

Gentle reminder: When the lights have been lowered, please use this time for silent reflection. The 5:30 pm Vigil and 8:30 am Sunday Masses are livestreamed.

**Welcome to the
Church of the Ascension
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
May 10, 2026**



**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
ENTRANCE ANTIPHON**

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Pro-claim a joy-ful sound and let it be heard; pro-
claim to the ends of the earth: The Lord has freed his
peo - ple, al - le - lu - ia.

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Glory to God

Mass of St. Ann

Glory, glory to God in the Highest. Glory, glory
to God in the Highest and on earth peace
to people of good will.

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.

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THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Acts 8: 5 - 8, 14 – 17

With great success, Philip went to Samaria to proclaim the Christ and work miracles. When the apostles heard about Philip's work, they sent Peter and John to pray that the Samaritans receive the Holy Spirit.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Let all the earth cry out with joy, with Joy.

SECOND READING

1 Peter 3: 15 – 18

Jesus "suffered for sins once." He was put to death as far as fleshly existence goes but received life according to the spirit.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

GOSPEL

John 14: 15 – 21

Jesus assured the disciples that he would not leave them orphaned but would ask the Father to send "another Advocate" to be with them always. Jesus said that he would still reveal himself to those who love him.

**PLEASE REMAIN STANDING UNTIL THE
BOOK OF THE GOSPELS IS ENTHRONED.**

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

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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 (**A SLIGHT BOW**) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man. (**RISE**)

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.

UNIVERSAL PRAYERS

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

I Know That My Redeemer Lives

I know that my Redeemer lives, the One who calls me home. I long to see God face to face, to see with my own eyes.

Refrain: I know that my Redeemer lives, that I shall rise again. I know that my Redeemer lives, that I shall rise again.

I know that I shall one day see the goodness of the Lord, when God will wipe away our tears, and death will be no more.

The last day I shall rise again, shall be remade like God. My home shall be by God's own side, the dying, rising Lord.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYERS

Holy, Holy, Holy
When We Eat This Bread
Great Amen

THE COMMUNION RITE

The LORD'S Prayer
Sign of Peace
Lamb of God

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

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If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord,
and I will ask the Fa - ther and he will send you an-oth-er Par-
- a-clete, to a-bide with you for ev - er, al - le - lu - ia.

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COMMUNION SONG(S)

Bread of Life

Bread of life and cup of hope, we come as gift to you. Change our hearts; fill us with peace. Transform our lives anew. Open our eyes so that we might see your presence in one another. Your life, poured out in love today, unites us all in you.

Loving Lord, Creator God, open our eyes to see the good that lives in each of us, that called the world to be. And when we fail to see the good, when friendships falter and crumble, give us the courage to forgive that we may live in peace.

Living Word, O Son of God, your love shows us the way that we may live in harmony, and from you never stray. Wipe all oppression from our midst; give us a love for all people. Your song of justice sing in us, to live for peace today.

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In celebration of Mother's Day, we honor the remarkable women who serve as mothers, caregivers, mentors, teachers, and more: raising, inspiring and uplifting those around them.

Hail Mary: Gentle Woman

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of death. Amen. *Continued next page...*

Refrain: Gentle woman, quiet light, morning star, so strong
and bright, gentle Mother, peaceful dove, teach us wisdom;
teach us love.

1. You were chosen by the Father; you were chosen for the
Son. You were chosen from all women and for woman,
shining one.
2. Blessed are you among women, blest in turn all women
too. Blest are they with peaceful spirits. Blessed they with
gentle hearts.

Text: Hail Mary based on Luke 1:28; Carey Landry, b. 1944. Music: Carey Landry.
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REPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Bread of Angels

1. Bread of an - gels we've re - ceived you;
2. Though un - wor - thy, we've re - ceived you,
with us__ now a - bide._____ Pre - cious Je - sus,__
sac - ra - ment di - vine._____ Bread of an - gels, ac -
man - na of a - ges, with us now re - side.
- cept our__ prais - es, let your glo - ry shine!

English text, Curtis Stephan. Latin text, Panis angelicus by St. Thomas Aquinas, 1227-1274.

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SENDING FORTH

Lift Up Your Hearts

Refrain: Lift up your hearts to the Lord, praise God's gracious mercy! Sing out your joy to the Lord, whose love is enduring.

Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth! Praise the name above all names! Say to God, "How wondrous your works, how glorious your name!"

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