Sunday, November 10, 2024 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gathering: Here At This Table (Whitaker) ... BB309

Refrain

Come and be filled here at this table.
Food for all who hunger
and drink for all who thirst.
Drink of his love, wine of salvation.
You shall live forever in Jesus Christ the Lord.

1 You who labor for justice, you who labor for peace, you who steady the plow in the field of the Lord,

2 You with lives full of pain, you who sorrow and weep, you, beloved of Christ, come to him, come to him!

3 Children of ev'ry color in ev'ry land, you are his own, he gathers you gently. Don't you grow weary, for when you run, you run with the Lord!

4 You, the aged among us, holy, faithful and wise, may the wisdom you share form our lives and our world!

Gloria: Mass of Christ the Savior (Schutte) ... BB914

First Reading

A reading from the First Book of Kings

In those days, Elijah the prophet went to Zarephath. As he arrived at the entrance of the city, a widow was gathering sticks there; he called out to her,

"Please bring me a small cupful of water to drink."

She left to get it, and he called out after her,

"Please bring along a bit of bread."

She answered,

"As the Most High, your God, lives, I have nothing baked; there is only a handful of flour in my jar and a little oil in my jug. Just now I was collecting a couple of sticks, to go in and prepare something for myself and my son; when we have eaten it, we shall die."

Elijah said to her,

"Do not be afraid. Go and do as you propose. But first make me a little cake and bring it to me. Then you can prepare something for yourself and your son. For the Most High, the God of Israel, says, 'The jar of flour shall not go empty, nor the jug of oil run dry, until the day when the Most High God sends rain upon the earth.'"

She left and did as Elijah had said. She was able to eat for a year, and he and her son as well; the jar of flour did not go empty, nor the jug of oil run dry, as the God of Israel had foretold through Elijah.

The word of God.

Responsorial: The Cry of the Poor-Ps34 (Foley SJ) ... G46

Refrain

The Lord hears the cry of the poor. Blessed be the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times, with praise ever in my mouth. Let me soul glory in the Lord, who will hear the cry of the poor. Refrain

Let the lowly hear and be glad: the Lord listens to their pleas; And to hearts broken God is near; who will hear the cry of the poor. Refrain

We proclaim your greatness O God, your praise ever in my mouth; Ev'ry face brightened in your light, for you hear the cry of the poor. Refrain

Second reading

A reading from the Second Letter to the Hebrews

Christ did not enter into a sanctuary made by hands,

a copy of the true one, but heaven itself, that he might now appear before God on our behalf.

Not that Christ might offer himself repeatedly, as the high priest enters each year into the sanctuary with blood that is not his own; if that were so, he would have had to suffer repeatedly from the foundation of the world.

But now once for all he has appeared at the end of the ages to take away sin by his sacrifice.

Just as it is appointed that human beings die once, and after this the judgment, so also Christ, offered once to take away the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to take away sin but to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him.

The word of God

Gospel Acclamation: Celtic Alleluia (O'Carroll & Walker)

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

"Blessed are the widows: examples of faith and charity; Like them, be generous beyond your comfort."

Gospel Reading

A reading from the Gospel according to Mark

In the course of his teaching Jesus said to the crowds,

"Beware of the scribes, who like to go around in long robes and accept greetings in the marketplaces, seats of honor in synagogues, and places of honor at banquets.

They devour the houses of widows and, as a pretext recite lengthy prayers. They will receive a very severe condemnation."

He sat down opposite the treasury and observed how the crowd put money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums.

A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents.

Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them,

"Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they have all contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood."

The Good News of Salvation.

Homily

Prayers of the Faithful

Universal Intercessions

Response: God of the broken-hearted, hear our prayer.

(God of the broken-hearted, hear our prayer.)

For all of God's creation: that we may find ways of protecting and healing our world, let us pray...

For immigrants: that they find in us safety when they are in danger, let us pray...

For LBGTQ siblings, the forgotten of society and for all peoples living in fear: that hearts may be opened to their struggles and our communities motivated to work to ease their suffering, let us pray...

For our country: that the transition of government will open to us the best ways to discern truth and action that promote the common good in difficult times, let us pray...

For the St. Cronan community: that we may be a safe haven for all who feel vulnerable at this time, let us pray...

This is a safe time to express your own intentions. For whom else shall we pray...

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of Gifts

Offertory: There Is a Longing (Quigley) ... BB402

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

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.

Accept, O Lord, the prayers of your faithful with the sacrificial offerings, that, through these acts of devotedness, we may pass over to the glory of heaven. 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 Christ the Savior (Schutte) ... BB918

Mem: Christ the Savior - When We Eat This Bread (Schutte) ... BB920

Amen: Mass of Christ the Savior (Schutte) ... BB922

Lamb of God: Mass of Christ the Savior (Schutte) ... BB923

Communion 1: Behold the Lamb (Willett) ... BB341

VS1. Those who were in the dark are thankful for the sunlight; we who live, we who die are grateful for his gift, thankful for his love.

Refrain: Behold, behold the Lamb of God. All who eat, all who drink shall live; and all, all who dwell in God shall come to know his glory.

VS2. Peaceful now, those whose hearts are blessed with understanding of the wheat, of the wine united with his word and the love we share.

VS3. Gentle one, Child of God, join with us at this table. Bless our lives; nourish all who hunger for this feast; shelter them with peace.

VS4. Lord of all, give us light.
Deliver us from evil.
Make us one; be our shield.
Make still the winds that blow; cradle us with love

Communion 2: Taste and See (Moore) ... BB348

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

Vs. 1) I will bless the Lord at all times. His praise shall always be on my lips. My soul shall glory in the Lord, for he has been so good to me.

Vs. 2) Glorify the Lord with me Together let us all praise his name. I called the Lord and he answered me; from all my troubles he set me free.

Vs. 3) Worship the Lord all you people. You'll want for nothing if you ask. Taste and see that God is good; in him we need put all our trust.

Prayer after Communion

Announcements

Sending: Peace Prayer (Foley SJ) ... H/O

- 1... Lord make me a means of Your Peace
 Where there's hatred grown
 Let me sow Your love
 Where there's injury Lord
 Let forgiveness be my sword
 Lord make me a means of Your Peace
- 2... Lord make me a means of Your PeaceWhen there's sadness hereLet me sow Your joyWhen the darkness nearsMay Your light dispel our fearsLord make me a means of Your Peace
- 3... Lord grant me to seek and to share Less to be consoled Than to help console Less be understood Than to understand Your good Lord make me a means of Your Peace
- 4... Lord grant me to seek and to share
 To forgive in thee
 You've forgiven me
 For to die in thee
 Is eternal life to me
 Lord make me a means of Your Peace