

Sunday, July 28, 2024
17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gathering: Gather the People (Schutte) ... BB305

Refrain:

Gather the people! Enter the feast!
All are invited, the greatest and least.
The banquet is ready, now to be shared.
Join in the heavenly feast that God has prepared.

1. Around this table we dine as kin,
beloved family of God.
We share the body of Christ, the Lord.
Here we become what we eat.

2. Around this table we tell great tales,
the wondrous stories of grace.
We hold the memory of Christ, the Lord.
So we become what we eat.

3. Around this table God's bounty falls
on all who hunger and thirst.
We drink the fullness of Christ, the Lord.
So we become what we eat.

4. Around this table God's mercy flows
to hearts imprisoned by shame.
We know compassion in Christ, the Lord.
Let us we become what we eat.

Gloria: Mass of Renewal (Stephan) ... BB876

First Reading

A reading from the Second Book of Kings

A man came from Baal-shalishah bringing to Elisha, the prophet of God,
twenty barley loaves made from the first fruits, and fresh grain in the ear.

Elisha said, "Give it to the people to eat."

But his servant objected,
"How can I set this before a hundred people?"

Elisha insisted, "Give it to the people to eat."

"For thus says the Most High God,
'They shall eat and there shall be some left over.'"

And when they had eaten, there was some left over,
as God had said.

The word of God.

Responsorial 8am: I Will Praise You Lord-Ps30

[Refrain] I will praise you, Lord, all my days,
For you have rescued me.

I will praise you, Lord, for you draw me clear,
And did not let my enemies rejoice over me!
You raised me up and heard my cry. I call to you! [Refrain]

Give thanks to the Lord, you faithful ones.
Praise God's holy name; for God's anger lasts but a moment.
God's goodness lasts forever! [Refrain]

Hear, O Lord, have mercy on me; O Lord, be my helper.
You changed my mourning to dancing.
Forever I give thanks! [Refrain]

Responsorial 10am: Awesome God-Ps19 (Mullins)

Refrain

Our God is an awesome God,
God leads from heaven above;
With wisdom, mercy and love,
Our God is an awesome God.

V1 God's love is precious, it fills our hearts,
Worth more than we dare imagine.
And sweeter than honey, God's love will lead us,
Bringing fulfillment and joy!

V2 God's mercy is perfect, refreshing the soul,
Reviving the weary spirit.
God's precepts are right, bringing new vision,
Bringing God's wisdom to birth!

V3 [---] Living by God's trust is holy and sure,
God's presence is everlasting.
God's truth is eternal, bringing us justice,
Bringing God's justice to all!

Second Reading

A reading from the Letter of St. Paul to the Ephesians

Sisters and brothers:

I, a prisoner for the Lord,

urge you to live in a manner worthy of the call you have received,

with all humility and gentleness,

with patience, bearing with one another through love,

striving to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace:

one body and one Spirit,

as you were also called to the one hope of your call;

one Lord, one faith, one baptism;

one God and Creator of all,

who is over all and through all and in all.

The word of God

Gospel Acclamation: Mass of Renewal (Stephan) ... BB877

*"Speak, O Lord, your servant is listening;
You have the words of everlasting life."*

Gospel Reading

A reading from the Gospel according to John

Jesus went across the Sea of Galilee. A large crowd followed him, because they saw the signs he was performing on the sick. Jesus went up on the mountain, and there he sat down with his disciples. The Jewish feast of Passover was near.

When Jesus raised his eyes and saw that a large crowd was coming to him, he said to Philip, "Where can we buy enough food for them to eat?"

He said this to test him, because he himself knew what he was going to do.

Philip answered him, "Two hundred days' wages worth of food would not be enough for each of them to have a little."

One of his disciples, Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, said to him, "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?"

Jesus said, "Have the people recline."

Now there was a great deal of grass in that place. So the men reclined, about five thousand in number.

Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted. When they had had their fill, he said to his disciples, "Gather the fragments left over, so that nothing will be wasted."

So they collected them, and filled twelve wicker baskets with fragments from the five barley loaves that had been more than they could eat. When the people saw the sign he had done, they said, "This is truly the Prophet, the one who is to come into the world."

Since Jesus knew that they were going to come and carry him off to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain alone.

The Good News of Salvation.

Homily

Prayers of the Faithful

Response: Compassionate God, hear our prayer.

(Compassionate God, hear our prayer.)

That all the baptized respond with compassion to the needs of others so that the Communion we have at this table nourishes our souls and stimulates our generosity, let us pray...

That lawmakers protect the rights of the poor and hungry, let us pray...

That the hungry be fed in spirit as well as body and that those who thirst for justice be filled, let us pray...

For refugees and displaced peoples: that God will lead them to places of safety, help them adjust to their new environment and open the hearts of many to welcome them

(10:00 Mass) For the repose of the soul of Pat Mirabelli, sister of Donna Moramarco, and all who have gone before us in Christ, let us pray...

And for what else shall we pray?...

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of Gifts

Offertory: In This Place (Thomson) ... BB304

Vs. 1 In This Place

We are all hungry people,
We need shelter and strength.
We are one in our hurting,
We are one in our pain.
In our suff'ring and sadness,
We are saved by the grace
Of the power and the Spirit
That is here in this place.

Refrain: We are gathered at table
As one in the Lord.
We are gathered as people
Who are living the Word.
Our hearts and our spirits
Are nurtured by grace.
It is Jesus who fills us.
He is here in this place.

Vs. 2 All our lives are a mystery
We seek not where they lead.
We are asked now to trust you
And we know we must believe.
As our feet become Christ's feet,
We go forth with the grace
Of the power and the Spirit
That is here in this place.

Vs. 3 Though the world may tell us
To look at ourselves,
We reach out to another
Where suffering dwells.
As our hands become Christ's hands,
We are healed by the grace
Of the power and the Spirit
That is here in this place.

Vs. 4 In the bread that is broken
Is the Christ that restores.
As we take, now receive him,
We find love evermore.
As the bread becomes Body,
We are filled with the grace
Of the power and the Spirit
That is here in this place.

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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: Mass of Renewal (Stephan) ... BB879**

**Mem: Mass of Renewal - When We Eat This Bread (Stephan) ... BB881**

**Amen: Mass of Renewal (Stephan) ... BB883**

**Lamb of God: Mass of Renewal (Stephan) ... BB884**

**Communion 1: 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!

**5** Let each woman and man  
learn from the stranger;  
we're not so diff'rent  
and so much unites us.  
For we are one,  
blest with the Spirit  
and the power of love!

## **Communion 2: Seed, Scattered and Sown (Feiten) ... BB345**

Seed, Scattered And Sown;  
Wheat, Gathered And Grown;  
Bread, Broken And Shared As One,  
The Living Bread Of God.  
Vine, Fruit Of The Land;  
Wine, Work Of Our Hands;  
One Cup That Is Shared By All;  
The Living Cup, The Living Bread Of God.

It's Not The Bread We Break  
A Sharing In Our Lord?  
It's Not The Cup We Bless  
The Blood Of Christ Outpoured?

The Seed Which Falls On Rock  
Will Wither And Will Die.  
The Seed Within Good Ground  
Will Flower And Have Life.

As Wheat Upon The Hills  
Was Gathered And Was Grown,  
So May The Church Of God  
Be Gathered Into One.

## **Prayer after Communion**

### **Announcements**

## **Sending : Lift Up Your Hearts (O'Connor SJ) ... BB566**

Refrain: Lift up your hearts to the Lord,  
in praise of His mercy!  
Sing out your joy to the Lord,  
His love is enduring.

Vs. 1: Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth!  
Praise the glory of His name!  
Say to God, How wondrous Your works,  
how glorious Your name!

Vs. 2: Let the earth worship, singing Your praise.  
Praise the glory of Your name!  
Come and see the deeds of the Lord  
come worship name!



Vs. 3: Listen now, all you servants of God,  
as I tell of these great works.  
Blessed be the Lord of my life,  
His love shall endure!