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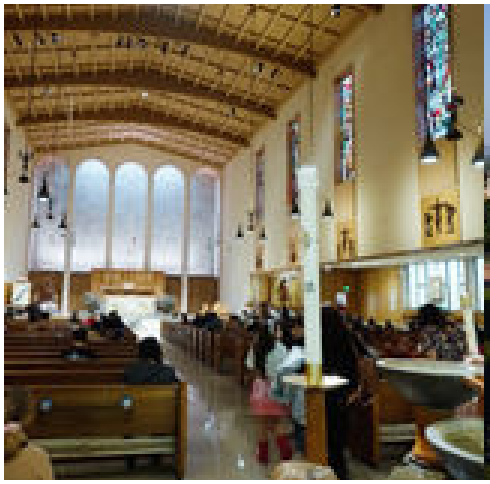
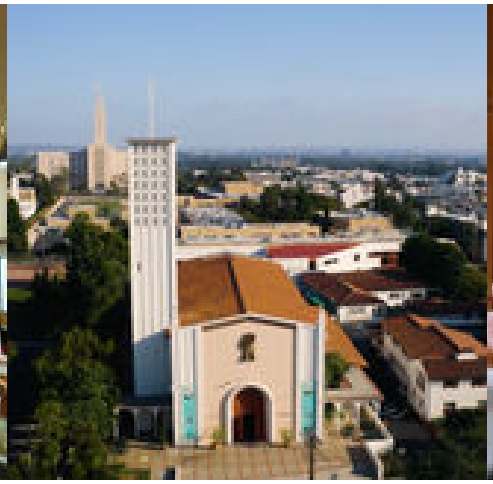
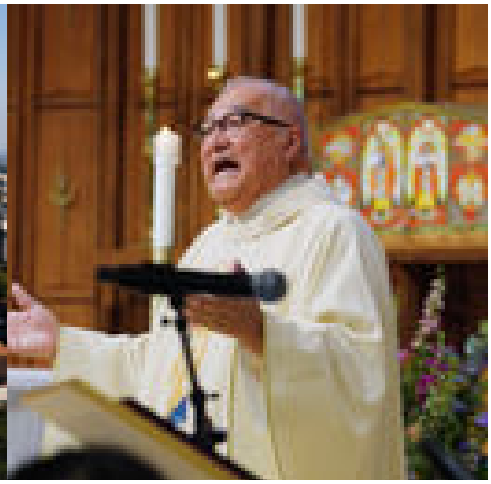
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16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 19, 2026



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Mass Times

Monday-Friday	7:00am
Saturday	8:30am, 5:00pm
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Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, July 18
8:30 AM Lawrence Miller
5:00 PM +Madeleine Lord

Sunday, July 19
7:30 AM +Maria F. Del Rosario
9:30AM +Rom Ricci
11:30AM For the People
5:00PM +Eiko Lan Yin Tsai

Monday, July 20
7:00AM Gus Wortman

Tuesday, July 21
7:00 AM Gus Wortman

Wednesday, July 22
7:00 AM Marisa Kavanau (birthday)

Thursday, July 23
7:00AM +Robert D. Nunes

Friday, July 24
7:00 AM +Tom Ricci

Saturday, July 25
8:30 AM +Letitia Halili
5:00 PM +Colman DeKay
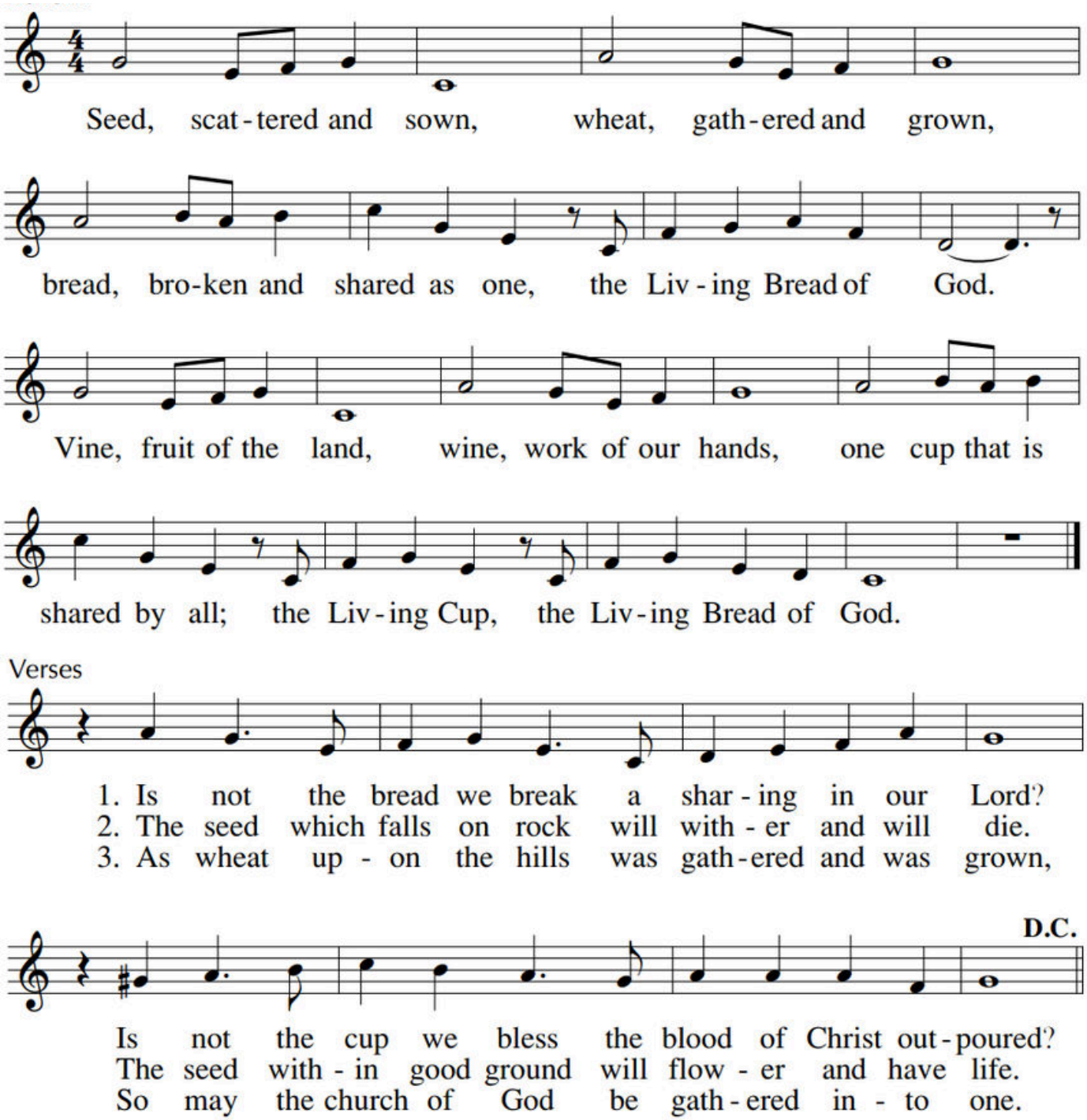
Sunday, June 26
7:30 AM Special Intention
9:30 AM +Clive David
11:30 AM Chris Sychango
5:00 PM For the People

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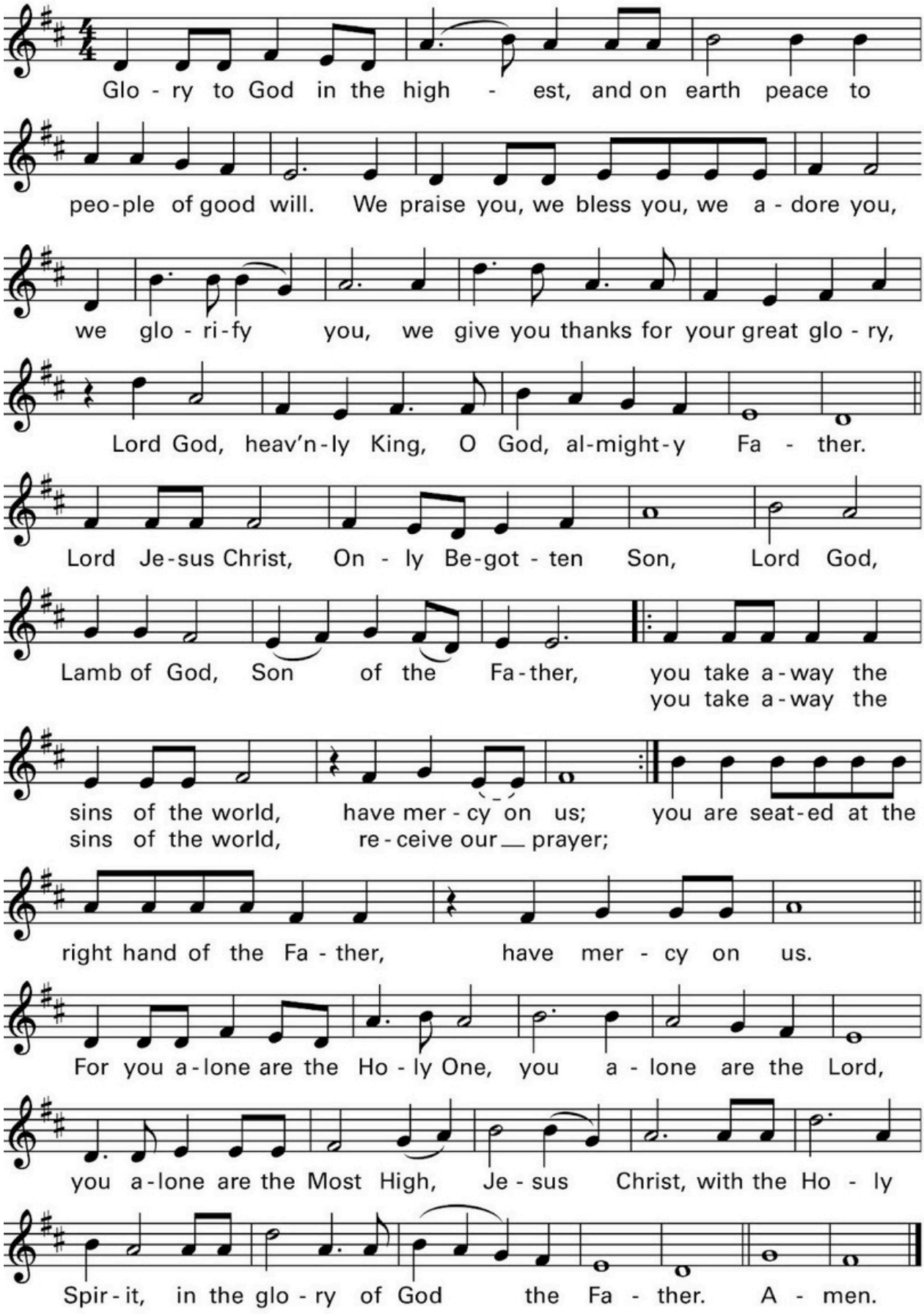
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Introductory Rites

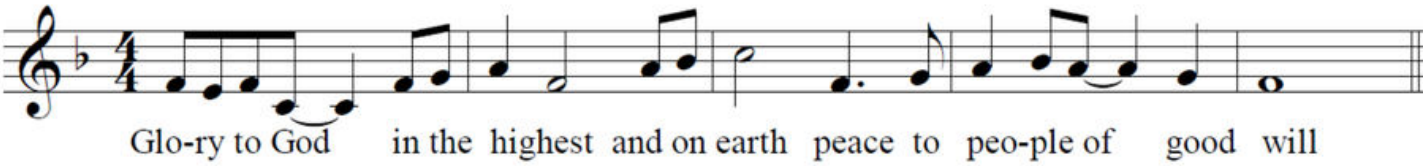
ENTRANCE HYMN ***Seed, Scattered and Sown*** **by Dan Feitan**



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Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace to
peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a - dore you,
we glo - ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo - ry,
Lord God, heav'n-ly King, O God, al-might-y Fa - ther.
Lord Je-sus Christ, On - ly Be-got - ten Son, Lord God,
Lamb of God, Son of the Fa-ther, you take a-way the
you take a-way the
sins of the world, have mer - cy on us; you are seat-ed at the
sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer;
right hand of the Fa - ther, have mer - cy on us.
For you a-lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,
you a-lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly
Spir - it, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

9:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m. - *Mass of the Sacred Heart* by Timothy Smith



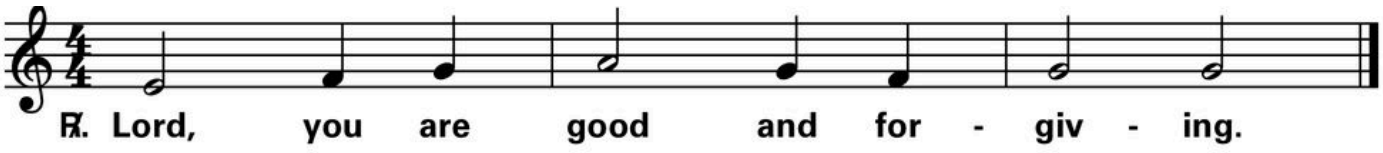
The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING **Wisdom 12:13, 16-19**

There is no god besides you who have the care of all, that you need show you have not unjustly condemned. For your might is the source of justice; your mastery over all things makes you lenient to all. For you show your might when the perfection of your power is disbelieved; and in those who know you, you rebuke temerity. But though you are master of might, you judge with clemency, and with much lenience you govern us; for power, whenever you will, attends you. And you taught your people, by these deeds, that those who are just must be kind; and you gave your children good ground for hope that you would permit repentance for their sins.

Lector: The Word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM **Psalm 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16**



Verses: You, O LORD, are good and forgiving, abounding in kindness to all who call upon you.
Hearken, O LORD, to my prayer and attend to the sound of my pleading. ***R.***

All the nations you have made shall come and worship you, O LORD, and glorify your name.
For you are great, and you do wondrous deeds; you alone are God. ***R.***
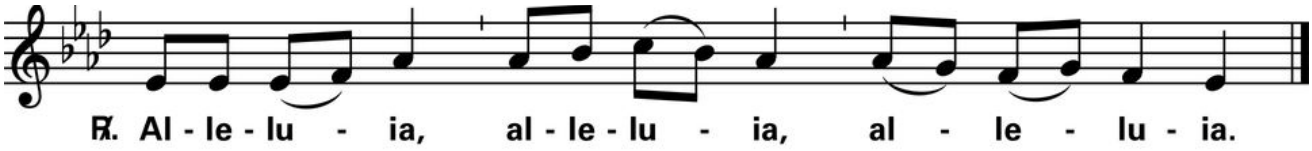
You, O LORD, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in kindness and fidelity.
Turn toward me, and have pity on me; give your strength to your servant. ***R.***

SECOND READING **Romans 8:26-27**

Brothers and sisters: The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groanings. And the one who searches hearts knows what is the intention of the Spirit, because he intercedes for the holy ones according to God's will.

Lector: The Word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

ALLELUIA



Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth;
you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom. ***R.***

GOSPEL **Matthew 13:24-43**

Jesus proposed another parable to the crowds, saying: "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field. While everyone was asleep his enemy came and sowed weeds all through the wheat, and then went off. When the crop grew and bore fruit, the weeds appeared as well. The slaves of the householder came to him and said, 'Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where have the weeds come from?' He answered, 'An enemy has done this.' His slaves said to him, 'Do you want us to go and pull them up?' He replied, 'No, if you pull up the weeds you might uproot the wheat along with them. Let them grow together until harvest; then at harvest time I will say to the harvesters, "First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for burning; but gather the wheat into my barn."'" He proposed another parable to them. "The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that a person took and sowed in a field. It is the smallest of all the seeds, yet when full-grown it is the largest of plants. It becomes a large bush, and the 'birds of the sky come and dwell in its branches.'" He spoke to them another parable. "The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed with three measures of wheat flour until the whole batch was leavened." All these things Jesus spoke to the crowds in parables. He spoke to them only in parables, to fulfill what had been said through the prophet: I will open my mouth in parables, I will announce what has lain hidden from the foundation of the world. Then, dismissing the crowds, he went into the house. His disciples approached him and said, "Explain to us the parable of the weeds in the field." He said in reply, "He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the kingdom. The weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sows them is the devil. The harvest is the end of the age, and the harvesters are angels. Just as weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his kingdom all who cause others to sin and all evildoers. They will throw them into the fiery furnace, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth. Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Whoever has ears ought to hear."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord. **All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

HOMILY

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, 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.
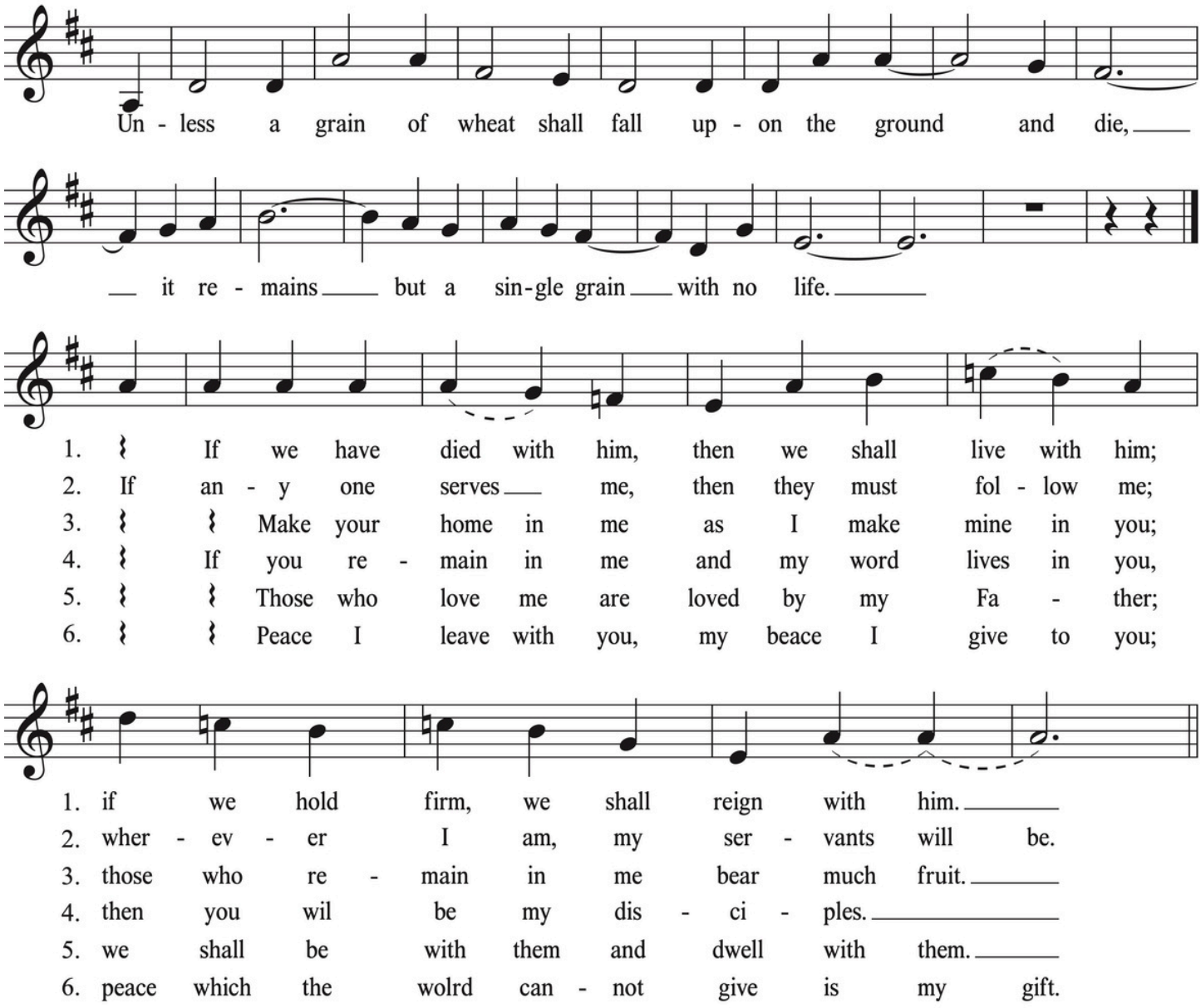
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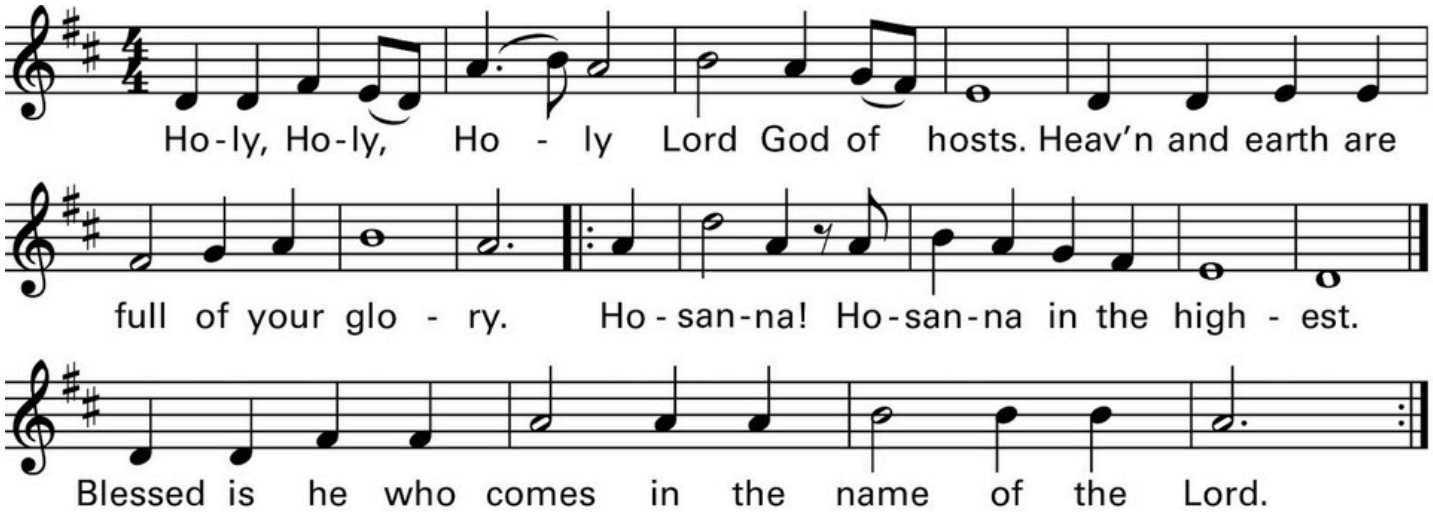
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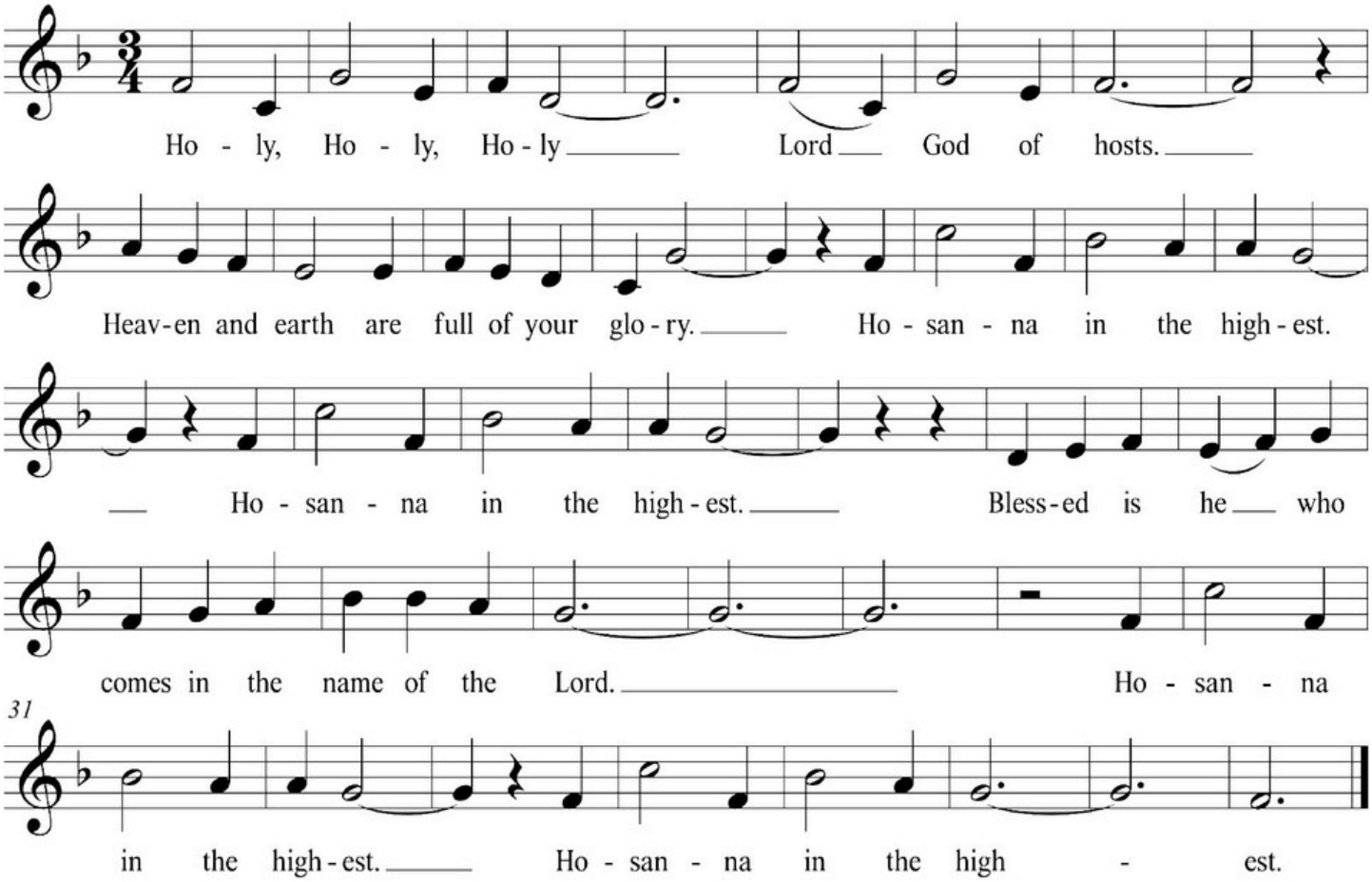
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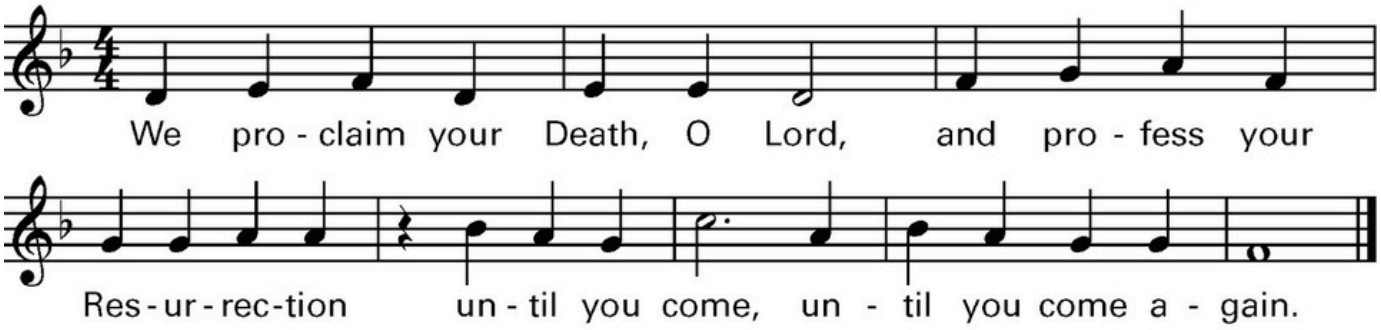




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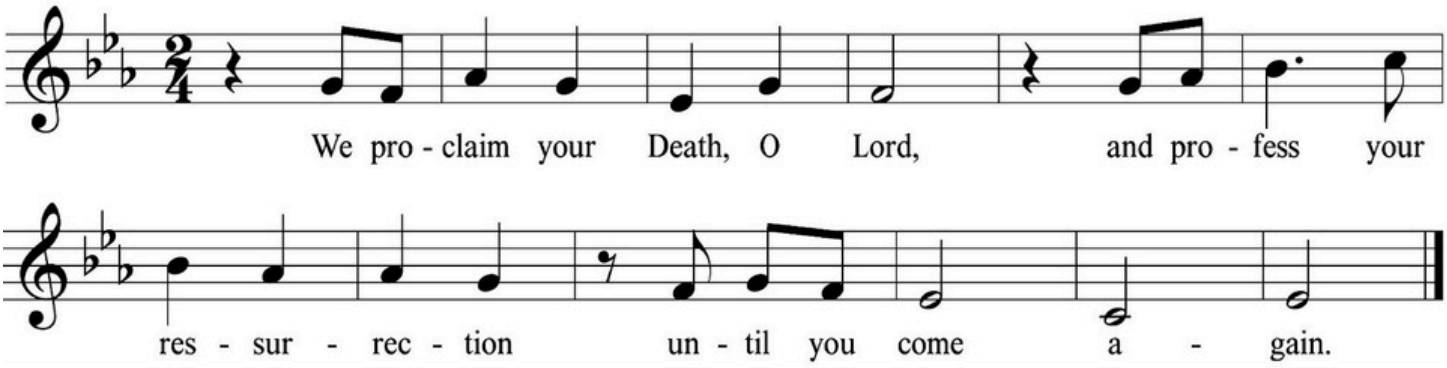


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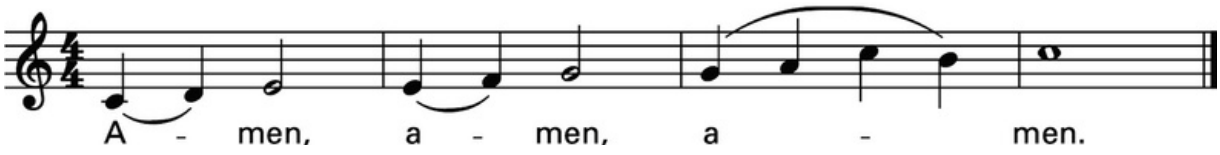


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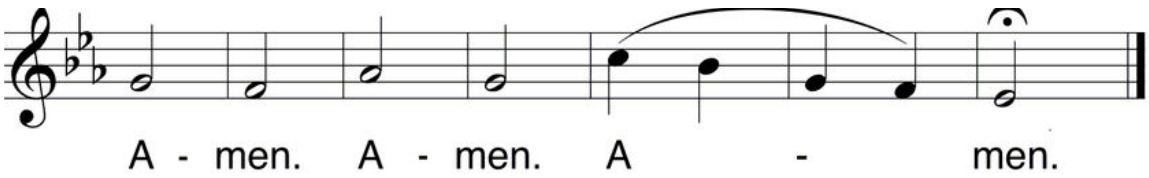


GREAT AMEN

Heritage Mass



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The Communion Rite

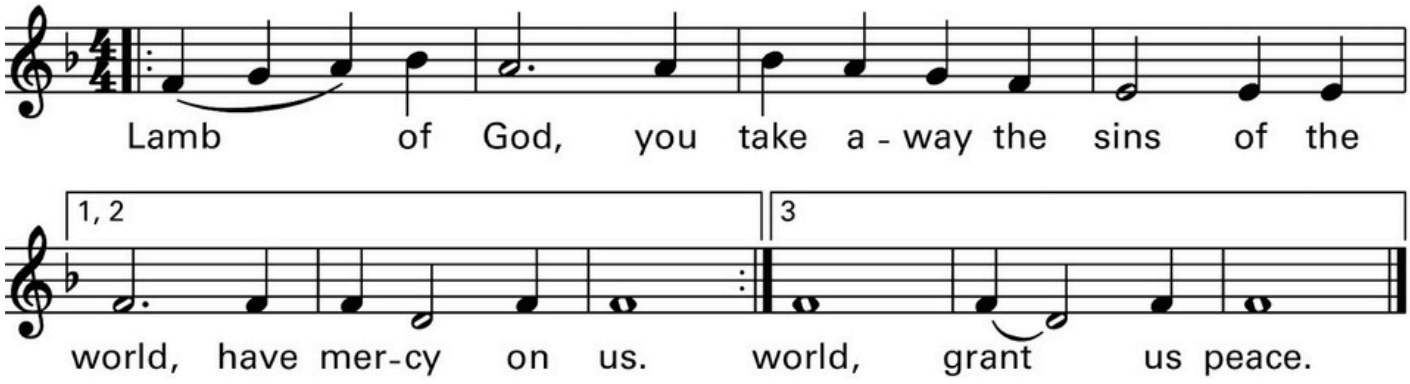
THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

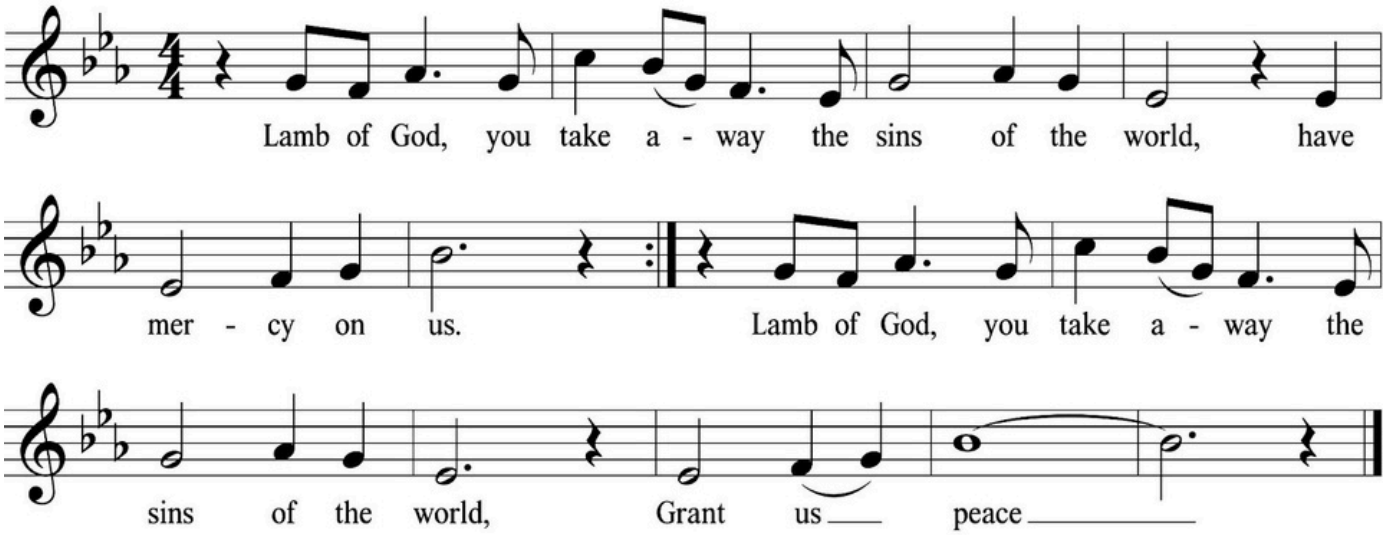
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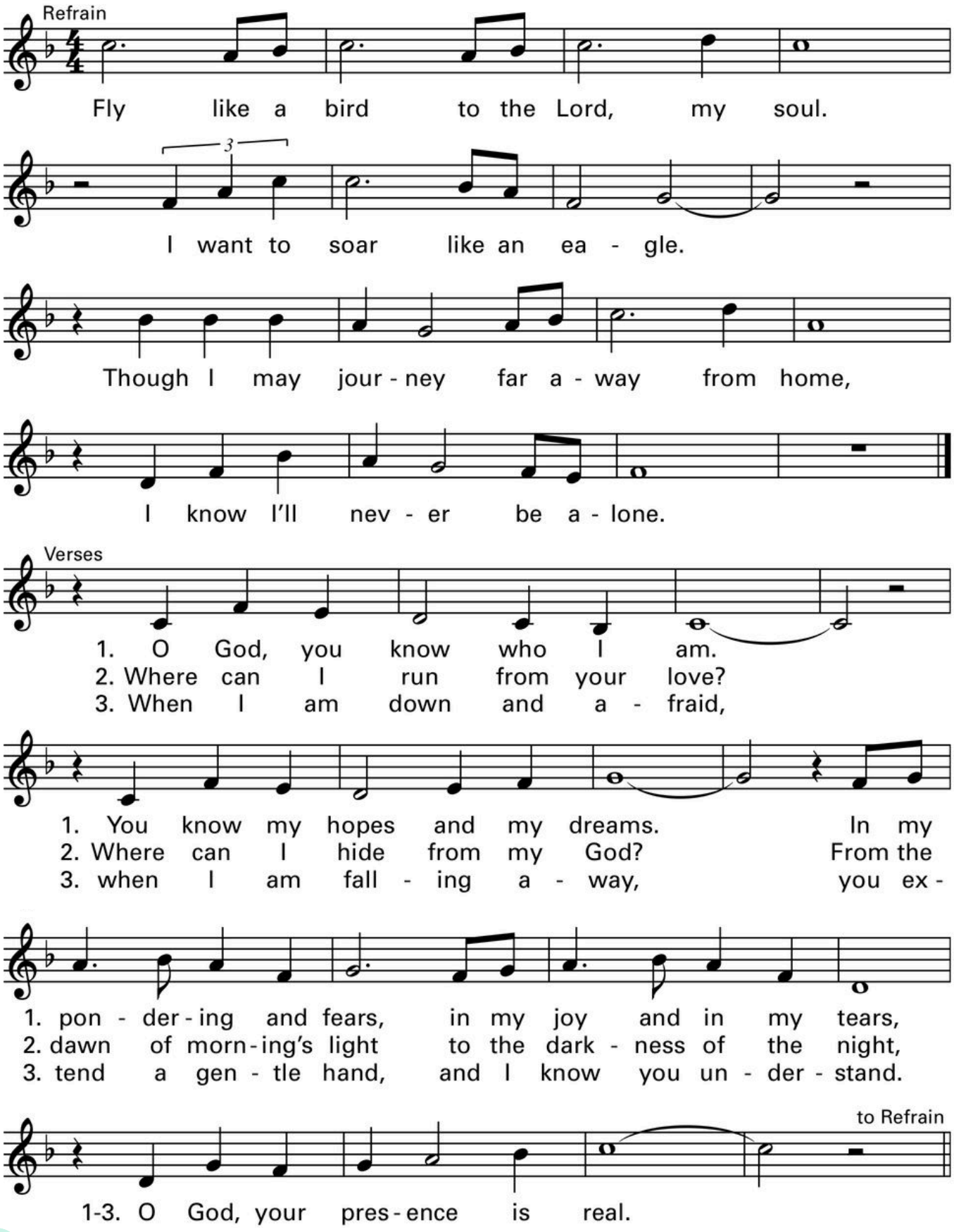
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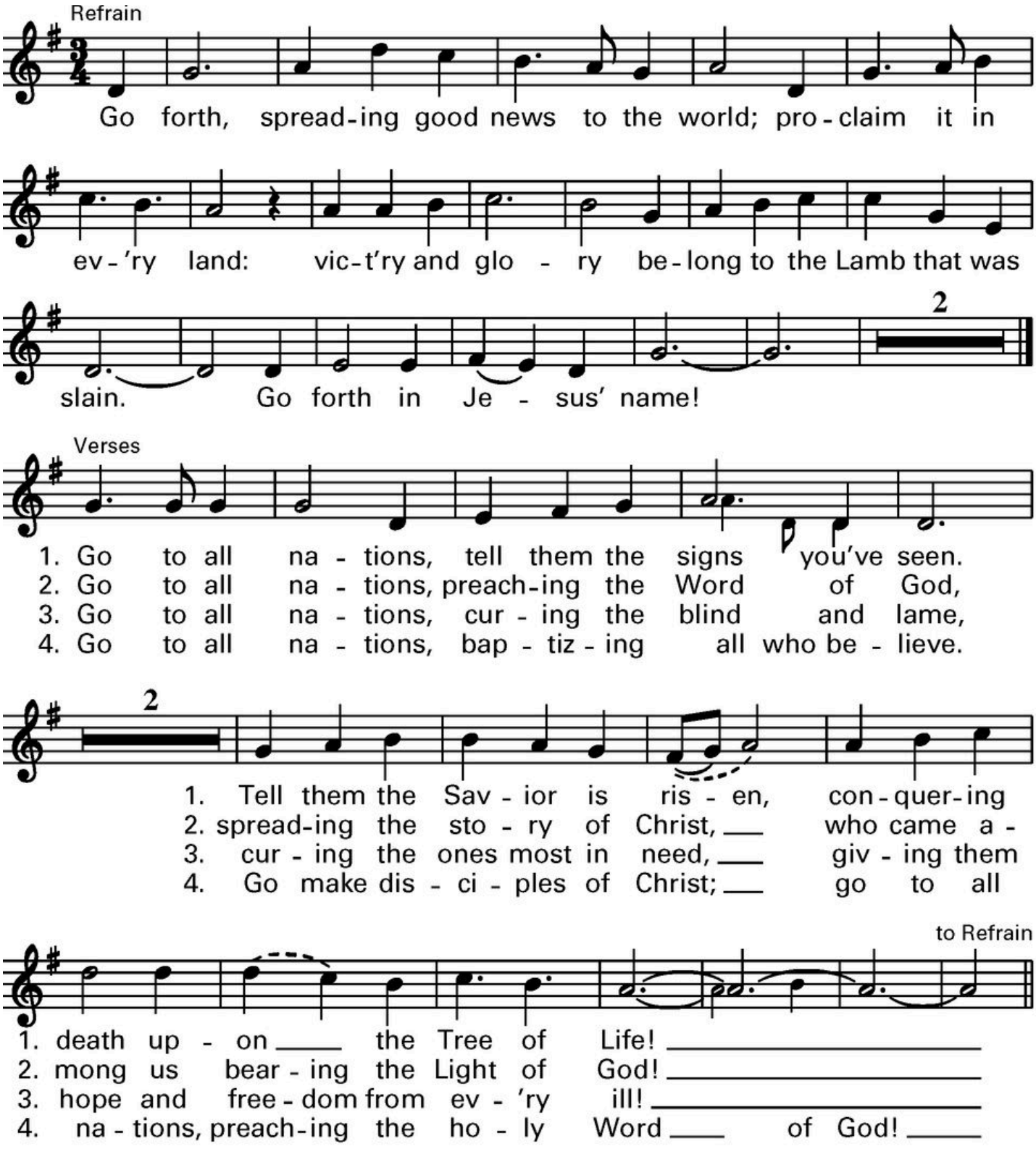


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Refrain
Fly like a bird to the Lord, my soul.
3
I want to soar like an ea - gle.
Though I may jour - ney far a - way from home,
I know I'll nev - er be a - lone.
Verses
1. O God, you know who I am.
2. Where can I run from your love?
3. When I am down and a - fraid,
1. You know my hopes and my dreams. In my
2. Where can I hide from my God? From the
3. when I am fall - ing a - way, you ex -
1. pon - der - ing and fears, in my joy and in my tears,
2. dawn of morn - ing's light to the dark - ness of the night,
3. tend a gen - tle hand, and I know you un - der - stand.
to Refrain
1-3. O God, your pres - ence is real.

The Concluding Rites

ENDING HYMN ***Go Forth*** **by Ricky Manalo, CSP**

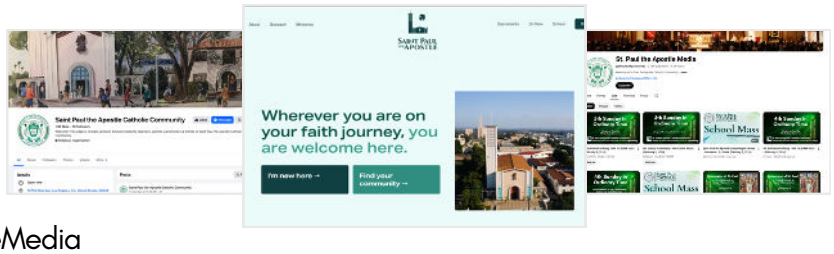


Upcoming Events

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
19	20	21 **Women's Faith Sharing** 8:00am, MPR & Zoom	22 **Men's Faith Sharing** 8:00am, Zoom **STARS Bible Study** 10:00am, MPR **Weekly Meditation** 7:00pm, Zoom **Praise & Planks: Free Mat Pilates Class** 7:00pm, Parish Center (JCPC)	23	24	25 **Reconciliation** 4:00pm, Church
26	27	28 **Women's Faith Sharing** 8:00am, MPR & Zoom	29 **Men's Faith Sharing** 8:00am, Zoom **Weekly Meditation** 7:00pm, Zoom **Praise & Planks: Free Mat Pilates Class** 7:00pm, Parish Center (JCPC)	30 ***Magnifica Humanitas* Reading Group** 7:00pm, MPR	31	1 **Funeral (Crehan)** 10:00am, Church **Reconciliation** 4:00pm, Church

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Altar Servers

2026-2027 Registration







Altar Server Registration for 2026-2027 is now open for all children in 4th grade and above and adults who are Roman Catholic and have received their First Eucharist.

The training sessions are **Friday, September 18, 1-3 PM**; **Sunday, September 20, 1-3 PM**; and **Monday September 21, 6:15-8:15 PM** in the church. You need to attend only **one** of the three trainings.

Registration closes on **Friday, September 18**. Scan the QR code above to register. For more information, please see our website at **sp-apostle.org/altar-servers** or contact Jennifer Kozakowski at **jkozakowski@sp-apostle.org**

2026-2027

Religious Education



Grow your child's faith with Religious Education at St. Paul the Apostle. We meet **Wednesdays** during the school year from **3:45–5:15 p.m.**

All catechists are experienced teachers. We have Gospel-based catechism, crafts, music and liturgy. Sacrament preparation includes First Reconciliation and First Communion. Registration is now open! **$125** per family. Contact Michelle O'Donnell at **modonnell@sp-apostle.org** for more information.

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Contact Fr. Mark at **mvillano@sp-apostle.org** for more information.

2026-2027

Teen Confirmation



Registration for the 2026-2027 teen confirmation program (grades 9-12) is now open. The orientation session is **Sunday, September 13, 2026,** 1:30-3 PM in the JCPC.

Please register for the Year 1 track if you have not completed Year 1 here or at another parish. Please register for the Year 2 track if you have completed the year 1 program.

Our program will be in person in the Parish Center on Sundays from 6:15-7:15 PM, with attendance at the 5 PM Mass before.

Visit sp-**apostle.org/confirmation** for form links and more information. If you have questions, please email **jkozakowski@sp-apostle.org** (Jennifer Kozakowski) or call 310-780-7001.

Year 1 Registration

Open to all teens entering grade 9 in the fall or any teen who has not completed Year 1 and is in grades 10-11.

Year 2 Registration

Open to all teens in grades 10-12 in the fall who have already completed Year 1 at St. Paul's or another parish.



Praise & Planks

7:00pm - 8:00pm
St. Paul the Apostle Parish Center (JCPC)

UPCOMING CLASSES
Wednesday, July 22
Wednesday, July 29

Join PALM for a free Mat Pilates class set to worship music. We will focus on gratitude, gentle strength, and prayerful movement. Open to all levels and all ages. No experience needed!

Bring a mat, comfortable workout attire, water, and optional grip socks. Please let us know in advance about any injuries or physical limitations. **Contact: irenemanahan@gmail.com**



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