

Catholic Parishes of ARLINGTON

SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

**23RD SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

**Explore, experience, engage.
Wherever you are, whenever
you are ready, we are here
for you. All are welcome.
Contact us!**

We're glad you're here!

We are delighted to welcome new members to our community and accompanying you in your faith journey. We invite you to connect with the staff and participate in parish life. Every person is important to us, and we want to get to know you and your family. Do not hesitate to contact us if you have prayer requests; allow us to serve you!

Please register and/or update your household information [online](https://cparl.org).



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SAINT CAMILLUS

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS

4:30 PM

SUNDAY MASSES

8:00 AM

10:00 AM

MONDAY - SATURDAY MASSES

9:00 AM



SAINT AGNES

SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES

4:00 PM, 5:30 PM

SUNDAY MASSES

7:00 AM

9:00 AM

12:00 PM

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7:00 AM

By order of the Arlington Board of Health, masks are required for all persons at all times when inside public spaces.



A MESSAGE FROM FR. MARC



Fr. Marc Bishop - Pastor
St. Agnes and St. Camillus

Dear Faith Family,
I would like to thank all that were so very kind to me with prayers and support as I dealt with a COVID-19 positive test. A special thank you to my brother priests who tirelessly ensured that they and the parish were cared for and safe.

Next week we will commemorate the atrocity that is 9/11. Over the last twenty years, we have been living under the shadow of that horrific day. This year's commemorations are certainly poignant not only in marking a twenty-year anniversary but by the recent events and the loss of American lives and those of our supporters in Afghanistan. The events of twenty years ago, the events of the last few weeks, and the numerous events over the entire War on Terror, leave us with many questions and few answers.

Those of us who are Veterans, who have seen what most people cannot even imagine, are particularly affected by this anniversary. We can never forget. We can never forget the smells, sites, and even the taste of war. We have experienced the worst of humanity. That being said we have also experienced the best of humanity: "No greater love than to lay down one's life for a friend." I am alive today because the men I served with were willing to die for me and eleven of them did. I live with that privilege and commission each day.

It horrifies me that on 9/11/2001, those scenes of destruction were experienced on American soil. That there are families and individuals who look out their windows and remember what it looked like. I hope and pray no other generation will ever have to suffer such a memory.

I am grateful that today there are men and women who respond to the call to protect their fellow citizens by serving in the United States

Military. They voluntarily take that duty upon themselves so that we can sleep soundly at night knowing we are protected. Our duty is to honor their sacrifices and those of their families. I pray that we do that well.

Jeff Chunglo, the Veterans Agent for Arlington and I, will be holding a new event for Veterans twice this October. Veterans Coffee will be held in the newly renovated St. Agnes Lower Church Hall. The first gathering will be on Friday, October 8th at 8:30 AM. The event is open to all Veterans of any era who wish to attend. You can access the lower Church via the handicapped entrance located on the Chestnut Street side of the Church. Coffee and donuts provided. If you know a veteran who might benefit from the gathering, please invite them.

God Bless,
Fr. Marc



Father, on this anniversary of the 9/11 terrorist attacks, we pray that You comfort all those still suffering from this terrible tragedy.

We pray for the souls of all those who lost their lives in this, and all, terrorist attacks. And, may all those consumed by hatred of others, be touched by Your divine love. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

PRAYER

SAINT CAMILLUS MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2021

4:30 PM Saverio, Laura, Elena and
Gilda Testa

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

8:00 AM Bernard Snyder
10:00 AM Roger Soto

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2021

9:00 AM Catherine Robinson

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2021

9:00 AM Paul Donellon

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2021

9:00 AM Edward and Hazel Bigham

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2021

9:00 AM Fred Wajda and Family

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2021

9:00 AM Robert E. Lynch

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2021

9:00 AM Marge Coleman
4:30 PM Elizabeth Foresta

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

8:00 AM Mass for the People
10:00 AM Laurence and Mary Tosi

SAINT AGNES MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2021

4:00 PM Marcia Byrne
5:30 PM Dina Iantosca Hennessey

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

7:00 AM Mass for the People
9:00 AM John Bernard Snyder
12:00 PM Angela A. Marino

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2021

7:00 AM Dan Callahan

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2021

7:00 AM Richard Brennan

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2021

7:00 AM Daniel, Robert, and Robert Caniff Jr.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2021

7:00 AM Daniel Callahan

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2021

7:00 AM Robert Havern Jr., Marion Havern,
and Robert Havern III

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2021

7:00 AM Diane Varga
4:00 PM John J, Trephina F., and Barbara J.
Waldren
5:30 PM Mark Tremblay

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

7:00 AM Mass for the People
9:00 AM Kathleen Meloy
12:00 PM Erik Mitchell

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

for Mary Collins MacDonald, Cosmo Buttaro, Patricia Quinn, Eleanor Cotreau, Paul D'Allesandro, Mary Connolly Edmonds, William Hayward, and Roger Densmore whose funerals were celebrated this week; and for Michael Trabucco and John Hinckley who have died recently. Please pray for the sick of our parish. Please pray for all those who are serving in our Armed Forces that they will return home safely.

BACK TO SCHOOL BLESSINGS!

Best wishes to all our students who are entering a new academic year. May your year be filled with new experiences and may you always keep Christ central in your hearts. God Bless!



PRAYER



Roger Mansen
Director of Liturgy and Music

MUSIC NOTES from Roger

I hope that you have enjoyed reading our “Notes from the Loft” articles this summer from The many of our musicians here in the Catholic Parishes of Arlington. I thought it would be a nice opportunity to hear from some of our music makers regarding how they may have gotten involved in Music Ministry, why they’re still involved and what it means to them as Catholics in worship. I found many common thoughts in these articles as I read them each week. The joy of making music, the responsibility of bringing the music to the parish and leading worship, the intimate view that it gives you participating in the Mass, and the opportunity to grow musically and spiritually were among the many similar experiences.

My original thought was also that these articles may bring a more personal view for you that may help to inspire your own involvement in our Music Ministry. We have a long and solid tradition of choir participation. Our choirs have sung tirelessly and beautifully for many Masses and celebrations throughout the years. However, as time marches on, so do some of the choristers through retirement or moving away. There is always room for new singers in our loft at St. Agnes, and in the music area at the front of St. Camillus. I encourage you to consider joining our choir families and getting involved in this most vital ministry. As some of our writers have said, the choir is truly a family sharing its gift of music and spiritual uplifting.

Normally, this would be the time for choir recruitment as we begin a new academic year of ministries around our parishes. This year, there is a slight caveat however. Due to the recent mask mandate from the Arlington Board of Health, Fr. Marc and I have thought it best to delay the start of our full choir season. Singing with a mask is difficult at best for deep breathing, diction, and good tone

production. For me, teaching music through modeling becomes difficult when no one can see my face. In addition, the choir loft is small, making safe social distancing with a full choir quite impossible. Therefore, we are not going to resume in September. We will take this month to monitor how things progress with the pandemic and look ahead to future months. Hopefully October will bring a better understanding of where we are. There are many churches that are following this same path. So for now, please keep singing in your pews, even with a mask. I have been heartened by the singing that I’ve heard coming up from the congregation.

Choir is returning, but not quite yet! When it does return, I hope you will consider joining us. Stay tuned!



23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

HEALED

He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "*Ephphatha!*"—that is, "*Be opened!*" - Mk 7:33b-34

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GENEROSITY



SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

In today's Gospel we hear how Jesus "makes the deaf hear and the mute speak!" In living the gospel, we must open our ears to hear and recognize all the

everyday opportunities for making God's presence known especially to those who are poor and suffering. On September 9, the Church also celebrates the feast of Blessed Frederic Ozanam, the founder of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Frederic heard the call of Jesus to love and serve those who are suffering.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can "make God's presence known" to those who are suffering and poor?

Donation slots are now available at St. Camillus Church to the left and right of the front side altars on the walls as well as in rear of St. Camillus near the center interior doors. Donation boxes continue to be available at St. Agnes near the doors of the church.

**CONTACT US AT 781-648-0220,
EXTENSION 450**



USHER APPRECIATION UPDATE

The Usher Appreciation Luncheon has been rescheduled for September 19th, 2021 at 1:00 PM.



TEXT-TO-GIVE NOW AVAILABLE

Text an amount to (781) 417-5916, and enter STAGNES or STCAMILUS to donate money for the offertory. Your transaction will be processed through the Online Giving account associated with the phone number. If your phone number is not recognized, you can continue without an account, associate your number with an existing account, or create an account.

**THE SANCTUARY LIGHT AT
ST. CAMILLUS CHURCH WILL BURN
THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 5TH,
FOR ALL TEACHERS
AND STUDENTS**



SACRIFICIAL GIVING

SAINT CAMILLUS PARISH

AUGUST 28/29 OFFERTORY: \$2,810

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$3,300

SAINT AGNES PARISH

AUGUST 28/29 OFFERTORY: \$8,771

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$12,750

THE PARISHES HAVE A GREAT DEAL OF FIXED COSTS AND WE APPRECIATE YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT BY MAILING YOUR DONATION BY CHECK OR [JOINING ONLINE GIVING HERE](#).

EVANGELIZATION



Fr. Michael Sheehan
Parochial Vicar

SECOND READING, SECOND COLUMN: PARTY!

JAMES 2:1-5

The Sunday of Labor Day Weekend has always been an important date for my family. Beyond being the unofficial end of summer, it was always the most anticipated party of the year. We gather at Minot Beach for a day packed with activities: beach arts & crafts contest, a costume parade (imagine the funny pictures we have from years past), sprinting races, swimming races, boiled hot dogs & ice cream cups, egg toss, and finally a DJ-led dance at the seawall. As my family has changed over time, this day remains an opportunity for us to reunite and laugh.

All this happy party-talk contrasts with the experience of many with the letter of St. James. It is hard to read this epistle without being challenged in some way. The strong word in today's second reading has to do with prejudice. We read: "Show no partiality." If prejudice is the fruit of a choice to act in a harmful way toward others, then the seed of that choice is partiality, an unjust preference. The author highlights a particular scenario not unknown to his contemporary readers or the rest of Holy Scripture. If by 'assembly' James means 'synagogue,' then this wealth-based distinction seems similar to St. Paul's complaint in 1 Corinthians 11:21 ("for in eating, each one goes ahead with his own supper, and one goes hungry while another gets drunk"). Both writers are speaking of sacred assemblies that deteriorate into separate parties. Thus, this divisive partiality severs Christian communities into factions, contrary "to the faith of our glorious Lord Jesus Christ."

St. James and St. Paul were both eager to remove this cocktail party atmosphere from Christian fellowship. Schmoozing with the rich and despising those who seem not to belong go against our Christian brotherhood and destiny. James focuses on the truth that God chooses the poor in

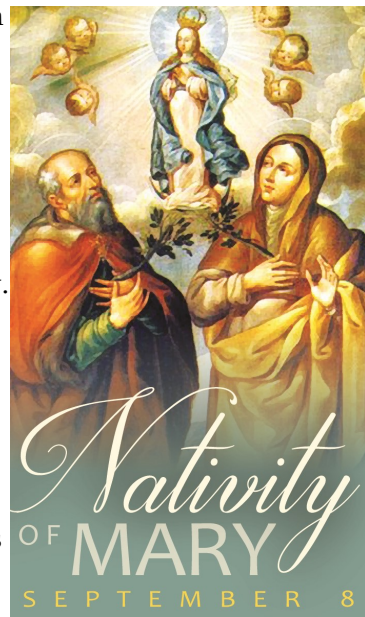
this world (that is, those suffering from negative material poverty, which I discussed in the 'Remember the Poor' column) to be rich in the things of heaven (i.e., positive spiritual poverty).

As I interpret this final point from St. James, the Holy Spirit guides us to treat everyone in every situation as the Lord desires. Our interactions with all may not look and sound exactly the same. But, the Spirit of the Lord inspires us to speak and act beyond our understanding. For this reason, we pray for the help of the Holy Spirit. In general, however, we keep our minds and hearts open to all people as our spiritual siblings. In this way, we can work in this world so that as many people as possible join us for the eternal party in heaven.

CELEBRATE A MOTHERS BIRTHDAY

A Mother's Birthday is a very special day. Well, how special is the birthday of the Mother of God.

September 8th is the feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. We will discuss on zoom the first reading from this mass. Join us 8pm on Tuesday. Email info@cparl.org and ask to be added to Fr Mike's Adult Faith Formation email to receive the zoom link.



ADULT FAITH FORMATION IS RESUMING

Join us on Zoom for

- Daily Prayer: Saturdays at 2:00 pm
- Evening Prayer at 5:00 PM Monday – Friday
- Formed.org Study – Mondays at 7:30 pm
- Daily Reading Study – Tuesdays at 8:00 PM

For more information or Zoom links, please call 781-648-0220 or send an email at info@cparl.org

COLLABORATIVE UPDATES

COLLABORATIVE PASTORAL COUNCIL (CPC) OF THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF ARLINGTON

DISCERNMENT PERIOD: SEPT. 5–19

The “CPC” is comprised of 12 (6 from each parish) elected community members, the Parish Clergy, and two staff members. The CPC works with the staff to guide the work and community life of the Collaborative. In addition, one youth member (a person from 14 to 19 years of age, and in High School) will be appointed to the Council. Youth may be nominated as well. Council members will be elected to serve 2-year terms beginning in September 2021.

Elections will be held for six seats (3 from each parish) annually. Terms are renewable twice. The Pastor can appoint members ex officio as is required to best serve the community. The CPC is not a legislative body, it is an essential advisor to the Pastor.

Qualifications

Any registered member of the Parishes may be nominated for consideration. Those nominated should demonstrate the willingness to serve their fellow parishioner by furthering the mission of the Catholic Church. Some thoughts for consideration before nominating or accepting nomination:

- Involvement in one or more of the CPC’s ministries or groups
- Desire to contribute to the overall health of the CPARL Faith Family
- Enjoy looking at “the big picture”
- Desire to help people connect more deeply with each other and the Church
- Have a real heart for implementing the community’s vision in the Pastoral Plan and helping the community determine “what comes next”

Nominated parishioners will be contacted after September 19. The following Sunday, the members will be chosen by lot during a Mass at the corresponding parish, a commissioning prayer service will be held prior to the first meeting on October 3.

Prayer For Collaborate Discernment During CPC Nomination Period

Lord, my God and my loving Father, you have made us to know you, to love you, to serve you, and thereby to find and to fulfill our deepest longings. We know that you are in all things and that every path can lead us to you.

But of them all, there is one especially by which you want us to come to you. Since we will do what you want of us, we pray you, send your Holy Spirit to us: into our minds, to show us what you want of us; into our hearts, to give us the determination to do it, and to do it with all our love, with all our mind, and with all of our strength right to the end. Reveal to our community whom you wish to serve our Collaborative as members of the Pastoral Council. Jesus, I trust in you.

Amen

JOB OPENING: COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA COORDINATOR



Do you have a love of social media and a passion for cultivating engagement? Join our team!

The Catholic Parishes of Arlington is looking for a talented communicator to assist with our overall digital strategy and online presence.

This is a part-time ministry position, 18 hrs. a week (one day being Tuesday). The Communications and Media Coordinator works in direct collaboration with clergy, staff, and ministry leaders to edit or create content for the weekly bulletin and electronic, social, and printed media and maintain and update the collaborative website.

To apply or learn more, please visit <https://tinyurl.com/cparlteam> or contact Fabiola Aguilera at faguilera@cparl.org

COLLABORATIVE UPDATES



ATTENTION VETERANS!

Arlington's Department of Veterans' Services and Saint Agnes Parish will be hosting a Veterans Coffee. This is an informal gathering for veterans to gather to share stories of inspiration and to provide support and encouragement to fellow veterans. All veterans are invited to attend.

Our first two meetings will be held on October 8th and 22nd, beginning at 08:30. We will be meeting in the lower church of Saint Agnes Parish. The entrance is located on Chestnut Street via the handicapped accessible ramp. Our intent is to hold informal meetings twice a month. The dates of future meetings will be published following the October 8th gathering

PARISHIONER TO RUN IN WALTER V. MOYNIHAN TOWN DAY RACE

Marianne Comeau will participate in the 5K race that Arlington Recreation is hosting on Saturday, September 18, at 10 am at the Ed Burns Arena. The money raised will support youth programs at

Recreation, Fidelity House, and Boys and Girls Club. This race marks the 40th anniversary of Marianne's first Town Day Race.

Marianne is running in honor of Fr Mark, Fr Michael, Fr Alwin, and the Collaborative team to thank them for their faith and dedication. Marianne needs projects to stay busy due to her disabilities (dyslexia and ADD), so she volunteers a lot of her time at church. Marianne says that thanks to Fr. Marc, Scott, Fr. Michael, and Fr. Alwin, her faith is solid, allowing her to overcome many obstacles. Running provides her with quiet prayer time.

Marianne thanks Fr. Michael Zimmerman for helping her train for the race and the recreation department, where she has worked for 40 years, for sponsoring her.

Marianne is also dedicating the race to her dad. She had a special bond with her father, who was diagnosed with cancer in 1980. He was too sick to accompany her on her first race but made an effort to watch from a car. Seeing him gave her courage, faith, and strength to finish the race. Then, through fierce determination, he was able to join Pope John Paul's motorcade when he came to Boston. Her dad has been a role model for Marianne.

Thank you, Marianne!



A WEEK AT A GLANCE

SAC=St. Agnes Church SAS=St. Agnes School SALC=St. Agnes Lower Church BH=Barton Hall
CPC=Collaborative Pastoral Center SCC=St. Camillus Church SCPC=St. Camillus Parish Center
AC=Arlington Catholic High School ACL=A.C. Library FIHO=Fidelity House

SEPTEMBER 5, 2021 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	SEPTEMBER 6	SEPTEMBER 7	SEPTEMBER 8	SEPTEMBER 9	SEPTEMBER 10	SEPTEMBER 11
	6:00 AM SAC ADORATION	6:00 AM SAC ADORATION	6:00 AM SAC ADORATION	6:00 AM SAC ADORATION	6:00 AM SAC ADORATION	6:00 AM SAC ADORATION
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	7:30 PM ZOOM FORMED.OR STUDY					2:00 PM ZOOM DAY PRAYER
		8:00 M ZOOM DAILY GOSPEL READING				3:00 PM SAC CONFESSION INSIDE CPC

COLLABORATIVE NEWS



SAVE THE DATE

Connect Groups 11th Grade Gathering
Sunday, September 12th
At 6:30 PM on Zoom
Register today:
cparl.org/faith-formation

SAINT AGNES PRESIDERS SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 11 2021

4:00 PM Fr. Alwin

5:30 PM Fr. Marc

Sunday, September 12, 2021

7:00 AM Fr. Marc

9:00 AM Fr. Michael

12:00 PM Fr. Michael

SAINT CAMILLUS PRESIDERS SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 11, 2021

4:30 PM Fr. Kilroy

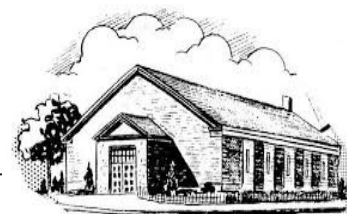
Sunday, September 12, 2021

8:00 AM Fr. Alwin

10:00 AM Fr. Marc

SCHEDULE MAY CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

FIDELITY HOUSE



JOB OPPORTUNITY

Fidelity House has immediate openings for Group Leader positions in our School Age Child Care Program. Part time, afternoon positions are available. Additional hours may also be available.

TECH SUPPORT

Fidelity House is looking for an IT Specialist to help coordinate and update existing computers, software and network. Part-time (as needed) volunteer or paid position. Please call 781-648-2005 or email fidelityhouse@fidelityhouse.net.

FULL DAY PROGRAMS

Fidelity House's School Age Child Care Program will be offering Full Days for 6 - 13 year olds on all days there is no school. Upcoming full days include Thursday, September 16, (no public school). Full days include special events, sports, arts & crafts, games and age appropriate activities.

PRESCHOOL AND PRE-K OPENINGS

Fidelity House's Preschool and Pre-Kindergarten Program have openings for September. The programs have half day and full day options.

Children ages 2 year 9 months and up are welcome. The program is entering its 44th year. Great programs at affordable prices.

SKILLS AND DRILLS BASKETBALL

Separate times for grades 2-5, 6th -8th, and high schoolers will begin on Monday, September 13.

TOT SPORTS

Fidelity House will be offering Tot Sports, for 3-5 year olds, beginning the week of September 20. Indoor Soccer, Floor Hockey and Basketball will be offered.

FALL PROGRAMS

Upcoming programs include Gymnastics, Intramural Basketball for grades 5-8, Instructional Sports for grades K thru 2 and grades 3-5, Fitness and Conditioning, AAU Basketball and many other programs will be starting the next few weeks. If there is a program you would like to see offered or if you have a talent you might like to share with others please give Fidelity House a call at 781-648-2005. We would love to offer more children's programs, an adult exercise class and programs for our senior citizens

VISIT WWW.FIDELITYHOUSE.ORG TO REGISTER ONLINE OR CALL 781-648-2005
TO GET MORE INFORMATION ABOUT OUR GREAT PROGRAMS.

WORSHIP AID

OPENING HYMN

God, We Praise You

1. God, we praise you! God, we bless you! God, we
2. True a - pos - tles, faith - ful proph - ets, Saints who

1. name you sov - ereign Lord! Might-y King whom an - gels
2. set their world a - blaze, Mar - tyrs, once un - known, un -

1. wor - ship, Fa - ther, by your church a - dored: All cre -
2. heed - ed, Join one grow - ing song of praise, While your

1. a - tion shows your glo - ry, Heav'n and earth draw near your
2. church on earth con - fess - es One ma - jes - tic Trin - i -

1. throne Sing - ing "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord of
2. ty: Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Spir - it, God, our

1. hosts, and God a - lone!"
2. hope e - ter - nal - ly.

KYRIE

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

GLORIA

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

Is 35: 4-7a

Thus says the LORD: / Say to those whose hearts are
frightened: / Be strong, fear not! / Here is your God, / he
comes with vindication; / with divine recompense / he
comes to save you. / Then will the eyes of the blind be
opened, / the ears of the deaf be cleared; / then will the
lame leap like a stag, / then the tongue of the mute will
sing. / Streams will burst forth in the desert, / and rivers in
the steppe. / The burning sands will become pools, / and
the thirsty ground, springs of water.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Mode 8

Ps 146 (145): 1b

Praise the Lord, my soul!

Ps 146 (145): 7, 8-9, 9-10

- ✠. The God of Jacob keeps faith forever,
secures justice for the oppressed,
gives food to the hungry.
The LORD sets captives free.
- ✠. The LORD gives sight to the blind;
the LORD raises up those who were bowed down.
The LORD loves the just;
the LORD protects strangers.
- ✠. The fatherless and the widow the LORD sustains,
but the way of the wicked he thwarts.
The LORD shall reign forever;
your God, O Zion, through all generations. Alleluia.



WORSHIP AID

SECOND READING

Jas 2: 1-5

My brothers and sisters, show no partiality as you adhere to the faith in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ. For if a man with gold rings and fine clothes comes into your assembly, and a poor person in shabby clothes also comes in, and you pay attention to the one wearing the fine clothes and say, “Sit here, please,” while you say to the poor one, “Stand there,” or “Sit at my feet,” have you not made distinctions among yourselves and become judges with evil designs?

Listen, my beloved brothers and sisters. Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom that he promised to those who love him?

ALLELUIA

Mode 7



Cf. Mt 4: 23

✠. Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom and cured every disease among the people.

GOSPEL

Mk 7: 31-37

Again Jesus left the district of Tyre and went by way of Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, into the district of the Decapolis. And people brought to him a deaf man who had a speech impediment and begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him off by himself away from the crowd. He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, “Ephphatha!”—that is, “Be opened!”— And immediately the man's ears were opened, his speech impediment was removed, and he spoke plainly. He ordered them not to tell anyone. But the more he ordered them not to, the more they proclaimed it. They were exceedingly astonished and they said, “He has done all things well. He makes the deaf hear and the mute speak.”

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,
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.



WORSHIP AID

OFFERTORY HYMN

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need



1. My Shep - herd will sup - ply my need: The
2. When I walk through the shades of death Your
3. The sure pro - vi - sions of my God At -

1. God of love su - preme; In pas - tures fresh he
2. pres - ence is my stay; One word of your sup -
3. tend me all my days; O may your house be

1. makes me feed, Be - side the liv - ing stream. He
2. port - ing breath Drives all my fears a - way. Your
3. my a - bode, And all my work be praise. There

1. brings my wan - d'ring spir - it back When I for - sake his
2. hand, in sight of all my foes, Does still my ta - ble
3. would I find a set - tled rest, While oth - ers go and

1. ways, And leads me, for his mer - cy's sake, In
2. spread; My cup with bless - ings o - ver - flows, Your
3. come; No more a stran - ger, nor a guest, But

1. paths of truth and grace.
2. oil a - noints my head.
3. like a child at home.

SANCTUS

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.

MYSTERY OF FAITH

Save us, Savior of the world,
for by your Cross and Resurrection
you have set us free.

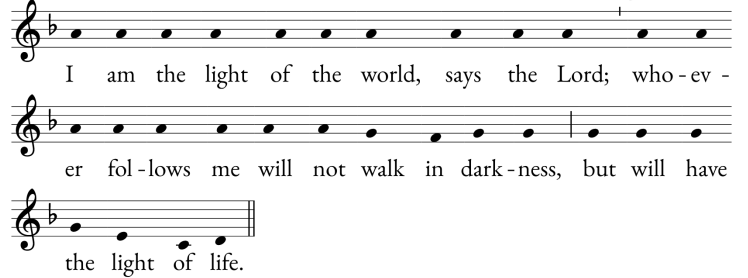
AGNUS DEI

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

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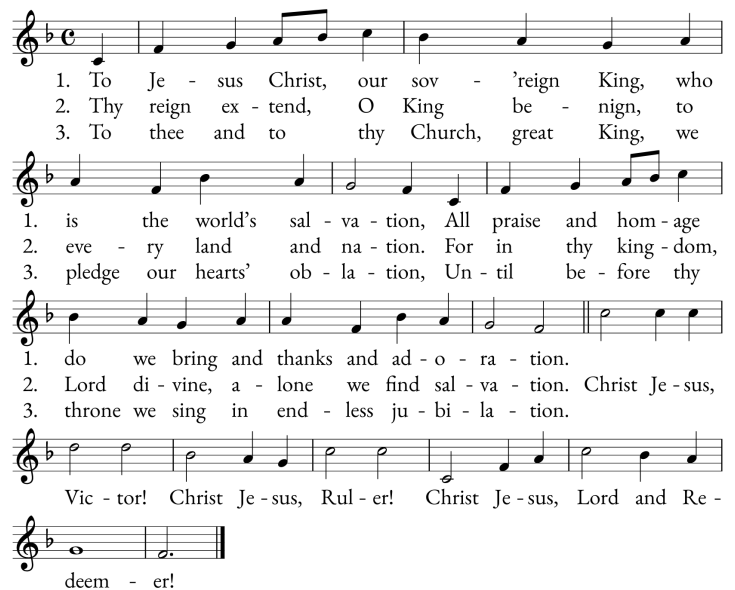
I am the light of the world, says the Lord; who - ev -
er fol - lows me will not walk in dark - ness, but will have
the light of life.

Ps 36 (35): 6-13

D. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

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To Jesus Christ Our Sovereign King



1. To Je - sus Christ, our sov - 'reign King, who
2. Thy reign ex - tend, O King be - nign, to
3. To thee and to thy Church, great King, we

1. is the world's sal - va - tion, All praise and hom - age
2. eve - ry land and na - tion. For in thy king - dom,
3. pledge our hearts' ob - la - tion, Un - til be - fore thy

1. do we bring and thanks and ad - o - ra - tion.
2. Lord di - vine, a - lone we find sal - va - tion. Christ Je - sus,
3. throne we sing in end - less ju - bi - la - tion.

Vic - tor! Christ Je - sus, Rul - er! Christ Je - sus, Lord and Re -
deem - er!

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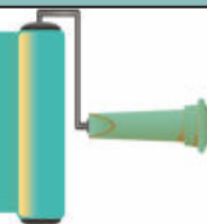
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