



Thanksgiving Day • November 23, 2023
St. Clare of Assisi Parish – O’Fallon, Illinois

PRELUDE: A Thanksgiving Prelude

Charles Callahan (b. 1951)

INTRODUCTORY RITES

PROCESSIONAL HYMN All People That On Earth Do Dwell

Old Hundredth
Ralph Vaughan Williams
(1872-1958)

1. All peo - ple that on earth do dwell, Sing
2. Know that the Lord is God in - deed; With -
Choir: 3. O en - ter then his gates with praise; Ap -
4. For why? The Lord our God is good: His
5. To Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, The

to the Lord with cheer - ful voice; Him serve with mirth, his
out our aid he did us make. We are his folk, he
proach with joy his courts un - to; Praise, laud, and bless his
mer - cy is for ev - er sure; His truth at all times
God whom heav'n and earth a - dore, From us and from the

praise forth tell; Come we be - fore him and re - joice.
does us feed, And for his sheep he does us take.
Name al - ways, For it is seem - ly so to do.
firm - ly stood, And shall from age to age en - dure.
an - gel host Be praise and glo - ry ev - er - more.

PENITENTIAL ACT

COLLECT

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Isaiah 63:7-9

The favors of the Lord I will recall, for he is good to the house of Israel.

The favors of the Lord I will recall, the glorious deeds of the Lord,
Because of all he has done for us; for he is good to the house of Israel,
He has favored us according to his mercy and his great kindness.
The Lord said: They are indeed my people, children who are not disloyal;
So he became their savior in their every affliction.
It was not a messenger or an angel, but he himself who saved them.
Because of his love and pity he himself redeemed them,
Lifting them and carrying them all the days of old.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 8

Luke Mayernik



When I see the heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars which you arranged,
what is man that you should keep him in mind,
the son of man that you care for him?

Yet you have made him little lower than the angels;
with glory and honor you crowned him,
gave him power over the work of your hands:
you put all thing under his feet.

All of them, sheep and oxen,
yes, even the cattle of the fields,
birds of the air and fish of the sea
that make their way through the waters.

Give thanks to God the Father through Christ.

Brothers and sisters:

Put on, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved,
heartfelt compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience,
bearing with one another and forgiving one another,
if one has a grievance against another;
as the Lord has forgiven you, so must you also do.
And over all these put on love, that is, the bond of perfection.
And let the peace of Christ control your hearts,
the peace into which you were also called in one Body.
And be thankful.
Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly,
as in all wisdom you teach and admonish one another,
singing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God.
And whatever you do, in word or in deed,
do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus,
giving thanks to God the Father through him.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

A. Gregory Murray, OSB



*In all circumstances, give thanks,
for this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus - 1 Thessalonians 5:18*

This I command you: love one another.

Jesus said to his disciples:

“As the Father loves me, so I also love you.

Remain in my love.

If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love,
just as I have kept my Father’s commandments
and remain in his love.

“I have told you this so that my joy may be in you
and your joy may be complete.

This is my commandment: love one another as I love you.

No one has greater love than this,
to lay down one’s life for one’s friends.

You are my friends if you do what I command you.

I no longer call you slaves,
because a slave does not know what his master is doing.

I have called you friends,
because I have told you everything I have heard from my Father.

It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you
and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain,
so that whatever you ask the Father in my name he may give you.
This I command you: love one another.”

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTHEM The Majesty and Glory of Your Name

Tom Fettke

When I gaze into the night skies and see the work of your fingers;
The moon and stars suspended in space.
Oh, what is man that you are mindful of him?

You have given man a crown of glory and honor,
And have made him a little lower than the angels.
You have put him in charge of all creation:
The beasts of the field, the birds of the air, the fish of the sea.
Oh, what is man that you are mindful of him?

O Lord, our God the majesty and glory of your name
Transcends the earth and fills the heavens.
O Lord, our God; little children praise You perfectly,
And so would we.

Alleluia! The majesty and glory of Your name. Alleluia!



PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

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

Heav - en and earth _____ are full of _____ your glo - ry _____

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

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your Res-ur-

rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

AMEN

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

COMMUNION RITE

LAMB OF GOD

HOLY CROSS MASS

David Clarke Isele

Lamb of God, you
take a - way the sins of the world,
have mer - cy on us. grant us peace.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

O Taste and See

Ralph Vaughan Williams
(1872-1958)

*O taste and see how gracious the Lord is;
Blest is the man that trusteth in Him. – Psalm 34:8*

HYMN

At the Table of Jesus

Simple Gifts

Refrain

At the ta - ble of Je - sus we are nour - ished and fed By the
bless - ing cup and heav - en's liv - ing bread. At the
ta - ble of Je - sus earth and heav - en are wed. To a
hun - gry world, by our God we are led.

CONCLUDING RITES

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Now Thank We All Our God

Nun Danket Alle Gott

1. Now thank we all our God With hearts and hands and
2. O may this boun-teous God Through all our life be
3. All praise and thanks to God The Fa-ther now be

voic - es, Who won - drous things has done, In
near - us, With ev - er joy - ful hearts And
giv - en, The Son, and him who reigns With

whom his world re - joic - es; Who from our moth - ers'
bless - ed peace to cheer us; Pre - serve us in his
them in high - est heav - en— The one e - ter - nal

arms Has blessed us on our way With
grace, And guide us in dis - tress, And
God, Whom earth and heav'n a - dore— For

count-less gifts of love, And still is ours to - day.
free us from all harm Till heav - en we pos - sess.
thus it was, is now, And shall be ev - er - more.

Text: *Nun danket alle Gott*; Martin Rinkart, 1586–1649; tr. by Catherine Winkworth, 1827–1878, alt.
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