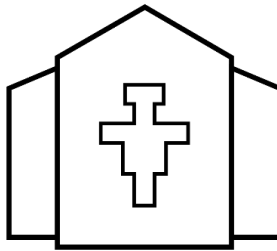


**Celebration of the Eucharist**  
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
10:30 AM Sensory Friendly Mass



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C A T H O L I C C H U R C H

July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025

## **Introductory Rites**

### **Opening Hymn**

I raise a hallelujah  
In the presence of my enemies  
I raise a hallelujah  
Louder than the unbelief  
I raise a hallelujah  
My weapon is a melody  
I raise a hallelujah  
Heaven comes to fight for me

I'm gonna sing, in the middle of the storm  
Louder and louder, you're gonna hear my praises roar  
Up from the ashes, hope will arise  
Death is defeated, the King is alive  
I raise a hallelujah (2x)

the King is alive

**Greeting** (please stand)



### **Penitential Act**

Celebrant: Lord Have Mercy. **All Respond:** Lord have mercy

Celebrant: Christ Have Mercy. **All Respond:** Christ have mercy

Celebrant: Lord Have Mercy. **All Respond:** 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

## **Collect**

(Please be seated for the Liturgy of the Word.)



## **Liturgy of the Word**

### **First Reading**

### **Genesis 18: 1 – 10a**

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A Reding from the book of Genesis

One hot summer afternoon Abraham was sitting by the entrance to his tent near the sacred trees of Mamre, when the Lord appeared to him. Abraham looked up and saw three men standing nearby. He quickly ran to meet them and bowed with his face to the ground. He said, "Please come to my home where I can serve you. I will have some water brought, so you can wash your feet, and then you can rest under the tree. Let me get you some food to give you strength before you leave. I would be honored to serve you." They answered, "Thank you very much. We accept your offer." Abraham hurried to his tent and said to Sarah, "Hurry! Get a large sack of fine flour. Then mix it

and make some bread." After saying this, he hurried off to his herd of cattle and picked out one of the best calves, which his servant quickly prepared. He served his guests some yogurt and milk, together with the meat. While they were eating, he stood near them under the trees. They asked him, "Where is your wife Sarah?" He answered, "She is right there in the tent." One of the guest was the LORD, and he said, "I will come back next spring, and when I do, Sarah will already have a son."

The Word of the Lord.

**All respond:** Thanks be to God.

### **Responsorial Psalm**

### **Psalm 15: 1-3a, 3bc and 5ef**

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**R: The just will live in the presence of the Lord.**

Who may stay in God's temple  
or live in the holy mountain of the Lord?  
Only those who obey God and do as they should.  
They speak the truth and don't spread gossip. **R:**

They treat others fairly and don't say cruel things.  
Those who do these things will always stand firm. **R:**

### **Second Reading**

### **Colossians 1: 27 - 28**

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A reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Colossians

Brothers and sisters:

God do this because he wanted you Gentiles to understand his wonderful and glorious mystery. And the mystery is that Christ lives in you, and he is your hope of sharing in God's glory. We announce the message about Christ, and we use all our wisdom to warn and teach everyone, so that all Christ's followers will grow and become mature.  
The Word of the Lord.

**All Respond:** Thanks be to God.

**Gospel Acclamation- Alleluia** (please stand)



A reading from the holy gospel according to Luke

The Lord and his disciples were traveling along and came to a village. When they got there, a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat down in front of the Lord and was listening to what he said. Martha was worried about all that had to be done. Finally, she went to Jesus and said, "Lord, doesn't it bother you that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her to come and help me!" The Lord answered, "Martha, Martha! You are worried and upset about so many things, but only one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen what is best, and it will not be taken away from her."

The Gospel of the Lord. **All Respond:** Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

(please be seated)



**Homily**

(listening)

**Profession Of Faith**

(Please stand)



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, 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.

**Prayers of the Faithful** - Respond with '**Lord, hear our prayers.**'

### **Liturgy of the Eucharist**

**Preparation of the Altar and Gifts** (please be seated)



#### **OFFERTORY**

During this part of the Mass, we give thanks to God for our many blessings and bring gifts to the Altar. This is also the time of the Mass reserved to make our weekly donation. For your convenience, you can scan the QR code provided here for our new online giving platform, PushPay. Thank you for your generosity.



Celebrant: ... .. it will become for us the bread of life.

**All Respond:** Blessed be God forever.

Celebrant: ... .. it will become our spiritual drink.

**All Respond:** Blessed be God forever.



(Please stand)

## Invitation to Prayer

Celebrant: Pray Brothers and Sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

**All Respond:** 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.

## Preface Dialogue

Celebrant: The Lord be with you. **All Respond:** and with your Spirit

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts. **All Respond:** We lift them up to the Lord

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God. **All Respond:** It is right and just

## The Sanctus

**All Respond:** 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.



(Please kneel)

## The Mystery of Faith

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

## **The Lord's Prayer** (Please stand)



Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be 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.

Celebrant: Deliver us Lord, we pray, from every evil, ... .. and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

**All Respond:** For the Kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.

## **Sign of Peace** - Wish everyone "Peace Be with You"

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be with you always.



**All Respond:** and with your spirit.

## **Lamb of God**

**All Respond :** 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.



(Please kneel)



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.

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

## Communion

### At your feet

Here at Your feet, I lay my past  
down. My wanderings, all my  
mistakes down. And I am free  
Here at Your feet, I lay this day  
down. Not in my strength, but in  
Yours, I've found  
All I need, You're all I need

Jesus, Jesus, at Your feet  
Oh, to dwell and never leave  
Jesus, Jesus, at Your feet  
There is nowhere else for me  
There is nowhere else for me

Here at Your feet, I lay my future  
down. All of my dreams, I give to  
You now And I find peace  
I find peace.

Jesus, Jesus, at Your feet  
Oh, to dwell and never leave  
Jesus, Jesus, at Your feet  
There is nowhere else for me  
There is nowhere else for me

Here at Your feet, I lay my life  
down. For You, my King, You're  
all I want now. And my soul sings

Jesus, Jesus, at Your feet  
Oh, to dwell and never leave  
Jesus, Jesus, at Your feet  
There is nowhere else for me  
There is nowhere else for me

'Cause I am free (Here at Your  
feet)  
All I need (Is at Your feet)  
I find peace (We're at Your feet)  
We're at Your feet  
And I am free (Here at Your feet)  
All I need (Is at Your feet)  
I find peace (We're at Your feet)  
We're at Your feet, we're at Your  
feet. We're at Your feet

Here at Your feet  
I lay my life down

## Blessing and Dismissal



## I Will Follow

Where you go, I'll go  
Where you stay, I'll stay  
When you move, I'll move  
I will follow...

All your ways are good  
All your ways are sure  
I will trust in you alone  
Higher than my sight  
High above my life  
I will trust in you alone (trust in  
you alone)

Where you go, I'll go  
Where you stay, I'll stay  
When you move, I'll move  
I will follow you  
Who you love, I'll love  
How you serve I'll serve  
If this life I lose, I will follow you,  
yeah. I will follow you, yeah

Light unto the world  
Light unto my life  
I will live for you alone  
You're the one I seek  
Knowing I will find  
All I need in you alone, in you  
alone

Where you go, I'll go  
Where you stay, I'll stay  
When you move, I'll move  
I will follow you  
Who you love, I'll love  
How you serve, I'll serve  
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***Next Sensory Friendly Mass will be on August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025***

