



Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 6, 2020

Introductory Rites

Gathering

You Have Anointed Me

Verse 1

1. To bring glad tid - ings to the low - ly, to
heal the bro - ken heart, You have a - noint - ed
me. To pro - claim lib - er - ty to cap - tives, re -
lease to pris - on - ers, You have a - noint - ed me.

Refrain

Your Spir - it, O God, is up - on me,
You have a - noint - ed me.

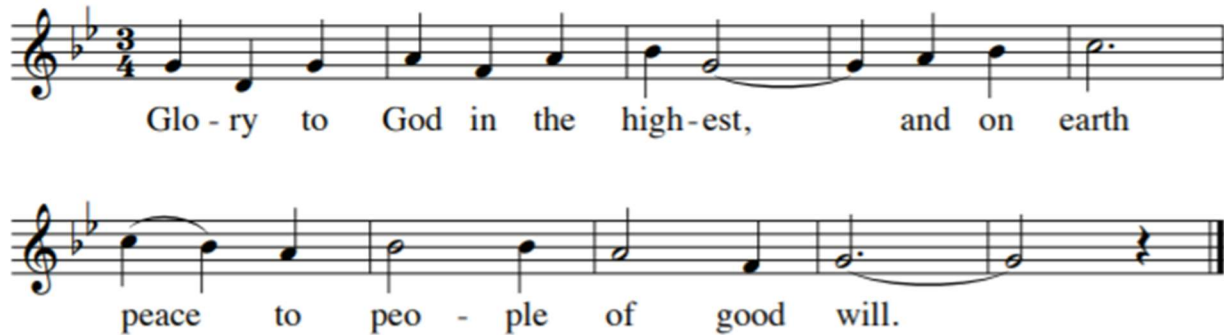
Verse 2

2. To an - nounce a year of fa - vor, to
com - fort those who mourn, You have a - noint - ed
me. To give to them the oil of glad - ness, and
share a man - tle of joy, You have a - noint - ed me. **D.S.**

Penitential Act

Gloria

Refrain



Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth
peace to peo - ple of good will.

Verses

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. 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.

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

Ezekiel 33:7-9 / 127

Thus says the Lord: You, son of man, I have appointed watchman for the house of Israel; when you hear me say anything, you shall warn them for me. If I tell the wicked, "O wicked one, you shall surely die," and you do not speak out to dissuade the wicked from his way, the wicked shall die for his guilt, but I will hold you responsible for his death. But if you warn the wicked, trying to turn him from his way, and he refuses to turn from his way, he shall die for his guilt, but you shall save yourself.

Responsorial Psalm



If to - day you hear his voice, hard-en not your hearts.

<p>Come, let us ring out our joy to the LORD; hail the rock who saves us. Let us come into his presence, giving thanks; let us hail him with a song of praise. <i>R.</i></p> <p>O come; let us bow and bend low. Let us kneel before the God who made us, for he is our God and we the people who belong to his pasture,</p>	<p>the flock that is led by his hand. <i>R.</i></p> <p>O that today you would listen to his voice! "Harden not your hearts as at Meribah, as on that day at Massah in the desert when your forebears put me to the test; when they tried me, though they saw my work." <i>R.</i></p>
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Second Reading

Romans 13:8-10

Brothers and sisters: Owe nothing to anyone, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, “You shall not commit adultery; you shall not kill; you shall not steal; you shall not covet,” and whatever other commandment there may be, are summed up in this saying, namely, “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” Love does no evil to the neighbor; hence, love is the fulfillment of the law.”

Gospel Acclamation

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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Gospel

Matthew 18:15-20

Jesus said to his disciples: “If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have won over your brother. If he does not listen, take one or two others along with you, so that ‘every fact may be established on the testimony of two or three witnesses.’ If he refuses to listen to them, tell the church. If he refuses to listen even to the church, then treat him as you would a Gentile or a tax collector. Amen, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven. Again, amen, I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray, it shall be granted to them by my heavenly Father. For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.”

Homily

Profession of Faith

Prayers of the Faithful (Rx: **Lord, Hear Our Prayer**)

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Presentation

Seek Ye First

*1.



1. Seek ye first the king - dom of God
 2. Ask. and it shall be giv - en un - to you,
 and seek. his and right - eous - ness, shall find,
 and all these things shall be add - ed un - to you;
 knock. and the door shall be o - pened un - to you:
 Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia.

2. *Optional Refrain, Descant, or Canon:*



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
 al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia.

Text: Matthew 6:33, 7:7; st. 1, adapt. by Karen Lafferty, b.1948; sts. 2-4, anon.
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Holy, Holy, Holy

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho-ly Lord God of
 hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry.
 Ho - san - na in the high-est. Bless-ed is he who
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the
 high-est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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Memorial Acclamation

We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res - ur -
 rec-tion un - til you come a - gain, un - til you come a - gain.

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Great Amen

A - men, a - men, a - men!

The musical notation for 'Great Amen' is written on a single staff in G minor (one flat) and 4/4 time. It consists of four measures. The first measure contains a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note Bb4. The second measure contains a quarter note C5, a quarter note Bb4, and a quarter note A4. The third measure contains a quarter note G4, a quarter note F4, and a quarter note E4. The fourth measure contains a half note D4. A slur is placed over the notes in the second and third measures.

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Lord's Prayer

Sign of Peace

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the
world, have mer - cy on us.
world, grant us peace.

The musical notation for 'Lamb of God' is written on three staves in G minor (one flat). The first staff is for the Cantor, starting in 3/4 time with the lyrics 'Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the'. The second staff is for the Assembly, starting in 2/4 time with the lyrics 'world, have mer - cy on us.'. The third staff is for the last time, starting in 4/4 time with the lyrics 'world, grant us peace.'. The lyrics are written below the notes, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across notes.

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Communion Song

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

Verses 1, 2, 4



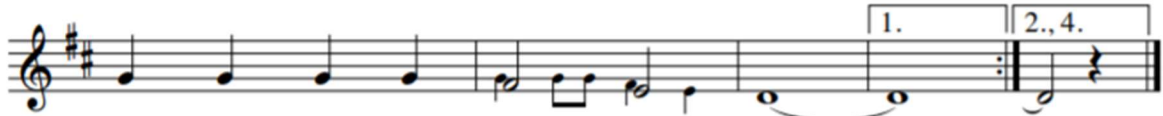
1. Make me a chan - nel of your peace. Where
 2. Make me a chan - nel of your peace. Where
 4. Make me a chan - nel of your peace. It



there is ha - tred, let me bring your love. Where
 there's de - spair in life, let me bring hope. Where
 is in par - don - ing that we are par - doned, in



there is in - ju - ry, your par - don, Lord, And
 there is dark - ness, on - ly light, And
 giv - ing of our - selves that we re - ceive, and in



where there's doubt, true faith in you. 1.
 where there's sad - ness, ev - er joy. 2., 4.
 dy - ing that we're born to e - ter - nal life.

Verse 3



3. Oh, Mas - ter, grant that I may nev - er seek So much to be con -



soled as to con - sole. To be un - der - stood as to un - der -



stand. To be loved as to love with all my soul.

Blessing and Dismissal

Sending Forth

I Send You Out

Verse 1

Cantor:

1. I bap-tize you in the name of the Fa-ther. I bap-tize
 you in the name of the Son. I bap-tize you
 with the Ho-ly Spir-it. Go out and spread Good News!

All: Refrain

I send you out on a mis-sion of love. I send you out
 on a mis-sion of love. I send you out
 on a mis-sion of love, and know that I am with
 you al-ways un-til the end of the world.

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 Tune: John Angotti, b.1963; arr. by Paul A. Tate, b.1968
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