

Sunday, February 11, 2024
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gathering: Gather Us In (Haugen) ... BB321

Vs. 1: Here in this place new light is streaming
Now is the darkness vanished away
See in this space our fears and our dreamings
Brought here to you in the light of this day
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken
Gather us in, the blind and the lame
Call to us now and we shall awaken
We shall arise at the sound of our name

Vs. 2: We are the young, our lives are a mystery
We are the old who yearn for your face
We have been sung throughout all of history
Called to be light to the whole human race
Gather us in, the rich and the haughty
Gather us in, the proud and the strong
Give us a heart so meek and so lowly
Give us the courage to enter the song

Vs. 3: Here we will take the wine and the water
Here we will take the bread of new birth
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters
Call us anew to be salt for the earth
Give us to drink the wine of compassion
Give us to eat the bread that is you
Nourish us well and teach us to fashion
Lives that are holy and hearts that are true

Vs. 4: Not in the dark of buildings confining
Not in some heaven light years away
But here in this place the new light is shining
Now is the kingdom, now is the day
Gather us in and hold us forever
Gather us in and make us your own
Gather us in, all peoples together
Fire of love in our flesh and our bones
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Gloria: Mass of Creation (Haugen) ... BB884

First Reading

A reading from the third Book of Moses called Leviticus

God said to Moses and Aaron, "If someone has a scab or pustule or blotch which appears to be the sore of leprosy, that person shall be brought to Aaron, the priest or to one of the priests among his descendants.

The one who bears the sore of leprosy shall keep garments rent and head bare, and beard muffled; the person shall cry out, 'Unclean, unclean!'

As long as the sore remains the person shall declare, 'unclean,' since in fact the person is unclean. This one shall dwell apart, making an abode outside the camp."

The word of God.

Responsorial: 8am: Be With Me (Haugen) ... G79

Refrain: Be with me Lord when I am trouble, be with me Lord I pray.

Vs. 1) You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, Most High
Who abide in the shadow of our God,
Say to the Lord, "My refuge and fortress, the God in whom I trust."

Vs. 2) No evil shall befall you, no pain come near,
For the angels stand close by your side,
Guarding you always and bearing your gently, watching over your life.

Vs. 3) Those who cling to the Lord live secure in God's love,
Lifted high, those who trust in God's name,
Call on the lord who will never forsake you,
God will bring you salvation and joy.

Responsorial 10am: Be With Me (Hurd) ... H/O

Refrain: Be with me when I am in trouble,
God most high, when I am in need.
Be my refuge, be my dwelling place.

Vs. 1) You who find a shelter in the Most High,
Say to God; "My refuge and my stronghold".

Vs. 2) No distress or evil shall befall you;
God and all the angels walk beside you.

Vs. 3) Lest you dash your foot against a stone,
Angels of the Lord will carry you in their arms.

Vs. 4) For your love of me I will protect you;
In your time of trouble I will be with you.

Second reading

A reading from the first Letter of Paul to the People of Corinth

Sisters and brothers, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God.

Avoid giving offense, whether to Jews or to Greeks or to the church of God, just as I try to please everyone in every way, not seeking my own benefit, but that of the many, that they may be saved.

Be imitators of me, as I am of Christ.

The word of God

Gospel Acclamation: Missa Pacem (Babin)

Alleluia, Alleluia

"Be voices that challenge. Be imitators of Christ."

Gospel Reading

A reading from the Gospel according to Mark

A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean."

Moved with pity, Jesus stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean." The leprosy left him immediately, and he was made clean. Then warning him sternly, Jesus dismissed him at once.

Jesus said to the man, "See that you tell no one anything, but go, show yourself to the priest and offer for your cleansing what Moses prescribed, that will be proof for them."

The man went away and began to publicize the whole matter. He spread the report abroad so that it was impossible for Jesus to enter a town openly. He remained outside in deserted places and people kept coming to him from everywhere.

The Good News of Salvation.

Homily

Universal Intercessions

Response:**Response: Compassionate God, hear our prayer**

Compassionate God, hear our prayer

For the Church: that we may be signs of God's compassionate care for all who are marginalized or whose dignity is devalued, let us pray...

For all who work in health care: that they manifest Christ's love and compassion to all the sick and their families whom they assist, let us pray...

For openness to the Spirit: that we may be attentive to the invitations of God to grow and change during the Lenten season, let us pray...

For those suffering from war, migration or refugee status, and natural disasters: that they may be comforted by our ability to provide assistance, let us pray...

And for what 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

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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.**

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: Missa Pacem (Babin) ... H/O**

**Mem: Missa Pacem (Babin) - When We Eat This Bread ... H/O**

**Amen: Missa Pacem (Babin) ... H/O**

**Lamb of God: Mass of the Goodness of God (Kendzia) ... H/O**

**Communion 1: Taste and See (Hurd) ... BB323**

Refrain

Taste and see, O taste and see,  
taste and see the goodness of God.

1. Glory, glory to God most high,  
glory, blessing and praise.  
With one voice, O people,  
rejoice in our God,  
who hears the cry  
of all in need.

Refrain:

2. Who has fashioned the earth and sky,

who created the deep,  
who exalts the lowly  
and sets captives free,  
who opens the door  
to all those who seek.

Refrain:

3. Oh, the love of God!  
Become flesh of our flesh,  
so that we might live in glory.

Refrain:

### **Communion 2: You Are the Healing (Soper) ... BB519**

V1 Jesus, you are the healing, you come to make us whole again.  
Jesus you are the healing, come show us how to live.  
Jesus, you are the healing, Jesus you are the healing,  
Jesus, you are the healing, come show us how to live.

V2 Jesus, you are the freedom, you break the chains that bind us.  
Jesus, you are the freedom, come show us how to live.  
Jesus, you are the freedom, Jesus you are the freedom,  
Jesus, you are the freedom, come show us how to live.

V3 Jesus, you are the power, you triumph over sin and death.  
Jesus, you are the power, come show us how to live.  
Jesus, you are the power, Jesus you are the power,  
Jesus, you are the power, come show us how to live.

V4 Jesus, the resurrection, you raise us to eternal life.  
Jesus, the resurrection, come show us how to live.  
Jesus, the resurrection, Jesus the resurrection,  
Jesus, the resurrection, come show us how to live.

### **Prayer after Communion**

#### **Announcements**

**Go in peace,  
Thanks be to God.**

### **Sending : Go Make a Difference (Angrisano) ... BB502**

Refrain

Go make a diff'rence.  
We can make a diff'rence.  
Go make a diff'rence in the world.  
Go make a diff'rence.  
We can make a diff'rence.  
Go make a diff'rence in the world.

Verse 1

We are the salt of the earth,  
called to let the people see  
the love of God in you and me.  
We are the light of the world,  
not to be hidden but be seen.  
Go make a diff'rence in the world.  
Refrain

Verse 2

We are the hands of Christ  
reaching out to those in need,  
the face of God for all to see.  
We are the spirit of hope;  
we are the voice of peace.  
Go make a diff'rence in the world.  
Refrain

Verse 3

So let your love shine on,  
let it shine for all to see.  
Go make a diff'rence in the world.  
And the spirit of Christ  
will be with us as we go.  
Go make a diff'rence in the world.  
Refrain