

Sunday, October 18 • The Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Worship Aid for the 11:00am Mass

ENTRANCE HYMN: How Can I Keep From Singing

Refrain: No storm can shake my inmost calm, While to that Rock I'm clinging. Since Christ is Lord of heaven and earth, How can I keep from singing?

1. My life flows on in endless song. Above earth's lamentation I hear the clear though far-off hymn That hails a new creation.
2. Through all the tumult and the strife I hear that music ringing. It finds an echo in my soul. How can I keep from singing?

Text: Robert Lowry, 1826-1899

GLORIA:

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

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.

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

READING 1: Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

Thus says the LORD to his anointed, Cyrus, whose right hand I grasp, subduing nations before him, and making kings run in his service, opening doors before him and leaving the gates unbarred:

For the sake of Jacob, my servant, of Israel, my chosen one, I have called you by your name, giving you a title, though you knew me not. I am the LORD and there is no other, there is no God besides me.

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It is I who arm you, though you know me not, so that toward the rising and the setting of the sun people may know that there is none besides me. I am the LORD, there is no other.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

*Proclaim to all the nations the marvelous deeds of the Lord!
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READING 2: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5B

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy to the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: grace to you and peace. We give thanks to God always for all of you, remembering you in our prayers, unceasingly calling to mind your work of faith and labor of love and endurance in hope of our Lord Jesus Christ, before our God and Father, knowing, brothers and sisters loved by God, how you were chosen.

For our gospel did not come to you in word alone, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with much conviction.

THE GOSPEL of MATTHEW 22:15-21

The Pharisees went off and plotted how they might entrap Jesus in speech. They sent their disciples to him, with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are a truthful man and that you teach the way of God in accordance with the truth. And you are not concerned with anyone's opinion, for you do not regard a person's status.

Tell us, then, what is your opinion: Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?" Knowing their malice, Jesus said, "Why are you testing me, you hypocrites? Show me the coin that pays the census tax."

Then they handed him the Roman coin. He said to them, "Whose image is this and whose inscription?"

They replied, "Caesar's."

At that he said to them, "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God."

NICENE CREED:

I believe in one God, the Father, the 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, 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.

PREPARATION HYMN: I Have Loved You

Refrain: *I have loved you with an everlasting love, I have called you and you are mine; I have loved you with an everlasting love, I have called you and you are mine.*

1. Seek the face of the Lord and long for him: he will bring you his light and his peace.
2. Seek the face of the Lord and long for him: he will bring you his joy and his hope.
3. Seek the face of the Lord and long for him: he will bring you his care and his love.

Text: Jeremiah 31:3; Psalm 24:3; Michael Joncas, b. 1951

Tune: Michael Joncas, b. 1951 © 1979, OCP

COMMUNION HYMN 1: You Are Mine

COMMUNION HYMN 2: The Love of the Lord

1. All that I counted as gain now I consider as loss, empty and worthless to me in the light of the love of the Lord.

2. Riches and honors will fade, earthly delight disappear, fade like the grass of the field in the light of the love of the Lord.

Refrain: *What more could bring us hope than to know the pow'r of his life? What more could bring us peace than to share in his suff'ring and death? What more could be our final wish than to live in the love of the Lord?*

3. Silver and gold have I none, no land to count as my home, yet wealth beyond measure I own in the light of the love of the Lord.

4. Faith is the wealth I possess Finding its source in my God: faith in the promise of Christ is my life and my love of the Lord.

Text: Philippians 3:7-11; Michael Joncas, b.1951, © 1988, GIA Publications, Inc.

RECESSIONAL HYMN: City of God - Dan Schutte

1. Awake from your slumber! Arise from your sleep! A new day is dawning for all those who weep. The people in darkness have seen a great light. The Lord of our longing has conquered the night.

Refrain: *Let us build the city of God. May our tears be turned into dancing! For the Lord, our light and our love, has turned the night into day!*

2. We are sons of the morning; we are daughters of day. The One who has loved us has brightened our way. The Lord of all kindness has called us to be. a light for his people to set their hearts free.

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