



Mass Worship Aid

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 15/17, 2022

Gathering Hymn: "O God Beyond All Praising"

O God beyond all praising, we worship you today and sing the love amazing that songs cannot repay; For we can only wonder at every gift you send, at blessings without number and mercies without end: We lift our hearts before you and wait upon your word, we honor and adore you, our great and mighty Lord.

Then hear, O gracious Savior, accept the love we bring, that we who know your favor may serve you as our King; And whether our tomorrows be filled with good or ill, we'll triumph through our sorrows and rise to bless you still: To marvel at your beauty and glory in your ways, and make a joyful duty our sacrifice of praise.

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. Amen

First Reading: Gn 18:1-10a

A reading from the book of Genesis

The LORD appeared to Abraham by the terebinth of Mamre, as he sat in the entrance of his tent, while the day was growing hot. Looking up, Abraham saw three men standing nearby. When he saw them, he ran from the entrance of the tent to greet them; and bowing to the ground, he said: "Sir, if I may ask you this favor, please do not go on past your servant. Let some water be brought, that you may bathe your feet, and then rest yourselves under the tree. Now that you have come this close to your servant, let me bring you a little food, that you may refresh yourselves; and afterward you may go on your way." The men replied, "Very well, do as you have said." Abraham hastened into the tent and told Sarah, "Quick, three measures of fine flour! Knead it and make

rolls." He ran to the herd, picked out a tender, choice steer, and gave it to a servant, who quickly prepared it. Then Abraham got some curds and milk, as well as the steer that had been prepared, and set these before the three men; and he waited on them under the tree while they ate. They asked Abraham, "Where is your wife, Sarah?" He replied, "There in the tent." One of them said, "I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah will then have a son."

The Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm:

7:30am-Ps. 15: He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

Psalm 15: The One Who Does Justice

The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord

Second Reading: Col. 1:24-28

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Colossians

Brothers and sisters:

Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in the afflictions of Christ on behalf of his body, which is the church, of which I am a minister in accordance with God's stewardship given to me to bring to completion for you the word of God, the mystery hidden from ages and from generations past. But now it has been manifested to his holy ones, to whom God chose to make known the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; it is Christ in you, the hope for glory. It is he whom we proclaim, admonishing everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone perfect in Christ.

The Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God

Gospel: Lk 10:38-42

A reading from the holy gospel according to Luke

Jesus entered a village where a woman whose name was Martha welcomed him. She had a sister named Mary who sat beside the Lord at his feet listening to him speak. Martha, burdened with much serving, came to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me by

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myself to do the serving? Tell her to help me."
The Lord said to her in reply,
"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her."

The Gospel of the Lord

All: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Offertory Hymn: "O God You Search Me"

V1 O God, you search me and you know me. All my thoughts lie open to your gaze. When I walk or lie down you are before me: Ever the maker and keeper of my days

V2 You know my resting and my rising. You discern my purpose from afar, and with love everlasting you besiege me: In ev'ry moment of life or death, you are.

V3 Before a word is on my tongue, Lord, you have known its meaning through and through. You are with me beyond my understanding: God of my present, my past and future to.

V4 Although your Spirit is upon me. Still I search for shelter from your light. There is nowhere on Earth I can escape you. Even the darkness is radiant in your sight

Mystery of Faith:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death O, Lord. Until you come again.

Pre-Communion Hymn: "Litany of Peace"

Make me an instrument of your peace. Make me an instrument of your peace. (repeat)

Communion Hymn:

"Your Words are Spirit and Life/Open My Eyes"

R Your words are spirit and life, O Lord. Richer than gold, stronger than death. Your words are spirit and life, O Lord. Life everlasting

V1 God's law is perfect, refreshing the soul. Reviving the weary spirit. God's rule can be trusted: bringing us Wisdom. Bringing God's wisdom to birth. **R**

V2 Open my eyes, Lord. Help me to see your face. Open my eyes, Lord. Help me to see. **R**

V3 God's precepts keeps us, their purpose is right. They gladden the hearts of people. God's command is so clear it brings us new vision; bringing God's light to our eyes. **R**

V4 Open my ears, Lord. Help me to hear your voice. Open my ears, Lord. Help me to hear. **R**

V5 Living by God's truth is holy and sure; God's presence is everlasting. God's truth is eternal, bringing us justice Bringing God's justice to earth. **R**

V6 Open my heart Lord, help me to love like You. Open my heart Lord, help me to love. **R**

V7 God's word is precious, desired more than gold; worth more than we dare imagine and, sweeter than honey, this word will feed us bringing fulfillment and joy.

Sending Hymn: "Go Make a Difference"

R Go make a diff'rence, we can make a diff'rence. Go make a diff'rence in the world. Go make a diff'rence we can make a diff'rence. Go make a diff'rence in the world (repeat)

V1 We are the salt of the earth, called to let the people see the love of God in you and me. We are the light of the world, not to be hidden, but be seen. Go make a diff'rence in the world. **R.**



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