sings prays twice.” Included in our honoring and celebration of St. Cecilia, prayer cards will be available after each of the Masses at all the exits.

You are invited to join the St. Cecilia homeschool community in attending their first Christmas pageant. The homeschool children will be putting on the play "Ad Jesum Per Mariam" (To Jesus Through Mary) on Saturday, December 16 at 10 am, in the St. Cecilia school gym. Please join us afterwards for light refreshments and fellowship.



From the Oratory of Saint John Vianney

The Oratory is part of St. Cecilia Parish and devoted to prayer for the priests of our Archdiocese, through the intercession of St. John Vianney, patron of parish priests. Please join us this week in praying for: **Fr. Shawn Landenwicht, Fr. Jacob Lindle (St. Mary-Urbana), Fr. Thomas McCarthy, Fr. Timothy Schehr (Holy Trinity-Owensville), Fr. George Schmitz (retired)**. Special thanks to those who have offered to help send notes of thanks and encouragement to the priests we are praying for each week!



On **Monday, November 20 at 7 PM**, Fr. Alex will be celebrating a **Sung Requiem Mass** at the Oratory. The traditional Gregorian chant for the Mass for the Dead is some of the most beautiful music in the Church's treasury of sacred music, and he is very excited to share it all with you. While some of the Mass parts will be in Latin, Fr. Alex will celebrate Mass in English. I encourage you all to attend this special Mass as we close out this month of November — a month set aside for praying for the Faithful Departed.

Celebrating National Black Catholic History Month: Venerable Augustus Tolton

While not yet canonized, Augustus Tolton is on the path towards sainthood. He was the first-known black Catholic priest in the United States after his 1886 ordination.

Born into slavery and baptized Catholic in the United States, Tolton studied for the priesthood and was ordained in Rome. He was later sent to the United States to administer to the black community. He needs one miracle to be named “blessed!”



Christmas Caroling! Save the date to bring Christmas cheer to our neighbors! Following the 3 PM Mass on **Saturday, December 16**, we will enjoy a pizza dinner together, head out in groups to go caroling, then regather for hot chocolate. All are welcome!

From the Desk of Fr. Ken

All of us have a talent of some sort, and our goal should be to use that talent to build up the kingdom of God. The man in the Gospel wasted away the talent that he possessed. Do we use our talents wisely?

Fr. Ken Schopf

From the School Office

Last week we honored Veterans at a heartfelt assembly and enjoyed a celebration of our National Blue Ribbon School Award with a parade around the neighborhood. God is good!



THANKSGIVING STOCK THE PANTRY
FILL A BOX FOR FAMILIES IN NEED!

The food-filled boxes will be collected at school **ANYTIME BETWEEN NOW AND NOVEMBER 22**

SCAN the QR code with your phone to sign up and learn more!

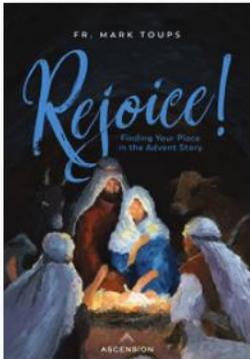
SCAN ME

PRESCHOOL THANKSGIVING SONGFEST
 We invite you and your preschooler to join us for a:
Thanksgiving Songfest for PRESCHOOLERS
THIS Monday, November 20
 9:40 am / St. Mary School Gym
 St. Mary School 3rd Grade Students lead the audience in songs of thanksgiving
 All are welcome!

BOOK REVIEW

THE CATECHIST'S CORNER

Rejoice! Finding Your Place in the Advent Story
by Fr. Mark Toups



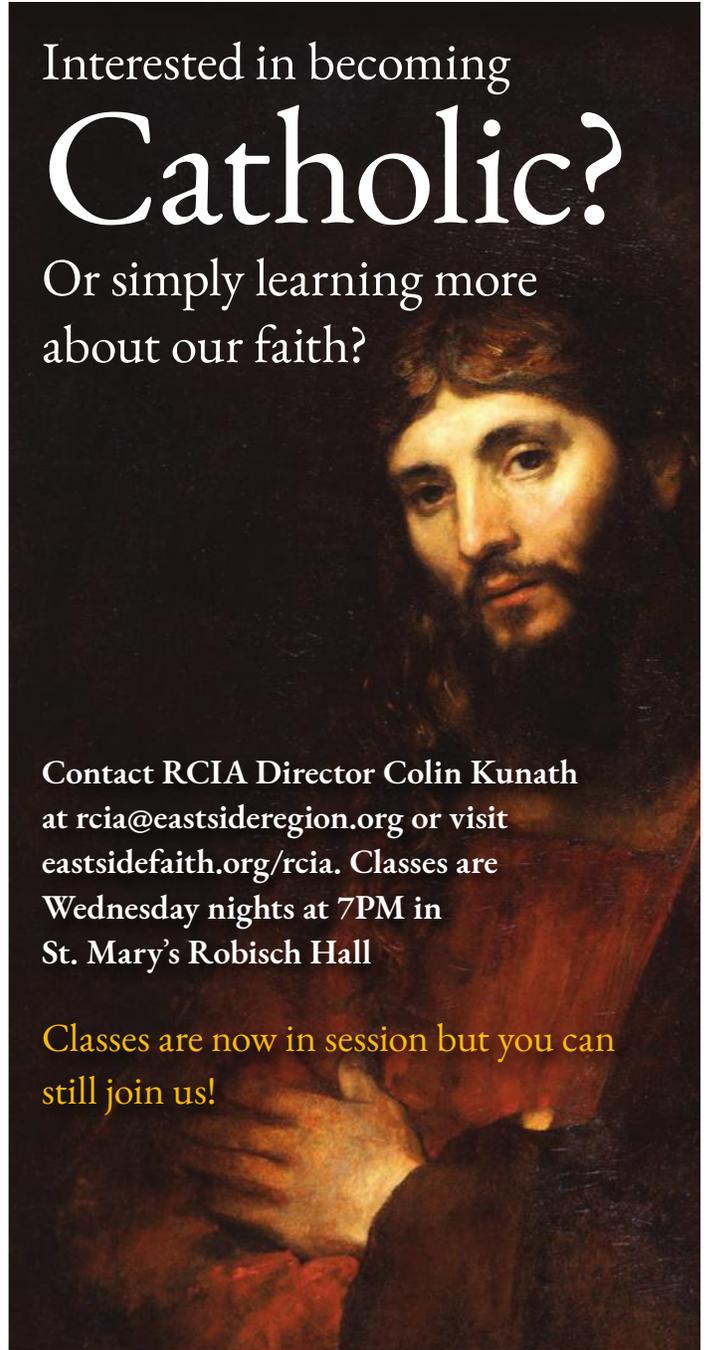
There is a phenomenon in my own life that I've observed that may be recognizable to you, as well. February starts, Ash Wednesday draws near, and you find yourself listing all the ways that you're going to grow closer to the Lord during Lent: daily rosaries, time reading Sacred Scripture, attending weekly Adoration, the list goes on. But when it comes to Advent, a similar season of preparation and reflection, we light the first candle and "boom" it feels like two minutes later it's Christmas Eve and we're

asking ourselves "how did we get here"? "Is my heart truly ready to receive Him?" If this sounds familiar, I encourage you to join me in breaking this habit and embracing a greater intentionality this Advent. Over the next few weeks we will be recommending titles to you which we hope will help you each day to prepare a place in your heart for our Lord to be received this December 25. One of the devotionals that has proven to be a great guide throughout this time of year in the past has been the "Rejoice" series offered by Fr. Mark Toups at Ascension Press. Each day's section contains a reflection, scriptural passage, a word for meditation, and space for journaling, which make it the perfect accountability partner to ensure daily prayer. Additionally, each week will also feature a video from either Fr. Toups, Sister Miriam, or Fr. Josh Johnson, who help you to enter deeper into the themes of that week. In this edition, these include the places, people, and events that surrounded Jesus' birth thousands of years ago, helping you to discover a greater intimacy with our Savior in His coming. If you are a young adult, feel welcome to join our small group study of this book by signing up through the link on our ad in the bulletin. Otherwise, we invite you to consider ordering your own copy for your personal preparation this Advent!" (Reviewed by Haley Metzger)

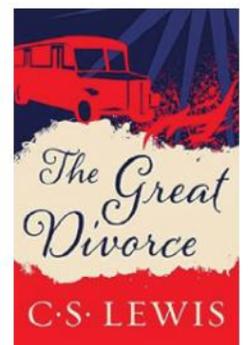
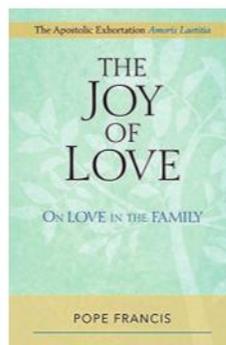
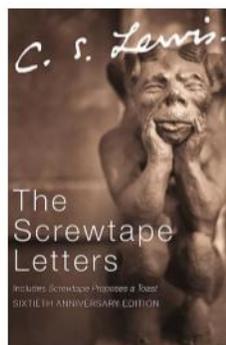
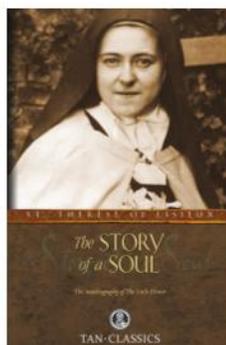
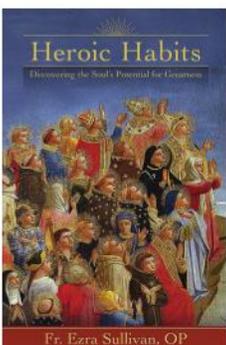
Interested in becoming
Catholic?
Or simply learning more
about our faith?

Contact RCIA Director Colin Kunath
at rcia@eastsideregion.org or visit
eastsidefaith.org/rcia. Classes are
Wednesday nights at 7PM in
St. Mary's Robisch Hall

Classes are now in session but you can
still join us!



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The Crafty Lady Christmas Sale

Join us **the weekend of December 2-3** after all St. Mary Masses in Robisch Hall. Don't miss this year's Christmas sale featuring crocheted and knitted items made by our St. Mary crafty ladies. Do your Christmas shopping for one-of-a-kind items for all ages. Proceeds are given back to the church to help fund the making of hundreds of baptismal garments and gowns, the purchase of various liturgical items, and much more. Please help support the work of this important ministry.

Get into the Christmas Spirit with Holiday Trains!

The **40s Plus Fun Bunch** will meet at the Behringer-Crawford Museum on **Sunday, December 10 at 1:30 PM** to take a Holly Jolly Days tour. The tour includes the 32nd Annual Holiday Toy Trains which consist of 250 feet of track with more than 30 moving, guest-operated accessories on the layout. *The Window Through Time* antique Christmas decorations date back to the late 1800s.

The Behringer-Crawford Museum is located at 1600 Montague Road, Devou Park, Covington, Kentucky.

Admission is \$9 adults, \$8 seniors 60+ at the door. Free on-site parking. RSVP to stcfunbunch@gmail.com to let us know if you are coming!



An EPIC Christmas Celebration

Feel the joy of this blessed season with **EPIC!** Join us for our Christmas celebration on **Tuesday, December 12**, from 11:30-2:30 pm in Robisch Hall. Enjoy a festive lunch, holiday desserts, Christmas libations, entertainment by our St. Mary School Children's choir, and a special surprise singer! Our guest speaker will be Joy Blang, Director of Philanthropy for Episcopal Retirement Services.

This year's theme is "Seniors Gifting Seniors." You will have the opportunity to bring a Christmas gift for seniors less fortunate than ourselves. Your gifts will be wrapped by our committee and distributed to the residents of Forest Square in Avondale, an ERS facility. Their needs are basic: dish towels, dish clothes, soaps, lotions, shampoo, hats, scarves, gloves, throws, small totes, snacks, and candies, etc.

Please register online at eastsidefaith.org/epic or email Mary at mmandrum@eastsideregion.org no later than Friday, December 8. There is no charge for this event, but you must register for it.

Make your plans now for Christmas.

The fourth Sunday of Advent is also Christmas Eve this year, so make plans now to attend two Masses December 23-25. The schedule for the fourth Sunday of Advent reflects an added Mass on Saturday and fewer Mass times on Sunday. We are adding an extra vigil Mass at St. Cecilia so you can fulfill your Sunday obligation. We very much encourage you to attend this Mass if you intend on attending a Christmas Eve Mass. Christmas Vigil liturgies are on Sunday and Christmas Day Masses on Monday. Please check the complete schedule below!

Fourth Sunday of Advent Masses

Saturday December 23

3:00	Oratory
3:30	St. Cecilia
4:00	St. Mary
5:00	St. Cecilia

Sunday, December 24

8:00 AM	St. Cecilia
8:30 AM	St. Mary
9:30 AM	Oratory

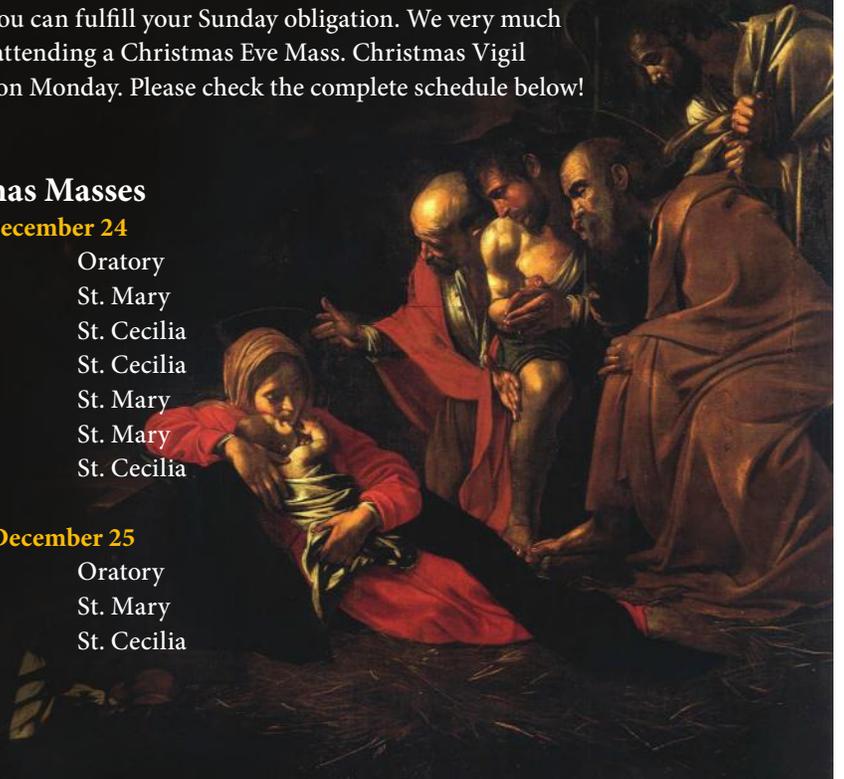
Christmas Masses

Sunday, December 24

3 PM	Oratory
3 PM	St. Mary
3 PM	St. Cecilia
5:00 PM	St. Cecilia
5:30 PM	St. Mary
10:30 PM	St. Mary
Midnight	St. Cecilia

Monday, December 25

10 AM	Oratory
10 AM	St. Mary
10 AM	St. Cecilia



COME SHARE IN OUR

Thanksgiving
DINNER!

ST. CECILIA COMMONS
DINNER: NOON-2PM

INTERESTED IN...

Donating a roasted turkey?

Call Dee at (513) 871-4191

Volunteering to prepare, serve, and transport
meals?

Call Dan at (513) 478-0361

Do you, or someone else, need a meal delivered?

Call Margie at (513) 232-0266

(orders must be placed by November 20th)



ADVENT MISSION:
Encountering the Holy Family
with Msgr. Frank Lane

December 18th-20th, 2023
7-8 pm

MONDAY

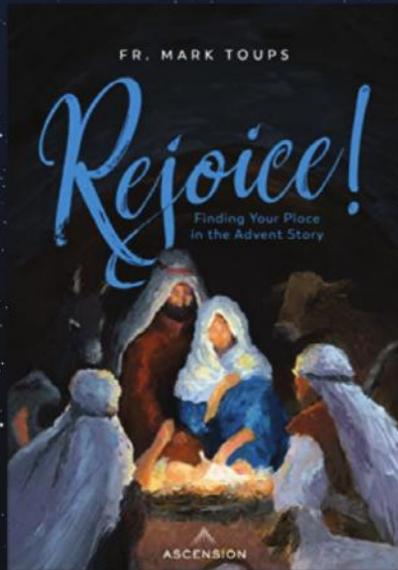
Encountering St. Joseph
St. Mary Hyde Park

TUESDAY

Encountering the Blessed Mother
St. Mary Hyde Park

WEDNESDAY

Encountering Jesus
(followed by candlelit Holy Hour with hymns)
St. Cecilia



YOUNG ADULT ADVENT STUDY

WEDNESDAYS STARTING 12/6

8 PM

PARISH HOUSE - ST. CECILIA

REGISTER AND PURCHASE YOUR COPY OF THE BOOK AT
WWW.EASTSIDEFAITH.ORG/ADVENT-STUDY

Candlelight Mass

ST. CECILIA
CATHOLIC CHURCH
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14TH

CONFESSION BEGINS AT 6:30 PM
MASS STARTS AT 7 PM
SOCIAL IMMEDIATELY TO FOLLOW

The Eastside Family Young Adults invite you to join us for a

Countdown to Christmas

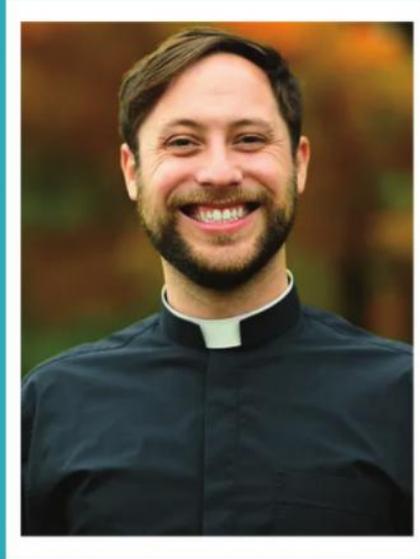
Thursday, December 14th
Immediately following Candlelight Mass

Holiday sweaters and other attire not required but encouraged!

Cocktails with the Catechism presents

*To Live and Live
Abundantly : Freedom
Found in the Theology
of the Body*

Tuesday, November 28th
7-9 pm
Big Ash Brewing



The Eastside Family Young Adult Ministry invites you to join us for our November rendition of Cocktails with the Catechism, featuring special guest, Fr. Tim Fahey. What does it mean to live a life of “freedom”? In the Catholic tradition, we believe that freedom speaks to our ability to achieve ultimate human flourishing and pursue our God-given end of sainthood. Consequently, freedom comes to be understood as a fruit of exercising virtue in its many forms. Among these, one of the most difficult to understand and put into practice can be the virtue of chastity. Despite common misconception, this is a virtue that all people (single, engaged, religious, or married) are called to practice throughout the course of our lives. Join Fr. Fahey for a conversation on the Catholic moral life, with a special emphasis on recognizing the dignity of our embodied sexuality and untangling many of the webs that trap our culture today.



Worship Aid for the Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prayer for Vocations



Almighty Father, You have created for us some definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for us in this life and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make our archdiocese, parishes, homes and hearts fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations. May our young people respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among our men a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. Bless us with consecrated religious and those called to a chaste single life, permanent deacons, and faithful husbands and wives, who are a sign of Christ's love for His Church. We commend our prayer for vocations to You, Father, through the intercession of Mary our Mother, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr

Entrance Hymn

We Gather Together



1. We gath - er to - geth - er to ask the Lord's bless - ing;
2. Be - side us to guide us, our God with us join - ing,
3. We all do ex - tol you our lead - er tri - um - phant,



He chas - tens and has - tens his will to make known;
Whose king - dom calls all to the love which en - dures.
And pray that you still our de - fend - er will be.



The wick - ed op - press - ing now cease from dis - tress - ing:
So from the be - gin - ning the fight we were win - ning:
Let your con - gre - ga - tion es - cape trib - u - la - tion:



Sing prais - es to his name; he for - gets not his own.
You, Lord, were at our side; all glo - ry be yours!
Your name be ev - er praised! O Lord, make us free!

Text: *Wilt heden nu treden*, Netherlands folk hymn; tr. by Theodore Baker, 1851–1934, alt.
Tune: KREMSER, 12 11 12 11; *Nederlandsch Gedencck-clanck*, 1626; harm. by Edward Kremser, 1838–1914

Penitential Rite

**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,
And striking their breast, they say:
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.**

Kyrie Eleison/Lord, have mercy.
Kyrie Eleison/Lord, have mercy.

Christe Eleison/Christ, have mercy.
Christe Eleison/Christ, have mercy.

Kyrie Eleison/Lord, have mercy.
Kyrie Eleison/Lord, have mercy.

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 LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31

When one finds a worthy wife, her value is far beyond pearls. Her husband, entrusting his heart to her, has an unfailing prize. She brings him good, and not evil, all the days of her life. She obtains wool and flax and works with loving hands. She puts her hands to the distaff, and her fingers ply the spindle. She reaches out her hands to the poor, and extends her arms to the needy. Charm is deceptive and beauty fleeting; the woman who fears the LORD is to be praised. Give her a reward for her labors, and let her works praise her at the city gates.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm Response



Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5

Bless-ed are those who fear the Lord. Bless-ed are those who fear the Lord.

Blessed are all who fear the LORD, and walk in his ways!	around your table. R.
By the labor of your hands you shall eat. You will be blessed and prosper. R.	Indeed thus shall be blessed the husband who fears the LORD. May the LORD bless you from Zion.
Your wife like a fruitful vine in the heart of your house; your children like shoots of the olive	May you see Jerusalem prosper all the days of your life! R.

Text: Verses, *The Abbey Psalms and Canticles*, © 2018, 2010, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, DC;
refrain, *Lectionary for Mass*, © 1969, 1981, 1997, ICEL
Music: Tony Alonso, © 2013, GIA Publications, Inc.

Second Reading

1 Thes 5:1-6

Concerning times and seasons, brothers and sisters, you have no need for anything to be written to you. For you yourselves know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief at night. When people are saying, "Peace and security," then sudden disaster comes upon them, like labor pains upon a pregnant woman, and they will not escape. But you, brothers and sisters, are not in darkness, for that day to overtake you like a thief. For all of you are children of the light and children of the day. We are not of the night or of darkness. Therefore, let us not sleep as the rest do, but let us stay alert and sober.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel

Mt 25:14-30

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "A man going on a journey called in his servants and entrusted his possessions to them. To one he gave five talents; to another, two; to a third, one--to each according to his ability. Then he went away. Immediately the one who received five talents went and traded with them, and made another five. Likewise, the one who received two made another two. But the man who received one went off and dug a hole in the ground and buried his master's money. "After a long time the master of those servants came back and settled accounts with them. The one who had received five talents came forward bringing the additional five. He said, 'Master, you gave me five talents. See, I have made five more.' His master said to him, 'Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy.' Then the one who had received two talents also came forward and said, 'Master, you gave me two talents. See, I have made two more.' His master said to him, 'Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy.' Then the one who had received the one talent came forward and said, 'Master, I knew you were a demanding person, harvesting where you did not plant and gathering where you did not scatter; so out of fear I went off and buried your talent in the ground. Here it is back.' His master said to him in reply, 'You wick-ed, lazy servant! So you knew that I harvest where I did not plant and gather where I did not scatter? Should you not then have put my money in the bank so that I could have got it back with interest on my return? Now then! Take the talent from him and give it to the one with ten. For to everyone who has, more will be given and he will grow rich; but from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away. And throw this useless servant into the darkness outside, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth.'"

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ.



The Nicene Creed

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,

All make a profound bow:
*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.

Offertory Hymn

Christ, Be Our Light

Verses



1. Long - ing for light, we wait in dark - ness.
2. Long - ing for peace, our world is trou - bled.
3. Long - ing for food, man - y are hun - gry.
4. Long - ing for shel - ter, man - y are home - less.
5. Man - y the gifts, man - y the peo - ple,



Long - ing for truth, we turn to you.
Long - ing for hope, man - y de - spair.
Long - ing for wa - ter, man - y still thirst.
Long - ing for warmth, man - y are cold.
man - y the hearts that yearn to be - long.



Make us your own, your ho - ly peo - ple,
Your word a - lone has pow'r to save us.
Make us your bread, bro - ken for oth - ers,
Make us your build - ing, shel - ter - ing oth - ers,
Let us be ser - vants to one an - oth - er,



light for the world to see.
Make us your liv - ing voice.
shared un - til all are fed.
walls made of liv - ing stone.
mak - ing your king - dom come.

Refrain



Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts.



Shine through the dark - ness. Christ, be our light!



Shine in your Church gath - ered to - day.

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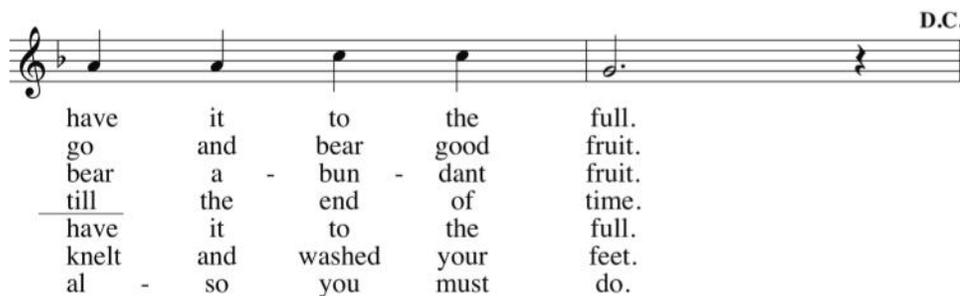
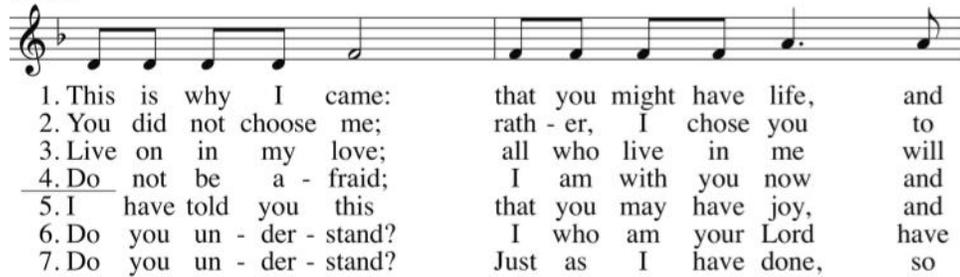
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Communion Hymn

Bread of Life, Cup of Blessing



Verses



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Choral Meditation - 10:30

Servant Song

1. *What do you want of me, Lord? Where do you want me to serve you?
Where can I sing your praises? I am your song.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the Lord. Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.*

2. *I hear you call my name, Lord, and I am moved within me.
Your Spirit stirs my deepest self. Sing your songs in me.
Jesus, Jesus, you are my Lord. Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.*

3. *Above, below and around me, before, behind and all through me,
your Spirit burns deep within me. Fire my life with your love.
Jesus, Jesus, be the warmth of my heart. Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.*

4. *You are the light in my darkness. You are my strength when I'm weary.
You give me sight when I'm blinded. Come, see for me.
Jesus, Jesus, you are my Light. Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.*

5. *I am your song and servant, singing your praise like Mary.
Surrendered to your Spirit, "Let it be done to me."
Jesus, Jesus, "Let it be done to me." Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.*

Recessional Hymn

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You

1. Joyful, joyful, we adore you,
God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before you,
Opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;
Drive the dark of doubt away;
Giver of immortal gladness,
Fill us with the light of day!

2. All your works with joy surround
you, Earth and heav'n reflect your rays,
Stars and angels sing around you,
Center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird, and flowing fountain,
Sound their praise eternally!

3. You are giving and forgiving,
Ever blessing, ever blest,
Wellspring of the joy of living,
Ocean depth of happy rest!
God our Father, Christ our brother,
Let your light upon us shine;
Teach us how to love each other,
Lift us to the joy divine.

4. Mortals, join the mighty chorus,
Which the morning stars began; God's
own love is reigning o'er us, Joining
people hand in hand.
Ever singing, march we onward,
Victors in the midst of strife;
Joyful music leads us sunward
In the triumph-song of life.

Text: Henry van Dyke, 1852-1933, alt.

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