

Fourth Sunday of Easter April 29-30, 2023



INTRODUCTORY RITES

Gathering Song:

THE KING OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS

ST. COLUMBA



Text: 87 87; based on Psalm 23; Matthew 18; John 10; Henry Williams Baker, 1821–1877, alt. Music: Trad. Irish Melody.

GREETING

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

The people answer: Amen.

The grace, the mercy, and the peace of God the Father and Christ Jesus our Savior be with you. The people answer: **And with your Spirit**

Act of Penitence

Gloria:





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Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Lectionary: 49 Reading 1

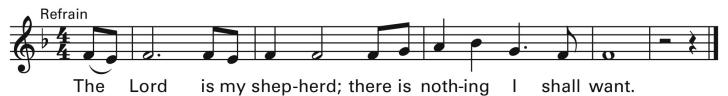
Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice, and proclaimed:
"Let the whole house of Israel know for certain that God has made both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified."

Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart, and they asked Peter and the other apostles, "What are we to do, my brothers?"
Peter said to them,
"Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.
For the promise is made to you and to your children and to all those far off, whomever the Lord our God will call."
He testified with many other arguments, and was exhorting them, "Save yourselves from this corrupt generation."
Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand persons were added that day.

PSALM 23: THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD/ I SHALL LIVE IN THE HOUSE OF THE LORD

Scot Crandal





I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

- The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. In verdant pastures he gives me repose; beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul.
- 2. He guides me in right paths for his name's sake.

 Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side with your rod and your staff that give me courage.
- 3. You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.
- 4. Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life; and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD for years to come.

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Reading 2

1 Pt 2:20b-25

Beloved:

If you are patient when you suffer for doing what is good, this is a grace before God.

For to this you have been called,

because Christ also suffered for you,

leaving you an example that you should follow in his footsteps.

He committed no sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth.

When he was insulted, he returned no insult;

when he suffered, he did not threaten;

instead, he handed himself over to the one who judges justly.

He himself bore our sins in his body upon the cross,

so that, free from sin, we might live for righteousness.

By his wounds you have been healed.

For you had gone astray like sheep,

but you have now returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls.

Gospel Acclamation



Mass of Spirit and Grace Ricky Manalo, CSP



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Gospel:

Gospel

Jn 10:1-10

Jesus said:

"Amen, amen, I say to you,

whoever does not enter a sheepfold through the gate

but climbs over elsewhere is a thief and a robber.

But whoever enters through the gate is the shepherd of the sheep.

The gatekeeper opens it for him, and the sheep hear his voice,

as the shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them out.

When he has driven out all his own,

he walks ahead of them, and the sheep follow him,

because they recognize his voice.

But they will not follow a stranger;

they will run away from him,

because they do not recognize the voice of strangers."

Although Jesus used this figure of speech,

the Pharisees did not realize what he was trying to tell them.

So Jesus said again, "Amen, amen, I say to you,

I am the gate for the sheep.

All who came before me are thieves and robbers,

but the sheep did not listen to them.
I am the gate.
Whoever enters through me will be saved,
and will come in and go out and find pasture.
A thief comes only to steal and slaughter and destroy;
I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly."

Homily

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, 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 (Prayer of the Faithful)

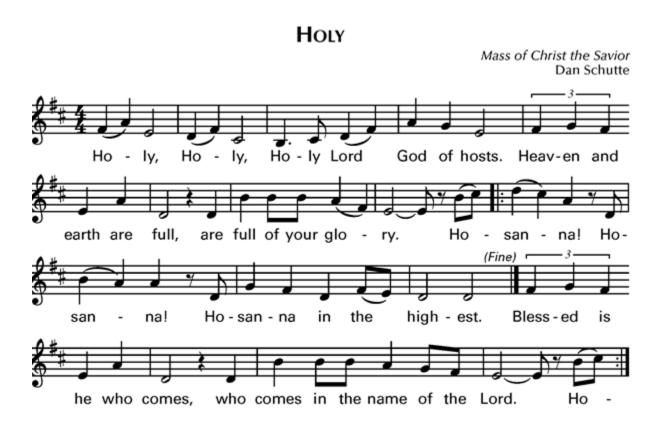
Please respond: Risen Lord hear our prayer

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST



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Memorial Acclamation



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AMEN

Mass of Christ the Savior Dan Schutte



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The Lord's Prayer Sign of Peace Lamb of God

LAMB OF GOD

Mass of Christ the Savior Dan Schutte of God, you take a - way of the Lamb the sins 1, 2 Final world, have mer-cy world, on us. grant us peace.

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Communion Songs:

You Satisfy the Hungry Heart



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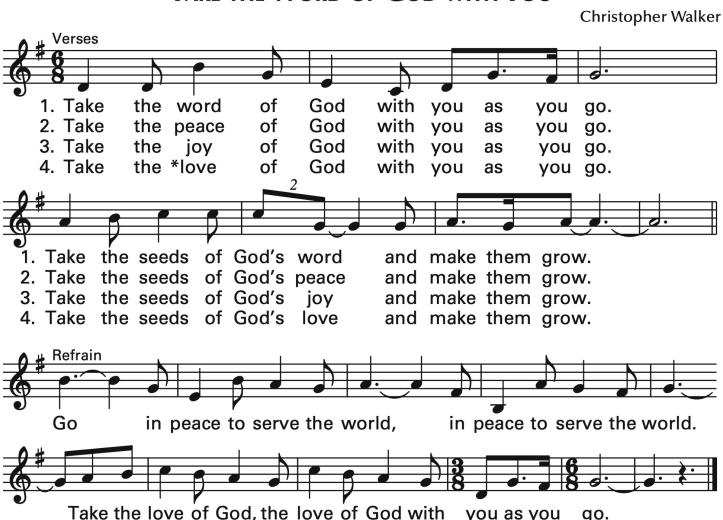
Prayer After Communion

Final Blessing

Dismissal

Sending Song

Take the Word of God with You



*Add other words if needed, such as "faith," "hope," etc.

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