

OCTOBER 12.13, 2024

WELCOME!

We are grateful for your presence and invite you to participate fully in the liturgy. If you are a guest or visitor, we thank you for joining us today and hope you will return often.

If you would like to become a member of our parish, please stop by the **Welcome and Registration Table** in the O'Gara Gathering Space.

We warmly welcome the presence of children at Mass. If your little one needs extra attention during Mass, please feel free to step into the O'Gara Gathering Space until they are ready to return to the assembly.

Hearing devices are available in the Vesting Room.

No-Gluten and Low-Gluten Communion Options

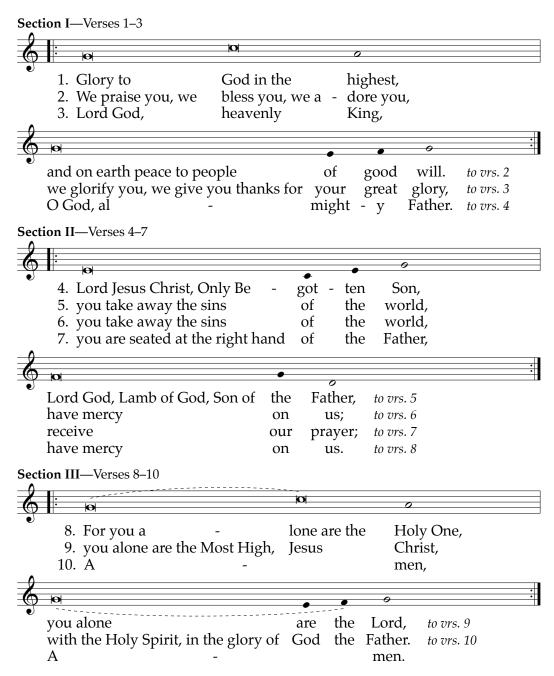
All who wish can receive the Blood of Christ from the cup at one of three stations: near the font, at the center or near the choir/musicians. The station closest to the musicians will minister to those needing a **NO gluten** reception of Communion first, then others may receive from that cup. If you are unable to receive Communion containing even a trace amount of gluten, please sit in the section near the musicians on either side of the Altar and prepare to be first in line to drink from the cup.

For anyone needing to receive a **low-gluten host**, special hosts with a very low-gluten content are available in a separate vessel (pyx). Please let the communion ministers know you wish to receive a low gluten host when you come forward to receive. It would be helpful, but not necessary for those desiring low-gluten communion to sit in the sections closest to the Altar. All ministers are prepared to make every hospitable effort to ensure that everyone has access to the Eucharist when celebrating Mass at St. Thomas the Apostle.



SIGN OF THE CROSS GREETING PENITENTIAL ACT

GLORIA Psallite Mass: At the Table of the Lord



LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING I

Response at the conclusion of the reading:

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM



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verse 1 Teach us to number our days, that we may gain wisdom of heart. Turn back, O Lord! How long? Show pity to your servants.

verse 2 At dawn, fill us with your love; we shall exult and rejoice all our days. Give us joy for the days of our affliction, for the years when we looked upon evil.

verse 3 Let your deeds be seen by your servants, and your glorious power by their children. Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us; give success to the work of our hands. O give success to the work of our hands.

READING II

Response at the conclusion of the reading:

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia *from* Mass of Angels and Saints





Verse Response



Dialogue at the beginning of the gospel:

Presider: The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE: And with your spirit.

Presider: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Mark.

PEOPLE: Glory to You, O Lord.

GOSPEL

Response at the conclusion of the gospel:

Presider: The Gospel of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

HOMILY

Profession of Faith - The 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 and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

All bow.

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

All rise.

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.

Universal Prayer

Response to each intercession:

LECTOR: We pray:

PEOPLE: Lord, hear our prayer.

please be seated for the procession and preparation of gifts.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

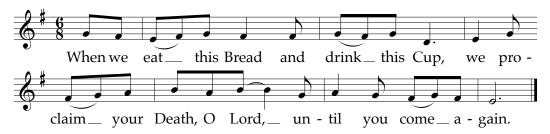


EUCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS: Mass of Angels and Saints

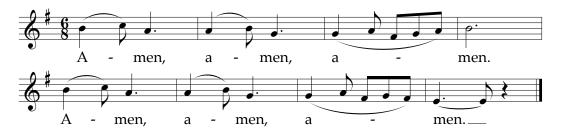


All **bow** reverently when the presider bows or genuflects.

Memorial Acclamation



Amen

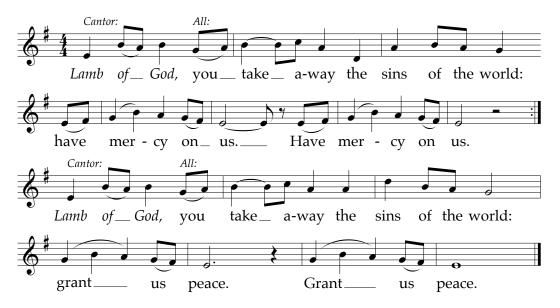


THE COMMUNION RITE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SIGN OF PEACE

Lamb of God

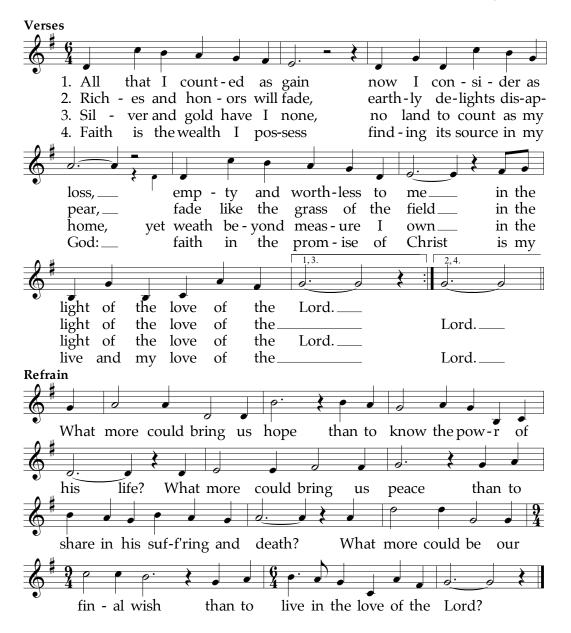


Invitation to Communion

PRESIDER: 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.

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



CONCLUDING RITE

FINAL BLESSING

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Presider: May almighty God bless you,

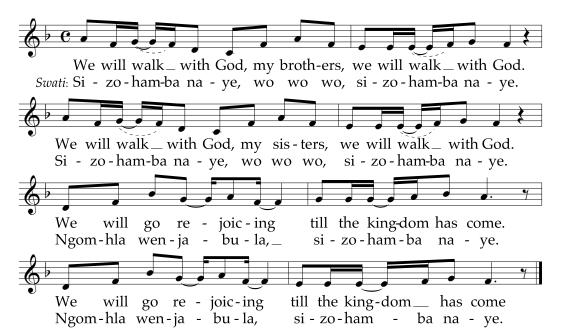
the Father, and the Son, + and the Holy Spirit.

PEOPLE: Amen.

DISMISSAL

Presider: Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.



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