**23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**September 6, 2020**

*If you are celebrating this weekend’s Liturgy at Mary, Mother of the Church, due to COVID-19 restrictions, please refrain from singing in the pews.*

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**Prelude**

All Is Holy

**Gathering Song**

**Sing Out, Earth and Skies**

**Verses**

1. Come, O God of all the earth: Come to us, O Righteous One; Come, and bring our love to birth: In the glory of your Son.
2. Come, O God of wind and flame: Fill the earth with burning sun; God of day and God of night: In your light we all are one.
3. Come, O God of snow and rain: Shower down upon hearts anew; Come and make oppression cease: God of sorrows, God of mirth.
4. Come, O Justice, Come, O Peace: Come and shape our people, to people of good will.

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**Gloria**

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people, to people 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.

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Reading 1

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.

Psalm Response

Psalm 95: If Today You Hear God’s Voice

Music: David Haas

Reading 2

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

Gospel

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.”
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 solemnly bow at the following words:

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

Please stand upright.

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.

Preparation of the Gifts

The Servant Song
Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy Communion will be distributed to the assembly at the conclusion of the Mass.
Closing Song

TASTE AND SEE

James E. Moore, Jr.

Taste and see, taste and see the
goodness of the Lord.
O,
taste and see, taste and see the
goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.

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