

26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Saint Paul RC Church

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THE ORDER OF MASS

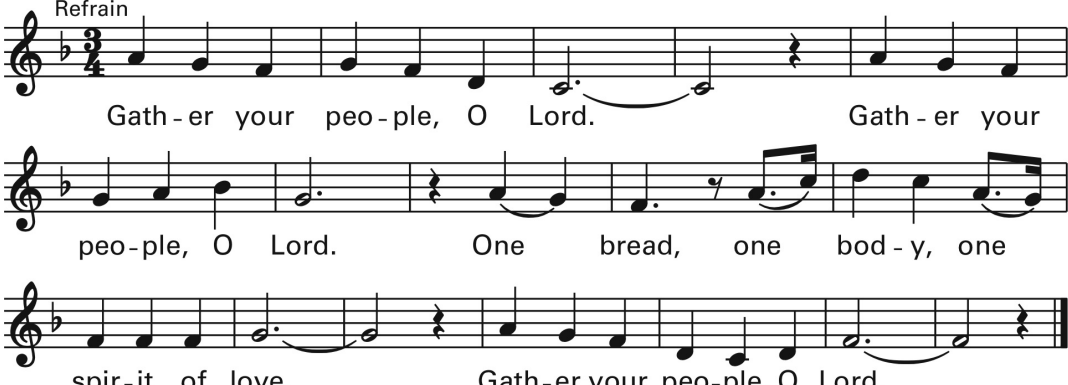
Please Stand

GATHERING SONG

GATHER YOUR PEOPLE

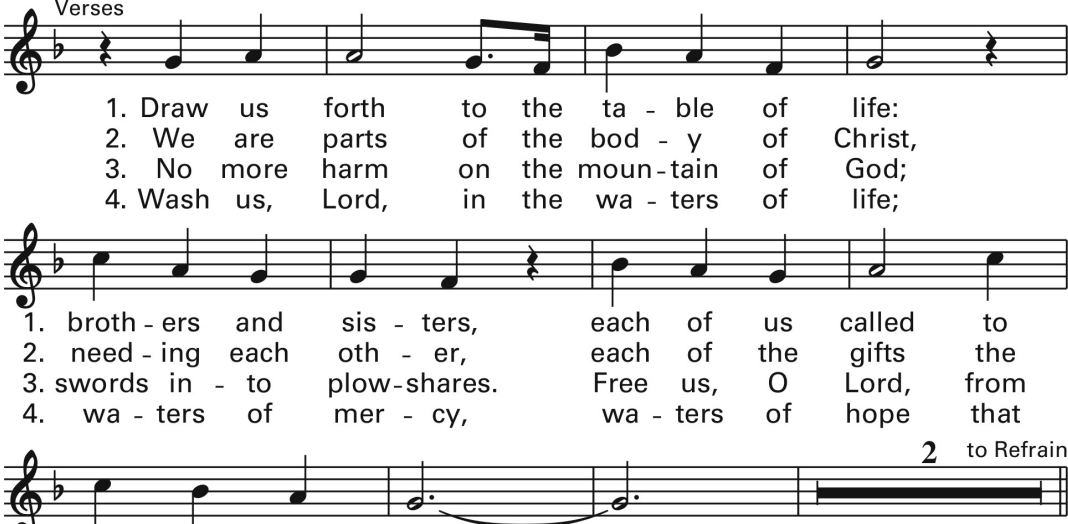
Bob Hurd

Refrain



Gath - er your peo - ple, O Lord. Gath - er your
peo - ple, O Lord. One bread, one bod - y, one
spir - it of love. Gath - er your peo - ple, O Lord.

Verses



1. Draw us forth to the ta - ble of life:
2. We are parts of the bod - y of Christ,
3. No more harm on the moun - tain of God;
4. Wash us, Lord, in the wa - ters of life;

1. broth - ers and sis - ters, each of us called to
2. need - ing each oth - er, each of the gifts the
3. swords in - to plow - shares. Free us, O Lord, from
4. wa - ters of mer - cy, wa - ters of hope that

2 to Refrain



1. walk in your light.
2. Spir - it pro - vides.
3. hard - ness of heart.
4. flow from your side.

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

Refrain

Glory! Glory to God in the highest.
Glory! Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will. (Amen.)

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. 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.

COLLECT

...God, forever and ever. Amen.

Please Sit

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Ezekiel 18:25 - 28

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 25

Re - mem - ber your mer - cies, O Lord.

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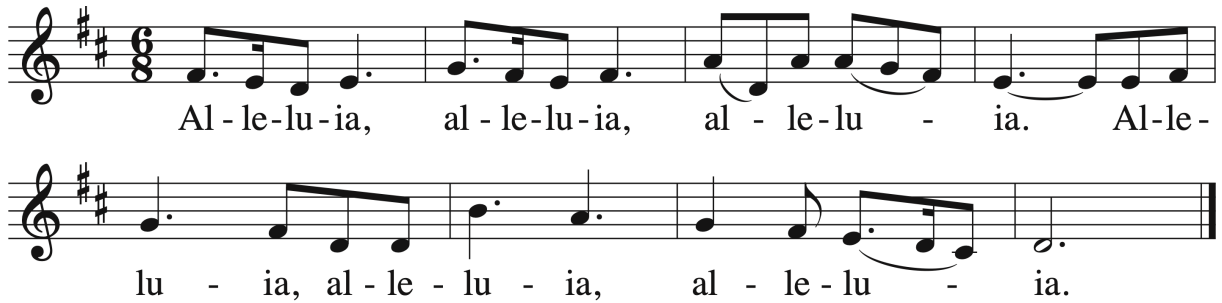
Second Reading

Philippians 2:1 - 11

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

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Gospel Acclamation



Gospel

Matthew 21:28 - 32

The Lord be with you. And with your spirit.

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew. 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.

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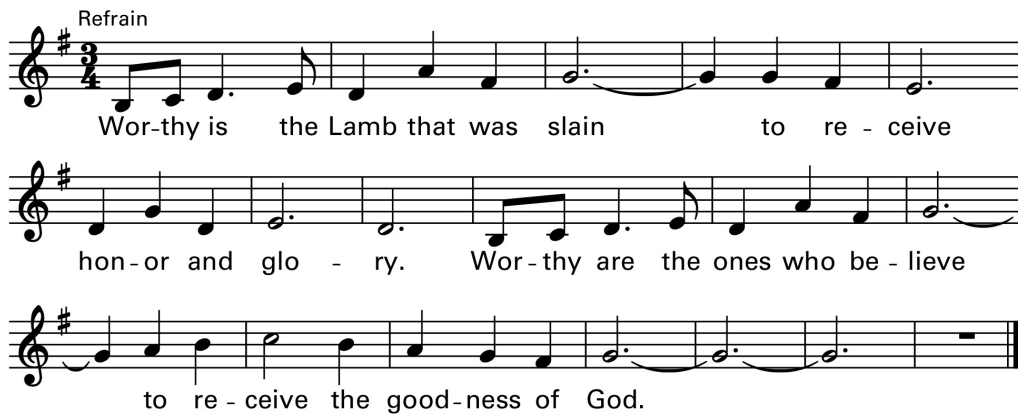
LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY SONG

WORTHY IS THE LAMB

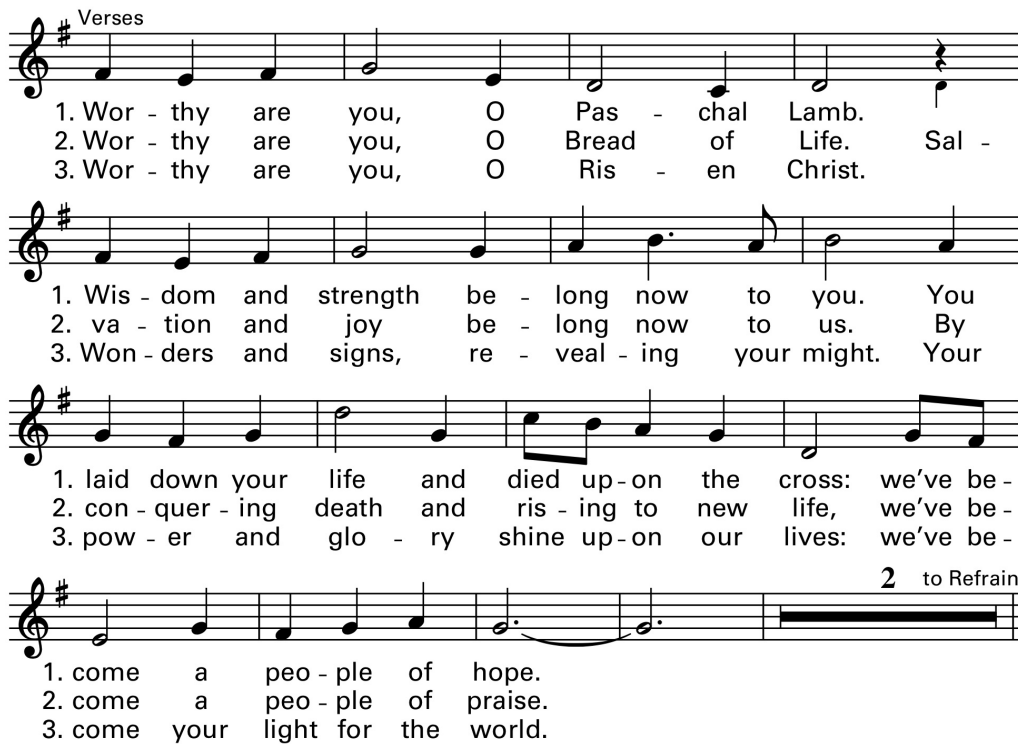
Ricky Manalo

Refrain



Wor-thy is the Lamb that was slain to re - ceive
hon - or and glo - ry. Wor - thy are the ones who be - lieve
to re - ceive the good - ness of God.

Verses



1. Wor - thy are you, O Pas - chal Lamb.
2. Wor - thy are you, O Bread of Life. Sal -
3. Wor - thy are you, O Ris - en Christ.

1. Wis - dom and strength be - long now to you. You
2. va - tion and joy be - long now to us. By
3. Won - ders and signs, re - veal - ing your might. Your

1. laid down your life and died up-on the cross: we've be -
2. con - quer - ing death and ris - ing to new life, we've be -
3. pow - er and glo - ry shine up-on our lives: we've be -

2 to Refrain

1. come a peo - ple of hope.
2. come a peo - ple of praise.
3. come your light for the world.

Please Stand

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



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.



Heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -



san - na in the high-est. Bless-ed is he who



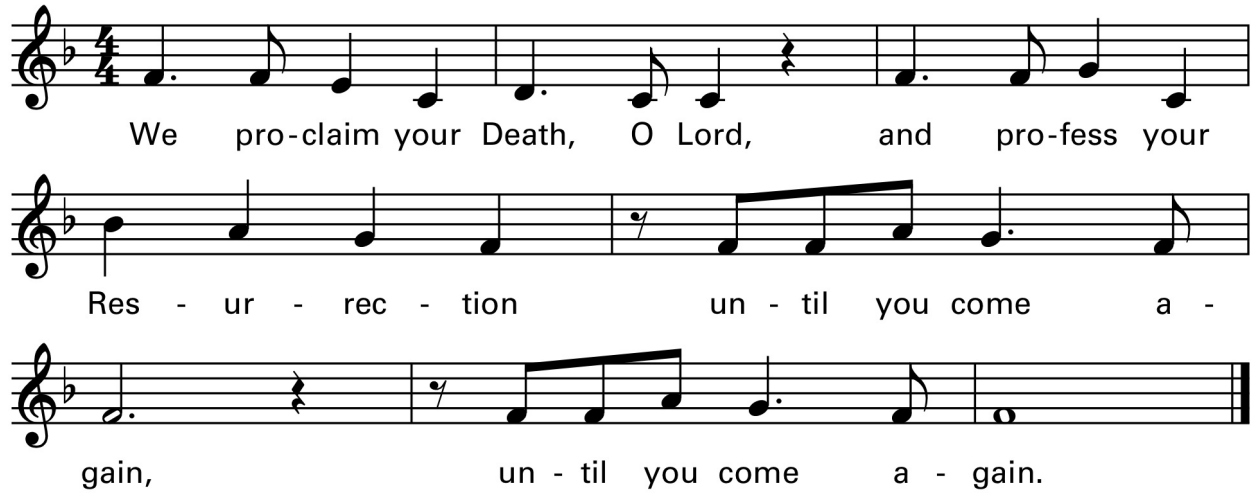
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na, ho-san - na in the



high-est. Ho - san-na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Please Kneel

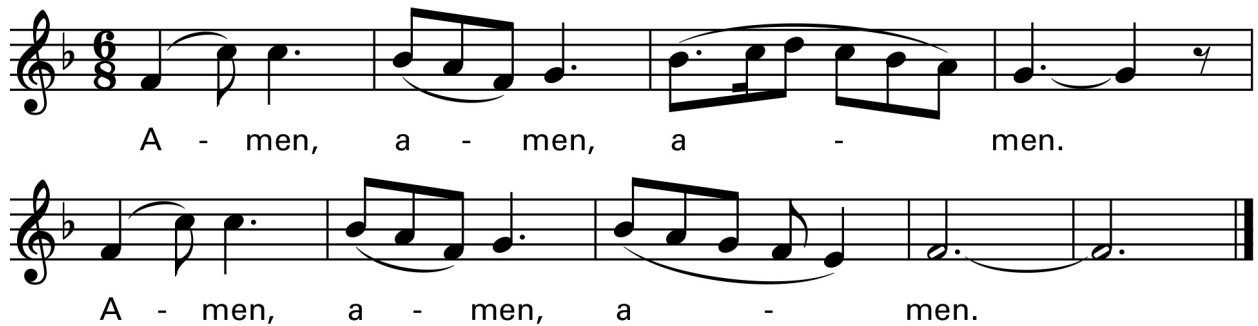
MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



Three staves of music in 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. The melody is simple and hymn-like. The lyrics are: "We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain, un - til you come a - gain." The first staff ends with a whole note, the second with a half note, and the third with a whole note. There are rests in the second and third staves corresponding to the lyrics "un - til you come a -".

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

GREAT AMEN



Two staves of music in 6/8 time, key of B-flat major. The melody is more melodic and features some grace notes. The lyrics are: "A - men, a - men, a - men." The first staff ends with a half note, and the second with a half note. There are rests in the first and second staves corresponding to the lyrics "a - men, a - men, a -".

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

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.**

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the

world, have mer-cy on us. world, grant us peace.

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

ONE BREAD, ONE BODY

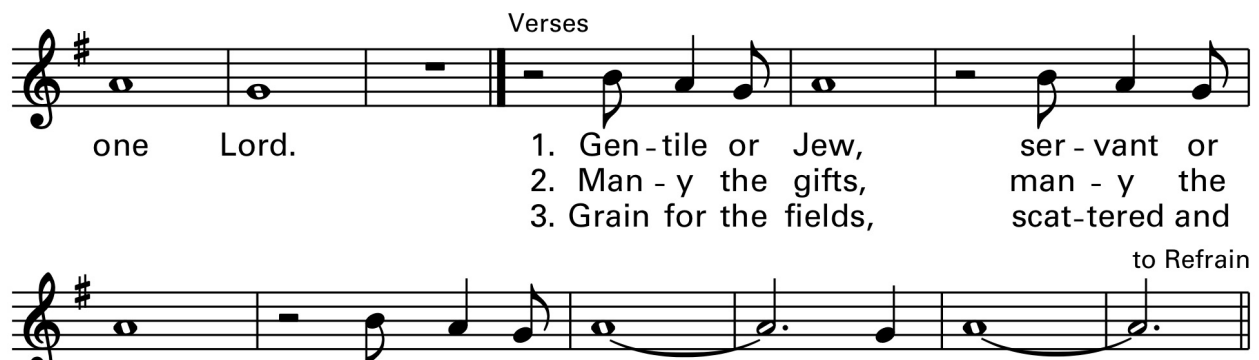
John Foley, S.J.

Refrain



One bread, one bod-y, one Lord of all,
one cup of bless-ing which we bless. And we, though
man-y, through-out the earth, we are one bod-y in this

Verses



one Lord.

1. Gen-tile or Jew,	ser-vant or
2. Man-y the gifts,	man-y the
3. Grain for the fields,	scat-tered and

to Refrain

1. free,	wom-an or man,	no more.
2. works,	one in the Lord	of all.
3. grown,	gath-ered to one,	for all.

Text: Based on 1 Corinthians 10:16–17; 12:4, 12–13, 20; Galatians 3:28; Ephesians 4:4–6; The Didache 9.
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COMMUNION MEDITATION: At the Name of Jesus

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

I SING THE MIGHTY POWER OF GOD

ELLACOMBE



1. I sing the might - y pow'r of God That made the
2. I sing the good-ness of the Lord That filled the
3. There's not a plant or flow'r be - low, But makes thy



1. moun-tains rise, That spread the flow-ing seas a - broad, And
2. earth with food; He formed the crea-tures with his word, And
3. glo - ries known; And clouds a - rise, and tem-pests blow By



1. built the loft - y skies. I sing the wis - dom
2. then pro-nounced them good. Lord, how thy won - ders
3. or - der from thy throne; While all that bor - rows



1. that or - dained The sun to rule the day; The moon shines
2. are dis - played Wher - e'er I turn my eye; If I sur -
3. life from thee Is ev - er in thy care, And ev - 'ry -



1. full at his com-mand, And all the stars o - bey.
2. vey the ground I tread, Or gaze up - on the sky!
3. where that I can be, Thou, God, are pres - ent there.