

**Sunday, November 23, 2025**  
**Christ the Healer**

***Gathering: Come to the River (Hurd) ... BB643***

Refrain:

Come, O come, come to the river flowing from the body of Christ.  
We'll go down, deep in the water, but in the Lord we shall arise.

Verse 1:

Washed in waters of rebirth,  
We have put on Christ Jesus.

Verse 2:

Priestly people are we,  
Sealed and sent by the Spirit.

Verse 3:

Blest are those who thirst  
For the reign of God's justice.

Verse 4:

Let us walk in the light  
Of God's holy promise.

Verse 5:

Those who sow in tears  
reap the harvest rejoicing.

*Gloria* Mass of Renewal (Stephan)

The Liturgy of the Word

***First Reading 2 Samuel 5:1-3***

***Responsorial Psalm: The Lord Is My Shepherd (Crandal) ... BB743 & H/O***

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

Vs. 1: The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

In verdant pastures he gives me repose;  
Beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul. Refrain

Vs. 2: He guides me in right paths for his name's sake.

Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil;  
For you are at my side with your rod and your staff  
That give me courage.

Refrain

Vs. 3: You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes;  
You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Refrain

Vs. 3: Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life;  
And I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for years to come. Refrain

***Second Reading Colossians 1:12-20***

***Gospel Acclamation***

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!  
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***Gospel Mark 11:9,10***

**A reading from the Gospel according to Mark**

***Homily***

***Anointing of the Elderly/Sick:***

***Healer of My Soul (Talbot) ... H/O***

Healer of my soul  
Keep me at even  
Keep me at morning  
Keep me at noon  
Healer of my soul  
Keeper of my soul  
On rough course faring  
Help and safeguard my means this night  
Keeper of my soul  
I am tired, astray, and stumbling  
Shield my soul from the snare of sin  
Healer of my soul  
Heal me at even  
Heal me at morning  
Heal me at noon  
Healer of my soul

*St. Teresa's Bookmark (St. Teresa of Avila) ... H/O*

Let nothing trouble you. Let nothing frighten you.  
For all things pass away. God never changes.  
Patience obtains all things. Nothing is lacking to the one  
Who possesses God. God, God alone suffices.

*Universal Intercessions*

**Response: God who heals us, hear our prayer.**

(God who heals us, hear our prayer.)

For the Church: that we may continue Jesus' ministry of healing and reconciliation by reaching out to all who are alienated or marginalized, let us pray...

For greater integrity: that we may both speak and live the virtues that are planted deep within our hearts so that we may be authentic witnesses to God's reign, let us pray...

For the leaders of our nation: that they may be guided by God's wisdom in promoting the well-being of all members of society, in protecting the powerless, and in promoting justice and life for all, let us pray...

For all who will be traveling this week: that God will guide us safely on our journeys and that our visits with family and friends will strengthen and renew us, let us pray...

For all who seek healing, that God will help us see to their needs, let us pray...

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

*The Liturgy of the Eucharist*

*Preparation of Gifts*

*Offertory 5pm/8am: Eye Has Not Seen (Haugen) ... BB464*

Refrain: Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has ready for those who love him;  
Spirit of love, come, give us the mind of Jesus, teach us the wisdom of God.

When pain and sorrow weigh us down, be near to us, O Lord,  
forgive the weakness of our faith, and bear us up within your peaceful word. REFRAIN

Our lives are but a single breath, we flower and we fade,  
yet all our days are in your hands, so we return in love what love has made. REFRAIN

To those who see with eyes of faith, the Lord is ever near,  
reflected in the faces of all the poor and lowly of the world. REFRAIN

We sing a mystery from the past in halls where saints have trod,  
yet ever new the music rings to Jesus, Living Song of God. REFRAIN

*Offertory 10am: Fly Like A Bird (Canedo) ... BB460*

Fly like a bird to the Lord, my soul.  
I want to soar like an eagle.  
Though I may journey far away from home,  
I know I'll never be alone.

Verse 1

O God, you know who I am.  
You know my hopes and my dreams.  
In my pondering and fears,  
in my joy and in my tears,  
O God, your presence is real.

Verse 2

Where can I run from your love?  
Where can I hide from my God?  
From the dawn of morning's light  
to the darkness of the night.  
O God, your presence is real.

Verse 3

When I am down and afraid,  
when I am falling away,  
you extend a gentle hand,  
and I know you understand.  
O God, your presence is real.

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 Peace  
When there's sadness here  
Let me sow Your joy  
When the darkness nears  
May Your light dispel our fears  
Lord 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

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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: Eat This Bread (Taize) ... BB323*

Refrain: Eat this bread, drink this cup,  
come to me and never be hungry.  
Eat this bread, drink this cup,  
trust in me and you will not thirst.

Vs. 1: I am the bread of life,  
the true bread sent from the Father.

Vs. 2: Your ancestors ate manna in the desert,  
but this is the bread come down from heaven.

Vs. 3: Eat my flesh and drink my blood,  
and I will raise you up on the last day.

Vs. 3: If you believe and eat this bread,  
you will have eternal life.

Vs. 4: Anyone who eats this bread, will live forever.

Vs. 5: If you believe and eat this bread,  
You will have eternal life

***Second Communion Song: None***

*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: Lead Me, Guide Me (Akers) ... BB402***

Refrain:

Lead me, guide me along the way,  
For if you lead me, I cannot stray.  
Lord, let me walk each day with thee.  
Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.

VS1 I am weak and I need thy strength  
And pow'r to help me over my weakest hour.  
Help me through the darkness thy face to see,  
Lead me oh Lord, lead me.

VS2 Help me tread in the paths of righteousness  
Be my aid when Satan and sin oppress.  
I am putting all my trust in thee.  
Lead me oh Lord, lead me.

VS3

I am lost if you take your hand from me.  
I am blind without thy might to see,  
Lord just always let me thy servant be.  
Lead me oh Lord, lead me.