

THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*The complete Order of Mass begins on page 4 of United in Christ/Unidos en Cristo.  
Prayers and responses of the Mass can also be found inside the front cover of the Gather hymnal.*

INTRODUCTORY RITES

ENTRANCE SONG

Morning Has Broken

1. Morn - ing has bro - ken Like the first morn - ing, Black-bird has  
2. Sweet the rain's new fall, Sun - lit from heav - en, Like the first  
3. Mine is the sun - light! Mine is the morn - ing Born of the

1. spo - ken Like the first bird. Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the  
2. dew - fall On the first grass. Praise for the sweet - ness Of the wet  
3. one light E - den saw play! Praise with e - la - tion, Praise ev - 'ry

1. morn - ing! Praise for them, spring - ing Fresh from the Word!  
2. gar - den, Sprung in com - plete - ness Where his feet pass.  
3. morn - ing, God's re - cre - a - tion Of the new day!

GREETING

PRIEST: The Lord be with you.  
PEOPLE: **And with your spirit.**

PENITENTIAL ACT *See inside front cover of Gather hymnal.*

GLORIA in EXCELSIS DEO

*Mass of Christ the Savior*

Refrain  
Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God in the high -  
est, and on earth peace, on earth peace to peo-ple of good  
will. will. A - men. A - men.

1-4 (1st time: to Refrain) | Final to Verses | Coda  
will. will. A - men. A - men.

Verse 1  
1. We praise you, we bless you, we a - dore you, we  
1. glo-ri - fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry,  
1. Lord God, heav'n - ly King, O God, al - might - y Fa - ther.

Verse 2  
2. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God,  
2. Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a - way the sins of the world,  
2. have mer - cy on us; you take a - way the sins of the world,  
2. re - ceive our prayer; you are seat - ed at the right hand,  
2. the right hand of the Fa - ther, have mer - cy on us.

Verse 3  
3. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,  
3. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly  
3. Spir - it, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther.

COLLECT (OPENING PRAYER)

LITURGY of the WORD

*The text of the readings begin page 92/93 of Unidos en Cristo/United in Christ.*

FIRST READING Isaiah 56:1,6-7

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8

O God, O God, let all the na - tions praise you.

May God have pity on us and bless us;  
may he let his face shine upon us.  
So may your way be known upon earth;  
among all nations, your salvation.

May the nations be glad and exult  
because you rule the peoples in equity;  
the nations on the earth you guide.

May the people praise you, O God;  
may all the peoples praise you!  
May God bless us,  
and may all the ends of the earth fear him.

SECOND READING Romans 11:13-15, 29-32

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Matthew 4:23

Cantor/All  
Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

Cantor/All  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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

GOSPEL Matthew 15:21-28

DEACON: The Lord be with you.  
PEOPLE: **And with your spirit.**  
DEACON: A reading from the holy Gospel according to N.  
PEOPLE: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

HOMILY

PROFESSION of FAITH *See inside front cover of Gather or page 161  
of United in Christ/Unidos en Cristo.*

UNIVERSAL PRAYER (PRAYER of the FAITHFUL)

LITURGY of the EUCHARIST



PRESENTATION and PREPARATION of the GIFTS

What Wondrous Love Is This

*Gather 704*

INVITATION to PRAYER

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

The Eucharistic Prayer

PRIEST: The Lord be with you.  
PEOPLE: **And with your spirit.**  
PRIEST: Lift up your hearts.  
PEOPLE: **We lift them up to the Lord.**  
PRIEST: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
PEOPLE: **It is right and just.**

SANCTUS

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are full, 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, who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

AMEN

A - men. A - men. A - men.

Communion Rite

THE LORD’S PRAYER

Gather 216

THE SIGN of PEACE

BREAKING of the BREAD

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

INVITATION to HOLY COMMUNION

PRIEST: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb.  
PEOPLE: **Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

COMMUNION SONG  
Unless a Grain of Wheat

Gather 868

All are invited to sing the Communion Song “as long as the Sacrament is being adminis-tered to the faithful,” “its purpose being to express the spiritual union of the communicants by means of the unity of their voices, to show gladness of heart, and to bring out more clearly the ‘communitarian’ character of the procession to receive the Eucharist.”  
General Instruction of the Roman Missal no. 86.

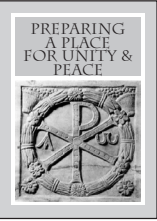
PRAYER after COMMUNION

CONCLUDING RITES  
BLESSING and DISMISSAL

SONG at the SENDING FORTH The Spirit Sends Us Forth

1. The Spir-it sends us forth to serve; We go in Je - sus’ name  
2. We go to com-fort those who mourn And set the bur-dened free;  
3. We go to be the hands of Christ, To scat-ter joy like seed  
4. Then let us go to serve in peace, The gos-pel to pro - claim.

1. To bring glad ti-dings to the poor, God’s fa - vor to pro-claim.  
2. Where hope is dim, to share a dream And help the blind to see.  
3. And, all our days, to cher-ish life, To do the lov-ing deed.  
4. God’s Spir - it has em-pow-er’d us; We go in Je - sus’ name.



Saint Bernadette Monthly Ecumenical Prayer  
Monday, August 17 ~ 8:00pm-8:45pm.

Peace-filled and candlelit participatory song, scripture, and silence in the tradition of the community of Taizé, France.

All are warmly welcome.

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The Canaanite woman begs Jesus to heal her daughter, Jean Colombe, Tres Riches Heures du duc de Berry, Paris, c. 1485. Chantilly, Musée-Condé, codex DB-65, fol. 64r.