

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Mass at 5:30 p.m. October 24, 2020

Prayer to the Holy Family

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, as we look at your love, we ask you to bless our homes and all families. Grant that our homes be places of compassion and prayer, authentic schools of the Gospel and small domestic churches. May we strive to be free from division in our hearts and may we know peace, love and forgiveness. Jesus, Mary and Joseph, may your love shine upon our families and upon our Holy Family. May we all grow in holiness and join with each other in prayer as we turn to you with faith, hope and trust. May we live out our Mission so that every one feels the welcome and love that you inspire. May our faith flow to our greater community so that everyone feels the spirit of Holy Family.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, graciously hear our prayer and be with us on our journey so that we may become like you – a Holy Family.

Amen.

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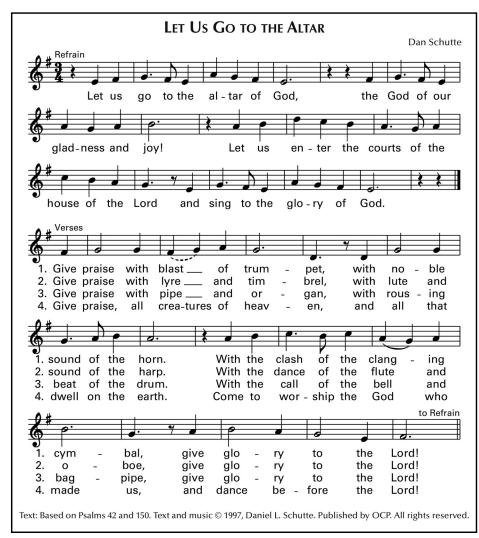
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Entrance Hymn



Closing Hymn



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Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,

I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things,

and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,

come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there

and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Penitential Act

- A. I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.
- **B.** Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy.

<u>Gloria</u>

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth 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.

First Reading

Exodus 22:20-26

A Reading from the Book of Exodus.

Thus says the LORD: "You shall not molest or oppress an alien, for you were once aliens yourselves in the land of Egypt. You shall not wrong any widow or orphan. If ever you wrong them and they cry out to me, I will surely hear their cry. My wrath will flare up, and I will kill you with the sword; then your own wives will be widows, and your children orphans.

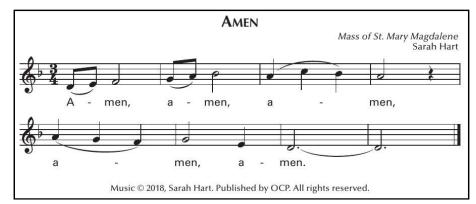
"If you lend money to one of your poor neighbors among my people, you shall not act like an extortioner toward him by demanding interest from him. If you take your neighbor's cloak as a pledge, you shall return it to him before sunset; for this cloak of his is the only covering he has for his body. What else has he to sleep in? If he cries out to me, I will hear him; for I am compassionate."

The word of the Lord. R. Thanks be to God.

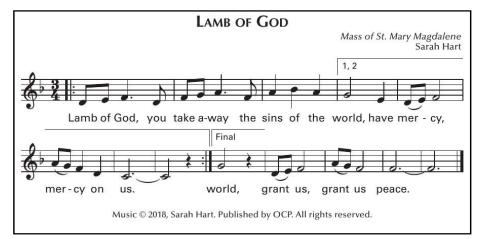
Communion Hymn



<u>Amen</u>

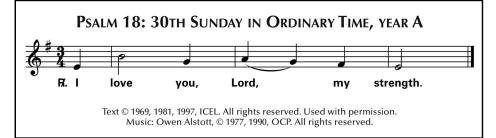


Lamb of God



Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51



I love you, O LORD, my strength, O LORD, my rock, my fortress, my deliverer. R. **I love you, Lord, my strength.**

My God, my rock of refuge, my shield, the horn of my salvation, my stronghold! Praised be the LORD, I exclaim, and I am safe from my enemies. R. **I love you, Lord, my strength.**

The LORD lives and blessed be my rock! Extolled be God my savior. You who gave great victories to your king and showed kindness to your anointed. R. **I love you, Lord, my strength.**

Second Reading

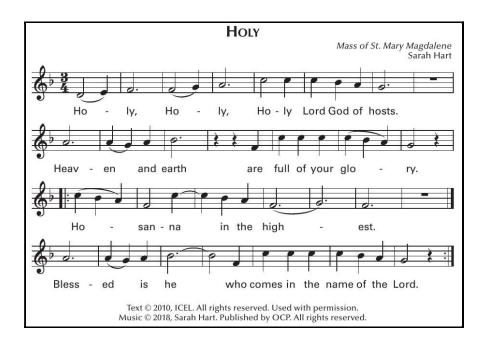
1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10

A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Thessalonians.

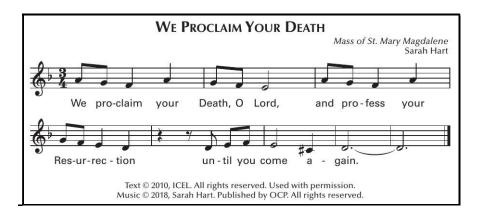
Brothers and sisters: You know what sort of people we were among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, receiving the word in great affliction, with joy from the Holy Spirit, so that you became a model for all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For from you the word of the Lord has sounded forth not only in Macedonia and in Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has gone forth, so that we have no need to say anything. For they themselves openly declare about us what sort of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God and to await his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus, who delivers us from the coming wrath.

The word of the Lord. R. **Thanks be to God.**

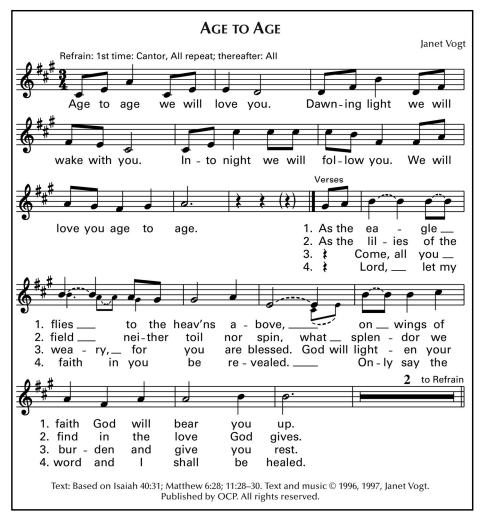
<u>Holy</u>



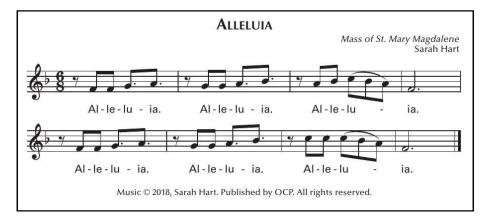
We Proclaim Your Death



Preparation of the Gifts



Gospel Acclamation



Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him. R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Gospel

Matthew 22:34-40

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew. R. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a scholar of the law tested him by asking, "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" He said to him, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. The whole law and the prophets depend on these two commandments."

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

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,

At the words that follow, up to including "and became man," all bow.

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.