

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 19, 2025

Gathering: O God, Hear Us (Hurd) ... #83

O God hear us, hear our prayer.
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(V1) You who chose the lowly, to confound the proud of heart,
Give us the heart of Mary. Hear us, O God.

(V2) May we be your justice, may we be your kindness and truth.
May we be your mercy. Hear us O God.

(V3) Only earthen vessels, are we who gather today.
Make us vessels of glory. Hear us, O God.

Gloria Mass of Renewal (Stephan)

The Liturgy of the Word

First Reading Exodus 17:8-13

A reading from the Book of Exodus

In those days, Amalek came and waged war against Israel. Moses, therefore, said to Joshua, "Pick out certain men, and tomorrow go out and engage Amalek in battle. I will be standing on top of the hill with the staff of God in my hand."

So Joshua did as Moses told him: he engaged Amalek in battle after Moses had climbed to the top of the hill with Aaron and Hur.

As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight, but when he let his hands rest, Amalek had the better of the fight.

Moses' hands, however, grew tired; so they put a rock in place for him to sit on. Meanwhile Aaron and Hur supported his hands, one on one side and one on the other, so that his hands remained steady till sunset.

And Joshua mowed down Amalek and his people with the edge of the sword.

The Word of our God,
Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm: Taste and See-Ps34 (Talbot)

Refrain: Taste and see the goodness of the Lord,
Let us taste the goodness of the Lord.

Vs. 1) I will bless the Lord,
His praise be ever in my mouth.
Let my soul glory in the Lord;
The lowly will hear and be glad.

Vs. 2) Glorify the Lord with me;
Together we'll praise his name.
I sought the Lord, and he answered me,
Delivered me from all my fears.

Vs. 3) Look to him and be radiant with joy,
And your face will not blush with shame.
Afflicted ones call out to him;
From all their distress they are saved.

Second Reading 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2

A reading from the second Letter of Paul to Timothy

Beloved:

Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed,
because you know from whom you learned it,
and that from infancy you have known the sacred Scriptures,
which are capable of giving you wisdom for salvation
through faith in Christ Jesus.

All Scripture is inspired by God
and is useful for teaching, for refutation, for correction,
and for training in righteousness,
so that one who belongs to God may be competent,
equipped for every good work.

I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus,
who will judge the living and the dead,
and by God's appearance and mighty power:
proclaim the word;
be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient;
convince, reprimand, encourage through all patience and teaching.

Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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Gospel Luke 18:1-8

A reading from the Gospel according to Luke

Jesus told his disciples a parable about the necessity for them to pray always without becoming weary.

He said, "There was a judge in a certain town who neither feared God nor respected any human being. And a widow in that town used to come to him and say, 'Render a just decision for me against my adversary.'

For a long time the judge was unwilling, but eventually he thought, 'While it is true that I neither fear God nor respect any human being,

because this widow keeps bothering me I shall deliver a just decision for her lest she finally come and strike me.'"

Jesus said, "Pay attention to what the dishonest judge says.

Will not God then secure the rights of the chosen ones who call out day and night? Will God be slow to answer them? I tell you, God will see to it that justice is done for them speedily. But when the Son of Humanity comes, will faith on earth be found?"

The Good News of Salvation.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Homily

Universal Intercessions

Response: God of perseverance, hear our prayer.

(God of perseverance, hear our prayer.)

That our love for the Church's mission, which is a passion for Jesus and a passion for His people, may grow ever stronger, let us pray...

For our Holy Father, Pope Leo, the first missionary of the Church, and for all missionaries and martyrs who give their lives to tell the glory of God among the nations, that they may be loving, wise and holy witnesses of Christ, our Savior, let us pray...

For the leaders of nations, that they may be committed to justice for all peoples – especially indigenous peoples and those persecuted for their faith, let us pray...

That our leaders may be dedicated to preserving our common home and building a world at peace, let us pray...

For what other intentions do we want to pray...

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of Gifts

Offertory: 5pm/8am: There Is a Longing (Quigley)

There is a longing in our hearts, o Lord for you to reveal yourself to us
There is a longing in our hearts for love we only find in you, our God
For justice, for freedom, for mercy, hear our prayer
In sorrow, in grief, be near, hear our prayer, o God

There is a longing in our hearts, o Lord for you to reveal yourself to us
There is a longing in our hearts for love we only find in you, our God
For wisdom, for courage, for comfort, hear our prayer
In weakness, in fear, be near, hear our prayer, o God

There is a longing in our hearts, o Lord for you to reveal yourself to us
There is a longing in our hearts for love we only find in you, our God
For healing, for wholeness, for new life: hear our prayer.
In sickness, in death, be near, hear our prayer, o God

There is a longing in our hearts, o Lord for you to reveal yourself to us
There is a longing in our hearts for love we only find in you, our God

Offertory: 10am: The Steadfast Love of the Lord (Edith McNeill) H/O & #65pews

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases,
God's mercies never come to an end.
They are new every morning,

New every morning,
Great is Thy faithfulness, O Lord,
Great is Thy faithfulness, O Lord,
Great is Thy faithfulness.

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the bread
we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become for us the bread of life.
Blessed be God forever.

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the wine
we offer you: fruit of the vine and work of human hands, it will become our spiritual drink.
Blessed be God forever.

Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty
Father.

**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.**

O God, who give us the gift of true prayer and of peace, graciously grant that, through this
offering, we may do fitting homage to your divine majesty and, by partaking of the sacred
mystery, we may be faithfully united in mind and heart. Through Christ our Lord. **Amen**

The Eucharistic Prayer (if you are watching the video or listening to the audio, please follow
along and participate with Fr. Jack; and continue with the Communion Songs below.)

Holy: Mass of Renewal (Stephan) ... BB861

Mem: Mass of Renewal - When We Eat This Bread (Stephan) ... BB863

Amen: Mass of Renewal (Stephan) ... BB865

Lamb of God: Mass of Renewal (Stephan) ... BB866

Communion Song: Rain Down (Cortez) ... BB615

(Refrain)

RAIN DOWN, RAIN DOWN,
RAIN DOWN YOUR LOVE
ON YOUR PEOPLE,
RAIN DOWN, RAIN DOWN,
RAIN DOWN YOUR LOVE, GOD OF LIFE.

Faithful and true is the word of our God.
All of God's works are so worthy of trust.
God's mercy falls on the just and the right;
full of God's love is the earth. (Refrain)

We who revere and find hope in our God
Live in the kindness and joy of God's wing.
God will protect us from darkness and
death;
God will not leave us to starve. (Refrain)

God of creation, we long for your truth;
You are the water of life that we thirst,
Grant that your love and your peace
touch our hearts, all of our hope lies in you.
(Refrain)

Prayer after Communion:

Let us pray: Grant that our faithful, O Lord, whom you nourish and endow with life through the food of your Word and heavenly Sacrament, may so benefit from your beloved Son's great gifts that we may merit an eternal share in his life. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen**

Go in peace,
Thanks be to God.

Song of Sending: Bring Forth the City (Haugen) ... G468

Verse 1

You are salt for the earth, O people,
salt for the city of God!
Share the flavor of life, O people:
life in the City of God!

Refrain

Bring forth the City of mercy,
bring forth the City of peace.
Bring forth the City of justice,
bring forth the City of God!

Verse 2

You are a light on the hill, O people,
light for the city of God!
Shine so holy and bright, O people:
shine for the City of God!

Verse 3

You are a seed of the word, O people,

bring forth the City of God!
Seeds of mercy and seeds of justice,
grow in the City of God!

Verse 4

We are the bless'd and a pilgrim people,
bound for the City of God!
Love our journey and love our homeland:
love is the City of God!