Second Sunday of Easter (Sunday of Divine Mercy) April 6/7, 2024 Year B Scripture #1066

Teachers know there's always someone in a group who's willing to speak up when everybody else may be wondering the same thing but is afraid to ask. In today's gospel, it's Thomas who voices the doubts and fears with which others are also struggling. When Thomas makes his acclamation of faith, Jesus affirms that there are two ways of blessedness: believing by having seen and believing without having seen. The crucial thing is to believe, for it is in faith that we have life.

-Living Liturgy, Second Sunday of Easter (or of Divine Mercy), 2024

Gathering Song: Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones #882

Gloria: #271

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm on Back

Gospel Acclamation: #272



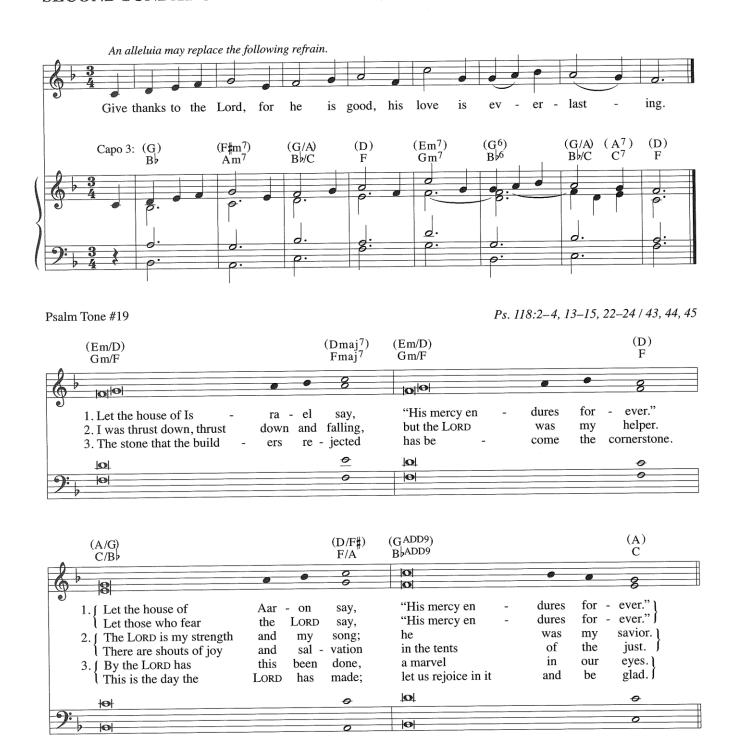
Gift Preparation: *O Sons and Daughters* #532 Eucharistic Acclamations: Missa Pacem Mass

Holy, Holy, Holy #273 Memorial Acclamation #274,275, or 276 Amen #277 Lamb of God #278

Communion: *O Breathe on Me, O Breath of God #902* Second Communion: *Take and Eat This Bread #928*

Sending Forth: Jesus Christ Is Risen Today #540

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Third Sunday of Easter April 13/14, 2024 Year B Scripture #1068

In his words, he speaks to the disciples in today's gospel, the risen Jesus links the affirmation that the Messiah had to suffer with he invitation to repentance and forgiveness. Repentance and acceptance of forgiveness is not guilt-induced; it is the only adequate response to God's gift of new life offered in restored relationship with the risen Christ. Witnessing to this love and power begins at home (Jerusalem, in the case of the disciples), and then radiates out "to all the nations."

-Living Liturgy, Third Sunday in Easter, 2024

Gathering Song: *Shepherd of Souls* #910

Gloria: #271

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm on Back

Gospel Acclamation: #272



Gift Preparation: On the Journey to Emmaus #538

Eucharistic Acclamations: Missa Pacem Mass Holy, Holy, Holy #273 Memorial Acclamation #274,275, or 276 Amen #277 Lamb of God #278

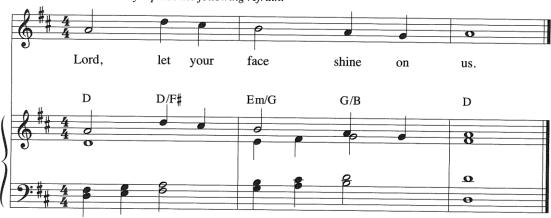
Communion: In the Breaking of the Bread #918

Second Communion: Taste and See #930

Sending Forth: Sing a New Song #607

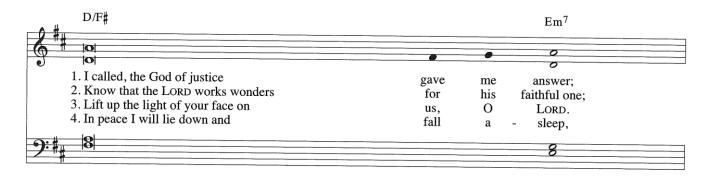
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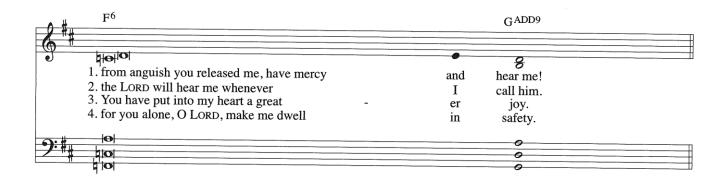
An alleluia may replace the following refrain.



Psalm Tone #28

Ps. 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 / 47





Fourth Sunday of Easter April 20/21, 2024 Year B Scripture #1071

Some worry that today's gospel implies that disciples are basically dumb sheep, easily led by deception. But is the gospel implying this? The metaphor falters when we notice that it emphasizes the intimate knowledge the sheep have of the shepherd and vice versa (10:14). Indeed, in the vocabulary of the Bible, "to know" another oftentimes refers to sexual intimacy. Moreover, the intimacy between Jesus and "his own" reflects the relationship he has with the Father (10:15). It is an intimacy that is expressed ultimately in loving self-surrender, even onto death.

-Living Liturgy, Fourth Sunday of Easter, 2024

Gathering Song: All Are Welcome #850

Gloria: **#271**

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm on Back

Gospel Acclamation: #272



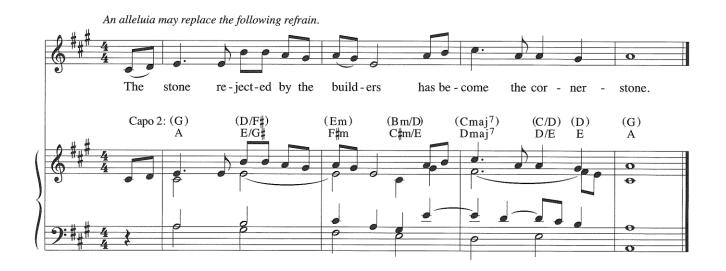
Gift Preparation: Be Not Afraid #683

Eucharistic Acclamations: Missa Pacem Mass Holy, Holy, Holy #273 Memorial Acclamation #274,275, or 276 Amen #277 Lamb of God #278

Communion: *O Breathe on Me, O Breath of God #902* Second Communion: *Take and Eat This Bread #928*

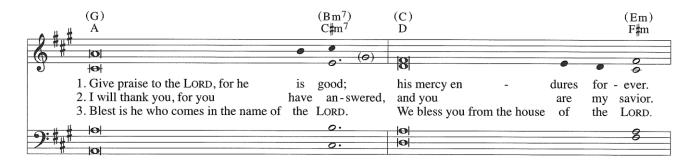
Sending Forth: How Firm a Foundation #694

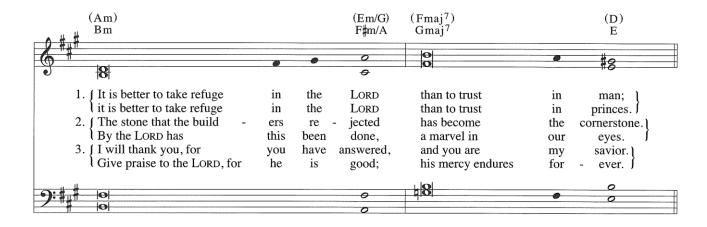
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Psalm Tone #9

Ps. 118:1 and 8-9, 21-23, 26 and 21 and 29 / 50





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Fifth Sunday of Easter April 27/28, 2024 Year B Scripture #1074

In today's gospel, Jesus speaks of the Father as a vintner who prunes branches that are bearing fruit so that they will produce even more. There is a strong emphasis on "bear[ine] fruit"; the expression occurs five times int eh passage. It is such a rich image! It speaks not only of the fecundity in our relationship with God but also of our call to missionary outreach and of our interdependence with the other branches on the vine.

-Living Liturgy, Fifth Sunday of Easter, 2024

Gathering Song: At the Lambs High Feast #536

Gloria: #271

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm on Back

Gospel Acclamation: #272



Gift Preparation: I Receive the Living God #916

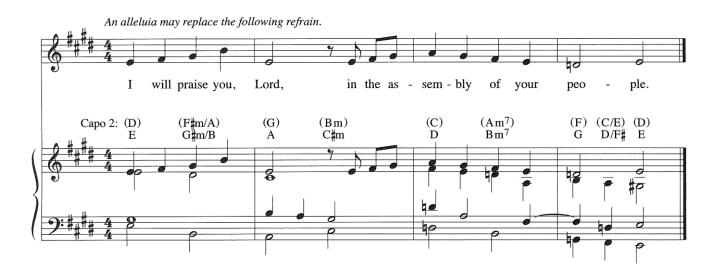
Eucharistic Acclamations: Missa Pacem Mass Holy, Holy, Holy #273 Memorial Acclamation #274,275, or 276 Amen #277 Lamb of God #278

Communion: We Are Many Parts #834

Second Communion: *I Am the Bread of Life* #945

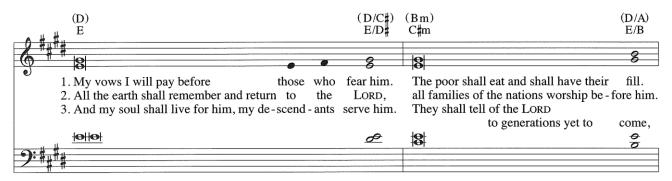
Sending Forth: Sing with All the Saints in Glory #539

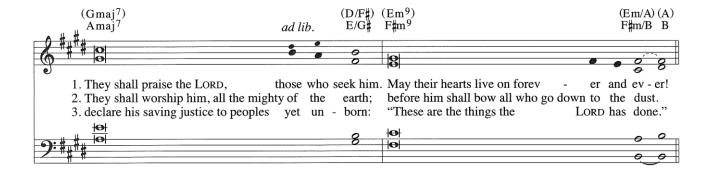
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Psalm Tone #20

Ps. 22:26b-27, 28 and 30, 31-32 / 53





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