

The Sixth Sunday of Easter



Saint Timothy's Church

An Ordinariate Catholic Community

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St. Timothy's Ordinariate Community
Sunday Worship during the Eucharistic Fast

Vide Aquam/Asperges

Opening Hymn #593

The Invitatory and Psalter

Officiant: Lord, open thou our lips.

People: And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

Officiant and People: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. *Amen.*

Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness: O come, let us adore him.

Venite

O come, let us sing un/to the Lord; ; *

let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salva/tion.

Let us come before his presence /with thanksgiving *

and show ourselves glad in him with /psalms.

For the Lord is /a great God, *

and a great King above all /gods.

In his hand are the corners /of the earth, *

and the strength of the hills is his al/so.

The sea is his, /and he made it, *

and his hands prepared the dry /land.

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O come, let us worship /and fall down, *

and kneel before the Lord our Ma/ker.

For he is the /Lord our God, *

and we are the people of his pasture

and the sheep of his /hand.

O wor-ship the Lord in the beau/ty of holiness; *

let the whole earth stand in awe of /him.

For he cometh, for he cometh to /judge the earth, *

and with righteousness to judge the world

and the peoples with his /truth.

Glory be to the Father, and /to the Son,

and to the Holy /Ghost:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and e/ver shall be,
world without end. A/men.

The First Lesson (*1 John 4:7-10*)

Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love. In this was manifested the love of God toward us, because that God sent his only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through him. Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

Benedictus Dominus Deus (*Luke 1:68-79*)

Blessed be the Lord God of /Israel, *
for he hath visited and re/deemed his people;
And hath raised up a mighty salvation /for us *
in the house of his /servant David,
As he spake by the mouth of his holy /prophets, *
which have been /since the world began:
That we should be saved from our /enemies, *
and from the hand of /all that hate us;
To perform the mercy promised to our /forefathers, *
and to remember his /holy covenant;
To perform the oath which he sware to our forefather /Abraham, *
that /he would give us,
That we being delivered out of the hand of our /enemies *
might /serve him without fear,
In holiness and righteousness be/fore him, *
all the /days of our life.
And thou, child, shalt be called the prophet of the /Highest, *
for thou shalt go before the face of the Lord
/to prepare his ways;
To give knowledge of salvation unto his /people *
for the re/mission of their sins,
Through the tender mercy of our /God, *
whereby the dayspring from on high hath /visited us;
To give light to them that sit in darkness

and in the shadow of /death, *
and to guide our feet in/to the way of peace.

Glory be to the Father, and /to the Son,
and /to the Holy Ghost:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever /shall be,
world /without end. Amen.

The Second Lesson (*John 15:9-17*)

As the Father hath loved me, so have I loved you: continue ye in my love. If ye keep my commandments, ye shall abide in my love; even as I have kept my Father's commandments, and abide in his love. These things have I spoken unto you, that my joy might remain in you, and that your joy might be full. This is my commandment, That ye love one another, as I have loved you. Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you. Henceforth I call you not servants; for the servant knoweth not what his lord doeth: but I have called you friends; for all things that I have heard of my Father I have made known unto you. Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain: that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you. These things I command you, that ye love one another.

We Praise Thee

Te Deum laudamus

We praise thee, O God; we acknowledge thee to /be the Lord.
All the earth doth worship thee, the Father everlas/ting.
To thee all Angels /cry aloud,
the Heavens and all the Powers there/in.
To thee Cherubim and Seraphim continual/ly do cry:
Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth;
Heaven and earth are full of the majesty of thy glo/ry.
The glorious company of the apostles praise thee.
The goodly fellowship of the /prophets praise thee.
The noble army of martyrs praise /thee.
The holy Church throughout all the world doth ac/knowledge thee,
the Father, of an infinite majesty,
thine adorable, true, and only Son,
also the Holy Ghost the Com/forter.

Thou art the King of glo/ry, O Christ.
Thou art the everlasting Son of the Fa/ther.
When thou tookest upon thee to de/liver man,
thou didst humble thyself to be born of a Vir/gin.
When thou hadst overcome the sharp/ness of death,
thou didst open the kingdom of heaven to all believ/ers.
Thou sittest at the right hand of God, in the glory /of the Father.
We believe that thou shalt come to be our /judge.
We therefore pray thee, /help thy servants,
whom thou hast redeemed with thy precious /blood.
Make them to be numbered /with thy saints,
in glory everlas/ting.

Gradual Hymn #392

Homily

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And of all things visible and invisible: And in one Lord * Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; begotten of his father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of Very God: Begotten not made: Being of one substance with the Father' By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man: and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate: He suffered and was buried: and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven. And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, and Giver of Life. Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; * Who spake by the Prophets: And I believe one Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: And I look for the † resurrection of the dead; and the Life of the world to come. *Amen.*

The Prayers of the People

With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying. "Lord, have mercy."

V: For the peace from above, for the loving-kindness of God, and for the salvation of our souls, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the holy Church of God, and for the unity of all peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: For the Pope, for our Bishop, Kevin, for our Ordinary, Jeffrey, for our priest, Christopher, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and the will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: For all who have died † in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: For deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression, and degradation, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: That we may end our lives in faith and hope, without suffering and without reproach, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, have mercy.

V: In the communion of Blessed Mary Ever-Virgin, the Holy Apostles Peter and Paul. Blessed Timothy, [Blessed N.], and of all thy saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.

R: To thee, O Christ our God.

Celebrant: For thine is the majesty, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People And with thy spirit.

Officiant Let us pray.

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 trespases,

as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

V. O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;

R. And grant us thy salvation.

V. Endue thy ministers with righteousness;

R. And make thy chosen people joyful.

V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;

R. For only in thee can we live in safety.

V. Lord, keep this nation under thy care;

R. And guide us in the way of justice and truth.

V. Let thy way be known upon earth;

R. Thy saving health among all nations.

V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;

R. Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.

V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;

R. And sustain us with THY Holy Spirit.

The Collect of the Day

O God, who hast prepared for those who love thee such good things as pass man's understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards thee, that we, loving thee in all things and above all things, may obtain thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*

A Collect for Sundays

O God, who makest us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of thy Son our Lord: Grant us this day such blessing through our worship of thee, that the days o come may be spent in thy favor; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

A Prayer for Mission

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of thy faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before thee for all members of thy holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and godly serve thee; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.
Amen.

Announcements

Offertory Hymn #400

The General Thanksgiving

Officiant and People

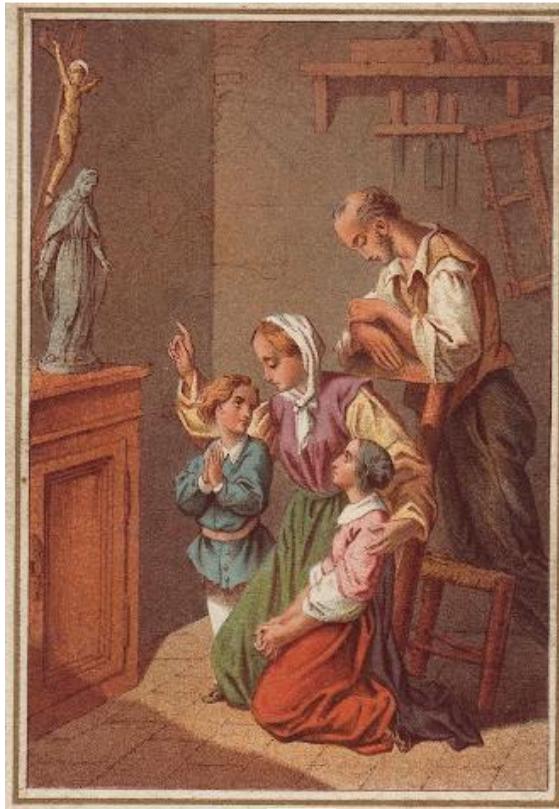
Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we thine unworthy servants do give thee most humble and hearty thanks for all thy goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all men. We bless thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies, that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful; and that we show forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to thy service, and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, world without end.
Amen.

Then may be said
Let us bless the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

The Officiant then concludes with the following
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. *Amen.*

Regina Coeli

Recessional Hymn #344



PRAYER LIST FOR THE WEEK

Of your charity, pray for the Spiritual and Material Needs of this Congregation, for Kevin, our Bishop, for Jeffrey, our Ordinary, for the Clergy, for Christopher, our Priest, and for those who are:

Serving in the Armed Forces: Nicholas, Kirk, Rob, Jamey, Marianne, Jerry Don, Rollie, Everett, Richard, Stephanie, Terry, Charles, Patrick, Kevin, Trey, Nathan, Angel, Jr.

Celebrating Birthdays: [13] Erin Christian [18] Fr. R. Christopher Heying

Celebrating Wedding Anniversaries: [None]

With Child: [None]

III:

[Sun] Melissa, Bianca, Braylin, Casey, Merry, Eileen, James, Larry, Chris, JoAnn, Dub, Opal, JoAnn, Wendell, Bill, Linda, Virginia, Ella, Tony, Lonnie

[Wed] Lola, Brian, Shar, Marion, Quita, Karen, Patrick, Brayden, Billie, Geraldine, Carol, Marshelle, Reginald, Jimmie, Jimmy, Johnny, Beverly

In adversity or need of guidance: Shar, John, Vicky, Ryan, Debbie, Linda, Julia

Anniversary of Death: [13] Jack J. Ball, Jr. [15] Rebecca Christian [17] Clara B. Robinson [18] Joe M. Wilhite [19] T.B. Merrett

Parish Personal: Shar Purcell's mother, Mildred Kurosky, entered life eternal on Monday evening, fortified with the prayers of the Church, and surrounded by her loving family. Her funeral was Thursday, May 10th, at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Fort Worth.

May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, Requiescat In Pace +

Your Vestry:

Ken Gill ~ Senior Warden Mark Stewart ~ Junior Warden

Judy Grimada □ Steve Beard, Sr. □ Mike Langston

Larry Snider □ Jim Owens □ Azilee Stephenson □ Charles Warnky

Carol Christian ~ Treasurer □ Jewell Merrett ~ Clerk

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❑ Happy Mothers Day! May the Blessed Virgin Mary, Patroness of All Mothers, guide and protect each mother in our congregation on this special day.
- ❑ This Thursday, May 17th, is Ascension Day – A Holy Day of Obligation. We will join the people of St. Mary's. Please see St. Mary's bulletin for Mass times.
- ❑ His Excellency, the Most Rev. Kevin Vann, having consulted with The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Jeffrey Steenson, Ordinary of the Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter, has bestowed faculties on the Very Rev. David Bristow, Pastor of our host Church, St. Mary of the Assumption, and Dean of our Deanery, to ADMINISTER the SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION to the members of the St. Timothy's Ordinariate Catholic Community on PENTECOST SUNDAY, May 27th at 2 p.m. at St. Mary's.
- ❑ Not only will our being Confirmed on Pentecost forever unite us, in a most special and personal way, with the Communion of Saints in the Universal Church; it will also allow us to receive Holy Communion on the following Tuesday, May 29th, as six former Episcopal priests from Fort Worth are ordained Deacons in the Catholic Church for the Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter, (also at St. Mary's at 7 p.m.).
- ❑ Our final preparation for our community's reception into the Church will be to make our Confessions prior to Pentecost. We are working on the details for how best to coordinate so many confessions at once, and will alert the congregation about them soon, as well as providing information about the protocol for those in our community working through the Annulment Process, locating Baptismal Records, etc.
- ❑ St. Mary's celebrates Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday after the 7 p.m. Mass in the Church. Also, the Blessed Sacrament is exposed for Adoration every Thursday from 12:30 to 4:00 p.m. in the Chapel. Why not plan to visit our Saviour in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar sometime this Easter Season.
- ❑ Please Note: For non profit tax reasons, our church will be temporarily under the 501c3 tax I.D. of St. Mary's Church, and they will set up a sub account for our offerings. Therefore, if you are pledging by check, PLEASE make the check out to ST. MARY'S CHURCH and put "St. Timothy's" in the memo line of the check. Please do NOT write "St. Timothy's" on the "pay to the order of" line, as it will have to be returned to you.