



5th Sunday of Lent

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OPENING HYMN: #131 (MI)

BEYOND THE DAYS

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Refrain

Be - yond the days of hope and mys - t'ry we
 see a light of faith re - newed, and in our long - ing
 we thirst for guid - ance to walk with you day by day.

1-4 to Verses

Final Verses

day, to walk with you day by day.

1. For - ty days and
2. Not on bread a -
3. In your hands, O
4. On our Lent - en

1. nights, you guide the steps of our jour - ney. May your
2. lone are we to walk on this jour - ney. Speak the
3. God, we feel the touch of your guid - ance. Keep us
4. path we see the dawn of a new day. Be our

3 to Refrain

1. pres - ence be felt in the whis - per of your voice.
2. words that give life to the yearn - ings of our hearts.
3. safe in your care: may your gen - tle - ness be there.
4. vi - sion of hope; be the prom - ise of our lives.

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(There is no *Gloria* during Lent.)

By your help, we beseech you, Lord our God, may we walk eagerly in that same charity with which, out of love for the world, your Son handed himself over to death. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

FIRST READING

Ezekiel 37:12-14

PSALM 130: FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT, YEAR A



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- 1.) Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD; LORD, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to my voice in supplication. **R/.**
- 2.) If you, O LORD, mark iniquities, LORD, who can stand? But with You is forgiveness, that you may be revered. **R/.**
- 3.) I trust in the LORD; my soul trusts in His word. More than sentinels wait for the dawn, let Israel wait for the LORD. **R/.**
- 4.) For with the LORD is kindness and with Him is plenteous redemption; and He will redeem Israel from all their iniquities. **R/.**

SECOND READING

Romans 8:8-11

LENTEN GOSPEL ACCLAMATION NO. IX-A



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>> *I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will never die. R/.*

GOSPEL

John 11:1-45

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)

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.**

PETITIONS

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS



Loving God, You have made us in Your image and likeness, and for this we shall praise You forever. Through Baptism You invite us to serve as Your Son, Jesus served.

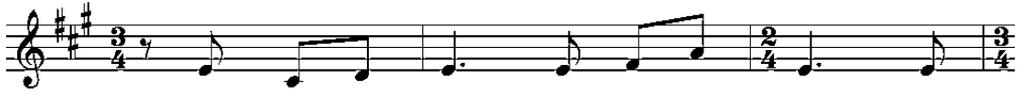
We call to mind the Priests and Consecrated Religious whose lives have been instruments of holiness. Thank You, Lord, for the gift and inspiration each of them has been, proving that Your steadfast love endures forever.

Through the intercession of the Blessed Mother and Saints Peter and Paul, we pray to You, Lord Jesus, that more men and women will open their hearts to Your loving plan. We pray especially for those whom You are calling to serve the Church as Priests, Deacons, Sisters, and Brothers. Help them to hear and answer Your call to discipleship.

Bless our families, Lord, that we may become instruments of Your Holiness and Peace. Let us give thanks to the Lord for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever. **Amen.**

OFFERTORY HYMN: # 482 (MI)

We Walk by Faith



1., 5. We walk by faith, and not by sight; No
 2. We may not touch his hands and side, Nor
 3. Help then, O Lord, our un - be - lief; And
 4. That, when our life of faith is done, In



gra - cious words we hear From him who spoke as
 fol - low where he trod; But in his prom - ise
 may our faith a - bound To call on you when
 realms of clear - er light We may be - hold you



none e'er spoke; But we be - lieve him near.
 we re - joice, And cry, "My Lord and God!"
 you are near, And seek where you are found:
 as you are, With full and end - less sight.

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ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You Sacramentally, come at least into my heart.

I embrace You as if You have already come, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. **Amen.**



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COMMUNION HYMN: # 355 (MI)

I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE

Acc #258 / CP3 #520

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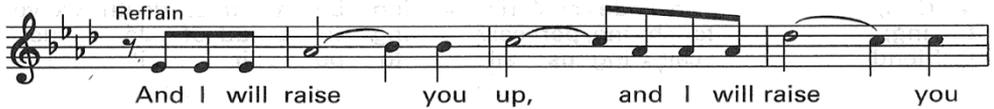
1. I am the Bread of life. You who come to me
2. The bread that I will give is my flesh for the
3. Un - less you eat of the flesh of the
4. I am the Res - ur - rec - tion, I
5. Yes, Lord, we be - lieve that you



1. shall not hun - ger; and who be - lieve in me shall not thirst.
2. life of the world, and if you eat of this bread,
3. Son of Man and drink of his blood, and
4. am the life. If you be - lieve in me,
5. are the Christ, and the Son of God,



1. No one can come to me un - less the Fa - ther beck - ons.
2. you shall live for ev - er, you shall live for ev - er.
3. drink of his blood, you shall not have life with - in you.
4. e - ven though you die, you shall live for ev - er.
5. who has come in - to the world.



Text: John 6:35, 44, 51, 53-54; 11:25-27; Suzanne Toolan, RSM.

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PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world, seeking the ruin of souls. *Amen.*

HAIL, HOLY QUEEN

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness, and our hope! To Thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve;

to Thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn, then, most gracious advocate, Thine eyes of mercy toward us; and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!



Pray for us, O holy Mother of God, R/. That we may be made worthy of
the promises of Christ.

St. Joseph, the Worker, pray for us.

Blessed Fr. Solanus Casey, pray for us.



CLOSING HYMN: # 631 (MI)

God of Day and God of Darkness

