

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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Saint Paul RC Church

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THE ORDER OF MASS

Please Stand

GATHERING SONG

SING A NEW SONG

Dan Schutte



Refrain

Sing a new song un-to the Lord; let your song be sung from



moun-tains high. Sing a new song un-to the Lord, sing-ing



Verses

al - le - lu - ia.

1. Shout with glad-ness! Dance for joy!
2. Rise, O chil-dren, from your sleep;
3. Glad my soul for I have seen



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| 1. O come be - fore the Lord. | And play for God on |
| 2. your Sav - ior now has come. | ‡ He has turned your |
| 3. the glo - ry of the Lord. | The trum - pet sounds; the |



to Refrain

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| 1. glad tam - bou-rines, and | let your trum - pet sound. |
| 2. sor - row to joy, and | filled your soul with song. |
| 3. dead shall be raised. I | know my Sav - ior lives. |

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GREETING

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**
Peace be with you. **And with your spirit.**

PENITENTIAL ACT

...Lord Have Mercy. **Lord Have Mercy.**
...Christ Have Mercy. **Christ Have Mercy.**
...Lord Have Mercy. **Lord Have Mercy**
May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us
to everlasting life. **Amen.**

GLORIA

**Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest,
And on earth peace, and on earth peace, peace to people of good will.**

**We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
We give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.**

**For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
With the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Amen, amen.**

COLLECT

...God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

Please Sit

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Acts 2:14a, 36 - 41

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 23



The Lord is my shep - herd; — there is noth - ing I shall want.

Second Reading

1 Peter 2:20b - 25

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Please Stand

Gospel Acclamation



Refrain
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Gospel

John 10:1 - 10

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.**

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Please Sit

HOMILY

Please Stand

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

...we pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

...through Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

Please Sit

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY SONG

THE KING OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS

ST. COLUMBA



1. The King of love my shep - herd is, Whose
2. Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow With
3. Per - verse and fool - ish I have strayed, But
4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill With
5. You spread a ta - ble in my sight, Your
6. And so through all the length of days Your



1. good - ness fails me nev - er; I noth - ing lack if
2. gen - tle care he leads me, And where the ver - dant
3. yet in love he sought me, And on his shoul - der
4. you, dear Lord, be - side me; Your rod and staff my
5. sav - ing grace be - stow - ing; And O what joy and
6. good - ness fails me nev - er: Good Shep - herd, may I



1. I am his, And he is mine for - ev - er.
2. pas - tures grow, With heav'n - ly food he feeds me.
3. gent - ly laid, And home, re - joic - ing, brought me.
4. com - fort still, Your cross be - fore to guide me.
5. true de - light From your pure chal - ice flow - ing!
6. sing your praise With - in your house for - ev - er.

Text: 87 87; based on Psalm 23; Matthew 18; John 10; Henry Williams Baker, 1821-1877, alt. Music: Trad. Irish Melody.

INVITATION TO PRAYER

Pray, brethren ... 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

PREFACE DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right and just.**

SANCTUS

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord, Lord God of hosts.
Heav-en and earth, heav-en and earth are full of your glo -
ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho -
san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he, bless-ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Ho - san-na in the high - est.

Please Kneel

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



We pro - claim your Death, O Lord,
and pro - fess your Res - ur - rec - tion
un - til you come a - gain.

The musical notation is written on three staves in a 3/4 time signature with a key signature of one flat (Bb). The melody consists of quarter and half notes, with some notes beamed together. The lyrics are placed below the notes.

GREAT AMEN



A - men, a - men. A - men, a - men.

The musical notation is written on a single staff with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It features a variety of time signatures: 6/8, 3/8, 6/8, 3/8, 6/8, and 6/8. The melody is composed of quarter and eighth notes, with some notes beamed together. The lyrics are placed below the notes.

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Please Stand

COMMUNION RITE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.

SIGN OF PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And with your spirit.**

Cantor

A-gnus De-i, A - gnus De-i, qui tol-lis pec - ca - ta mun-di:

1.-2. *All* mi - se - re - re no - bis. 3. *All* do - na no - bis

pa - cem, do - na no - bis pa - cem.

Please Kneel

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world.

Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

**Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

COMMUNION SONG

BEHOLD THE LAMB

Martin Willett

Verses



1. Those who were in the dark are thank - ful for the
2. Peace - ful now, those whose hearts are blessed with un - der -
3. Gen - tle one, Child of God, join with us at this
4. Lord of all, give us light. De - liv - er us from



1. sun - light; we who live, we who die are grate - ful for his
2. stand - ing of the wheat, of the wine u - nit - ed with his
3. ta - ble. Bless our lives; nour - ish all who hun - ger for this
4. e - vil. Make us one; be our shield. Make still the winds that

Refrain



1. gift, thank - ful for his love. Be - hold, be - hold the Lamb of
2. word and the love we share.
3. feast; shel - ter them with peace.
4. blow; cra - dle us with love.



God. All who eat, all who drink shall live; and all,



all who dwell in God shall come to know his glo - ry.

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COMMUNION MEDITATION: Feed My Lambs

Please Stand

FINAL BLESSING

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.**

...Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

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

CLOSING SONG

ALLELUIA! SING TO JESUS

HYFRYDOL



1. Al - le - lu - ia! sing to Je - sus! His the
2. Al - le - lu - ia! not as or - phans Are we
3. Al - le - lu - ia! Bread of An - gels, Here on
4. Al - le - lu - ia! King e - ter - nal, You the
5. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Glo - ry



1. scep - ter, his the throne; Al - le - lu - ia!
2. left in sor - row now; Al - le - lu - ia!
3. earth our food, our stay! Al - le - lu - ia!
4. Lord of lords we own; Al - le - lu - ia!
5. be to God on high; Al - le - lu - ia



1. his the tri - umph, His the vic - to - ry a - lone;
2. he is near us, Faith be - lieves, nor ques - tions how:
3. here the sin - ful Flee to you from day to day:
4. born of Ma - ry, Earth your foot - stool, heav'n your throne:
5. to the Sav - ior Who has won the vic - to - ry;



1. Hark! the songs of peace - ful Zi - on Thun - der
2. Though the cloud from sight re - ceived him, When the
3. In - ter - ces - sor, friend of sin - ners, Earth's re -
4. You with - in the veil have en - tered, Robed in
5. Al - le - lu - ia to the Spir - it, Font of



1. like a might - y flood; Je - sus out of ev - 'ry
2. for - ty days were o'er, Shall our hearts for - get his
3. deem - er, plead for me, Where the songs of all the
4. flesh, our great high priest; Here on earth both priest and
5. love and sanc - ti - ty; Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -



1. na - tion Has re - deemed us by his blood.
2. prom - ise? "I am with you ev - er - more!"
3. sin - less Sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea.
4. vic - tim In the Eu - cha - ris - tic feast.
5. lu - ia! To the tri - une maj - es - ty.