



Corpus Christi Catholic Church

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 8, 2023

Pastor
Fr. Leo J Edgerly Jr

In Residence
Fr. Basil De Pinto

Guest Celebrants
Fr. Paul R Vassar
Fr. Vince Cotter

Gathering Song Gather Us In - Marty Haugen

Here in this place, new light is streaming,
now is the darkness, vanished away.
See in this space, our fears and our dreaming's,
brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in the lost and forsaken.
Gather us in the blind and the lame;
Call to us now, and we shall awaken,
we shall arise at the sound of our name.

We are the young, our lives are a myst'ry,
we are the old, who yearn for your face,
We have been sung throughout all of hist'ry,
called to be light to the whole human race.
Gather us in, the rich and the haughty,
gather us in, the proud and the strong;
Give us a heart, so meek and so lowly,
give us the courage to enter the song.

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Isaiah 5:1-7

Let me now sing of my friend,
my friend's song concerning his vineyard.
My friend had a vineyard on a fertile hillside;
he spaded it, cleared it of stones,
and planted the choicest vines;
within it he built a watchtower,
and hewed out a wine press.
Then he looked for the crop of grapes,
but what it yielded was wild grapes.

Now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah,
judge between me and my vineyard:
What more was there to do for my vineyard
that I had not done?
Why, when I looked for the crop of grapes,
did it bring forth wild grapes?
Now, I will let you know
what I mean to do with my vineyard:
take away its hedge, give it to grazing,
break through its wall, let it be trampled!
Yes, I will make it a ruin: it shall not be pruned
or hoed, but overgrown with thorns and briars;
I will command the clouds not to send rain upon it.
The vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of
Israel, and the people of Judah are his cherished
plant; he looked for judgment, but see,
bloodshed! for justice, but hark, the outcry!

Psalm 80 The People of God Are the Vineyard - from Psallite

Musical notation for Psalm 80 with lyrics: The peo - ple of God are the vine - yard, the vine - yard of the Lord.

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Philippians 4:6-9

Brothers and sisters:
Have no anxiety at all, but in everything,
by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving,
make your requests known to God.
Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding
will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, brothers and sisters,
whatever is true, whatever is honorable,
whatever is just, whatever is pure,
whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious,
if there is any excellence
and if there is anything worthy of praise,
think about these things.
Keep on doing what you have learned and received
and heard and seen in me.
Then the God of peace will be with you.

Gospel Acclamation Word of Truth and Life by Marty Haugen

Musical notation for Gospel Acclamation with lyrics: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Praise the Word of truth and life!

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Matthew 22:33-43

Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people:
"Hear another parable.
There was a landowner who planted a vineyard,
put a hedge around it, dug a wine press in it,
and built a tower.

Matthew 22:33-43

Then he leased it to tenants and went on a journey. When vintage time drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to obtain his produce. But the tenants seized the servants and one they beat, another they killed, and a third they stoned. Again he sent other servants, more numerous than the first ones, but they treated them in the same way. Finally, he sent his son to them, thinking, 'They will respect my son.' But when the tenants saw the son, they said to one another, 'This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and acquire his inheritance.' They seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. What will the owner of the vineyard do to those tenants when he comes?" They answered him, "He will put those wretched men to a wretched death and lease his vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the proper times." Jesus said to them, "Did you never read in the Scriptures: *The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; by the Lord has this been done, and it is wonderful in our eyes?* Therefore, I say to you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce its fruit."

**Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**

**Apostles Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

**Offertory** *These Alone Are Enough* by Dan Schutte

Take my heart, O Lord, take my hopes and dreams.  
Take my mind\_ with all its plans and schemes.  
Give me nothing more than your love and grace.  
These alone, O God, are enough\_ for me.

Take my thoughts, O Lord, and my memory.  
Take my tears, my joys, my liberty.  
Give me nothing more than your love and grace.  
These alone, O God, are enough\_ for me.

I surrender Lord all I have and hold.  
I return to you\_ your gifts untold.  
Give me nothing more than your love and grace.  
These alone, O God, are enough\_ for me.

When the darkness falls on my final days,  
take the very breath that sang your praise.  
Give me nothing more than your love and grace.  
These alone, O God, are enough\_ for me.

Text: Based on "Suscipe" Prayer of Ignatius of Loyola.  
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**Eucharistic Acclamations**

*Mass of the Living God* by Joseph Hébert

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Holy Lord\_ God of Hosts.  
Hea-ven and earth\_ are full\_ of your glo-ry (*4 claps*)  
Hosan-na, Hosan-na, Hosan-na in the high-est!  
Hosan-na, Hosan-na, Hosan-na in the high-est!

Blest is He, blest is He,  
who comes in the name of the Lord (*4 claps*)...*Hosanna*

**Mystery of Faith**

We proclaim\_ your death\_ O\_ Lord  
And profess\_ your resurrection, Until you come\_ a-gain.

**Amen**

For-ever\_ and ever, forever and ever A-men (*repeat*)

**Lamb of God (Fraction rite)**

Lamb of God you take away\_ the sins\_ of the world  
Have mer-cy on us. (Grant us peace)

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**Communion** *Many and Great - by Ricky Manalo*

Many and great, are bearers of the Word:  
the Christ speaks, the heart seeks.  
Gathered as one, we listen to the Word,  
and share\_ the meal of new birth.



The wheat grows from springtime to fall; the wine flows,  
in Christ we recall, the sharing of our lives, with one and all.

Many and great, are seeds upon the field;  
the hand sows, the seeds grow.  
Take now and eat, the covenant fulfilled,  
the bread\_ of promise and life.

Many and great, are voices of despair;  
the rain falls, the voice calls.  
Take now and drink, the wine of hope and care;  
our cup\_ of blessing we share.

Many and great, are pebbles in the sand;  
the sun glows, the wind blows.  
Take now and spread the Word to ev'ry land,  
The Word\_ of goodness and hope.

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**Sending Forth** *Now Thank We All Our God*

Now thank we all our God, with heart and hands and voices.  
Who wondrous things hath done. In whom this world rejoices.  
Who from our mother's arms, hath blessed us on our way,  
with countless gifts of love, and still is ours to day.

O may this gracious God, through all our life be near us:  
With ever joyful hearts, and blessed peace to cheer us.  
Preserve us in his grace, and guide us in distress,  
and free us from all sin, till heaven we possess.

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