



Catholic Community of St. Odilia

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 19 2020, Worship Aid

Prelude Music

All Things New

Refrain:

Sing a new song! Rejoice! The dawn is breaking, the earth is waking,
its dreams come true. And do you hear the voice, darkness surprising,
sing in its rising; “See I am making all things new!”

Whom shall we live for? Whose mighty hand made the moon, the sun and
stars on high? Who made a way for us through water and the sand,
brought us out of slavery and fed us from the sky?

Who found us wanderers, and made us into one? Who is ever near with
strength to save? Whose love adopted us as daughters and as sons,
family to the Firstborn who is risen from the grave?

Who is known to every heart and called by many names?

Who has called the lowly ones “My own”, breathes a dream of justice into
us like tongues of flame? Who is tender mercy? Only God and God alone.

Gathering Song

Easter Alleluia

Refrain: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

1. Glory to God who does wondrous things, let all the people God’s praises
now sing, all of creation in splendor shall ring: Alleluia!
2. See how salvation for all has been won, up from the grave our new life has
begun, life now perfected in Jesus, the Son: Alleluia!
3. Now in our presence the Lord will appear, shine in the faces of all of us here,
fill us with joy and cast out all our fear: Alleluia!

Greeting

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, only begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer, you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father.

Opening Prayer

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Acts 2: 42-47

They devoted themselves
to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life,
to the breaking of bread and to the prayers.
Awe came upon everyone,
and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles.
All who believed were together and had all things in common;
they would sell their property and possessions
and divide them among all according to each one's need.
Every day they devoted themselves
to meeting together in the temple area
and to breaking bread in their homes.
They ate their meals with exultation and sincerity of heart,
praising God and enjoying favor with all the people.
And every day the Lord added to their number
those who were being saved.

The word of the Lord. **Response:** Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm*Ps. 118-This is the Day*

This is the day the Lord has made! Let us rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad!

Second Reading*1 Pt. 1: 3-9*

A reading from the first letter of Peter
Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
who in his great mercy gave us a new birth to a living hope
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,
to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading,
kept in heaven for you
who by the power of God are safeguarded through faith,
to a salvation that is ready to be revealed in the final time.
In this you rejoice, although now for a little while
you may have to suffer through various trials,
so that the genuineness of your faith,
more precious than gold that is perishable
even though tested by fire,
may prove to be for praise, glory, and honor
at the revelation of Jesus Christ.
Although you have not seen him you love him;
even though you do not see him now yet believe in him,
you rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy,
as you attain the goal of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

The word of the Lord. **Response:** Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia!

Gospel Reading*Jn. 20: 19-31*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

Response: Glory to you, O Lord

On the evening of that first day of the week,
when the doors were locked, where the disciples were,
for fear of the Jews,
Jesus came and stood in their midst
and said to them, "Peace be with you."
When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side.
The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord.

Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you.
As the Father has sent me, so I send you."
And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them,
"Receive the Holy Spirit.
Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them,
and whose sins you retain are retained."

Thomas, called Didymus, one of the Twelve,
was not with them when Jesus came.
So the other disciples said to him, "We have seen the Lord."
But he said to them,
"Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands
and put my finger into the nailmarks
and put my hand into his side, I will not believe."

Now a week later his disciples were again inside
and Thomas was with them.
Jesus came, although the doors were locked,
and stood in their midst and said, "Peace be with you."
Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands,
and bring your hand and put it into my side,
and do not be unbelieving, but believe."
Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!"
Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me?
Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

Now, Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples
that are not written in this book.
But these are written that you may come to believe
that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God,
and that through this belief you may have life in his name.

Presider: The Gospel of the Lord. **Response:** Praise to you, Lord, Jesus Christ.

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.

Prayers of the Faithful

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Altar

INVITATION TO PRAYER

Priest:

Pray, brothers and sisters
That my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable
to God, the almighty Father.

Response:

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

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Priest: The Lord be with you.

Response: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

Response: We lift them up to the Lord.

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

Response: It is right and just.

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Memorial Acclamation

We proclaim your death O, Lord
And profess your resurrection
Until you come again, until you come again.

Amen**The Lord's Prayer****Sign of Peace**

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

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Life-giving Bread, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

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.

Response: Lord, I am not worthy
that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word
and my soul shall be healed.

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.
Amen.

Communion Song

We Walk by Faith

We walk by faith, and not by sight: no gracious words we hear
of him who spoke as none e'er spoke, but we believe him near.
We may not touch his hands and side, nor follow where he trod:
yet in his promise we rejoice, and cry "My Lord and God!"
Help then, O Lord, our unbelief, and may our faith abound;
to call on you when you are near, and seek where you are found.
That when our life of faith is done in realms of clearer light
we may behold you as you are in full and endless sight.

Closing Song

Sing to the Mountains

Refrain:

Sing to the mountains, sing to the sea, raise your voices, lift your hearts.
This is the day the Lord has made, let all the earth rejoice.

I will give thanks to you my Lord. You have answered my plea.
You have saved my soul from death. You are my strength and my song!

Holy, holy, holy Lord, heaven and earth are full of you glory!

This is the day that the Lord has made. Let us be glad and rejoice.
Now all death has turned to life. Sing of the glory of God!