

# *Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

## *Ascension Catholic Church, Melbourne, FL*

### *June 21, 2026*

### *Gathering*

#### *Faith of Our Fathers*

*ST. CATHERINE*



1. Faith of our fa - thers! Liv - ing still  
 2. The mar - tyrs, chained in pris - ons dark,  
 3. Faith of our moth - ers! Ma - ry's pray'rs  
 4. Faith of our fa - thers! We will love



1. In spite of dun - geon, fire and sword:  
 2. Were still in heart and con - science free:  
 3. Shall win all na - tions un - to thee;  
 4. Both friend and foe in all our strife:



1. O how our hearts beat high with joy,  
 2. And tru - ly blest would be our fate,  
 3. And through the truth that comes from God,  
 4. And preach thee, too, as love knows how,



1. When - e'er we hear that glo - rious word:  
 2. If we, like them, should die for thee.  
 3. We all shall then in - deed be free.  
 4. By kind - ly words and vir - tuous life.



1. Faith of our fa - thers, ho - ly faith!  
 2. Faith of the mar - tyrs, ho - ly faith!  
 3. Faith of our moth - ers, ho - ly faith!  
 4. Faith of our fa - thers, ho - ly faith!



1-4. We will be true to thee till death.

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## *Penitential Rite*

### *Confiteor (optional)*

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters,  
that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words,  
in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do;  
through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;  
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints,  
and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

### *Lord, Have Mercy*

Deacon: Lord, have mercy  
Christ, have mercy  
Lord, have mercy

Assembly: Lord, have mercy.  
Christ, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

Mass of Creation

Glory to God

Marty Haugen

Refrain

Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth  
 peace to peo - ple of good will.

*mf*  
 (1. We) praise you, we bless — you, we a - dore — you, we glo - ri - fy  
 1. you, we give — you thanks for your great glo - ry, — Lord  
 1. God, heav - en - ly King, O God, al - might - y Fa - ther. — *poco rit.* *D.C.*

*mp*  
 2. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God,  
 2. Son of the Fa - ther, — you take a - way the sins of the world, } have mer -  
 re - ceive  
 1. cy on us; — you our prayer; — you are seat - ed at the  
 2. right hand of the Fa - ther, have mer - cy on us. — *poco rit.* *D.C.*

*mf*  
 3. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, —  
 3. — you a - lone are the Most — High, *Melody* Je - sus  
*Harmony*  
 3. Christ, — with the Ho - ly Spir - it, in the glo - ry of  
 3. God the Fa - ther. — A - men. — A - men. — *poco rit.* *D.C. al fine*

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# Liturgy of the Word



*First Reading: Jeremiah 20:10-13*

*Psalm Response*

*Psalm 69*

*Owen Alstott*



**R. Lord, in your great love, an - swer me.**

1. For your sake I bear insult, and shame covers my face.  
I have become an outcast to my brothers, a stranger to my mother's children,  
Because zeal for your house consumes me, and the insults of those who blaspheme you fall upon me.
2. I pray to you, O Lord, for the time of your favor, O God!  
In your great kindness answer me with your constant help.  
Answer me, O Lord, for bounteous is your kindness; in your great mercy turn toward me.
3. "See, you lowly ones, and be glad; you who seek God, may your hearts revive!  
For the Lord hears the poor, and his own who are in bonds he spurns not.  
Let the heavens and the earth praise him, the seas and whatever moves in them!"

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*Second Reading: Romans 5:12-15*

*Gospel Acclamation: Celtic Alleluia*

*Christopher Walker*



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*Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33*

*Homily*

*Creed:*

*Nicene Creed*

*I believe in one God,  
the Father, the 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:  
(Bow) And by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,  
and became man. (end bow)  
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.*

# General Intercessions

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.



## Liturgy of the Eucharist

### Preparation of Gifts

#### In Every Age

Janet Sullivan Whitaker

Verses (♩ = ca. 86)



1. Long be - fore the moun - tains came to be
2. Des - ti - ny is cast, and at your si - lent word
3. Teach us to make use of the time we have.



1. and the land and sea and stars of the night,
2. we re - turn to dust and scat - ter to the wind. A
3. Teach us to be pa - tient e - ven as we wait.



1. through the end - less sea - sons of all time, you have
2. thou - sand years are like a sin - gle mo - ment gone, as the
3. Teach us to em - brace our ev - 'ry joy and pain. To sleep



1. al - ways been, you will al - ways be.
2. light that fades at the end of day.
3. peace - ful - ly, and to rise up strong.

#### Refrain



In ev - 'ry age, O God, you have been our ref - uge.



In ev - 'ry age, O God, you have been our hope.

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*Eucharistic Acclamations*

*Mass of Creation*

*Marty Haugen*

*Holy*



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*



When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-  
claim your Death, O Lord, un-til you come a-gain.

*Amen*



A-men, a-men, a-men! A-men, a-men, a-men!

*Lamb of God*



Cantor/Choir All  
Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have  
mer-cy on us. world, grant us peace.

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## Communion Antiphon

*The eyes of all look to you, O Lord, and you give them their food in due season.*

## Communion Songs

### Gift of Finest Wheat

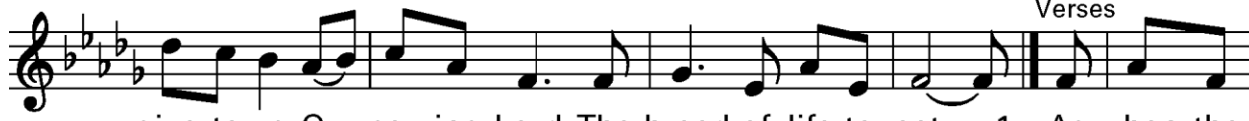
Robert E. Kreutz

Refrain



You sat-is-fy the hun-gry heart With gift of fin-est wheat, Come

Verses



give to us, O sav-ing Lord, The bread of life to eat.

1. As when the
2. With joy - ful
3. Is not the
4. The mys - t'ry
5. You give your-



1. shep - herd calls his sheep, They know and heed his voice; So
2. lips we sing to you Our praise and grat - i - tude, That
3. cup we bless and share The blood of Christ out-poured? Do
4. of your pres-ence, Lord, No mor - tal tongue can tell: Whom
5. self to us, O Lord; Then self - less let us be, To

to Refrain



1. when you call your fam-'ly, Lord, We fol - low and re-joice.
2. you should count us wor-thy, Lord, To share this heav'n-ly food.
3. not one cup, one loaf, de-clare Our one-ness in the Lord?
4. all the world can-not con-tain Comes in our hearts to dwell.
5. serve each oth - er in your name In truth and char - i - ty.

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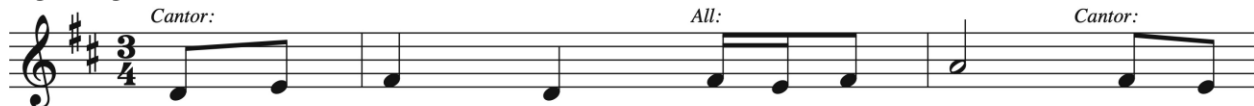
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# Everyday God

Bernadette Farrell



1. Earth's cre - a - tor,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	Lov - ing
2. In your pres - ence	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	We are
3. Life of all lives,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	Love of
4. In our rest - ing,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	In our
5. In our dream - ing,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	In our
6. God of laugh - ter,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	God of
7. Way of free - dom,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	Star of
8. Word of glad - ness,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	Word of
9. Gen - tle fa - ther,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	Faith - ful
10. Our be - gin - ning,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	Our un -
11. Al - le - lu - ia,	Ev - 'ry - day	God,	Now and



Mak - er,	O	Je - sus,	You who shaped us,	O
gath - ered.	O	Je - sus,	You have called us,	O
all loves,	O	Je - sus,	Hope of all hopes,	O
ris - ing,	O	Je - sus,	In our hop - ing,	O
dar - ing,	O	Je - sus,	In our search - ing,	O
sor - row,	O	Je - sus,	Hope and shel - ter,	O
morn - ing,	O	Je - sus,	Time - less heal - er,	O
mer - cy,	O	Je - sus,	Word of friend - ship,	O
broth - er,	O	Je - sus,	Ten - der sis - ter,	O
fold - ing,	O	Je - sus,	Our en - dur - ing,	O
al - ways,	O	Je - sus,	Al - le - lu - ia,	O



Spir - it,	Re - cre - ate	us,	Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	To re - store	us.	Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	Light of all	lights,	Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	In our wait - ing,		Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	In our shar - ing,		Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	Strong and pa - tient,		Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	Flame e - ter - nal,		Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	Word of chal - lenge,		Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	Lov - ing moth - er,		Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	Jour - ney's end - ing,		Come,	be with us.
Spir - it,	Through all a - ges,		Come,	be with us.

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# Song of Sending Forth

## Sent Forth by God's Blessing

ASH GROVE



1. Sent forth by God's bless-ing, our true faith con - fess-ing, The  
God's sac - ri - fice end - ed, O now be ex - tend - ed The
2. With praise and thanks - giv - ing, to God who is liv - ing, The  
Our faith ev - er shar-ing, in love ev - er car-ing, We



1. peo-ple of God from his dwell-ing take leave.  
fruits of this Mass in all hearts who be-lieve. The seed of his
2. tasks of our ev - 'ry-day life we em-brace.  
claim as our neigh-ber all those of each race. One bread that has



1. teach-ing our in - ner souls reach-ing, Shall blos-som in ac-tion for
2. fed us, one light that has led us U - nite us as one in his



1. God and for all. His grace shall in - cite us, his love shall u -
2. life that we share. Then may all the liv-ing with praise and thanks -



1. nite us To fur - ther God's king - dom and an - swer his call.
2. giv - ing Give hon - or to Christ and his name that we bear.

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