

June 16, 2019 The Most Holy Trinity

Year C – Year of Luke’s Gospel

During this time of year, graduations, ordinations, first communions, confirmations, weddings, all these celebrations fill our days with joy. The second part of Ordinary Time begins with today’s feast which is in itself extraordinary. Remember that “ordinary time” does not equal “mundane” but comes from “ordinal” – a simple counting of the weeks outside of specially designated times of renewal, expectation, and remembrance. On this feast of the Trinity, if you choose a hymn with verses specifying a Person of the Trinity in each one, please sing ALL the verses so that the Trinity is truly praised in entirety. Oh, and Happy Father’s Day!

Key: O=Offertory; C=Communion; S=Sending Forth

Gathering Song: *Blest be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love.*

Alabemos a Dios
All Creatures of Our God & King (O/S)
All Hail, Adored Trinity (O/S)
All Praise and Glad Thanksgiving
And the Father Will Dance
Bendeciremos por Siempre: Sal 145 (144) (O/S)
Canticle of the Sun (O/C/S)
Come Now, Almighty King
Come, Our Almighty King
Estamos Reunidos (C)
Gathered in Your Name (S)
God, We Praise You
Great One-in-Three (O/S)
Holy, Holy, Holy (NICAEA, Smith) (O/S)
Hymn to the Trinity (O/S)
I Sing the Mighty Power of God
Let All Creation Sing Alleluia (O/C/S)
Our God (O/C)
Santísima Trinidad (Cortéz) (O/C)
Santo, Santo, Santo (S)
Shout to the Lord
Sing Praise to Our Creator (O/S)
Sing Your Praises to the Father (O/S)
This Day God Gives Me
Venimos ante Ti (O/C)

1st Reading: Proverbs 8:22-31: *Before God created the earth or made the waters and the skies, Wisdom was there. Wisdom stood with God before the world was made.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!

2nd Reading: Romans 5:1-5: *We have been justified by faith and have been given hope in trials and hardships. This hope will not leave us disappointed, for we have received God’s love through the Holy Spirit.*

**Gospel Verse: Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit;
to God who is, who was, and who is to come.**

Gospel: John 16:12-15: *Jesus told his disciples that he had much more to teach them. They would come to know all truth through the Holy Spirit. What belongs to Jesus in the Father is attested by the Spirit.*

Prep of Gifts:

Age to Age
Al Partir el Pan (C)
All My Days
Alle, Alle, Alleluia
God, Beyond All Names
How Wonderful the Three-in-One
Hymn of Praise
In the Name of the Father (S)
Ofertorio Nicaragüense
Put On Christ
Santísima Trinidad (Florián)
You Are Child

Communion Processional: *Since you are children of God, God has sent into your hearts, the Spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father.*

A Place at Your Table
Abba! Father!
All the Earth
Amazing Grace
Draw Near
Es Mi Cuerpo (A los Hombres Amó Dios)
Eye Has Not Seen
How Great Thou Art
I Am the Bread of Life (Come, Follow Me)
In Memory of You
In the Breaking of the Bread
May We & God Be One
Song of the Body of Christ
Wisdom’s Feast
You Have Put on Christ

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

And We Cry Holy
Blessed Be Your Name
Cantad, Naciones, al Señor
Elevamos Nuestros Cantos
Go in Peace to Love and Serve the Lord
Go Out, Go Out
Go Ye Out
Hallelujah Is Our Song
Holy God, We Praise Thy Name
I Send You Out
Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
Thanks Be to God

OTHER:

Alleluia, Sing!
Come, Join the Dance of the Trinity
Creating God
Dwelling Place
Father, Lord of All Creation
God Is One, Unique & Holy
God, Whose Almighty Word
How Shall We Name God?
Let There Be Light
O Dawn of All Creation
O God, Almighty Father
On This Day the First of Days
Stand Up, Friends
The Play of the Godhead

Question of the Week: Since the love of God has been poured out into my heart through the Holy Spirit, what can I do to share that love with others? How can I challenge myself to be more selfless and generous?

CALENDAR

- 16** Julian Calendar Pentecost
Father's Day
- 17** Eleventh Week of Ordinary Time begins
- 19** Optional Memorial of St. Romuald
- 21** Memorial of St. Aloysius Gonzaga
Summer begins
- 22** Optional Memorials of:
- St. Paulinus of Nola
- SS. John Fisher & Thomas More
- Blessed Virgin Mary

June 23 Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

Summer has begun! With warm temperatures and long sunny days, this season brings intense growth to many of the fruits and vegetables we eat. Here and now, though, we focus on a different kind of food, the Eucharist. Bread and wine are offered by God's people, and through the priest's actions, are blessed by God, becoming the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. Sharing this meal today, in remembrance of the Last Supper, we find our true sustenance.

Gathering Song: *He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.*

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus (O/S)
At the Lamb's High Feast
Do This in Remembrance of Me (O/C)
Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord
For You Are My God
Gather the People
Gather Us Together
Give Us, O Lord
Hoy Nos Reunimos
I Am the Bread of Life
In Remembrance of You (O/C)
King of My Heart
O Living Bread from Heaven (O)
Table of Plenty
Venimos ante Ti (O/C)

1st Reading: Genesis 14:18-20: *Melchizedek, king of Salem and priest of God Most High, brought bread and wine, blessing Abram and the creator of heaven and earth, who delivered Abram's enemies into his hands.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 110:1, 2, 3, 4

You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek.

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26: *Paul handed on the tradition that the Lord Jesus broke bread with his disciples and drank the cup of the new covenant in his blood. Paul wrote, "As often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes."*

Sequence: Lauda Sion (Optional) *Consider reciting it antiphonally. Use it as part of your optional Corpus Christi Procession. Be sure everyone has copies. Print it in the bulletin.*

Praise, O Zion, Voices Raising
Sequence for the Body and Blood of Christ

Gospel Verse: I am the living bread that came down from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live forever.

Gospel: Luke 9:11b-17: *After teaching about God's reign and healing those in need, Jesus took five loaves and two fish, raised his eyes to heaven and blessed and broke them for his disciples to distribute to the crowd. Afterward, leftover fragments filled twelve wicker baskets.*

Prep of Gifts:

A Place at Your Table
Al Partir el Pan (C)
Alabado Sea el Santísimo (C)
As We Remember
For the Sake of Christ
Gift of Finest Wheat
God with Us
Heart of Jesus

Now We Remain
Pan de Vida (C)
Porque Nos Invitas
Remember Me (C)
See Us, Lord, about Your Altar
Señor, Tú Eres el Pan

Communion Processional: *Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him says the Lord.*

Bread of Angels
Bread of Life
Do This in Memory of Me
Eat This Bread
El Pan de la Vida
Es Mi Cuerpo (A los Hombres Amó Dios)
Eucharistic Litany
Gift of Finest Wheat
God's Holy Mystery
Gusten y Vean: Sal 34 (33)
How Beautiful
I Am the Living Bread
I Am Yours-Consume Me Completely
I Believe This Is Jesus
In Memory of You
In This Bread
Make of Our Hands a Throne
Our Blessing Cup
Pan del Cielo
Take & Eat
Take & Eat This Bread
Yo Soy el Pan de Vida (S)
Your Words Are Spirit & Life

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Canticle of the Sun
Celebrate the Feast
Christ before Us
Laudate, Laudate Dominum
Lord, You Give the Great Commission
Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
Sent Forth by God's Blessing
Sing, Alleluia, Sing
Somos el Cuerpo de Cristo/We Are the Body of Christ
Take Christ to the World
Te Den Gracias
We Belong to You

OTHER:

All Who Hunger (Gather Gladly)
Amén. El Cuerpo de Cristo
Come to the Banquet
Come to the Feast
Come to the Feast / Ven al Banquete
Draw Near
Father, We Thank Thee Who Hast Planted
I Come with Joy
Jesus Is Here Right Now
Life-Giving Bread, Saving Cup
Love Is His Word
May We Be One
Now in This Banquet
O Food of Exiles Lowly/O Esca Viatorum
The Church of Christ in Every Age
We Come with Joy

Question of the Week: How can I share the abundance I have with those in need? How can the Eucharist I receive nourish me spiritually?

CALENDAR

24	Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist
25	Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time begins
27	Optional Memorial of St. Cyril of Alexandria
28	Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
29	Solemnity of SS. Peter & Paul

June 30 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Follow me," Jesus says to a potential disciple he encounters on his journey to Jerusalem. "Follow me," Elijah says (in effect) to Elisha as he plowed his field. God's call is a daunting invitation and demands a wholehearted commitment. Some accept; others cannot bring themselves to commit. We too are called to be disciples, to live our lives according to the gospel. "Follow me," Jesus challenges us. How do we respond?

Gathering Song: *All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy!*

Christ before Us
Come, Follow Me
Come to Us
Con la Cruz
Estamos Reunidos (C)
For You Are My God
Hoy Nos Reunimos
I Will Lift Up Your Name
In Christ There Is No East or West
Journeysong
Lead Me, Guide Me (O/S)
Let Us Go to the Altar of God
O Bless the Lord, My Soul
See the Pilgrim Line (O/S)
Sing of the Lord's Goodness
Sometimes by Step (O)
The Church of Christ in Every Age (O/S)
The Summons (O/S)

1st Reading: 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21: *The Lord instructed Elijah to anoint Elisha as a prophet to succeed him. Elijah went to Elisha and threw his cloak over him. Receiving this sign, Elisha slaughtered his oxen for his people to eat. Then he left to follow Elijah.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11
You are my inheritance, O Lord.

2nd Reading: Galatians 5:1, 13-18: *Paul preached the freedom of Christ to the Galatians. He encouraged them not to take on the burden of slavery a second time. "I say, then: live by the Spirit."*

Gospel Verse: **Speak, Lord, your servant is listening; you have the words of everlasting life.**

Gospel: Luke 9:51-62: *As Jesus proceeded toward Jerusalem, he encouraged passersby to break with the past and follow him. "Go and proclaim the kingdom of God," he invited. "No one who...looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God."*

Prep of Gifts:

Aquí Estoy, Señor: Sal 40 (39) (C)
Be Not Afraid (C)
Bendeciremos por Siempre: Sal 145 (144) (C)
Christ Has No Body Now But Yours (C)
Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life
Digo Sí, Señor (C)
Flowing River (C)
For the Healing
Freedom Reigns (C)
Give Me Ears to Listen
Here I Am, Lord (Schutte, Ward) (C)
I Am the Bread of Life (Come and Follow Me)
I Am the Way (C)

Make Your Home in Me

Pescador de Hombres / Lord, You Have Come (C)
Por Ti Seré Pescador
Quiero Servirte, Mi Señor
The Servant Song
Tomado de la Mano
We Have Been Told (C)

Communion Processional: *Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.*

OR O Father, I pray for them, that they may be one in us, that the world may believe that you have sent me, says the Lord.

Al Partir el Pan
Center of My Life
God Mounts His Throne
Jesus Christ, Homeless One
Keep Me Safe, O God
Reason to Live
Sacramentum Caritatis (Joncas)
Speak, Lord
Spirit & Grace
The Path of Life
Turn Our Hearts Around
You Are My Inheritance

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Anthem
City of God
Go Make a Difference
God of Our Fathers
Halleluya! We Sing Your Praises
I Am the Vine
Id y Enseñad
Lead Me, Lord
Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service
May Your Kingdom Come
Sent Forth by God's Blessing
Tend the Ground
Un Pueblo Que Camina

OTHER:

All That We Have
Called by Christ
Christ Will Be Your Strength
Come & Follow Me
Come & Journey with a Savior
Freedom Is Coming
God It Was
God, Whose Purpose Is to Kindle
Jerusalem, My Destiny
Jesus, Lead the Way
Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley
O Christ, Who Called the Twelve
Only This I Want
Take Up Your Cross
The Love of the Lord
Thuma Mina

Questions of the Week: What commitment have I made that was the most transformative? How can my commitment to my faith be more complete?

Pope's Intention for July 2019: The Integrity of Justice. That those who administer justice may work with integrity, and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.

CALENDAR

- 1 Optional Memorial of St. Junipero Serra
Canada Day (Canada)
- 3 Feast of St. Thomas
- 4 Independence Day
- 5 Optional Memorials:
St. Anthony Zaccaria
St. Elizabeth of Portugal
First Friday
- 6 Optional Memorials:
- St. Maria Goretti
- Blessed Virgin Mary
First Saturday

July 7 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

It's the time of year when many of us go on vacation, perhaps to visit places we've never been before. In today's Gospel, Jesus sends his disciples to travel to places he intended to visit. But it's not a vacation; they are working on building up the kingdom of God. We are called to carry on that mission as well. May the nourishment we receive in the Eucharist today lead us to share Christ's presence in our travels near and far.

Gathering Song: *Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.*

Alaben Todos: Sal 148
All Are Welcome
Alleluia! Give the Glory
Alleluia No. 1 (O/C/S)
Altísimo Señor (S)
Alzad la Cruz
Con la Cruz
Estamos Reunidos (C)
Glory & Praise to Our God
How Firm a Foundation
Hoy Nos Reunimos
Lift Up Your Hearts
Near the Cross (O/S)
Now as We Gather
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
Rejoice, the Lord Is King
The Summons (O/S)
We Are the Light of the World (O/C/S)
We Praise You, O God
We Will Follow

1st Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14c: *The prophet said, "Rejoice with Jerusalem and be glad because of her, all you who love her...As a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you."*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 66:1-3, 4-5, -6-7, 16, 20
Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

2nd Reading: Galatians 6:14-18: *Paul boasted only in his acceptance of the cross of the Lord Jesus Christ, for upon those who embrace the cross flow the peace and mercy of God.*

Gospel Verse: **Let the peace of Christ control your hearts; let the word of Christ dwell in you richly.**

Gospel: Luke 10:1-12, 17-20 *OR* 10:1-9: *Jesus sent out an additional seventy-two disciples to spread the good news and care for the sick. They were to take nothing with them but to rely on those they served. They were to bring the peace and goodness of God's reign.*

Prep of Gifts:

¡Aleluya! Grandes, Maravillosas (C)
Be God's (S)
Bendeciremos por Siempre: Sal 145 (144) (C)
Christ Be beside Me
Christ Has No Body but Yours (C)
Come to Me (C)
Dime, Señor (C)
El Señor Es Compasivo: Sal 103 (102) (C)
For the Sake of Christ
God Be in My Head
Keep in Mind (C)

Litany of Peace
Prosper the Work of Our Hands
Sacred Creation
The Spirit of God (C)
'Tis the Gift to Be Simple

CALENDAR

9 Optional Memorial of St. Augustine Zhao Rong
& Companions
11 Memorial of St. Benedict
13 Optional Memorials:
- St. Henry
- Blessed Virgin Mary

Communion Processional: *Taste and see that the Lord is good;
blessed the man who seeks refuge in him*

OR *Come to me, all who labor and are burdened, and I will refresh
you, says the Lord.*

Al Partir el Pan / In the Breaking of the Bread
Be Not Afraid
Bread of Heaven
God's Holy Mystery
Gusten y Vean: Sal 34 (33)
Here I Am, Lord
Lead Me, Guide Me
Like a Child Rests
Song of the Body of Christ
Taste & See (Kendzia)
Taste & See (Moore)
The Eyes & Hands of Christ
The Supper of the Lord

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Go
Go, Be Justice
Go Make a Difference
Go Now
Go Out, Go Out
Go Out in the World
He Is the Lord
I Send You Out
Jesus Shall Reign
Por Tu Misericordia
Sent Forth by God's Blessing
Sing of the Lord's Goodness
Tell the Good News
Thy Kingdom Come
Walk Together
With One Voice

OTHER:

As a Fire Is Meant for Burning
Bring Forth the Kingdom
Glory in the Cross
Go Make of All Disciples
Go to the World
God Is Working His Purpose Out
Halleluya! We Sing Your Praises
How Can We Be Silent
Jesus, Lead the Way
Not Alone, but Two by Two
Only This I Want
The Harvest of Justice
Thuma Mina / Send Me, Jesus
You Are Called to Tell the Story

Question of the Week: How can I share Christ's peace with others?
How can I respond when it is not reciprocated?

July 14 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Through the parable of the good Samaritan, Jesus teaches us how we should treat each other. At this time of year, when many of us will be traveling on vacations, weekend trips, or afternoon outings, we can easily imagine we are traveling that road from Jerusalem to Jericho. As we celebrate the Eucharist today, let us reflect on whether we have taken the lesson of this Gospel to heart.

Gathering Song: *As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.*

Canticle of the Sun
Christ, Be Our Light (O/C/S)
Come to Us
Estamos Reunidos (C)
Gather Us In
Gather Your People
God Is Here! As We Are His People
God, Whose Glory Reigns Eternal
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (O/S)
Make the Love of God Known
Now Is the Time
Open My Eyes (O/C)
Song of Good News (O/S)
The King of Love My Shepherd Is
Venimos ante Ti (C)
We Ever Will Praise You
When We Are Living / Pues Si Vivimos (O)
Word of God, Come Down on Earth (O)
You Are the Voice (O)

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 30:10-14: *Moses encouraged the people to follow the law of the Lord their God with all their hearts and all their souls. This command is not "mysterious and remote" but "already in your mouths and in your hearts."*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 69:14, 17, 30-37
Turn to God in your need, and you will live.

2nd Reading: Colossians 1:15-20: *Christ Jesus is the new image of God; before anything came to be. He was. In him resides the fullness of power to restore to God all things: in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible.*

Gospel Verse: Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life; you have the words of everlasting life.

Gospel: Luke 10:25-37: *A lawyer asked Jesus what a person must do to gain eternal life. Reminded of the command to love God and neighbor, the man inquired, "Who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied by telling him the story about the good Samaritan.*

Prep of Gifts:

A New Commandment (C)
Act Justly
As Christ Is for Us
Bendeciremos por Siempre: Sal 145 (144) (C)
Christians, Let us Love One Another
El Señor Es Compasivo: Sal 103 (102) (C)
God of Mercy
In Perfect Charity
Love Is His Word (C)
Love One Another (C)
Muéstranos, Señor: Sal 85 (84) (C)
Óyenos, Señor: Sal 130 (129)
Tesoros Ocultos (C)

The Eyes & Hands of Christ
There Is a Balm in Gilead
Thy Word
Un Mandamiento Nuevo (C)
Unwavering
Where Charity & Love Prevail (C)
Where Charity Is True (C)

Communion Processional: *The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.*

OR *Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.*

Adore
Bread of Life
God's Holy Mystery
Gusten y Veán: Sal 34(33)
Heart of Jesus
In the Land There Is a Hunger
Like the Bread
Litany for the Earth
Pan de Vida
The Cry of the Poor
The Least of These
Ubi Caritas (Rosania, Hurd)
Your Words Are Spirit & Life

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

City of God
God Has Chosen Me
Grateful
How Can I Keep from Singing
Id y Enseñad
Lead Me, Lord
Tell the Good News
The Church of Christ in Every Age
The Spirit Sends Us Forth
Un Pueblo Que Camina
Una Mirada de Fe
With One Voice

OTHER:

As a Fire Is Meant for Burning
Deep Within
God of Day & God of Darkness
God, Whose Purpose Is to Kindle
Help Us Accept Each Other
Here Am I
In Christ There Is No East or West
Jesu, Jesu
Lord of All Nations
Make Me a Channel of Your Peace
No Greater Love
Send Down the Fire
The Master Came to Bring Good News
The Servant Song
This Is a Story Full of Love
We Are Called
We Sing Your Praise, O Christ
What Does the Lord Require
What Is the World Like
What You Have Done for Me
Whatsoever You Do

Question of the Week: What does it take for me to help someone in need? How can I imitate the good Samaritan?

CALENDAR

- 15** Memorial of St. Bonaventure
16 Optional Memorial of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
18 Optional Memorial of St. Camillus de Lellis
20 Optional Memorials:
- St. Apollinaris
- Blessed Virgin Mary

July 21 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today we are afforded the opportunity to sit back like Mary did and listen to the Lord speak. We hear the Lord speak to Abraham, assuring him and his wife, Sarah, will finally bear a son. We hear the Lord speak to Martha and Mary, assuring them of the importance of listening and learning. We hear the Lord speak, as we do each Sunday, in the breaking of the bread. Let us listen and hear what the Lord says to us.

Gathering Song: *See, I have God for my help. The Lord sustains my soul. I will sacrifice to you with willing heart, and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good.*

Acudamos Jubilosos (C)
All Are Welcome
As We Gather at Your Table
Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life (O/C)
Every Day I Will Sing
Gather the People
Gathered as One
Hoy Nos Reunimos
I Come with Joy (O)
I Heard the Voice of Jesus (O/C/S)
In Christ Alone
Seek Ye First (O/C)
Table of Plenty
Ven al Banquete / Come to the Feast
We Gather Here
You Are the Way (O/S)

1st Reading: Genesis 18:1-10a: *The LORD appeared to Abraham in the form of three visitors. Abraham invited them to his home, and he and Sarah prepared them a generous meal.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 15:2-3, 3-4, 5

He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

2nd Reading: Colossians 1:24-28: *The apostle Paul found suffering a joy, in order to build up the body of Christ, the church. By preaching the fullness of God's revelation, Paul hoped every person might become complete in Christ.*

Gospel Verse: Blessed are they who have kept the word with a generous heart and yield a harvest through perseverance.

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42: *Martha became angry with her sister Mary who sat down and listened to Jesus rather than help with housework. Jesus told Martha, however, that Mary had made the better choice: "There is need of only one thing."*

Prep of Gifts:

All My Days
All That Is Hidden
Be Still & Know
Bendeciremos por Siempre: Sal 145 (144) (C)
Blest Are They (C)
Christ Has No Body Now But Yours (C)
El Señor Es Compasivo: Sal 103 (102) (C)
God Be in My Head
Guarda Mi Alma (C)
I Am the Bread of Life (Englert) (C)
Many & Great
My Shepherd Will Supply
O God, You Search Me
Óyenos, Señor

Seek First the Kingdom of God (C)
Tesoros Ocultos (C)
Tomado de la Mano
Vaso Nuevo
We Bring Our Gifts to Your Altar
We Will Follow
We Will Serve the Lord (S)

Communion Processional: *The Lord, the gracious, the merciful, has made a memorial of his wonder; he gives food to those who fear him.*

OR *Behold, I stand at the door and knock, says the Lord. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door to me, I will enter his house and dine with him, and he with me.*

Al Partir el Pan
All Is Well with My Soul
Christ, Be Our Light
Come to the Water
Gusten y Vean: Sal 34(33)
I Am the Living Bread
I Am Yours – Consume Me Completely
I Received the Living God
Jesus, Lord
Shepherd Me, O God
There Is a Longing
You Are Mine
You Are Near (revised text)

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Christ before Us
Go Make a Difference
Go Out, Go Out
Los Caminos
One Spirit, One Church
Take Christ to the World
Un Pueblo Que Camina
Walk Together
We Are the Light of the World
Women of the Church
You Have Anointed Me

OTHER:

A Place at the Table
All Who Hunger
Bless the Feast
Come, Host of Heaven's High Dwelling Place
Covenant Hymn
God It Was
God Made from One Blood
God of Abraham
God, Whose Purpose Is to Kindle
Lord, Grant Us Grace to Know
Lord of All Hopefulness
Not by Bread Alone
Now in This Banquet
Only This I Want
Praise to You, O Christ, Our Savior
The Love of the Lord
We Are Your People
We Live a Mystery
What Does the Lord Require
When Jesus Came Preaching

Question of the Week: Do I act differently around strangers who look important and ones who don't? do I treat others with kindness, whether listening or serving?

CALENDAR

22	Feast of St. Mary Magdalene
23	Optional Memorial of St. Bridget
24	Optional Memorial of St. Sharbel Makhlf
25	Feast of St. James
26	Memorial of SS. Joachim & Anne
27	Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

July 28 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

How do we pray? How do we speak to God? We gather each Sunday to pray together. During the week, we may take the opportunity to pray individually. We may wonder if God really hears our prayers, if we are praying effectively. Today's scripture selections give us an excellent opportunity to look for insight on how the Lord expects us to pray and what we can expect from our heavenly Father.

Gathering Song: *God is in his holy place, God who unites those who dwell in his house; he himself gives might and strength to his people.*

Aleluya, Cantemos al Señor (O)
At the Lamb's High Feast (O/S)
Awake, O Sleeper, Rise from Death (O/S)
Bless the Lord
Come, Christians, Join to Sing
Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive (O/S)
Holy, Holy, Holy (NICAEA)
Hoy Nos Reunimos
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee
I Sing the Mighty Power of God
Let Us Stand
O God, Our Help in Ages Past (O/S)
Praise God in His Holy Dwelling
Praise to the Lord
Seek Ye First (O/S)
Shout to the Lord
Sing, O Sing
Sing to the Mountains
This Day God Gives Me (O/S)
Veninos ante Ti (C)
We Know That Christ Is Raised (O/S)

1st Reading: Genesis 18:20-32: *The Lord was outraged at the sinfulness of Sodom and Gomorrah and was determined to destroy them, but Abraham interceded on behalf of the innocent who lived in those towns, and the Lord relented.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8
Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me.

2nd Reading: Colossians 2:12-14: *The author of Colossians wrote, "You were buried with him in baptism...also raised with him" God has forgiven all our transgressions and "removed it from our midst, nailing it to the cross."*

Gospel Verse: **You have received a Spirit of adoption, through which we cry, Abba Father.**

Gospel: Luke 11:1-13: *Jesus taught his disciples the "Abba" prayer. He encouraged them to pray with persistence and to keep knocking on the door. "For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds."*

Prep of Gifts:

Abba! Father
As We Forgive
Ask, and You Shall Receive (C)
Bendeciremos por Siempre: Sal 145 (144) (C)
Blest Are They (C)
Give Thanks & Remember (C)
God, My Father
Isaiah 49
Listen, O Lord, to My Prayer (C)
Mi Alma Tiene Sed: Sal 63 (62) (C)
O Breathe on Me, O Breath of God
O How Blessed

People of Peace
Seek First the Kingdom of God (C)
Seek Ye First
Te Den Gracias (S)
Teach Us How to Pray (C)
Tend the Ground
You Hear Me

Communion Processional: *Bless the Lord, O my soul, and never forget all his benefits.*

OR *Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy. Blessed are the clean of heart, for they shall see God.*

Answer Me
Answer When I Call
Be Not Afraid
Bendito Seas Tú, Señor
Dwelling Place
El Pan de la Vida
God's Holy Gifts
On the Day I Called
Pan de Vida
Praise the Lord, My Soul (Foley)
Psalm 103: The Lord Is Kind & Merciful
Señor, Tú Eres el Pan
Song of the Body of Christ
We Are God's People
We Remember
With the Lord There Is Mercy

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Beautiful Savior
Beatitudes
God's Love Is Everlasting
Halleluya! We Sing Your Praises
I Am the Light of the World
Now Is the Time
O Bless the Lord
O God, beyond All Praising
Out of Darkness
Por Tu Misericordia
Thy Kingdom Come

OTHER:

All Things New
As We Gather at Your Table
Baptized in Water
Fresh as the Morning
If You Believe & I Believe
Increase Our Faith
Lord of All Hopefulness
Lord, Teach Us How to Pray
Mayenziwe (Your Will Be Done)
O Lord, Hear My Prayer
Only-Begotten, Word of God Eternal
Our God Is Rich in Love
Praise & Thanksgiving
Standin' in the Need of Prayer
We Cannot Measure How You Heal
We Gather Together

Question of the Week: What have I prayed for persistently in the past? Am I receptive when I am asked for something persistently?

Pope's Intention for August 2019: Families, Schools of Human Growth. That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth."

CALENDAR

	29	Memorial of St. Martha
	30	Optional Memorial of St. Peter Chrysologus
	31	Memorial of St. Ignatius of Loyola
Aug.	1	Memorial of St. Alphonsus Liguori
	2	Optional Memorials: - St. Eusebius of Vercelli - St. Peter Julian Eymard First Friday
	3	Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary First Saturday

August 4 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Here is the lazy, hazy days of summer, it is tempting to sit back, relax, and enjoy the fruits of our labor. With summer's heat upon us, who can blame us for congratulating ourselves for the work we have done and taking a well-deserved break? But the way the world defines success is not the way God would. What, in the end, matters to God? Gathering today in the Lord's name, let us reflect on what really matters in this world.

Gathering Song: *O God, come to my assistance; O Lord, make haste to help me! You are my rescuer, my help; O Lord, do not delay.*

Alaben Todos: Sal. 148
As Christ Is for Us
Be Thou My Vision
Come, Worship the Lord
Con la Cruz
Estamos Reunidos (C)
For the Beauty of the Earth
Gather Your People
God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending (O/S)
I Am the Bread of Life (Toolan)
I Will Lift Up Your Name
In Christ There Is No East or West (O/S)
Keep in Mind (O/C/S)
Lord, I Want to Be a Christian (O/S)
Make the Love of God Known
More Love, More Power
O Bless the Lord
O God, Our Help in Ages Past (O/S)
Seek Ye First (O/C)
We Are Light of the World (O/C/S)
We Gather as the Body of Christ (O)
We Praise You, O God

1st Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23: *"All things are vanity!" Some people have labored skillfully a whole lifetime, but the fruits of their labor go to others who did nothing. What good comes from hard work? Everything is vanity.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17

If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

2nd Reading: Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11: *Since you now belong to Christ, set your heart on things above rather than on things of earth. For in Christ there is not Greek or Jew, slave or free person. "Christ is all and in all."*

Gospel Verse: Blessed are the poor in spirit for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Gospel: Luke 12:13-21: *Jesus told a parable about the rich man who stored up all his wealth in order to eat, drink and be merry. God told him, "You fool, this night your life will be demanded of you." In this way Jesus encouraged people to grow rich, not for themselves, but in God's sight.*

Prep of Gifts:

Blest Are They (C)
Bread of the World (C)
El Auxilio Me Viene del Señor: Sal 121(120) (C)
Eye Has Not Seen (C)
I Am the Bread of Life (Come & Follow Me)
In Every Age (Whitaker)
Jesus Christ, You Are My Life
Lord, to Whom Shall We Go? (C)
Make Your Home in Me

Pescador de Hombres (C)
Restless Is the Heart
Seek First the Kingdom of God (C)
Te Den Gracias (S)
These Alone Are Enough
We Are Called (S)
We Will Serve the Lord (S)

Communion Processional: *You have given us, O Lord, bread from heaven, endowed with all delights and sweetness in every taste.*

OR *I am the bread of life, says the Lord; whoever come to me will not hunger and whoever believes in me will not thirst.*

A Place at Your Table
Al Partir el Pan
Banquete de Unidad
Bendito Seas Tú, Señor
Bread of Angels
El Pan de la Vida (Cortés)
Es Mi Cuerpo (A los Hombres Amó Dios) (S)
Gift of Finest Wheat
Holy Is Your Name
I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light
In Every Age (Smith)
Loving & Forgiving
Only a Shadow
Pan de Vida
Take & Eat
This Alone
Wisdom's Feast
Yo Soy el Pan de Vida (S)

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Beatitudes
Go, Be Justice
Go Make a Difference
I Am the Resurrection (Repp)
Laudato Si'! Be Praised, O God!
Lead Me, Lord
O God, Our Help in Ages Past
Sent Forth by God's Blessing
Tend the Ground
We Are Called
We Are the Light of the World

OTHER:

Abundant Life
All That We Have
Come to the Water
For the Healing of the Nations
God Is Working His Purpose Out
God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending
God, Whose Purpose Is to Kindle
Let Justice Roll like a River
Lord, Whose Then Shall They Be
Now Join We to Praise the Creator
Now the Day of the Lord Is at Hand
O Holy City, Seen of John
Only This I Want
Pan de Vida
Seek Ye First
The Love of the Lord
We Will Serve the Lord
What Does the Lord Require
Where Your Treasure Is

Question of the Week: Am I in control of my possessions or are they controlling me? What is the biggest obstacle that I need to overcome to become generous with all that I have?

CALENDAR

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| 5 | Optional Memorial of the Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major |
| 6 | Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord |
| 7 | Optional Memorials:
- St. Sixtus II & Companions
- St. Cajetan |
| 8 | Memorial of St. Dominic |
| 9 | Optional Memorial of St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross |
| 10 | Feast of St. Lawrence |

August 11 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

There will come a time for each of us to pass on from this life. In all likelihood it's not a topic we discuss much. Most of us live our lives in anticipation of future events, making plans, and carrying on our way. Especially now in the modern world when the science of medicine and the pace of technology has improved day-to-day life a great deal, it seems there is nothing we cannot solve. And yet, tragedy still strikes. Death and loss come. There is the pain of losing someone we love. And that point, we might imagine all we wish we had said or expressed.

The gospel passage today reminds us that we all will ultimately face our own end. But the paschal mystery tells us that after death there is new life. It is not the same, but it will be transformed. Even so, our current life can end in a moment, coming "like a thief in the night." We are advised to be on guard, to watch, to act in a way that we will be ready for that day. Where is our treasure? There too is our heart. *Today our Jewish brothers and sisters observe Tisha B'Av, the annual day of mourning of the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem.*

Gathering Song: *Look to your covenant, O Lord, and forget not the life of your poor ones for ever. Arise, O God, and defend your cause, and forget not the cries of those who seek you.*

Bearers of Peace
Enter the Journey
Find Us Ready
For You Are My God
He Is the Lord
I Sing the Mighty Power of God
In the Day of the Lord
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
Wake, O Wake, & Sleep No Longer
We Walk by Faith

1st Reading: Wisdom 18:6-9: *The people of God awaited the salvation of the just with strong faith. They constantly offered sacrifice according to divine laws and carries out God's word with one accord.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22

Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

2nd Reading: Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 OR 11:1-2, 8-12: *God approves people because of their faith. Abraham obeyed God out of faith. As a result, God assured that Abraham's descendant would be "numerous as the stars in the sky."*

Gospel Verse: **Stay awake and be ready! For you do not know on what day your Lord will come.**

Gospel: Luke 12:32-48 OR 12:35-40: *Jesus encouraged the disciples to place their trust in God's reign and live less anxiously about things that don't really matter, he warned them to be prepared for the return of the master who would come when least expected.*

Prep of Gifts:

Age to Age
All That Is Hidden
Dwelling Place
God of Wonders
I Believe in the Sun
O God, You Search Me
Save Us, O Lord
The Servant Song

Communion Processional: *O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord, who gives you your fill of finest wheat.*

OR *The bread that I will give, says the Lord, is my flesh for the life of the world.*

Al Partir el Pan
Center of My Life
Eye Has Not Seen
Hold Me in Life
In the Land There Is a Hunger
Into Your Hands (Repp)
Jesus, the Lord
Litany of Peace
Loving & Forgiving
Taste & See (Angrisano)
You Are Near (revised text)

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Blest Be the Lord
Christ Is the King
Do Not Fear to Hope
How Can I Keep from Singing
I Sought the Lord
Laudato Si'! Be Praised, O God!
Let All Things Now Living
Now Is the Time
Tend the Ground
There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

OTHER:

Faith of Our Fathers
God Is Working His Purpose Out
God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending
God, Whose Purpose Is to Kindle
I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light
Increase Our Faith
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling
Now the Day of the Lord Is at Hand
O Holy City, Seen of John
Sign Me Up
Sing a New Song to the Lord
Soon & Very Soon
The Day Is Near
The King Shall Come when Morning Dawns
The Love of the Lord
What Does the Lord Require
Where Your Treasure Is

Question of the Week: How are you exercising vigilance in preparation for "the hour or the day when the Son of Man will come?"

CALENDAR

12	Optional Memorial of St. Jane Frances de Chantal
	Eid al-Adha (<i>Islamic</i>)
13	Optional Memorial of SS. Pontian & Hippolytus
14	Memorial of St. Maximilian Kolbe

August 15 Assumption of Mary

As we consider the life and death (or dormition) of Mary, we recall that she witnessed the paschal mystery and lived it in her own way. She who said yes at the annunciation, who proclaimed her canticle to Elizabeth, and who gave birth to Jesus also witnessed his passion, death, resurrection, and the handing on of the Spirit at Pentecost according to Luke. We are reminded that as her life was full of grace, so are our lives. The power of the resurrection is celebrated in Mary's life, but it is also present in our own. The pain, loss, grief, and even death that we experience will be brought to new life by Christ. As Mary listened to the word of God and gave birth to it, may we too listen attentively and bring to bear the word of God in our own world. When we raise up the lowly, fill the hungry with good things, we are bringing about the kingdom of God imagined by Mary, the first disciple. Her destiny is our own, which is a cause of celebration.

Gathering Song: *A great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon beneath her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars.*

OR *Let us all rejoice in the Lord, as we celebrate the feast day in honor of the Virgin Mary, at whose Assumption the Angels rejoice and praise the Son of God.*

God, We Praise You
I Rejoice
Immaculate Mary
Magnificat (Farrell)
Mary, Woman of the Promise
O God, beyond All Praising
O Sanctissima/O Most Holy One/Mary, Full of Grace
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
Sing a New Song (revised text)
Song of Mary

1st Reading: Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab: *A great sign appeared in the sky: a woman clothed with the sun and her newborn child. A dragon stood ready to devour the child, but the child was taken to safety in heaven and God protected the woman.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 45:10, 11, 12, 16
The queen stands at your right hand, arrayed in gold.

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-27: *Christ is risen from the dead, the "first fruits" of those who have died. All who belong to Christ also will rise. Christ hands over the reign to God.*

Gospel Verse: Mary is taken up to heaven; a chorus of angels exults.

Gospel: Luke 1:39-56: *Mary went to Zechariah's house to visit with Elizabeth. The baby in Elizabeth's womb "leaped." Mary gave praise to the Lord for all God's marvelous deeds of justice and love.*

Prep of Gifts:

Ave Maria
God with Us
In God Alone
Let It Be Done to Us / Tu Voluntad, Señor
Mary's Song (S)
Pietá

Communion Processional: *All generations will call me blessed, for he who is mighty has done great things for me.*

Eye Has Not Seen

Hail Mary: Gentle Woman
Holy Is His Name
I Will Lift Up Your Name
My Soul Rejoices
O Holy Mary
On Eagle's Wings
Pilgrim Prayer
Servant Song (McGargill)
With All the Saints

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Christ before Us
Hail, Holy Queen
I Sing the Mighty Power of God
In the Day of the Lord
Let It Be Done
Let There Be Peace on Earth
May We Praise You
Sing We of the Blessed Mother
Sing with All the Saints in Glory

OTHER

All Who Claim the Faith of Jesus
Canticle of the Turning
Holy Is Your Name
I Sing a Maid
Magnificat (Various Composers)
Mary, First among Believers
Salve Regina/Hail, Queen of Heaven
Sing of Mary
Tell Out, My Soul
When to Mary, the Word

Question for the Day: How are you called to serve the God of Mary who fills the hungry and lifts up the lowly?

CALENDAR

16 Optional Memorial of St. Stephen of Hungary
17 Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

August 18 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Paradoxically, the peace that Jesus brings comes served with division. It's as though the poison is within the antidote. Living as a disciple of Jesus means that we will lose company with some, perhaps even family and friends. Disciples are no mere "go along to get along" kind of people. Faith in Christ, service of the poor, and working for justice are essential elements of discipleship. Others may have a vested interest in the status quo, and do not want things overturned or upended. But for a serious follower of Christ, for a disciple who follows in the footsteps of Jesus, opposition can be expected. Jesus himself lost his life in a confrontation with evil. Many of his followers down to the present day have lost their lives as well, or faced imprisonment, persecution, and hostility. "Good news" preached to the poor, the outcast, and the downtrodden, can sound eerily like sedition or revolution. When we stand on the side of the persecuted and marginalized, we should not be surprised to face persecution and marginalization ourselves.

Gathering Song: *Turn your eyes, O God, our shield; and look on the face of your anointed one; one day within your courts are better than a thousand elsewhere.*

All Are Welcome
All People That on Earth Do Dwell
All the Earth
Better Is One Day
Give Us, O Lord
Holy, Holy, Holy
Holy Is the Temple
Let Us Go to the Altar
The God of All Grace
We Gather Here to Worship

1st Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10: *The princes were eager to kill Jeremiah because he constantly challenged them to follow God's law. The king allowed them to throw Jeremiah into a cistern. A friend intercede with the king and rescued Jeremiah.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 40:2, 3, 4, 18
Lord, come to my aid!

2nd Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4: *Let us repent of our sin and fix our eyes on the Lord. Jesus gave us an example of endurance and courage in the midst of struggle. In that way he inspires and perfects our faith.*

Gospel Verse: **My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me.**

Gospel: Luke 12:49-53: *Jesus announced to his disciples that he came to bring a hard message indeed, and some have not listened to it. That is why friends and families divide.*

Prep of Gifts:

Bread of Angels
For the Sake of Christ
Like a Shepherd
Seek Ye First
Show Us Your Mercy
The Eyes & Hands of Christ
The Lord Is My Light
Voice of Christ

Communion Processional: *With the Lord there is mercy; in him is plentiful redemption.*

OR *I am the living bread that came down from heaven, says the Lord. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever.*

As We Remember
Bread for the World
Gift of Finest Wheat
I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light
Miracle of Grace
Our Blessing Cup (Hurd)
Psalm 40 (Angrisano)
These Alone Are Enough
With the Lord

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

All the Ends of the Earth (Dufford)
Bearers of Peace
Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation
City of God
I Could Sing of Your Love Forever
I Will Rejoice (Brown)
Lift High the Cross
River of Glory
Sing, O Sing
Tell the Good News

OTHER:

As a Fire Is Meant for Burning
Canticle of the Turning
God, Whose Purpose Is to Kindle
Guide My Feet
Now Go Forward
Send Down the Fire
Shake Up the Morning
Take Up Your Cross
The Day Is Near
Tree of Life
Voices That Challenge
What Does the Lord Require
When Jesus Came Preaching
Within Our Darkest Night/En Nuestra Oscuridad
You, Lord, Are Both Lamb & Shepherd

Question of the Week: How is God calling you right now to be more faithful to who you are truly meant to be?

CALENDAR

19 Optional Memorial of St. John Eudes
20 Memorial of St. Bernard
21 Memorial of St. Pius X
22 Memorial of the Queenship of Mary
23 Optional Memorial of St. Rose of Lima
24 Feast of St. Bartholomew

August 25 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

A relationship with Christ is not an insurance policy whereby we pay our premiums and expect to receive a settlement when needed. This relationship with the Son of God is not so transactional that we do x, y, and z and Jesus in return grants salvation. If such were the case, we would be effectively earning our own salvation by our works. But salvation is a free gift, undeserved, no matter how much we might feel we deserve it.

The master locks the door on evildoers, barring entry to them. The frightening thing is that some of those locked out know the Lord. Would they consider themselves evildoers? Not likely.

Where are we in this story? Are we striving to enter through the narrow door? Are we waiting until later before we make up our minds? When will the door be shut, not in some apocalyptic sense, but when we come to the end of our own personal life? There will be a reversal of fortune. Let us be prepared and manage our expectations lest we be disappointed.

Gathering Song: *Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in you, my God. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.*

A Rightful Place
Alleluia! Sing to Jesus
Christ before Us
Come Down, O Love Divine
Gather Us In
Gathered In
God of the Hungry
I Sing the Mighty Power of God
In the Day of the Lord (S)
This Day God Gives Me

1st Reading: Isaiah 66:18-21: *The prophet spoke of the Lord's coming to gather all nations together. They would proclaim God's glory, bringing offerings to Jerusalem in clean vessels. The Lord chose some as priests.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 117:1, 2

Go out to all the world and tell the Good News.

2nd Reading: Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13: *The author of Hebrews offered encouragement: "Do not disdain the discipline of the Lord...Make straight...that what is lame may not be disjointed but healed."*

Gospel Verse: I am the way, the truth and the life, says the Lord; no one comes to the Father, except through me.

Gospel: Luke 13:22-30: *Jesus told the people, "Strive to enter through the narrow gate." Make yourself known to the Lord so that the door will open for you. Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and the prophets will be safe in God's reign. "Some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last."*

Prep of Gifts:

Amazing Grace
Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life
In God Alone
May We Praise You
O God, You Search Me
Peace, My Friends (Repp)
Shelter Me, O God
The Love of Christ

Communion Processional: *The earth is replete with the fruits of your work, O Lord; you bring forth bread from the earth and wine to cheer the heart.*

OR *Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, says the Lord, and I will raise him up on the last day.*

A Place at Your Table
Holy Gifts
I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light
Litany for the Earth
My Soul Rejoices
One Bread, One Body
Pan de Vida
Psalm 117 (Canter)
Saints of God
Take & Eat
To Be Your Bread

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Act Justly
All the Ends of the Earth (Dufford)
Go Make a Difference
Go Out, Go Out
How Firm a Foundation
Lord of the Dance
Send Out Your Spirit (Manibusan)
There Is a River
We Are Sent into the World

OTHER:

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come
God, Whose Purpose Is to Kindle
Guide My Feet
How Can I Keep from Singing
In Christ There Is a Table Set for All
In Christ There Is No East or West
Let Us Come Now to the Kingdom
Lord, Today
Seek Ye First
Sing a New Song to the Lord
The Kingdom of God
Voices That Challenge
We Gather in Worship
We Shall Rise Again
What Does the Lord Require
When Jesus Came Preaching

Question of the Week: How does your family or parish welcome the stranger in your midst? How do you make room in your life for those who are different from you?

CALENDAR

27 Memorial of St. Monica
28 Memorial of St. Augustine
29 Memorial of the Passion of St. John the Baptist
31 Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

September 1 **22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Our liturgies, prayers, Catholic culture, and more do much to promote a high Christology and rightly so. But a gospel reading like the one we have today reminds us that Jesus was a human being who attended dinner parties, told stories at such parties, and even offered sage advice. One modern teacher made the point that in the Gospel of Luke there are so many meals that Jesus attends that one can eat one's way through the story! Is it no wonder then, that by the conclusion of this gospel the disciples come to know Jesus through the breaking of the bread? And this is the way the risen Christ is made known to believers ever since. Each meal, and even the liturgical Eucharist, is a foreshadowing of the heavenly banquet. Let's tap into this aspect of Christ, the one who enjoyed a good dinner party, to learn from him about the life that awaits us.

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation.

First Day of Muharram (Islamic New Year)

Gathering Song: *Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.*

Change Our Hearts
Come, Lord Jesus
Gathered In
Holy, Holy, Holy Cry
Lead Me, Guide Me
Lift Up Your Hearts
Make the Love of God Known
Table of Plenty
We Gather Here to Worship

1st Reading: Sirach 3:17-18, 20: *Conduct your affairs more humbly, the greater you are, and God will favor you. A wise person always takes joy in listening to others.*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11

God in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor.

2nd Reading: Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a: *Our God draws near to our mountain and city. The judge of all comes close into our assembly. Jesus our mediator reaches to touch us and invites us to touch him. We join the festal gathering of our living God.*

Gospel Verse: Take my yoke upon you, says the Lord; and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart.

Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14: *The exalted shall be humbled and the humble exalted. When you have a dinner, invite poor people or persons with disabilities. Have a reception for persons who cannot repay you, "For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."*

Prep of Gifts:

Earthen Vessels
God of Mercy (Manalo)
Healing Waters
Jesus, Savior, Friend and Brother
Para Amar como Tú
Renew Me, Lord
Ven al Banquete / Come to the Feast
Voice of Christ

Communion Processional: *How great is the goodness, Lord that you keep for those who fear you.*

OR *Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called children of God. Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.*

A Place at Your Table
Amén. El Cuerpo de Cristo
Blest Are They
Holy Is Your Name
Litany of Peace
Only a Shadow
The Cry of the Poor
The Least of These
We Are God's People
We Are Many Parts

Song of Praise/Sending Forth:

Anthem
Do Not Fear to Hope
God Has Chosen Me
Halleluya! We Sing Your Praises
I Am the Light of the World
I Send You Out
Laudate, Laudate Dominum
Sing a New Church
They'll Know We Are Christians
We Belong to You

OTHER

A Place at the Table
All Are Welcome
All Who Hunger
Canticle of the Turning
Come, Host of Heaven's High Dwelling Place
Diverse in Culture, Nation, Race
Gather Us In
How Blessed Is This Place
If Life Is like a Wedding Feast
In Christ There Is a Table Set for All
Jesus, Come! We Invite You
Jesus, Shepherd of Our Souls
O Holy City, Seen of John
'Tis the Gift to Be Simple
We Are Called
What Does the Lord Require
Whatsoever You Do
When Jesus Came Preaching
Within the Reign of God

Question of the Week: How have you experienced Jesus' saying, "[E]veryone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted," to be true?

Pope's Intention for September 2019: The Protection of the Oceans. That politicians, scientists, and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

CALENDAR

- 2 **Anniversary of Episcopal Ordination of
Diocesan Bishop Emeritus, Victor Herman
Balke (1976)**
Labor Day
- 3 Memorial of St. Gregory the Great
- 7 Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary