

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 3, 2025

GATHERING SONG: *Blest Are They*

1. Blest are they, the poor in spirit, theirs is the kingdom of God.
Blest are they, full of sorrow, they shall be consoled.
Rejoice and be glad! Blessed are you, holy are you!
Rejoice and be glad! Yours is the kingdom of God!
2. Blest are they who show mercy, mercy shall be theirs.
Blest are they, the pure of heart, they shall see God! Rejoice...
3. Blest are they who seek peace; they are the children of God.
Blest are they who suffer in faith, the glory of God is theirs. Rejoice...

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Gloria: *“Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will!”*

LITURGY OF THE WORD [Readings](#)

Responsorial Psalm 95: *“If today you hear God’s voice, harden not your hearts!”*

Prayer of the Faithful: Un-mute your microphone so we can lift up your prayers!

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts *Only This I Want*

Refrain: Only this I want: but to know the Lord,
and to bear his cross so to wear the crown he wore.

1. All but this is loss, worthless refuse to me,
for to gain the Lord is to gain all I need.
2. I will run the race; I will fight the good fight,
so to win the prize of the Kingdom of my Lord.
3. Let your heart be glad, always glad in the Lord,
so to shine like stars in the darkness of the night.

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My Sunday Offering to God



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Spiritual Communion Prayer

Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.
Amen.

Communion *You Satisfy the Hungry Heart*

Refrain: You satisfy the hungry heart with gift of finest wheat;
Come give to us, O saving Lord, the bread of life to eat.

1. As when the shepherd calls his sheep, they know and heed his voice;
 So when you call your fam'ly, Lord, we follow and rejoice.
2. With joyful lips we sing to you our praise and gratitude,
 That you should count us worthy, Lord, to share this heav'nly food.
3. Is not the cup we bless and share the blood of Christ outpoured?
 Do not one cup, one loaf, declare our oneness in the Lord?
4. The myst'ry of your presence, Lord, no mortal tongue can tell:
 Whom all the world cannot contain comes in our hearts to dwell.
5. You give yourself to us, O Lord; then selfless let us be,
 To serve each other in your name in truth and charity.

Sending Forth Song:

Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness
And all these things shall be added unto you
Allelu, alleluia

Ask and it shall be given unto you, seek and ye shall find
Knock and the door shall be opened unto you
Allelu, alleluia

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