Prayer for the Church

O Holy Spirit,
who govern your flock
with unfailing care,
grant in your boundless love
a pastor for your Church
who will please you
by his holiness and mercy,
show us watchful care,
and teach us how to imitate
our Lord Jesus Christ,
with whom and you and the Father
live and reign,
one God, for ever and ever.

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CELEBRATION of the HOLY EUCHARIST

in memory of

His Holiness Pope Francis

DECEMBER 17, 1936

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APRIL 21, 2025



Tuesday, April 29, 2025 7:30 P.M.

SAINT BERNADETTE CATHOLIC CHURCH SPRINGFIELD, VIRGINIA

ORDER of MASS

INTRODUCTORY RITES

ENTRANCE SONG

All Creatures of Our God and King

1. All Creatures of our God and King, Lift up your voice and with us sing: Alleluia! Alleluia!O burning sun with golden beam, O silver moon with softer gleam: O praise him! O praise him!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

- 3. And you, most kind and gentle death, 4
 Waiting to hush our final breath,
 O praise him! Alleluia!
 You lead to heav'n the child of God,
 Where Christ our Lord the way has trod.
 O praise him! O praise him!
 Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 2. O ev'ry one of tender heart,
 Forgiving others take your part,
 O praise him! Alleluia!
 All you who pain and sorrow bear,
 Praise God and lay on him your care
 O praise him! O praise him!
 Alleluia! Alleluia!
 - 4. Let all things their Creator bless,
 And worship him in humbleness
 O praise him! Alleluia!
 O praise the Father, praise the Son,
 And praise the Spirit, Three in One!
 O praise him! O praise him!
 Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

GREETING

Priest: The Lord be with you.

Assembly: And with your spirit.

PENITENTIAL ACT

COLLECT (OPENING PRAYER)

All are invited to pray briefly in silence. Then the priest continues with the Collect.

Priest: ...one God, for ever and ever.

Assembly: Amen.

LITURGY of the WORD

FIRST READING Please be seated. Following the Reading:

Acts of the Apostles 10:34-43

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CONCLUDING RITES

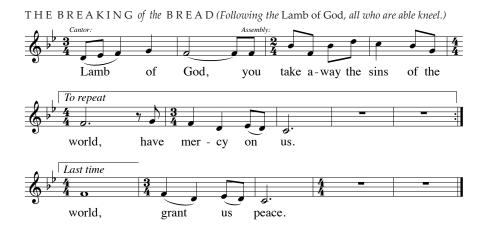
BLESSING and DISMISSAL

ANTIPHON in HONOR of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



Queen of heaven, rejoice, alleluia. For he whom you were merited to bear, alleluia. Has risen as he said, alleluia. Pray for us to God, alleluia.

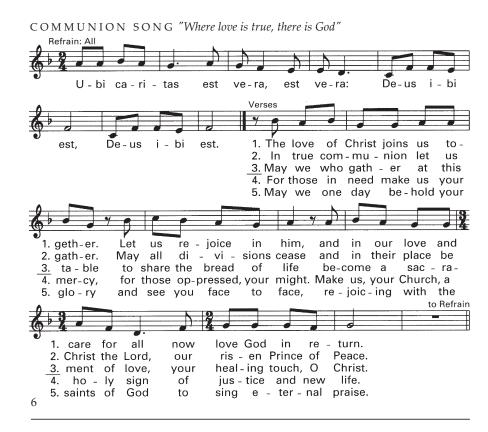




INVITATION to COMMUNION

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.

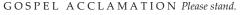




The Lord is my shep-herd; there is noth-ing I shall want.

SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 5:1, 6-10



John 11:25a, 26



GOSPEL

Matthew 25:31-46

HOMILY Please be seated.

UNIVERSAL PRAYER (PRAYER of the FAITHFUL)

Please stand.

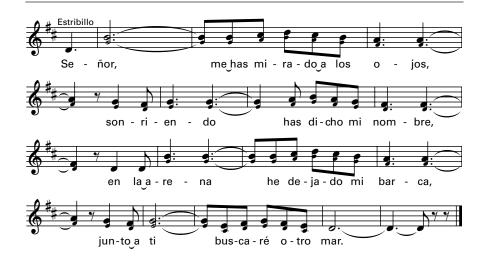
LITURGY of the EUCHARIST

THE PRESENTATION and PREPARATION of the GIFTS

Please be seated.







ORATE, FRATRES

Please stand.

Priest: Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

Assembly: 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.

PRAYER over the OFFERINGS

Priest: ...through Christ, our Lord. or ...for ever and ever.

Assembly: Amen.

The Eucharistic Prayer

Priest: The Lord be with you. *Assembly:* **And with your spirit.**

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

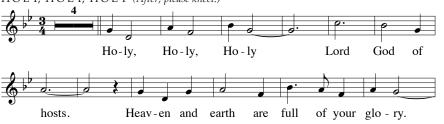
Assembly: We lift them up to the Lord.

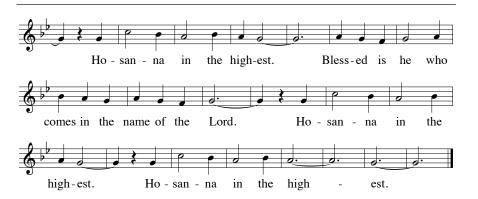
Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

Assembly: It is right and just.

The priest continues with the first part of the Eucharistic Prayer, the Preface. Then all sing:

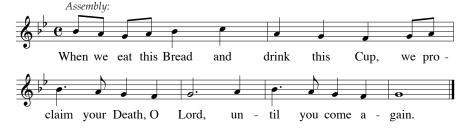


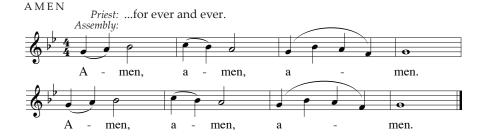




MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Priest: The mystery of faith.





Communion Rite

THE LORD'S PRAYER

All: Our Father....but deliver us from evil.

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, ... our Savior, Jesus Christ.

All: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and forever.

THE SIGN of PEACE

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

Assembly: And with your spirit.