



SAINT CLARE OF ASSISI ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Parish Office Hours:

Sunday 7:30am-1:30pm

Monday—Thursday 9:00am-5:00pm

Closed for lunch from 12:00pm-1:00pm on weekdays

Friday-Saturday Closed

Religious Education:

Youth Group Mondays, 6:30pm

OCIA (starts 9/30) Mondays, 6pm

K-6 Catechesis Wednesdays, 4pm/6pm

Sacramental Prep Wednesdays, 4pm/6pm

Mental Health Resources

St. Clare of Assisi is proud to partner with Journey to Peace, a Catholic counseling office, to provide mental health services on our campus.

Journey to Peace accepts most major insurance plans, including BCBS, Cigna, United Health, and Medicare.

Please contact Journey to Peace for more information: **(480) 787-1955**

Baby Safe Haven

St. Clare of Assisi is an official Baby Safe Haven location. Parents or agents of parents can drop off an unharmed newborn baby to a staff member during regular office hours.

For more information, please visit azsafefebabyhaven.org

Pro-Life Resources:

Are you experiencing a crisis pregnancy and need help? These resources are recognized by the Diocese of Phoenix and can help you, regardless of income.

Life Choices Women's Clinic: www.pro-lifearizona.com | (602) 305-5100

Choices Pregnancy Center: www.choicesaz.com | (623) 486-5232

First Way Pregnancy Center: www.1stway.net | (602) 261-7522

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 29, 2024



Liturgy Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00pm

Sunday Masses 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 5:00pm

Daily Masses Monday-Saturday, 8:00am

Adoration & Reconciliation

Eucharistic Adoration Fridays, 1:00pm-4:00pm

Reconciliation Wednesdays, 12:00pm-1:00pm

Fridays, 5:00pm-6:00pm

Saturdays, 2:30pm-3:30pm

Sacraments

For more information on the Sacraments of Baptism or Marriage, and what is needed to complete your sacraments, please contact Pastoral Care Coordinator Joe Lukaszewski. For all other Sacraments, please contact Director of Religious Education, Sarah Camplese.

Ministry of Care

If you are homebound, hospitalized or in a care facility, or know of someone who is and would like Holy Communion on a weekly basis, please contact Joe to make arrangements.

Mission Statement

St. Clare of Assisi parishioners strive to be faithful disciples of Christ's Catholic Church, drawing strength from the Sacraments, living the Gospel of Jesus without compromise, doing works of charity and justice.

St. Vincent de Paul 24 Hour Assistance Helpline

We are here to help! Please call (623) 975-5617. This is not a manned phone line. Leave a message and someone WILL call you back.

Please Prayerfully Consider Joining a Ministry!

Adult Bible Study	Michelle Templeton mzaktemp@gmail.com
Altar Linen Society	Karen Baroni kbaroni@stcpaz.org
Anima Christi Charismatic Prayer	Jerianne Bender jeribender@aol.com Ferrell McNeal ferrell49@yahoo.com
Arts and Environment	Kaitlynn Eaton keaton@stcpaz.org
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Catholic Men's Fellowship	Bill Canavan bcan3502@gmail.com John Burke burkej100@gmail.com
Christ Renews His Parish, Men	Dcn. Dave Opsahl kdopsahl@hotmail.com
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El Buen Pastor Oracion Carismatica	Sandra Lopez (623) 293-2848 Jose Arellano (602) 919-2698
Funerals/Grief Support	Joanne Swift jswift@stcpaz.org
Holy Family Homeschool Co-Op	David Oliver holyfamilycoopaz@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus 12851	John Lortie az123ok@cox.net
Knights of the Altar	David Oliver (630) 962-7395
Legion of Mary Adults	Dillon Marto (480) 341-4896
Legion of Mary Juniors	Carla Wrublik (602) 818-4895
Library Committee	Betty Jacobson b.jacobson@hotmail.com
Liturgical & Music Ministry	Vania Masch vmasch@stcpaz.org
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Men's Scripture Study	Manny Hernandez manbert2013@gmail.com
Metanoia	Miguel Garcia (626) 539-0191
Nomad AA Group	Wes & Barb Ritchie (858) 220-4916
Our Lady of Antipolo Ministry	Marylou Gonzalez (571) 437-8461
Our Lady of Guadalupe	Leonor Ward (623) 986-9992
Pastoral Council	Laura Pike gotcha421@gmail.com
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St. Maximilian Kolbe Fraternity	Phillip Bocker, OFS (602) 614-5058
St. Vincent de Paul Society	Pat Conlan (623) 975-5617
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Walking With Moms In Need	Marge Buckner margebuckner@att.net
Women's Guild	Gabriel David gabriel.fto.d@gmail.com
Young Adult Fellowship	

How can we pray for you?

Share your prayer requests with us online at
stcpaz.org/prayer-request

You can share your intentions, the names of those who need healing or conversion, pray for the Holy Souls in Purgatory, or whatever the need may be. Each month, we will include a prayer during weekend Masses for your intentions. Intentions can even be submitted anonymously!

If you have questions about the Prayer Request form, please contact Kaitlynn at keaton@stcpaz.org or (623) 975-5002

registered? ARE YOU

You attend Masses at St. Clare faithfully, you participate in the Eucharist, and you come to parish events but you haven't formally registered yet?! Here's why you should (yes, even if you're a snowbird!):

Registration is the official way to join our community! Many people think because they attend the parish, they are automatically members. Without formal enrollment, we can't accurately gauge our membership or take a census. Census numbers determine how many priests are assigned to a parish, how many Masses or Confession opportunities we provide, and the number or frequency of faith formation opportunities. Registration shows us you belong! It is also necessary for certain benefits, like scheduling sacraments, getting God parent and sponsor certificates, getting approved for reduced tuition through Catholic schools, and getting copies of your donations for tax reporting. Registering in our parish is a statement of faith, of confidence in our mission, and your response to the call for the New Evangelization! You can register online at stcpaz.org/im-new or in the parish office.

Altar Flowers can now be reserved and donations for Altar Flowers can be made on the Parish website at: stcpaz.org/altar-flowers



Mass Intentions

Week at a Glance



Saturday, September 28, 2024		
8:00am	Jon Diebold†	by Kaitlynn Eaton
4:00pm	Jamil Salaita†	by Suzan Salaita
Sunday, September 29, 2024		
7:00am	Presy & Nestor Florentino†	by Beth Florentino
9:00am	St. Clare of Assisi Parishioners	
11:00am	Richard L. Anderson	by Rita H. Anderson
5:00pm	Grimaldo Cervantes†	by Flor Cervantes
Monday, September 30, 2024		
Members & Family		
8:00am	Members of the Guadalupanos	by Mirian Muriel
Tuesday, October 1, 2024		
8:00am	Maria Esther Rodriguez†	by Rosi Lewis
Wednesday, October 2, 2024		
Happy 64th Wedding Anniversary—Bob & Winnie Velner		
8:00am	Anniversary—Bob & Winnie Velner	by Bob & Winnie Velner
Thursday, October 3, 2024		
8:00am	Betty Anderson†	by Margaret Rector
Friday, October 4, 2024		
8:00am	Robert Cohen†	by Patricia Cohen
Saturday, October 5, 2024		
8:00am	Thomas J. Ginivan†	by Carmelita S. Ginivan & Family
4:00pm	Fernando O'Dell†	by Theresa Padilla
Sunday, October 6, 2024		
7:00am	Roy Campbell†	by William & Susan Clark
9:00am	Jackson Darragh†	by Cheryl & Don Darragh
11:00am	St. Clare of Assisi Parishioners	
5:00pm	Guadalupe Landaverde†	by Raquel Landaverde

Monday, September 30, 2024	
6:00pm	OCIA—MODULAR HALL
6:30pm	High School Youth Group—CLASSROOM #1
6:30pm	Middle School Youth Group—MODULAR OFFICE
6:30pm	To Jesus Through Mary—CLASSROOM #2
Tuesday, October 1, 2024	
9:00am	Adult Bible Study—MODULAR HALL
11:30am	Legion of Mary—MODULAR HALL
11:30am	Nomad AA—MODULAR OFFICE
3:30pm	Women's Guild Board Meeting
4:00pm	Transferred into God's Kingdom —CLASSROOM #1
5:00pm	Children's Choir Practice—CHURCH
5:30pm	CRHP Men's Classes—CLASSROOM #3
5:30pm	CRHP Women's Classes—MODULAR OFFICE
6:30pm	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting—MODULAR HALL
6:30pm	Traditional Choir Practice—CHURCH
Wednesday, October 2, 2024	
9:00am	Men's Scripture Study—MODULAR HALL
10:30am	Legion of Mary Jrs—MODULAR HALL
4:00pm	Religious Education— ALL FACILITIES
6:00pm	Religious Education—ALL FACILITIES
Thursday, October 3, 2024	
9:00am	Adult Bible Study—MODULAR HALL
11:30am	Nomad AA—MODULAR OFFICE
5:00pm	Contemporary Choir Practice—CHURCH
5:30pm	Transitus of St. Francis of Assisi—CHURCH
6:30pm	Anima Christi Charismatics—CHURCH
6:30pm	Walking With Moms in Need—MODULAR OFFICE
7:00pm	Metanoia—CLASSROOM #3
Friday, October 4, 2024	
9:00am	Holy Family Homeschool Co-Op—CLASSROOMS
1:00pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry—MODULAR HALL
1:00pm	Rosary Makers—MODULAR OFFICE
4:00pm	Divine Mercy Cenacle—CLASSROOM #5
5:30pm	Food Truck Fridays—CHURCH, CAFÉ, PLAZA
7:00pm	El Buen Pastor Carismatica—MODULAR HALL
Saturday, October 5, 2024	
7:00am	Catholic Men's Fellowship—MODULAR HALL
9:00am	Cursillo—MODULAR HALL
9:00am	Sorority of Lisieux Meeting—CLASSROOM #3
11:00am	Catholic Daughters Juniors—MODULAR HALL
11:00am	Catholic Daughters Meeting—MODULAR HALL
3:30pm	Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive- WALKWAY
5:00pm	Wine & Cheese Social—MODULAR HALL
7:00pm	Marriage Prep Class—MODULAR HALL
Sunday, October 6, 2024	
Coffee & Donuts—after all morning Masses—MODULAR HALL	
7:30am	Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive—WALKWAY
6:30pm	Young Adult Fellowship



Fr. Hans Ruygt, Marie Frasca, Karen Opsahl, Tim Lukaszewski, Brian Vergara, Aurelia Formoso, David Roybal, Frank Barlak, Mary Lou & Glenn Sutton, Carolyn Rouse, Mark Adams, Robert Robertson, Jamey Price, Alma Price, Carlos Oaxaca, Cristina Belcastro, Melmar P. Manzon, Ashley Johnson, Ramon Armenta



Weekly Reflection

Ch. 1: The Sacred Meal in the Life & Ministry of Jesus, pt. 6

If, as Feuerbach said, we are what we eat, then those who eat the Flesh of Jesus and drink his Blood must constitute a new society, grounded in love, service, non-violence, and nondomination. Reminding them of their crucial importance as the first members of the Church, Jesus said, "I confer on you, just as my Father as conferred on me, a kingdom...And you will sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel (Luke 22:29-30)." The order of love that obtains within God became flesh in Jesus and, through Jesus, was given to the community that he founded. That community in turn, the new Israel, would be, in accord with Isaiah's prediction, the means by which the whole world would be gathered to God. Here, the story of the multiplication of the loaves and fish comes to mind. Initially, as we saw, the disciples refused their mission to be the new Israel and feed the crowd, but then, in light of the miracle of grace, they became the distributors of grace. A very similar dynamic is on display in the account of the Last Supper. It is never enough simply to eat and drink the Body and Blood of Jesus; one must become a bearer of the power that one has received. The meal always conduces to the mission. The Last Supper preceded and symbolically anticipated the terrible events of the following day, when Jesus' body would indeed be given away and his blood poured out. In the next section of the book, I will speak much more of this sacrificial dimension of the supper, but for now I would like to focus on what followed the dying of Jesus. If Jesus had died and simply remained in his grave, he would be remembered (if he was remembered at all) as a noble idealist, tragically crushed by the forces of history. Perhaps a few of his disciples would have carried on his program for a time, but eventually the Jesus movement, like so many others like it, would have run out of steam. N.T. Wright, echoing the opinion of the Church Fathers, argued that the single most extraordinary fact of early Christianity is the perdurance of the Christian Church as a messianic movement. There could have been, in the first century, no surer sign that someone was *not* the Messiah than his death at the hands of the enemies of Israel, for one of the central marks of messiahship was precisely victory over those enemies. That Peter, James, John, Paul, Thomas, and the rest could announce throughout the Mediterranean world that Jesus was in fact that long-awaited Israelite Messiah and that they could go to their deaths defending this claim are the surest indications that something monumentally significant happened to Jesus after his death. That something was the Resurrection. Though too many modern theologians have tried to explain the Resurrection away as a wish-fulfilling fantasy, a vague symbol, or a literary invention, the New Testament writers could not have been clearer: the crucified Jesus, who had died and been buried, appeared alive again to his disciples. The risen Christ was—as all of the accounts attest—strange. On the one hand, he was the same Jesus with whom they had eaten and drunk and to whom they had listened, but on the other hand, he was different, in fact so changed that frequently they didn't immediately recognize him or acknowledge him. It was as though he stood on the borderline between two worlds, still existing in this dimension of space and time, but also transcending it, participating in a higher, better world.

Join us each week as we work through Bishop Robert Barron's book, This Is My Body: A Call to Eucharistic Revival



WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

September 29: 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: [Numbers 11: 25-29](#)

Responsorial Psalm: [Psalms 19: 8, 10, 12-13, 14](#)

Second Reading: [James 5: 1-6](#)

Alleluia: [John 17: 17b, 17a](#)

Gospel: [Mark 9: 38-43, 45, 47-48](#)

September 30: St. Jerome

First Reading: [Job 1: 6-22](#)

Responsorial Psalm: [Psalms 17: 1bcd, 2-3, 6-7](#)

Alleluia: [Mark 10: 45](#)

Gospel: [Luke 9: 46-50](#)

October 1: St. Thérèse of Lisieux

First Reading: [Job 3: 1-3, 11-17, 20-23](#)

Responsorial Psalm: [Psalms 88: 2-3, 4-5, 6, 7-8](#)

Alleluia: [Mark 10: 45](#)

Gospel: [Luke 9: 51-56](#)

October 2: The Guardian Angels

First Reading: [Job 9: 1-12, 14-16](#)

Responsorial Psalm: [Psalms 88: 10bc-11, 12-13, 14-15](#)

Alleluia: [Psalms 103: 21](#)

Gospel: [Matthew 18: 1-5, 10](#)

October 3

First Reading: [Job 19: 21-27](#)

Responsorial Psalm: [Psalms 27: 7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14](#)

Alleluia: [Mark 1: 15](#)

Gospel: [Luke 10: 1-12](#)

October 4: St. Francis of Assisi

First Reading: [Job 38: 1, 12-21; 40: 3-5](#)

Responsorial Psalm: [Psalms 139: 1-3, 7-8, 9-10, 13-14ab](#)

Alleluia: [Psalms 95: 8](#)

Gospel: [Luke 10: 13-16](#)

October 5

First Reading: [Job 42: 1-3, 5-6, 12-17](#)

Responsorial Psalm: [Psalms 119: 66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130](#)

Alleluia: [Matthew 11: 25](#)

Gospel: [Luke 10: 17-24](#)

October 6: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: [Genesis 2: 18-24](#)

Responsorial Psalm: [Psalms 128: 1-2, 3, 4-5, 6](#)

Second Reading: [Hebrews 2: 9-11](#)

Alleluia: [First John 4: 12](#)

Gospel: [Mark 10: 2-16](#)

GRIEVING WITH GREAT HOPE

Grieving with Great Hope is a 6-week grief support workshop. It offers a prayerful, practical, and personal approach for anyone who is mourning the loss of a loved one. If you have lost a spouse, child (including pregnancy loss), grandchild, parent, other family member or friend, you are encouraged to attend.

**STARTS: OCTOBER 8, 2:00PM
MODULAR OFFICE**

COST: \$15

TO JOIN:

CONTACT JOANNE SWIFT:
JSWIFT@STCPAZ.ORG OR (623) 975-5600



St. Clare of Assisi Women's Guild

invites all women of the parish to join us! We meet the 2nd Thursday of each month at 5:30pm in the Modular Hall.

Contact Margie Buckner at margebuckner@att.net for more information

FOOD TRUCK FRIDAY

AT ST. CLARE OF ASSISI

5:30PM - 8:00PM



ROSARY IN THE CHURCH &
FOOD TRUCKS AFTERWARD!

FRIDAYS IN OCTOBER

OCTOBER 4 TRUCKS:

SONNY'S ICE CREAM
IT'S A GUY THING
HABANERO'S TACOS AZ

Guadalupanos

29 DE SEPTIEMBRE
SEPTEMBER 29

**VENTA DE BURRITOS
BURRITO SALE**



después de las misas
de 7am, 9am, y 11am
after 7am, 9am, &
11am Masses

DECLINE TO SIGN: PROP 139



Come this November, vote **NO** on Proposition 139 relating to the "Fundamental Right to Abortion."

This ballot measure would permanently enshrine abortion up to birth under a broad physical and mental health exemption in the Arizona constitution. It would completely eradicate parental rights so that an abortion could be performed on a child of any age without parental knowledge or consent. The proposal erases any current laws in place, such as the ultrasound requirement, 24-hour waiting period, abortion risk education, or alternatives to abortion such as adoption. Abortion is now legal in Arizona up to 15 weeks and beyond in certain circumstances like medical emergencies.

Please vote **NO** on Prop. 139
MORE INFORMATION:

declinetosign.net
itgoestooofar.com

Silver Rose Celebration

October 6



The Silver Rose Program is the Knights' longest running devotion to Our Lady of Guadalupe. For over 60 years, Silver Roses have been stewarded by Knights of Columbus Councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion to pray for respect for life, spiritual renewal of each nation, and the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Please join the Knights on October 6 in promoting the dignity of all human life and honoring Our Lady of Guadalupe.

DON'T FORGET TO TAKE ME HOME!

We order enough bulletins so that they can be taken home following Mass!



Thank you!



Knights of Columbus®

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus is an international Order of Catholic men who are called to lead with faith, protect our families, serve others, and defend our values in a busy and changing world. Our local council will be holding a membership drive on **September 29** in the Modular Hall. By joining our council, you will find that Knights of Columbus membership brings Catholic men together in a powerful way by doing charity events benefitting both our Parish and our Community together. Scan the QR code to join and enter council number **12851** when choosing a council.

CHARITY. UNITY. FRATERNITY. PATRIOTISM.



Women's Guild Baby Shower



October 12-13

All gifts & donations support Choices Pregnancy Centers. Needed items: diapers sizes 3-6, winter clothes up to 18m, wipes, sleepers, onesies, bottles, formula, baby blankets, baby toiletries, newborn toys, socks, booties, and any other baby items you wish to donate! Monetary donations greatly appreciated!



Second Annual

Mass of Remembrance



Sunday, November 3 | 9am Mass

We will be honoring our beloved dead on Sunday, November 3 at the 9am Mass with a special candle and prayers at Mass. If you would like to honor a deceased loved one, please fill out the order form below. If you wish, you can process with your loved one's candle at the beginning of Mass on November 3rd at 9am. After Mass, you get to take your candle home! Candles are \$25 and can be purchased in the office.

Please use the form below or email Joanne to sign up.

Questions? Contact Joanne Swift: jswift@stcpaz.org or (623) 975-5604

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Your Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

___ YES, I plan to walk in the procession at Mass. You must arrive 20 minutes before Mass!

___ NO, I do not wish to/am not able to walk in the procession at Mass.

I would like the following beloved dead remembered at the Mass of Remembrance:

[One name per line, candles are \$25 each.]

Name of Deceased:

Birthdate:

Date of Death:

Attached is my payment of: \$ _____

Forms are due by Sunday, October 20th

St. Clare Saints & Angels

Trunk or Treat

October 31 | 7:30pm
Modular Hall & Parking Lot

Best Saint & Angel Costume Contest
.....
Best Decorated Trunk Contest •
.....
Games - Candy - Prizes
.....

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 12851


A safe place to Trick or Treat!

Faith & Family Day

November 9th, 5:30pm
Phoenix Raceway

Join Fr. Menegay as he gives the pre-race invocation for the 2024 XFINITY Series Championship for the 2nd year!

Tickets only \$30!
Scan to get tickets now!



**Reduced cost tickets that include:
Grandstand Seating, free parking, food trucks, prizes, and more!**



Anima Christi Charismatic Prayer Group



THURSDAYS, 6:30PM-8:00PM IN THE CHURCH

Prayer Teams from the Anima Christi Prayer Group will be available the first Thursday of each month. Our Prayer Teams will be available on Thursday, October 3rd from 6:30pm to 8:30pm in the Church. If you have physical needs, spiritual, mental, emotional needs, whatever the need may be—please come and let us pray with you. We trust in the healing power of Jesus! In addition, we meet every Thursday for our Charismatic Meetings—same place & time—to give thanks and praise to God in song, prayer, scripture, and more.

For more information call Ferrell McNeal at (623) 340-0057 or Jerianne Bender at (623) 544-1787



We are very excited about the purchased of our new-to-us parish truck! Our Director of Maintenance Operations will be using the truck to haul necessary items for the Parish! Thank you to the donors who helped make this very necessary purchase happen. We are so grateful for your generosity!



Welcome to St. Clare of Assisi Parish! We are glad you are here for the celebration of the Holy Mass. Please take note of the guidelines for the reception of Holy Communion: Prior to receiving Communion, Catholics should have fasted for one hour; water and medicine excepting. Catholics aware of grave sin (e.g. intentionally missing Mass on Sunday/Holy Days, abortion, theft, sexual sin, use of contraceptives, etc.) should go to Confession prior to receiving Communion. Because of our belief in the Eucharist being the Body and Blood of Christ, reception of Communion is reserved to Catholics. There may exist circumstances in the lives of some individual Catholics, which may not facilitate immediate participation in receiving Communion (e.g., cohabitation, marriage outside the Church). A priest would be happy to assist you in rectifying these situations. We come together to worship God in spirit and in truth.

Processional: All People That on Earth Do Dwell (837)

1. All people that on earth do dwell, sing to the Lord with cheerful voice; Him serve with mirth, His praise forth tell; come we before Him and rejoice.
2. Know that the Lord is God indeed; without our aid He did us make. We are His folk, He does us feed, and for His sheep He does us take.
3. O enter then His gates with praise; approach with joy His courts unto; praise, laud and bless His Name always, for it is seemly so to do.
4. For why? The Lord our God is good: His mercy is forever sure; His truth at all times firmly stood, and shall from age to age endure.
5. To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, the God whom heav'n and earth adore, from us and from the angel host be praise and glory evermore.
6. Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, you heav'nly host: Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Sign of the Cross & Greeting

Penitential Act:

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.

Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Christe Eleison.

Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Gloria 297: Gloria in excelsis Deo. Et in terra pax hominibus bonae voluntatis. Laudamus te. Benedicimus te. Adoramus te. Glorificamus te. Gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam. Domine Deus, Rex caelestis, Deus Pater omnipotens. Domine Fili unigenite Iesu Christe. Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris, Qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. Qui tollis peccata mundi, suscipe deprecationem nostram. Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris, miserere nobis. Quoniam tu solus sanctus. Tu solus Dominus. Tu solus Altissimus, Iesu Christe. Cum Sancto Spiritu, in gloria Dei Patris. Amen.

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, Father almighty. 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. 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.

Liturgy of the Word: Worship Hymnal 1185

Responsorial Psalm: R/. The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.

1. The law of the LORD is perfect, refreshing the soul; the decree of the LORD is trustworthy, giving wisdom to the simple.
2. The fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the LORD are true, all of them just.
3. Though your servant is careful of them, very diligent in keeping them, yet who can detect failings? Cleanse me from my unknown faults!
4. From wanton sin especially, restrain your servant; let it not rule over me. Then shall I be blameless and innocent of serious sin.

Gospel Acclamation: R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Your word, O Lord, is truth; consecrate us in the truth.

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn: At the Name of Jesus (563)

1. At the Name of Jesus ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess Him King of glory now. It is God's good pleasure we should call Him Lord. Who from the beginning was the mighty Word.
2. At His voice, creation sprang at once to sight. All the angel faces, all the hosts of light. Thrones and dominations, stars upon their way. All the heav'nly orders in their great array.
3. Humbled for a season, to receive a name from the lips of sinners unto whom He came. Faithfully He bore it spotless to the last; brought it back victorious when from death He passed.
4. In your hearts enthrone Him; there let Him subdue all that is not holy, and that is not true. Crown Him as your captain in temptation's hour; let His will enfold you in its light and pow'r.
5. Christians, this Lord Jesus shall return again on the clouds of glory, o'er the earth to reign. Love and faithful service we His people vow, and our hearts confess Him King of glory now.

Prayer Over the Offerings & Invitation to Prayer

Preface Dialogue & Preface

Sanctus:

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis. Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Eucharistic Prayer

Mystery of Faith:

We proclaim Your death, O Lord, and profess Your Resurrection, until You come again.

The Communion Rite

The Lord's Prayer

The Sign of Peace

Agnus Dei:

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. (2x)
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem.

*Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. (2x)
Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.*

Communion Antiphon: *Be mindful of Your word to Your servant, O Lord, in which You caused me to hope; this has been my comfort in my affliction.*

Communion Hymn: Ubi Caritas

Ubi caritas est vera, est vera: Deus ibi est, Deus ibi est.

1. The love of Christ joins us together. Let us rejoice in Him, and in our love and care for all now love God in return.
2. In true communion let us gather. May all divisions cease and in their place be Christ the Lord, our risen Prince of Peace.
3. May we who gather at this table to share the bread of life become a sacrament of love, Your healing touch, O Christ.
4. For those in need make us Your mercy, for those oppressed, Your might. Make us, Your church, a holy sign of justice and new life.
5. May we one day behold Your glory and see You face to face, rejoicing with the saints of God to sing eternal praise.

Communion Hymn: In the Breaking of the Bread

In the breaking of the bread we have known Him; we have been fed. Jesus the stranger, Jesus the Lord, be our companion; be our hope.

1. Bread for the journey, strength for our years, manna of ages, of struggle and tears.
2. Bread of the promise, people of hope, wine of compassion, life for the world. Gathered at table, joined as his body, sealed in the Spirit, sent by the Word.

The Concluding Rites

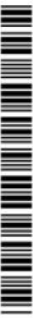
Blessing & Dismissal

Prayer to St. Michael: St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the Power of God, cast into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Recessional Hymn: Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (630)

1. Immortal, invisible, God only wise; in light inaccessible hid from our eyes. Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days; Almighty, victorious, Your great name we praise.
2. Unresting, unchanging, and silent as light. Not wanting or wasting, You rule day and night. Your justice, like mountains high soaring above. Your clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.
3. Lifegiving Creator of both great and small. Of all life the maker, the true life of all. We blossom, then wither as leaves on a tree, but You live-forever, who are and will be.
4. Great Father of glory, pure Father of light. Your angels adore You, all veiling their sight. We too, God invisible, offer our praise. O light inaccessible, Ancient of Days!

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