

Fifth Sunday of Easter

St. Catherine of Alexandria and St. Joan of Arc † May 2, 2021

—Introductory Rites—

Gathering Song: "Come to the River" by Bob Hurd

Refrain

Come, O come, come to the riv - er
flow - ing from the bod - y of Christ.
We'll go down, deep in the wa - ter,
but in the Lord we shall a - rise.

Verses

1. Washed in wa - ters of re-birth,
2. Priest - ly peo - ple are we,
3. Blest are those who thirst
4. Let us walk in the light
5. Those who sow in tears

to Refrain

1. we have put on Christ Je - sus.
2. sealed and sent by the Spir - it.
3. for the reign of God's jus - tice.
4. of God's ho - ly prom - ise.
5. reap the har - vest re - joic - ing.



LITURGY OF THE WORD

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Halle, Halle

Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le, hal - le, hal -
le - lu - ia! Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le -
lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah!

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GOSPEL: John 15: 1-8

GOSPEL REFRAIN: Jesus Is the Vine

Jesus is the vine and we are the bran - ches
1-5 his ban - ner o - ver me is love
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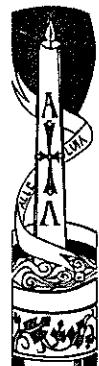
RENUNCIATION OF EVIL

RESPONSE: I do.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

RESPONSE: I do believe

BLESSING OF THE WATER: Blessed Be God Forever



RITE OF SPRINKLING

Let the River Flow

Refrain

Let the river flow. Let the river flow.

Holy Spirit come; move in power.

Let the river flow. Let the river flow.

Let the river flow. Let the river flow.

Vs. 1

Let the poor ones say, "I am rich in Him."

Let the lost ones say, "I am found in Him."

Oh, let the river flow.

Let the blinded say "I can see again."

Let the dead ones say, "I am born again."

Oh, let the river flow. Oh, let the river flow.

Refrain

Vs. 2

Let the burdened say, "I am free in Him."

Let the hopeless say, "I am strong in Him."

Oh, let the river flow.

Let the sick ones say, "I am well again."

Let the dead ones say "I am born again."

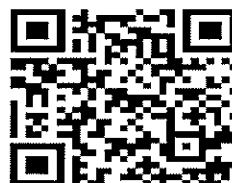
Oh, let the river flow.



UNIVERSAL PRAYER

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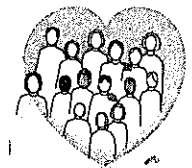
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LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS: Love One Another by Bobby Fisher

Love one another as
I have loved you. And you shall be
blessed. And you shall be blessed.



EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

PREFACE ACCLAMATION

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

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

William Gokelman & David Kauffman

Presider: *ALL:*

The mys-ter-y of faith. Opt. I } We pro-claim your

Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res-ur-rec-tion,

un-til you come a-gain. } gain.



GREAT AMEN

William Gokelman & David Kauffman

(Priest intones) *ALL:*

A - men, A - men,

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

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Cantor or Choir *All*

Lamb of God, } you take a-way the sins of the
 Prince of Peace, }
 *Word made flesh, }

world: } have mer-cy on us; have

mer-cy on us. } (repeat as needed) Final

grant us peace; grant us peace.

Put on Christ

Put on Christ. Put on Christ. Come to the wa-ters of
 ev - er-last - ing life. Put on Christ. Put on
 Christ. Walk in the free-dom of the chil-dren.
 1 to Verse 2 2 to Verse 3 Final
 of God. God. God.

COMMUNION SONG: Taste and See by James Moore



Refrain
 Taste and see, taste and see the good - ness of the
 Lord. O taste and see, taste and see the
 good - ness of the Lord, of the Lord.

Verses
 1. I will bless the Lord at all times.
 2. Glo - ri - fy the Lord with me.
 3. Wor - ship the Lord, all you peo - ple.

Praise shall al - ways be on my lips;
 To - geth - er let us all praise God's name.
 You'll want for noth - ing if you ask.

my soul shall glo - ry in the Lord
 I called the Lord who an - swered me;
 Taste and see that the Lord is good;

for God has been so good to me.
 from all my troub - les I was set free.
 in God we need put all our trust.

D.C.

COMMUNION SONG: We Are Many Parts by Marty Haugen

Refrain

We are man - y parts, we are all one bod - y,
 and the gifts we have we are giv - en to share.
 May the Spir - it of love make us one in - deed;
 one, the love that we share, one, our hope in de -
 spair, one, the cross that we bear.

Verses

1. God of all, we look to you, we would be your
 2. So my pain is pain for you, in your joy is
 3. All you seek - ers, great and small, seek the great - est

ser - vants true, let us be your love to all the world.
 my joy, too; all is brought to - geth - er in the Lord.
 gift of all; if you love, then you will know the Lord.

D.C.

SENDING FORTH: Go Make a Difference

Refrain



Go make a dif - f'rence. We can make a dif - f'rence.



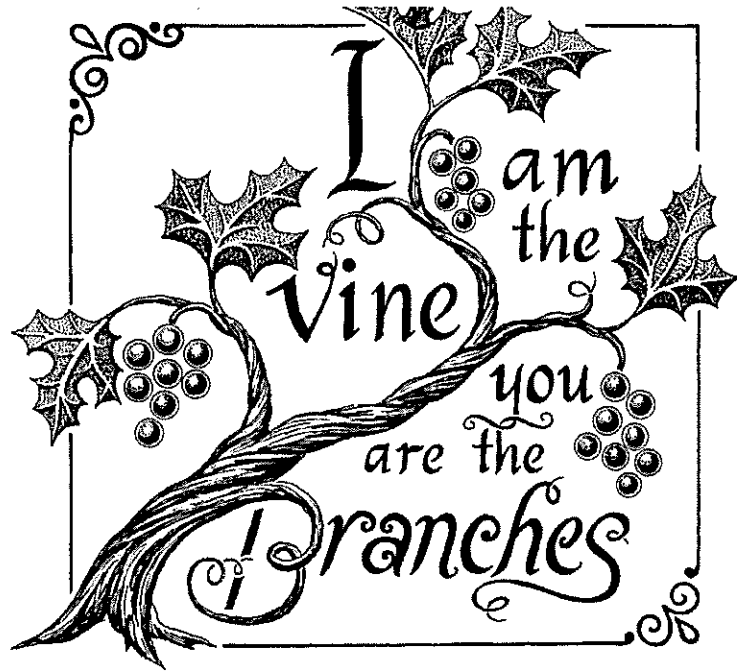
Go make a dif - f'rence in the world.



Go make a dif - f'rence. We can make a dif - f'rence.



Go make a dif - f'rence in the world.



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