

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Tony's 20th Anniversary of
Ordination to the Priesthood

10/25/2026



OPENING HYMN #217 (MI)

(All Verses)

PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW

OLD HUNDREDTH

1, 4. Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all
2. From all that dwell below the skies Let the Cre -
3. E - ter - nal are thy mer - cies, Lord, And truth e -

1, 4. crea - tures here be - low; Praise him a - bove, ye
2. a - tor's praise a - rise! Let the Re - deem - er's
3. ter - nal is thy word; Thy praise shall sound from

1, 4. heav'n - ly host; Praise Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Ghost.
2. name be sung Through ev - 'ry land by ev - 'ry one.
3. shore to shore Till suns shall rise and set no more.

Text: LM; verses 1, 4, Thomas Ken, 1637–1711; verses 2, 3, Isaac Watts, 1674–1748, alt.

Music: *Genevan Psalter*, 1551; attr. to Louis Bourgeois, ca. 1510–1561, alt.

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GLORIA (Sung-Heritage Mass)

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. 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. 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. 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.*

Almighty ever-living God, increase our faith, hope and charity, and make us love what you command, so that we may merit what you promise. 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

Exodus 22:20-26

PSALM 18: 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A



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- 1.) I love you, O LORD, my strength, O LORD, my rock, my fortress, my deliverer. **R/.**
- 2.) My God, my rock of refuge, my shield, the horn of my salvation, my stronghold! Praised be the LORD, I exclaim, and I am safe from my enemies. **R/.**
- 3.) The LORD lives and blessed be my rock! Extolled be God my Savior. You who gave great victories to your king and showed kindness to your anointed. **R/.**

SECOND READING

1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: ALLELUIA NO. VII



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>> *Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him. R/.*

GOSPEL

Matthew 22:34-40

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 SYNOD 2026** †

Blessed Trinity, source of our life and our unity,
we ask for your presence with and within us,
as we undertake this synodal journey.

CREATE IN US and all those responsible for preparing the synod,
a discerning spirit.

HELP US to deepen our relationship with you and with one
another over the months and weeks ahead.

GROW IN US the fire of your love, that we may eagerly respond
to your loving invitation to spread the joy of the Gospel, and to
serve the poor, suffering and vulnerable.

FORM US to be better disciples, creating vibrant, mission-
oriented communities, of faith, hope and charity.

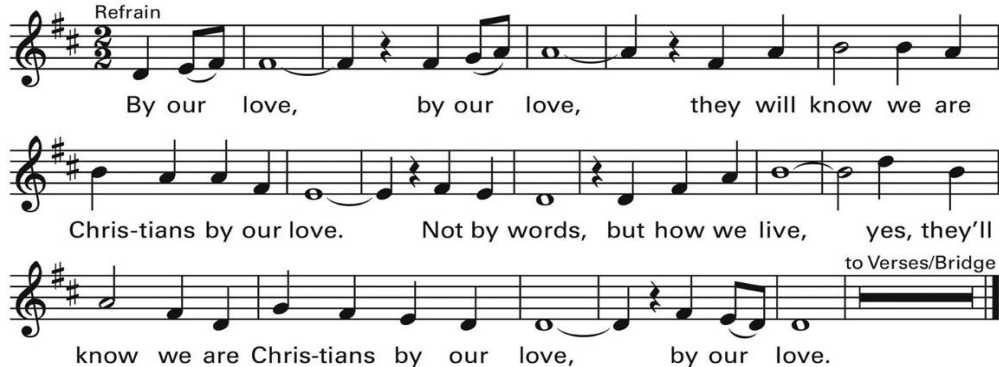
We ask this through the intercession of our diocesan patrons,
Mary, the Immaculate Conception and St. Matthew. *Amen.*

OFFERTORY HYMN #509 (MI)

BY OUR LOVE

Tom Kendzia

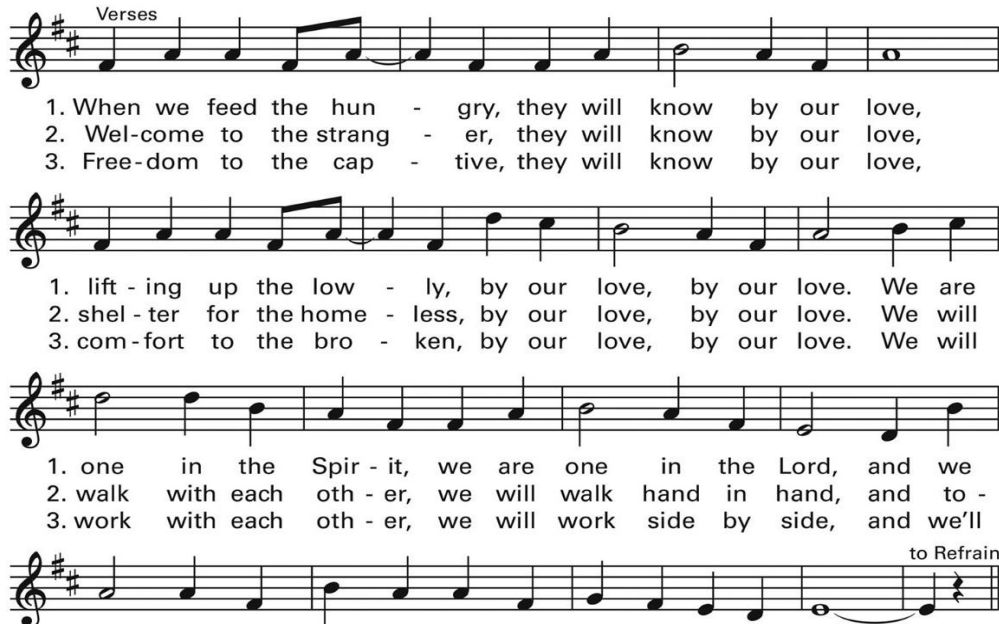
Refrain



By our love, by our love, they will know we are
Chris-tians by our love. Not by words, but how we live, yes, they'll
know we are Chris-tians by our love, by our love.

to Verses/Bridge

Verses



1. When we feed the hun - gry, they will know by our love,
2. Wel-come to the strang - er, they will know by our love,
3. Free-dom to the cap - tive, they will know by our love,

1. lift - ing up the low - ly, by our love, by our love. We are
2. shel - ter for the home - less, by our love, by our love. We will
3. com-fort to the bro - ken, by our love, by our love. We will

1. one in the Spir - it, we are one in the Lord, and we
2. walk with each oth - er, we will walk hand in hand, and to -
3. work with each oth - er, we will work side by side, and we'll

to Refrain

1. pray that all u - ni - ty may one day be re-stored.
2. geth - er we'll spread the news that God is in our land.
3. guard each one's dig - ni - ty and save each oth-er's pride.

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Mass Setting: *Mass of the Resurrection* #848 (MI)

Mem. Accl: "When we eat this Bread..."



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.*

COMMUNION HYMN #1: #372 (MI) (by Choir)

LORD, WHO AT THY FIRST EUCHARIST

UNDE ET MEMORES



1. Lord, who at thy first Eu - cha - rist did pray That

2. For all thy Church, O Lord, we in - ter - cede; Make

3. We pray thee, too, for wan - d'ers from thy fold; O

4. So, Lord, at length when sac - ra - ments shall cease, May



1. all thy Church might be for - ev - er one, Grant us at

2. thou our sad di - vi - sions soon to cease; Draw us the

3. bring them back, Good Shep - herd of the sheep, Back to the

4. we be one with all thy Church a - bove, One with thy



1. ev - 'ry Eu - cha - rist to say With long - ing heart and

2. near - er each, to each we plead, By draw - ing all to

3. faith which saints be - lieved of old, Back to the Church which

4. saints in one un - bro - ken peace, One with thy saints in



1. soul, "Thy will be done." O may we all one bread, one

2. thee, O Prince of Peace; Thus may we all one bread, one

3. still that faith doth keep; Soon may we all one bread, one

4. one un - bound - ed love; More bless - ed still in peace and



1. bod - y be, Through this blest Sac - ra - ment of U - ni - ty.

2. bod - y be, Through this blest Sac - ra - ment of U - ni - ty.

3. bod - y be, Through this blest Sac - ra - ment of U - ni - ty.

4. love to be One with the Trin - i - ty in U - ni - ty.

COMMUNION HYMN #2: # 444 (MI)

ONLY A SHADOW

Carey Landry

Verses



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|---------------|--------------------|---------|------|
| 1. The love | we have for you, | O Lord, | is — |
| 2. The bread | we take and eat, | O Lord, | is — |
| 3. Our own | be - lief in you, | O Lord, | is |
| 4. The dreams | we share to - day, | O Lord, | are |
| 5. The joy | we share to - day, | O Lord, | is |



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|-----------------|----------------------------|----------|
| 1. on - ly a | shad - ow of your love | for us; |
| 2. your bod - y | bro - ken and shared | with us; |
| 3. on - ly | a shad - ow of your faith | in us; |
| 4. on - ly | a shad - ow of your dreams | for us; |
| 5. on - ly | a shad - ow of your joys | for us; |



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| 1. on - ly a | shad - ow of your love | for us; | your |
| 2. your bod - y | bro - ken and shared | with us; | the |
| 3. on - ly a | shad - ow of your faith | in us; | your |
| 4. on - ly a | shad - ow of your dreams | for us; | if |
| 5. on - ly a | shad - ow of your joys | for us; | when |

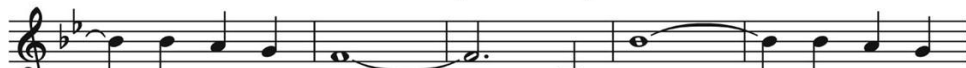


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| 1. deep | a - bid - ing love. | To REFRAIN
(all verses) |
| 2. gift | of your great love. | |
| 3. deep | and last - ing faith. | |
| 4. we | but fol - low you. | |
| 5. we | meet face to face. | |

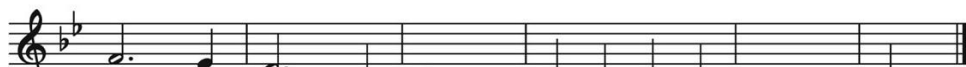
Refrain



Our lives are in your hands, our lives



are in your hands. Our love for you will



grow, O Lord; your light in us will shine.

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: # 563 (MI)

O GOD BEYOND ALL PRAISING

THAXTED



1. O God be-yond all prais - ing, We wor-ship you to - day
2. Then hear, O gra-cious Sav - ior, Ac - cept the love we bring,



1. And sing the love a - maz - ing That songs can - not re - pay;
2. That we who know your fa - vor May serve you as our King;



1. For we can on - ly won - der At ev - 'ry gift you send,
2. And wheth - er our to - mor - rows Be filled with good or ill,



1. At bless - ings with - out num - ber And mer - cies with - out end:
2. We'll tri - umph through our sor - rows And rise to bless you still:



1. We lift our hearts be - fore you And wait up - on your word,
2. To mar - vel at your beau - ty And glo - ry in your ways,



1. We hon - or and a - dore you, Our great and might - y Lord.
2. And make a joy - ful du - ty Our sac - ri - fice of praise.

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