

# ST. MARY CHURCH HYDE PARK

JANUARY 21, 2024



# COCKTAILS WITH THE CATECHISM

“ENCOUNTER JESUS ...” THE WINTER SERIES

FATHER ALEX DUGAS



JAN 23

LAVINIA SPIRITO



FEB 19-21

FATHER LUKAS VAN BERKUM



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## Weekend Mass Schedule

**St. Cecilia (Oakley):** Saturday 3:30 PM | Sunday 8 AM, 10 AM, and 8:15 PM

**St. Mary (Hyde Park):** Saturday at 4 PM | Sunday at 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

**The Oratory of St. John Vianney at St. Anthony Church (Madisonville):** Saturday 3 PM | Sunday 9:30 AM

## Daily Mass Schedule

**St. Cecilia (Oakley):** 9 AM Mass, Monday-Saturday.

All-day Adoration follows the 9 AM Mass on Wednesdays with 7 PM Holy Hour and Confessions from 7-7:50 PM

**St. Mary (Hyde Park):** 5:30 PM evening Mass, Monday-Thursday with Holy Hour on Tuesdays following the 5:30 PM Mass.

**The Oratory of St. John Vianney at St. Anthony Church (Madisonville):** 11:45 AM Mass, Monday-Friday

## Confession Schedule

Confessions begin immediately after all daily Masses and one hour before weekend Masses, ending 30 minutes before Mass.

*For information on weddings, baptisms and funerals, please visit [eastsidefaith.org](http://eastsidefaith.org) or call the appropriate parish office.*

### St. Cecilia (Oakley)

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Office: (513) 871-5757

[www.stceciliacincinnati.org](http://www.stceciliacincinnati.org)

[facebook.com/stceciliacincinnati](https://facebook.com/stceciliacincinnati)

[instagram: stceciliaparish](https://instagram.com/stceciliaparish)

### St. Mary (Hyde Park)

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Office: (513) 321-1207

[www.smchp.com](http://www.smchp.com)

[facebook.com/SMCHP](https://facebook.com/SMCHP) and [facebook.com/St-Mary-School](https://facebook.com/St-Mary-School)

[instagram: stmaryhydepark](https://instagram.com/stmaryhydepark)

### Oratory of St. John Vianney at St. Anthony Church (Madisonville)

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(513) 271-0920

[www.eastsidefaith.org](http://www.eastsidefaith.org)

**Priest Emergency Line: (513) 815-5038**

## Mass Intentions (St. Mary)

### MONDAY, JANUARY 22

5:30 PM Intentions of Fr. Ken Schartz

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 23

5:30 PM Hugh Cahill ☩

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24

5:30 PM Shannon Benvenuti (L)

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 25

5:30 PM Lois J. Burger ☩

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 26

5:30 PM No Mass

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

4:00 PM Isabella De Cunzo ☩

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 28 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM For the Living and Deceased Regional Families

10:30 AM Suzanne Kiley ☩

Mass intentions may be requested and paid for online at [EastsideFaith.org](http://EastsideFaith.org), under the "About" section. Masses may also be scheduled at one of our offices. Payment may be made online, in an envelope clearly marked in the collection basket, or in person during office hours. Intentions are often requested for those who have died, but may include any kind of need that you or someone you know is experiencing for which prayer is needed.

## Wedding Banns

No wedding banns this week.

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For a complete listing of ministries and staff, visit [eastsidefaith.org](http://eastsidefaith.org).



## Cocktails with the Catechism Winter Series January 21, 2024

We are proud to present the Cocktails with the Catechism winter series, “*Encountering Jesus*,” beginning with Fr. Alex speaking at Big Ash Brewery on Tuesday, January 23 at 7 PM. His talk is titled “Beauty Ever Ancient, Ever New.” Next will be Lavinia Spirito leading a Lenten Mission from February 19–21 for our family. The title will be “*Master to the Disciples*.” Finally, as we end our Lenten journey in March, we will have Fr. Lukas Van Bekum present on “*The Divine Physician*” on March 19. These talks have been so well attended and I’m very excited about keeping the room full in the new year! I’m very grateful to Haley Metzger who started this series and will be incorporating our Lenten Mission into it.

Please look ahead on your calendar and save these dates! I would love to see you there. We can enjoy a meal and a drink together at the brewery while listening to some wonderful talks by these accomplished speakers.

Another reminder: please start collecting your palms from previous Easters and bring them to our Closing of Ordinary Time service at St. Cecilia. Each church will have a basket to collect last year's blessed palms and then they will be brought to St. Cecilia for the service to be burned so we can use the ashes on Ash Wednesday.

Amen? Amen.

*Fr. Jesse*



## New Director of Sacred Music for St. Cecilia

**Ryan Leep** grew up in Springfield, Ohio and graduated from Xavier University where he majored in Vocal Performance with a minor in Physics. He served as Music Director at St. Mary in Oxford, Ohio for six years and then held a position in Supply Chain Management for eleven years prior to transitioning back to music ministry in December, 2022 for the Queen of Apostles Parish Family.

Ryan married his wife, Kristen, at St. Cecilia in October of 2013 and sang in the St. Cecilia choir from 2015 to 2022 occasionally acting as a substitute organist during that time. He and his wife have three wonderful children: Peter (7), John (4) and Michael (2) who were all baptized at St. Cecilia.

During his free time, Ryan enjoys spending time with his family and friends, reading, studying mathematics, modern physics and sacred polyphony and listening to the Cincinnati Reds and Cincinnati Bengals.

Ryan will now work full-time as Director of Sacred Music acting as director of the St. Cecilia choir, organist and vocalist among additional responsibilities. Welcome back, Ryan!

## From the Oratory of Saint John Vianney

The Oratory is part of St. Cecilia Parish and devoted to prayer for the priests of our Archdiocese, through the intercession of St. John Vianney, patron of parish priests. Please join us this week in praying for **Fr. Donald Shelander**, **Fr. Edward Shine**, **Fr. Earl Simone**, **Fr. Ralph Westerhoff**, and **Fr. Ronald Wilker (retired)**. Special thanks to those who have offered to help send notes of thanks and encouragement to the priests we are praying for each week!

Remember that **Donut Sunday** is on the fourth Sunday of every month. This month it will be next Sunday, January 28. Please stop by the parish center after the 9:30 Mass to visit with fellow parishioners!

### Please Help Replenish Oratory SVdP Food Pantry!

Please place donations in the baskets on the shelf in the back of church. Items needed: soup, cereal, stew, pasta, condiments (mustard, ketchup), jelly, bars of soap, kleenex, paper towels, dish soap. Thank you for your generosity!





### From the Desk of Fr. Ken

Today's Gospel has Andrew, Peter, James, and John leave it all behind to follow Jesus. They had good jobs as fishermen, but they wanted more. The "more" is only what Jesus can give.

Next Sunday, we begin Catholic Schools Week, so if you have a son or daughter here at St. Mary, please let all our teachers and administrators know how much they are appreciated.

*Fr. Ken Schopf*

### From the School Office

**Catholic Schools Week** / January 28 – February 2

Theme: United in Faith & Community

St. Mary School is planning activities throughout Catholic Schools Week to celebrate our Blue Ribbon community. Students and Faculty will be on the lookout to recognize those that "Be the Light" to others and we will celebrate with daily spiritual themes such as Gratitude and "To Listen is to Love." Join us for Open House next Sunday!



**Thank you to the donors to the Christmas Flower Altar Fund. We offer up prayers for the special intentions In Honor of or In Memory of their loved ones:**

- Clare Lee McMahon, Mary Grace Babbitt, Kit Gannon,
- John J Prunte Family, Maureen Rosenbaum,
- Robert Rosenbaum, Ted Stine, Fr. Ken Schartz,
- Dorr and DeLong Families, Leo and Leola Wall,
- Mrs Evelyn Gulino, Genevieve Kisor, Ruth Skinner,
- Jim Kelly, Lafkas & Skinner Families,
- Dr. Thomas Lammarre Sr., George Randle,
- James B. Tincher, Allan Toepfer, Dorothy Gerwin Williams,
- Irma Shea, Tom Whitten Jr. & Sr.,
- Alice Whitten, Char Parrish, Jim Linkhart,
- Colleen Pearl, Shirley Schmelzle,
- Dulle & Wimberg Relatives,
- Sue Thompson, Patrice Pelton

### God Bless the Newly Baptized



**Harper Patrice**

*daughter of Elizabeth and William O'Conner*

## SAVE THE DATE

Friday, March 22, 2024

### Fish Fry

St. Mary Cafeteria

*Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus*



## SPRING SPORTS REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Open to all St. Mary School and St. Mary Parish Children

**SOFTBALL** – Grades K-8

Boys and Girls **SOCCER** – Grades K-7

Boys **VOLLEYBALL** – Grades 3-8

Boys and Girls **LITTLE SPIKERS VOLLEYBALL** – Grades K-8

**BASEBALL** – Grades K-8

### DETAILS AND REGISTRATION LINKS



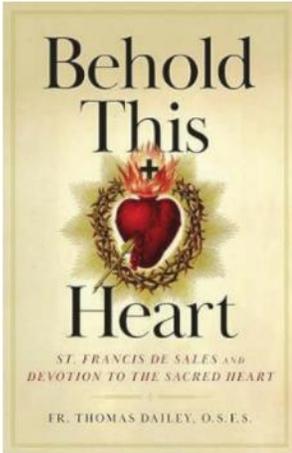
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## BOOK REVIEW

## THE CATECHIST'S CORNER

*Behold this Heart: St. Francis de Sales and Devotion to the Sacred Heart* by Fr. Thomas Dailey, O.S.F.



The devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus is by far my favorite devotion. As for devotions to the saints, St. Francis de Sales is absolutely my favorite saint. Little did I know that the two have a great connection. Though the devotion to the Sacred Heart was revealed to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque more than 50 years after his death, St. Francis de Sales' particular spirituality and the charism of the religious order he founded—the Order of the Visitation—were great instruments in the devotion's spread. Fr. Dailey's book acts as an excellent introduction to the spirituality of St. Francis de Sales, his life, and the lives of St. Jane Frances de Chantal and St. Margaret Mary. Accompanying his text is a fairly good novena in the Salesian mode and many other devotions to the Sacred Heart. I recommend this book for anyone who is hoping to learn more about the Sacred Heart, and I hope you find great benefit as I have in a friendship with St. Francis de Sales. *(Reviewed by Father Alex Dugas)*

# Interested in becoming Catholic?

*Or simply learning more about our faith?*

Contact RCIA Director Colin Kunath at [rcia@eastsideregion.org](mailto:rcia@eastsideregion.org)  
or visit [eastsidefaith.org/rcia](http://eastsidefaith.org/rcia). Classes are Wednesday nights at 7PM  
in St. Mary's Robisch Hall.

**Classes are in session, but you can still join us!**

# THE WILD GOOSE

DISCOVERING A DEEPER RELATIONSHIP WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

## Thursday Morning Study

JANUARY 11TH-FEBRUARY 15TH

9-10:30 AM

ST. MARY HYDE PARK-MARIAN ROOM

The Tuesday Morning Study group will be moving to Thursdays for Spring 2024! Join this dynamic group for reflection on the Holy Spirit with the final six episodes of the FORMED series, *The Wild Goose*. A reminder that while consistent attendance will only continue to enhance your experience, each episode can be viewed as a stand-alone short feature. Consequently, don't worry if you can't make it to all of the gatherings or if you did not attend the fall sessions. Each individual session has much to offer! Your presence is welcome for as much of the series as possible!

**SIGN UP AT [WWW.EASTSIDEFAITH.ORG/THE-WILD-GOOSE](http://WWW.EASTSIDEFAITH.ORG/THE-WILD-GOOSE)**

## Join us for a special Mass to Celebrate our Scouts!

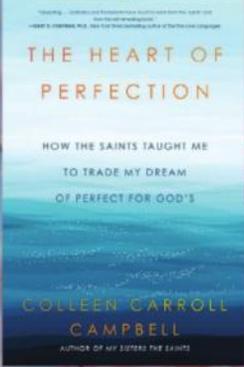
Sunday, February 4, 2024

10:30 AM

St. Mary Hyde Park

*All scouts, no matter what age, are invited to attend in uniform!*

RETURNING THIS SPRING:  
WOMEN'S SMALL GROUPS



*"Faithful, highly committed Christians often fall hardest into the trap of spiritual perfectionism... We've forgotten the faith's central truth: that Jesus came to save us because we cannot save ourselves."*  
Colleen Campbell

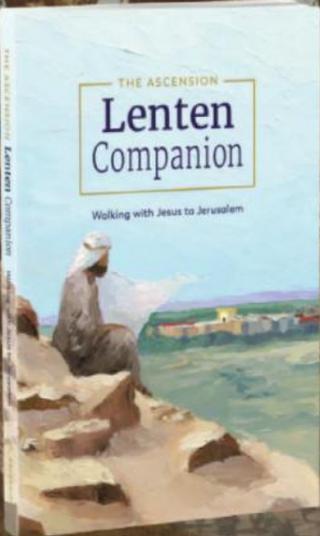
Young adult women from across the Eastside Family are invited to join us for an 8-week book study on Colleen Carroll Campbell's winner of the 2020 Catholic Press Association Book Award, *The Heart of Perfection*. A profound examination of the ways in which perfectionism has pervaded 21st century womanhood, not just personally and professionally but spiritually, Campbell offers antidotes through the stories of her own life and those of saintly figures which help temper our internal critique and reclaim our identity as inherently loved by God.

REGISTER TODAY TO BE A PARTICIPANT OR SMALL GROUP LEADER  
[WWW.EASTSIDEFAITH.ORG/WOMENS-SMALL-GROUPS](http://WWW.EASTSIDEFAITH.ORG/WOMENS-SMALL-GROUPS)

Thinking of getting married in the Eastside Family?

Starting with the wedding year 2025, you or an immediate family member must be registered as a parishioner at St. Mary or St. Cecilia for three months prior to reserving your wedding date. Please note that if you are not planning on celebrating your wedding in the family but wish to complete marriage preparation with your parish, you will also need to register within this timeline.

Questions or concerns? Reach out to Wedding Reservations Coordinator, Haley Metzger, at [hmetzger@eastsiderregion.org](mailto:hmetzger@eastsiderregion.org) or visit [www.eastsiderregion.org/marriage](http://www.eastsiderregion.org/marriage)



EASTSIDE FAMILY  
YOUNG ADULT LENTEN STUDY

MONDAYS STARTING 2/19  
7 PM  
PARISH COMMONS -ST. CECILIA

REGISTER AND PURCHASE YOUR COPY OF THE BOOK AT  
[WWW.EASTSIDEFAITH.ORG/LENTEN-STUDY](http://WWW.EASTSIDEFAITH.ORG/LENTEN-STUDY)

*Engaged or married in the last four years? Looking for authentic friendships, spiritual growth, and mentorship? Sign up today!*



# The Commission of St. Louis & Zelig

*Pursuing sainthood through holy marriages*



*Register to be a participant or mentor  
by scanning the QR code!*

## Cocktails with the Catechism presents



*“Encounter Jesus...  
Beauty Ever Ancient, Ever New”*

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January 23, 2024

7-9 pm

Big Ash Brewing

*And listen to Fr. Mike Schmitz's podcast, "Catechism in a Year," with us  
on Spotify, Apple, Amazon Music, and YouTube!*



EASTSIDE FAMILY INVITES YOU TO OUR  
2024 LENTEN MISSION:

“Go forth, the mission has begun..”:  
Responding to the Promptings of the  
Holy Spirit

*with Catholic Answers Contributor, Lavinia Spirito*

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St. Cecilia Catholic Church  
February 19-21, 2024  
6:30-8 pm



# Worship Aid for the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Prayer for Vocations



Almighty Father, You have created for us some definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for us in this life and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make our archdiocese, parishes, homes and hearts fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations. May our young people respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among our men a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. Bless us with consecrated religious and those called to a chaste single life, permanent deacons, and faithful husbands and wives, who are a sign of Christ's love for His Church. We commend our prayer for vocations to You, Father, through the intercession of Mary our Mother, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr

## Entrance Hymn

## Praise to the Lord



1. Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -  
 2. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won - drous - ly  
 3. Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de -  
 4. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -



a - tion! O my soul, praise him, for  
 reign - ing And, as on wings of an  
 fend you; Sure - ly his good - ness and  
 dore him! All that has life and breath,



he is your health and sal - va - tion!  
 ea - gle, up - lift - ing, sus - tain - ing.  
 mer - cy shall dai - ly at - tend you.  
 come now with prais - es be - fore him!



All you who hear, Now to his tem - ple draw near.  
 Have you not seen All you have need - ed has been  
 Pon - der a - new What the Al - might - y can do,  
 Let the "A - men" Sound from his peo - ple a - gain!



Praise him in glad ad - o - ra - tion!  
 Met by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?  
 Who with his love does be - friend you.  
 Glad - ly with praise we a - dore him!

Text: *Lobe den Herren, den mächtigen König*; Joachim Neander, 1650–1680; tr. by Catherine Winkworth, 1827–1878, alt.  
 Tune: LOBE DEN HERREN, 14 14 47 8; *Stralsund Gesangbuch*, 1665; descant by C. S. Lang, 1891–1971

## Penitential Rite

**I confess to almighty God  
 and to you, my brothers and sisters,  
 that I have greatly sinned,  
 in my thoughts and in my words,  
 in what I have done and  
 in what I have failed to do,  
*And striking their breast, they say:*  
 through my fault, through my fault,  
 through my most grievous fault;  
 therefore I ask  
 blessed Mary ever-Virgin,  
 all the Angels and Saints,  
 and you, my brothers and sisters,  
 to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

Kyrie Eleison/Lord, have mercy.  
**Kyrie Eleison/Lord, have mercy.**

Christe Eleison/Christ, have mercy.  
**Christe Eleison/Christ, have mercy.**

Kyrie Eleison/Lord, have mercy.  
**Kyrie Eleison/Lord, have mercy.**

## 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.

# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

## First Reading

Jon 3:1-5, 10

The word of the LORD came to Jonah, saying: "Set out for the great city of Nineveh, and announce to it the message that I will tell you." So Jonah made ready and went to Nineveh, according to the LORD'S bidding. Now Nineveh was an enormously large city; it took three days to go through it. Jonah began his journey through the city, and had gone but a single day's walk announcing, "Forty days more and Nineveh shall be destroyed," when the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast and all of them, great and small, put on sackcloth. When God saw by their actions how they turned from their evil way, he repented of the evil that he had threatened to do to them; he did not carry it out.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

## Psalm Response

Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9



1. O LORD, make me know your ways. Teach me your paths.  
Guide me in your truth and teach me;  
for you are the God of my salvation.



2. Remember your compassion, O LORD,  
and your merciful love, for they are from of old.  
In your merciful love remember me, because of your goodness, O LORD.

3. Good and upright is the LORD; he shows the way to sinners.  
He guides the humble in right judgement;  
to the humble he teaches his way.

The English translation of the Psalm Response from the *Lectionary for Mass*  
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## Second Reading

1 Cor 7:29-31

I tell you, brothers and sisters, the time is running out. From now on, let those having wives act as not having them, those weeping as not weeping, those rejoicing as not rejoicing, those buying as not owning, those using the world as not using it fully. For the world in its present form is passing away.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

## Gospel

Mk 1:14-20

After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel."

As he passed by the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting their nets into the sea; they were fishermen. Jesus said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." Then they abandoned their nets and followed him. He walked along a little farther and saw James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John. They too were in a boat mending their nets. Then he called them. So they left their father Zebedee in the boat along with the hired men and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ.



## 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 men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,

**All make a profound bow:**  
*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.

## Offertory Hymn

## Come and Journey with a Savior



1. Come and jour - ney with a Sav - ior Who has  
2. Come and jour - ney, jour - ney in - ward, Come and  
3. Come and jour - ney, jour - ney out - ward, Tell - ing  
4. Come and jour - ney, jour - ney out - ward, Where that  
5. Come and jour - ney, jour - ney up - ward, Sing his  
6. Come and jour - ney, jour - ney on - ward, All our



called us from our birth, Who has washed us in the  
seek him deep with - in, Where he meets us in our  
oth - ers of his name, Tell - ing oth - ers of his  
cross calls us to care, Where in - jus - tice and where  
prais - es, of - fer prayer. In the storm and in the  
gifts we now shall bring, To the build - ing of a



wa - ters, And who loved us on the earth.  
liv - ing, In our striv - ing and our sin.  
glo - ry, Of his cross and of the shame.  
hun - ger And the poor call us to share.  
still - ness, Find his pres - ence ev - 'ry - where.  
cit - y That is ho - ly, Christ its king.



Come and jour - ney, come and jour - ney With a Sav - ior who has



come. We are all God's sons and daugh - ters. In the



Spir - it we are one. In the Spir - it we are one.

Text: Herbert O'Driscoll, b.1928, ©  
Tune: COME AND JOURNEY, 8 7 8 7 with refrain; Marty Haugen, b.1950, © 1998, GIA Publications, Inc.

# THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

## Communion Hymn

## In This Place

## Recessional Hymn

## The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve



1. We are all hun-gry peo-ple, we need shel-ter and  
 2. All our lives are a Mys-t'ry; we see not where they  
 3. Though the world may — tell us to — look at our-  
 4. In the bread that is bro-ken is the Christ that re-



1. strength. We are one in our hurt-ing, we are  
 2. lead. We are asked now to trust you and we  
 3. selves, we reach out to an-oth-er where —  
 4. stores. As we take, now re-ceive him, we find



1. one — in our pain. In our suf-f'ring and sad-ness,  
 2. know we must be-lieve. As our feet be-come Christ's feet,  
 3. suf-fer-ing dwells. As our hands be-come Christ's hands,  
 4. love — ev-er-more. As the bread be-comes Bod-y,



1. we are saved by the grace  
 2. we go forth with the grace  
 3. we are healed by the grace  
 4. we are filled with the grace } of the pow-er and the



1-4. Spir-it that is here in this place. We are



gath-ered at ta-ble as — one in the Lord. We are  
 (\*to-ge-th-er)  
 gath-ered as peo-ple who are liv-ing the Word. Our —



hearts and our spir-its are nur-tured by grace. It is



Je-sus who fills us. He is here in this place.

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## Choral Meditation - 10:30

## Sing the Kingdom

- Chosen people, in this holy place; gathered as the Body of the Lord;  
 In the water and the Spirit, joined to Christ in resurrection, Let us raise our voices, one in faith: Sing the kingdom! Sing in witness! Christ, God among us, Christ is here!
- Prophet, psalmist, and evangelist, here proclaimed to guide, inspire, and lead;  
 Word of God and gift of wisdom, be fulfilled in our own hearing; Cause us to acclaim again in faith:  
 Sing the kingdom! Sing in witness! Christ, God among us, Christ is here!
- To the table we are called in joy, offering gifts of earth for sacrifice,  
 Taking, blessing, breaking, pouring, nourished and refreshed in sharing, Strengthened to be saints who lived our  
 faith: Sing the kingdom! Sing in witness! Christ, God among us, Christ is here!
- We, the Church, now cry, "Lord, quickly come!" In your glory, come to us again!  
 "Abba, Father!" hear your people! Spirit, make us living temples! We believe, and we unite in faith:  
 Sing the kingdom! Sing in witness! Christ, God among us, Christ is here!
- Church at prayer, sent on a mission now, we go forth in Christ, alive, renewed,  
 We have known our source and summit; source of grace in living symbol, Summit reached in justice, joy and  
 faith: Sing the kingdom! Sing in witness! Christ, God among us, Christ is here!
- Called for praise to serve in ministry, giving thanks and praise through daily life;  
 Kneeling, washing feet of others in remembrance of the Savior, Live, await the reign of God in faith: Sing the  
 kingdom! Sing in witness! Christ, God among us, Christ is here!

- The Spirit sends us forth to serve;  
 We go in Jesus' name  
 To bring glad tidings to the poor,  
 God's favor to proclaim.
- We go to comfort those who mourn  
 And set the burdened free;  
 Where hope is dim, to share a dream  
 And help the blind to see.
- We go to be the hands of Christ,  
 To scatter joy like seed  
 And, all our days, to cherish life,  
 To do the loving deed.
- Then let us go to serve in peace,  
 The gospel to proclaim.  
 God's Spirit has empower'd us;  
 We go in Jesus' name.

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WeShare Online:	\$8,278	<b>Over (under) Budget:</b>	<b>(\$50,128)</b>
<b>Total Sunday Giving:</b>	<b>\$13,116</b>	Year Ago:	\$522,057
<b>OVER (Under) Weekly Budget:</b>	<b>(\$9,309)</b>	<b>Over (under) Year Ago:</b>	<b>\$74,115</b>
<b>Christmas thru Dec</b>	<b>\$36,726</b>		
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