

September 20 + ORDINARY XXV + 2020

Welcome to our worship! Parts of the Liturgy sung by ALL are capitalized; join in responses as you are able. Please remain in pew unless visiting the restroom, located through the door on your right.

Tower Bell
Organ Prelude

Thanksgiving Fanfare on 'We Gather Together'

Callahan

HYMN

WE GATHER TOGETHER

Kremser

We gather together to sing the Lord's praises,
To worship the Father through Jesus, his Son.
In this celebration, all sing with jubilation!
We are his holy people whose freedom he won.

We greet our Lord present within our assembly,
We hear the Good News announced clearly to all,
With songs of rejoicing our praises we are voicing,
As we invoke God's blessing and answer the call.

text: O. Westendorf

Greeting

SPRINKLING RITE

WASH US WITH FRESH WATER

Janco

Refrain - repeat after Cantor:



Wash us with fresh wa-ter;— wash us bright as snow.—



Wash us with fresh wa-ter;— wash us bright as snow.—

GLORIA

Vermulst



Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good



will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-dore you, we



glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry,



Lord God, heav-en-ly King, O God, al-might-y Fa-ther.



Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son, Lord God,



Lamb of God, Son of the Fa-ther, you take a-way the

sins of the world, have mer - cy — on us; you take a-way the
sins of the world, re - ceive — our prayer; you are seat-ed at the
right hand of the Fa-ther, have mer - cy — on us. For
you a-lone are the Ho - ly One, you a-lone are the Lord, you a-
lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir-it, in the
glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men, a - men.

Collect

~ Liturgy of the Word ~

First Reading

Isaiah 55:6-9

Seek the LORD while he may be found, call him while he is near. Let the scoundrel forsake his way, and the wicked his thoughts; let him turn to the LORD for mercy; to our God, who is generous in forgiving. For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the LORD. As high as the heavens are above the earth, so high are my ways above your ways and my thoughts above your thoughts.

PSALM

R/. The Lord is near to all who call up-on him.

Ps. 145/Janco

*Everyday will I bless you, and I will praise your name forever and ever.
Great is the Lord and highly to be praised; his greatness is unsearchable. (R/.)*

*The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and of great kindness.
The Lord is good to all and compassionate toward all his works. (R/.)*

*The Lord is just in all his ways and holy in all his works.
The Lord is near to all who call upon him, to all who call upon him in truth. (R/.)*

Second Reading

Philippians 1:20-24,27

Brothers and sisters: Christ will be magnified in my body, whether by life or by death. For to me life is Christ, and death is gain. If I go on living in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me. And I do not know which I shall choose. I am caught between the two. I long to depart this life and be with Christ, for that is far better. Yet that I remain in the flesh is more necessary for your benefit. Only conduct yourselves in a way worthy of the gospel of Christ.

GOSPEL ALLELUIA (sing after Cantor)

St. Dominic Mass/Marchionda, OP

Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out at dawn to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with them for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. Going out about nine o'clock, the landowner saw others standing idle in the marketplace, and he said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard, and I will give you what is just.' So they went off. And he went out again around noon, and around three o'clock, and did likewise. Going out about five o'clock, the landowner found others standing around, and said to them, 'Why do you stand here idle all day?' They answered, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard.' When it was evening the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, 'Summon the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and ending with the first.' When those who had started about five o'clock came, each received the usual daily wage. So when the first came, they thought that they would receive more, but each of them also got the usual wage. And on receiving it they grumbled against the landowner, saying, 'These last ones worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us, who bore the day's burden and the heat.' He said to one of them in reply, 'My friend, I am not cheating you. Did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what is yours and go. What if I wish to give this last one the same as you? Or am I not free to do as I wish with my own money? Are you envious because I am generous?' Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last."

Homily

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 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.

Prayers of the Faithful: LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER.

~ *Liturgy of the Eucharist* ~

HYMN

SEEK YE FIRST

K. Lafferty

Seek ye first the Kingdom of God, and his righteousness,
and all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu - Alleluia.

Ask and it shall be given unto you; seek and ye shall find.
knock and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu - Alleluia!

Refrain (All sing Refrain after organ introduction):

Ho - san - na. Ho - san - na. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-claim your

Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

A - men. A - men. A - men. A - men.

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: have

mer - cy on us. (3) grant us peace, grant us peace.

Communion Solo

I Will Praise Your Name/Psalm 145

L. Roberts

Please remain in your pew and a priest will bring the Host to you. Remove mask, receive, then replace mask. Those needing low-gluten hosts will receive them.

Post-Communion Prayer

Final Blessing and Dismissal

CLOSING HYMN

SENT FORTH BY GOD'S BLESSING

Ash Grove

Sent forth by God's blessing, Our true faith confessing,
 the people of God from this dwelling take leave.
 God's sacrifice ended, O now be extended
 the fruits of this Mass in all hearts who believe.
 The seed of Christ's teaching, Our inner souls reading,
 Shall blossom in action for God and for all.
 God's grace shall incite us, In love shall unite us
 To further God's kingdom and answer the call.

Text: O. Westendorf

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