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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jan. 28 & 29, 2023



Sermon on the Mount - Brueghel

Artist: Jan Brueghel (1568-1625)

Welcome to St. Mary's Church... We're glad you are here!

If you are here visiting or are new to our parish, please stop at our **Welcome Desk** near the main entrance so we can meet you!

Our Welcome Desk greeters can tell you about our parish, answer questions, help you become a member, assist you with scheduling Mass Intentions, leave messages for our staff, get you connected with a Small Group, and so much more.

Thank you for joining us today! May God bless you and those you love.

• INTRODUCTORY RITES •

GATHERING SONG (Please stand)

1-2

day.

Final

day.

to Verses

LEAD ME, LORD

John D. Becker



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And lead me, Lord, to - day.

THE SIGN OF THE CROSS AND GREETING:

Priest: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit

ALL: Amen

Priest: The Lord be with you. **ALL:** And with your Spirit

PENITENTIAL RITE:

Leader: Lord, have mercy
Leader: Christ, have mercy
Leader: Lord, have mercy
All: Lord, have mercy
All: Lord, have mercy

GLORIA:

Glory! Glory to God in the highest Glory! 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

Glory! Glory to God in the highest Glory! Glory to God in the highest And on earth, peace to people of good will Amen!

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COLLECT:

(The Celebrant Prays the collect)

ALL: Amen

(Please be seated)

• LITURGY OF THE WORD •

(Texts for the readings are found on the back cover)

FIRST READING: Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13

The Word of the Lord ALL: Thanks be to God

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 146



R. Blessed are the poor in spir-it;

the king-dom of heav-en is theirs!

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 1:26-31

The Word of the Lord ALL: Thanks be to God

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (Please stand):



GOSPEL DIALOGUE:

The Lord be with you.

ALL: And with your spirit.

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew

ALL: Glory to you, O Lord. (Make a small cross with your thumb on your forehead, lips & heart)

GOSPEL: Matthew 5:1-12a

The Gospel of the Lord

ALL: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

HOMILY (Please be seated)

THE PROFESSION OF FAITH (Please stand)

Nicene Creed

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,

(bow your head in reverence during the next phrase)

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.

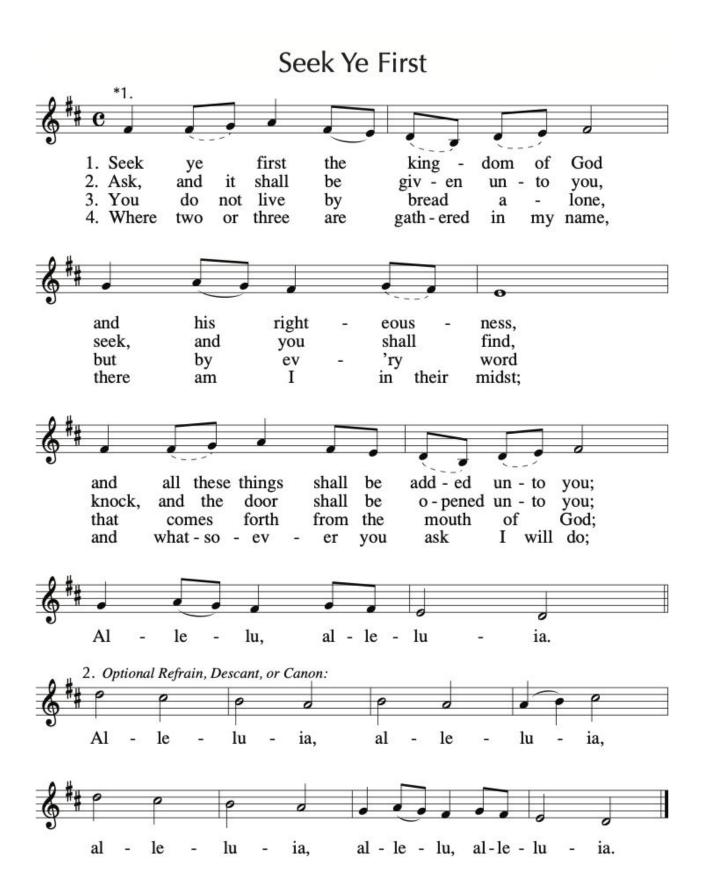
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

UNIVERSAL PRAYER

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

• LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST •

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS (Please be seated)



PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS (Please stand)

Priest: Pray, my brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be

acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

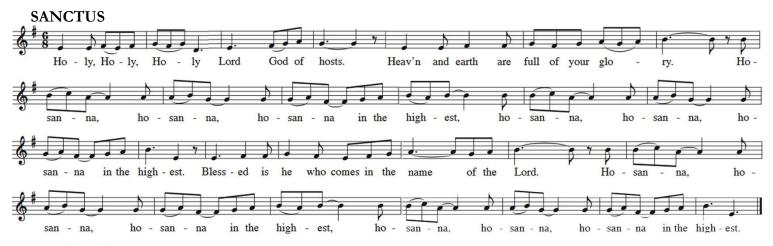
ALL: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.

PREFACE DIALOGUE

Priest: The Lord be with you. ALL: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts. ALL: We lift them up to the Lord.

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

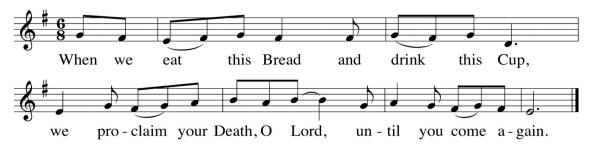


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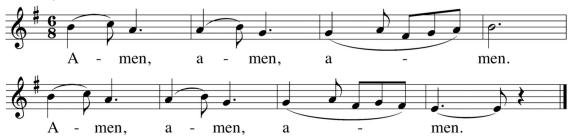
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EUCHARISTIC PRAYER (Please kneel, if able, or be seated)

MYSTERY OF FAITH



GREAT AMEN



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THE LORD'S PRAYER (Please stand)

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.

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

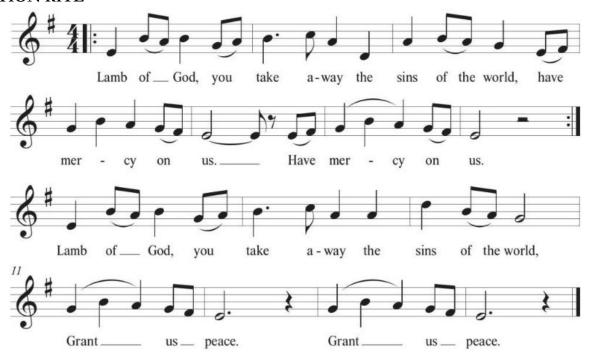
For the Kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever.

SIGN OF PEACE

Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

ALL: And with your spirit.

FRACTION RITE



INVITATION TO COMMUNION (Please kneel, if able, or be seated)

Priest: 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.

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

IN THIS PLACE



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CONCLUDING RITES

(Please stand)

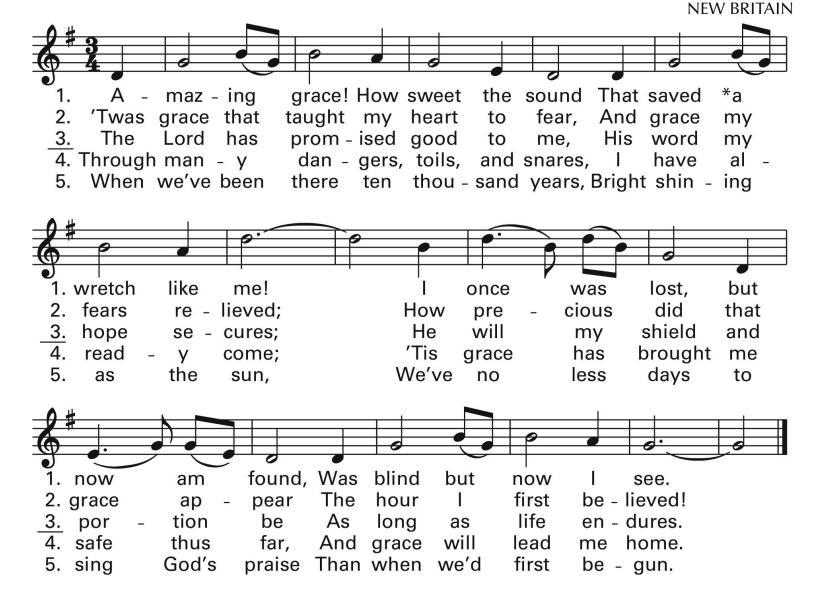
FINAL BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

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

May Almighty God bless you... ALL: Amen.

Go forth...the Mass is ended. **ALL: Thanks be to God.**

AMAZING GRACE



^{*}Alternate text: "and set me free!"

Text: CM; verses 1–4, John Newton, 1725–1807; verse 5, anon., fr. A Collection of Sacred Ballads, 1790.

Music: Columbian Harmony, 1829.

READINGS:

Reading I Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13

Seek the LORD, all you humble of the earth, who have observed his law; seek justice, seek humility; perhaps you may be sheltered on the day of the LORD's anger. But I will leave as a remnant in your midst a people humble and lowly, who shall take refuge in the name of the LORD: the remnant of Israel. They shall do no wrong and speak no lies; nor shall there be found in their mouths a deceitful tongue; they shall pasture and couch their flocks with none to disturb them.

Reading II 1 Corinthians 1:26-31

Consider your own calling, brothers and sisters. Not many of you were wise by human standards, not many were powerful, not many were of noble birth. Rather, God chose the foolish of the world to shame the wise, and God chose the weak of the world to shame the strong, and God chose the lowly and despised of the world, those who count for nothing, to reduce to nothing those who are something, so that no human being might boast before God. It is due to him that you are in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God, as well as righteousness, sanctification, and redemption, so that, as it is written, "Whoever boasts, should boast in the Lord."

Gospel Matthew 5:1-12a

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him. He began to teach them, saying: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the land. Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be satisfied. Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy. Blessed are the clean of heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven."

