

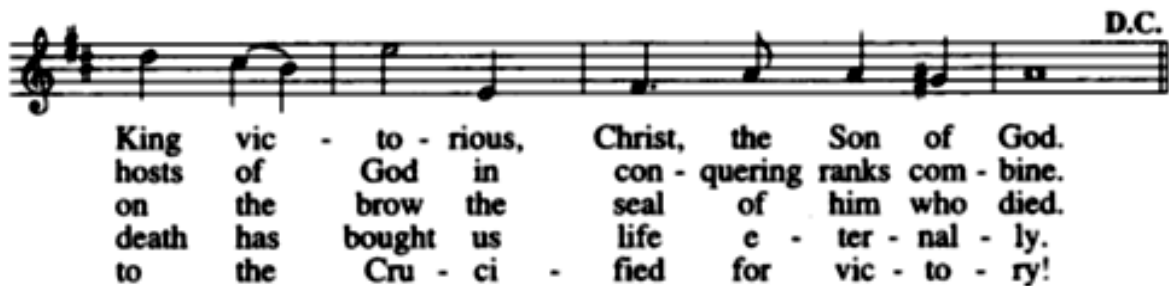
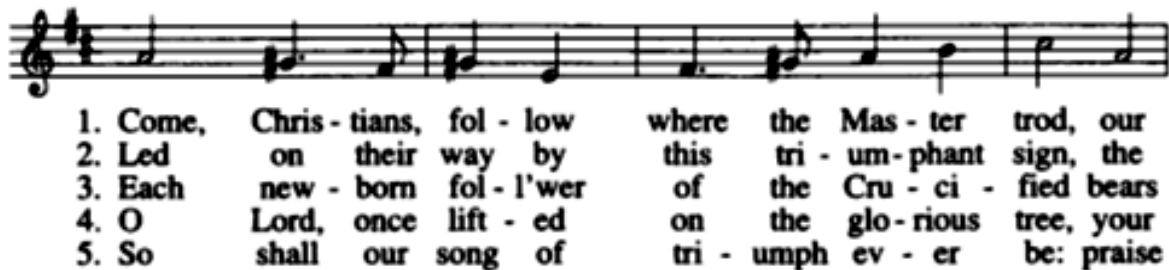
The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

St. Catherine of Alexandria and St. Joan of Arc † September 14, 2025

—Introductory Rites—

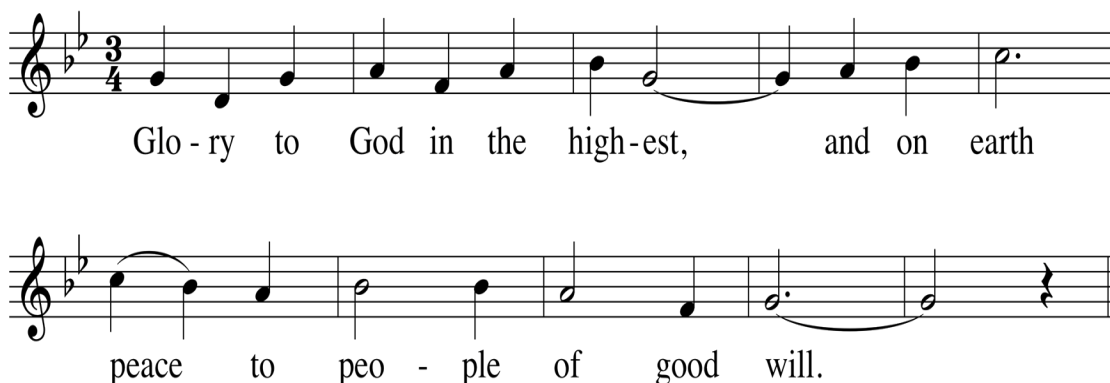
Prelude: Holy Forever by Phil Wickman, Chris Tomlin, Brian Johnson, Jenn Johnson & Jason Ingram

Gathering Song: Lift High the Cross by George W Kitchin & Michael R Newbolt



Glory to God *by Marty Haugen*

Refrain



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.



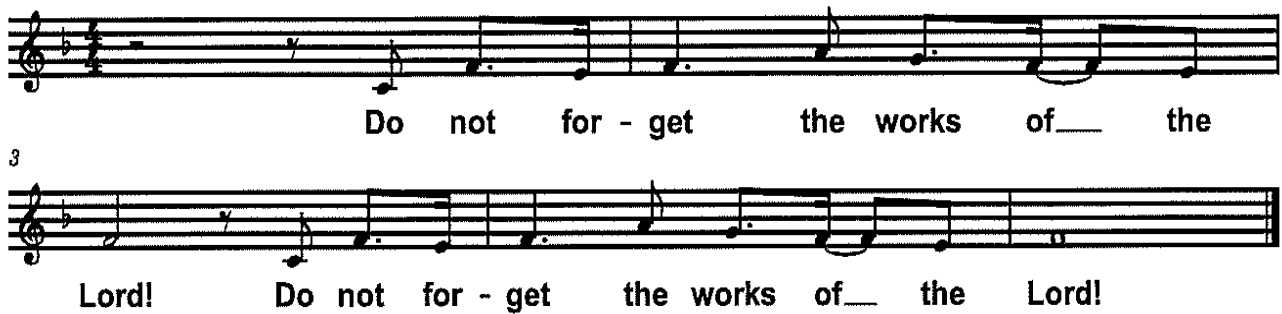
LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: Numbers 21:4b-9

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 78:

Do Not Forget the Works of the Lord

By Francesca LaRosa



SECOND READING: Philippians 2:6-11

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia! *By Marty Haugen*

Refrain



GOSPEL READING: John 3:13-17

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

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 bow at the following words up to:

and became man.

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



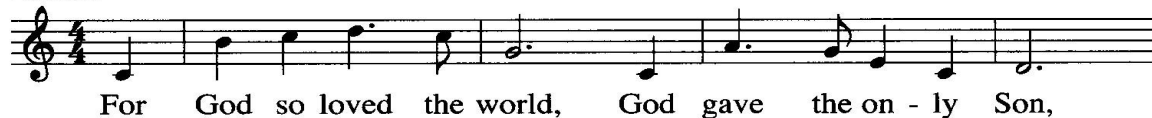
LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF GIFTS: For God So Loved the World *by Marty Haugen &*

Su-

san Briehl

Refrain



For God so loved the world, God gave the on - ly Son,



so that ev-'ry-one who be-lieves in him may not die, but have life.

Last time to Coda ☪



So much God loved the world, so much God loves the world.

Verses 1, 2



1. The Word be-came flesh and dwelt a - mong us; full of
2. As Mo - ses lift - ed up the ser - pent so that



grace, full of truth he made his home. He came to his own who would
all who looked to it might live, the Son of Man must be



know him not, though all who be - hold him,
lift - ed up so that all who be - lieve,




all who re-ceive him are called the chil - dren of God.
all who look to him may have e - ter - nal life.

3. God's Son came not to condemn the world,
but that the world may be saved through him,
and all who believe in the Son of God,
Shall come to the light, and live in the light,
And dwell in the heart of God.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

PREFACE DIALOGUE



V. The Lord be with you. R. And with your spir-it.

V. Lift up your hearts. R. We lift them up to the Lord.

V. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. R. It is right and just.

PREFACE ACCLAMATION: HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

By Marty Haugen

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Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho-ly Lord God of

hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry.

Ho - san - na in the high-est. Bless-ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the

high-est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your Res - ur -



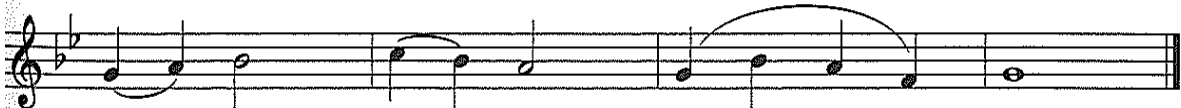
rec - tion un - til you come a - gain, un - til you come a - gain.



GREAT AMEN



A - men, a - men, a - men.



A - men, a - men, a - men.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Lamb of God



Cantor: *Assembly:*

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the

To repeat

world, have mer - cy on us.

Last time

world, grant us peace.

COMMUNION SONG: Lord of the Dance *by Sydney Carter*

1. I danced in the morn - ing when the world was be - gun, And I
 2. I danced for the scribe and the phar - i - see, But
 3. I danced on the Sab - bath and I cured the lame: The
 4. I danced on a Fri - day when the sky turned black; It's
 5. They cut me down and I leapt up high; ‡

danced in the moon and the stars and the sun, And I
 they would-n't dance, and they would-n't fol - low me; I
 ho - ly peo - ple said it was a shame. They
 hard to dance with the dev - il on your back. They
 I am the life that - 'll nev - er, nev - er die; I'll

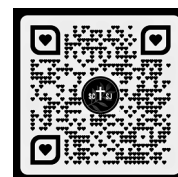
came down from heav - en and I danced on the earth; At
 danced for the fish - er - men, for James and John; They
 whipped and they stripped and they hung me high, And
 bur - ied my bod - y and they thought I'd gone; But
 live in you if you'll live in me: 7

Beth - le - hem I had my birth.
 came with me and the dance went on.
 left me there on a cross to die.
 I am the dance and I still go on.
 I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

Dance then wher - ev - er you may be; I am the
 Lord of the dance, said he, And I'll lead you all, wher -
 ev - er you may be, And I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.

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COMMUNION SONG: Unless a Grain of Wheat *by Bernadette*

Refrain

Un - less a grain of wheat shall fall up - on the ground
and die, it re - mains but a sin - gle grain
with no life. 1.- 6. To verses Last time 2. If

Verses

1. If we have died with him then we shall
2. an - y - one serves me then they must
3. Make your home in me as I make
4. If you re - main in me and my word
5. Those who love me are loved by my
6. Peace I leave with you, my peace I

live with him; if we hold firm we shall
fol - low me; where - ev - er I am my
mine in you; those who re - main in me
lives in you, then you will be my dis -
Fa - ther; we shall be with them and
give to you; peace which the world can - not

D.C.
reign with him.
ser - vants will be.
bear much fruit.
ci - ples.
dwell in them.
give is my gift.



SENDING FORTH: At the Name of Jesus *by Caroline Maria Noel & Chris-*

Refrain




At the name of Je-sus, ev-'ry knee shall bow, ev-'ry tongue con-




fess him: King of glo-ry now. Je-sus is Lord, King of glo-ry now!


Verses



1. He ___ emp-tied him - self, as a slave, yet free,
2. He ___ hum-bled him - self, and o-beyed God's will.
3. God ex - alt - ed him, raised him up on high
4. Christ ___ Je - sus will come at the end of time,



1. came in hu - man like-ness ___ for you and for me; in
2. On a cross he died ___ on Cal - va - ry's hill; for
3. so a - bove all oth - ers ___ his name will not die; that
4. come with ju - bi - la - tion ___ to call ___ us home. Un -



1. hu - man like-ness ___ for you and for me.
2. you and me he o-beyed ___ God's will.
3. name we hon - or ___ and glo - ri - fy.
4. til that day you and I will pro - claim:

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