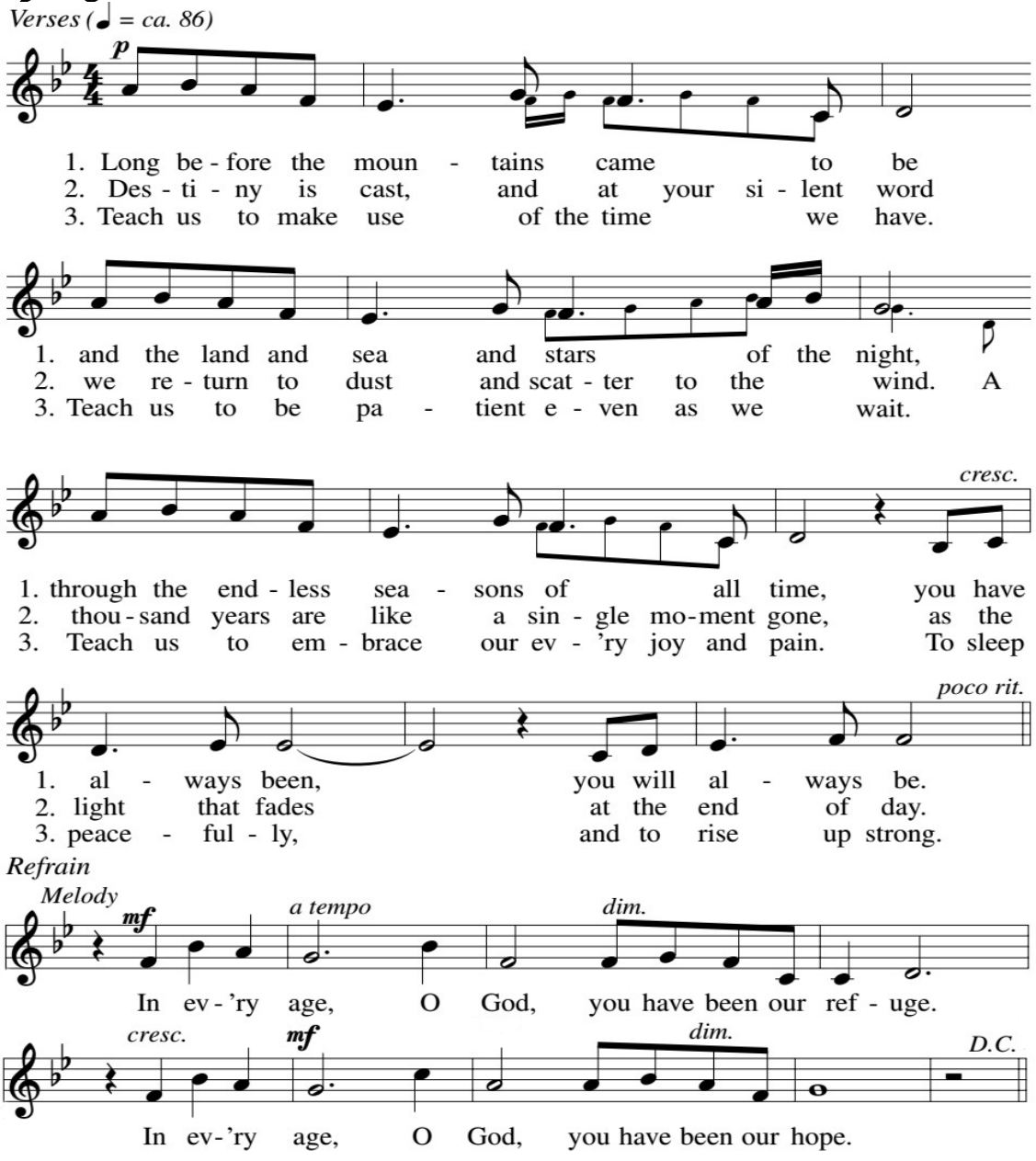
Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Ascension Catholic Church
Melbourne, Florida
November 8, 2026

Prelude

In Every Age

Janèt Sullivan Whitaker



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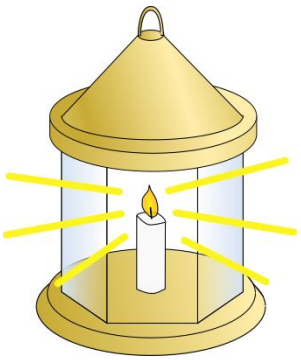
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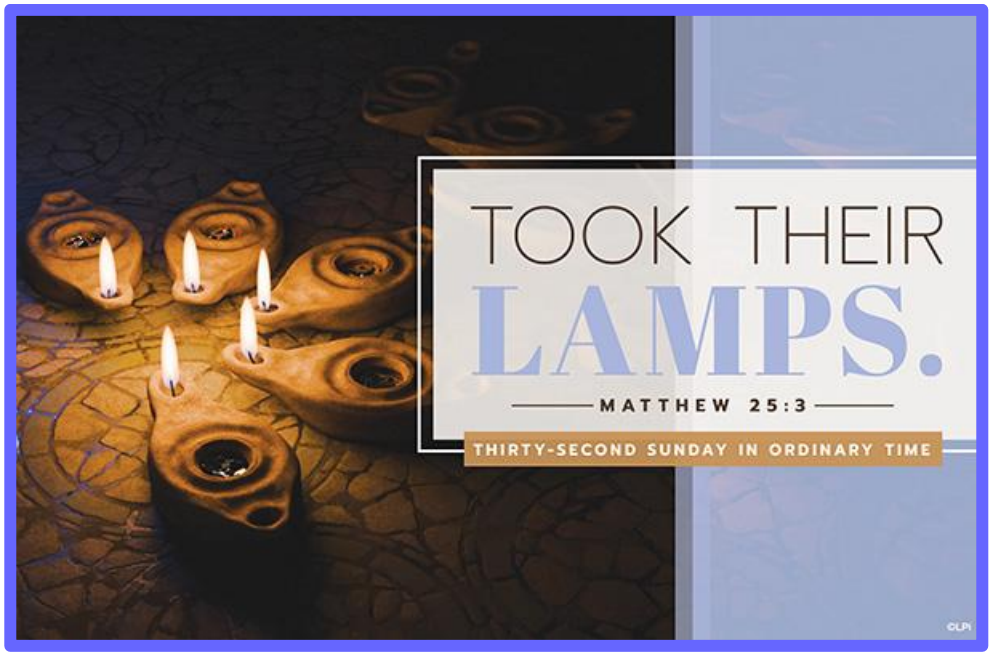
Christ, Be Our Light

Bernadette Farrell



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



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Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: *Wisdom 6:12-16*

Psalm Response

Psalm 63 *Owen Alstott*



1. **O God, you are my God whom I seek; for you my flesh pines ad my soul thirsts**
   Like the earth, parched, lifeless and without water.
2. **Thus have I gazed toward you in the sanctuary to see your power and your glory,**
   For your kindness is a greater good than life; my lips shall glorify you.
3. **Thus will I bless you while I live; lifting up my hands, I will call upon your name.**
   As with the riches of a banquet shall my soul be satisfied, and with exultant lips my mouth shall praise you.
4. **I will remember you upon my couch, and through the night-watches I will meditate on you:**
   You are my help, and in the shadow of your wings I shout for joy.

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Second Reading: *1 Thessalonians 4:13-18*

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia No. VII *Owen Alstott*



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VERSE: Stay awake and be ready! For you do not know on what day your Lord will come.

Gospel: *Matthew 25:1-13*

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.

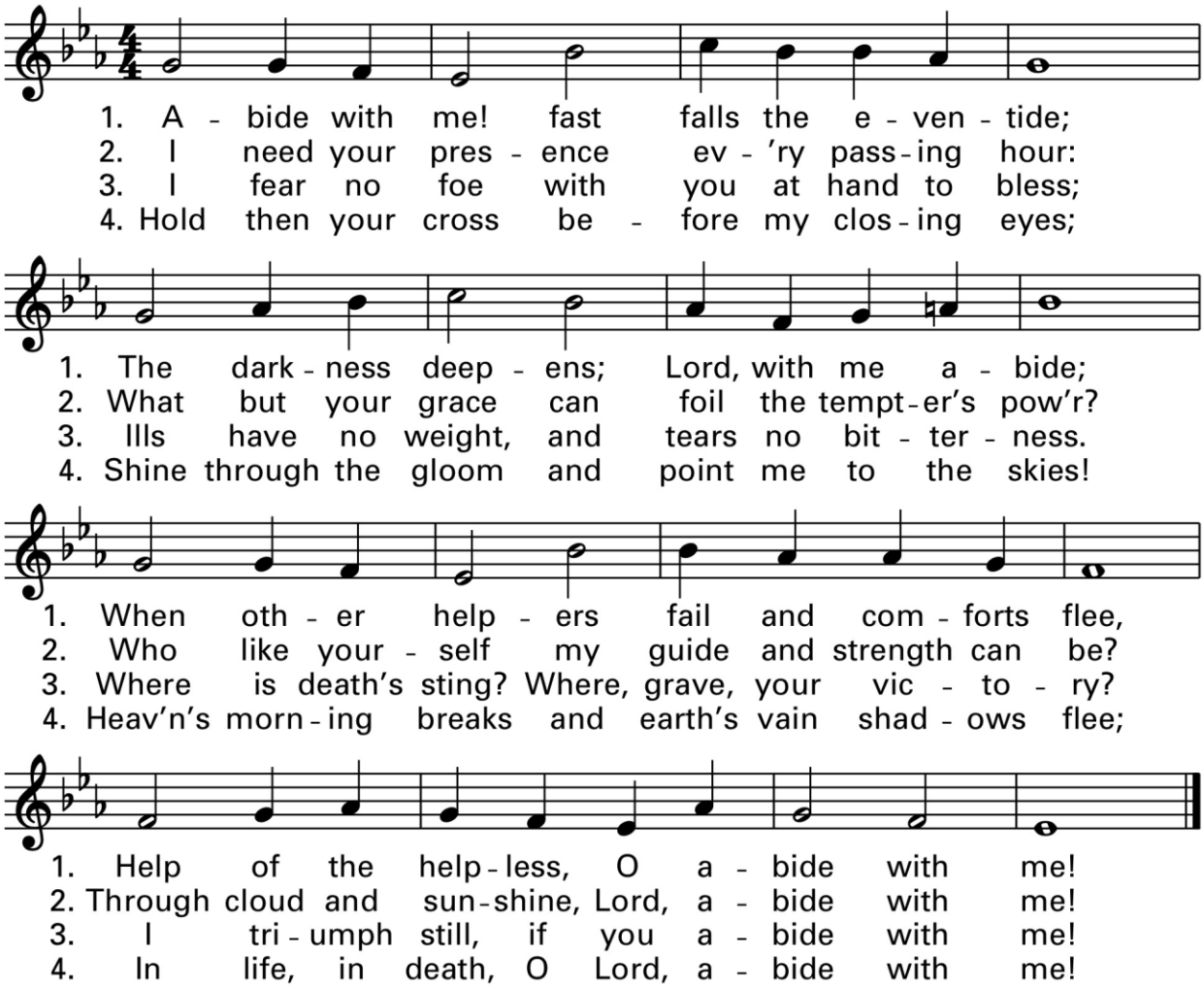
General Intercessions

Response: ***Lord, hear our prayer.***



Liturgy of the Eucharist

Abide with Me — *EVENTIDE*



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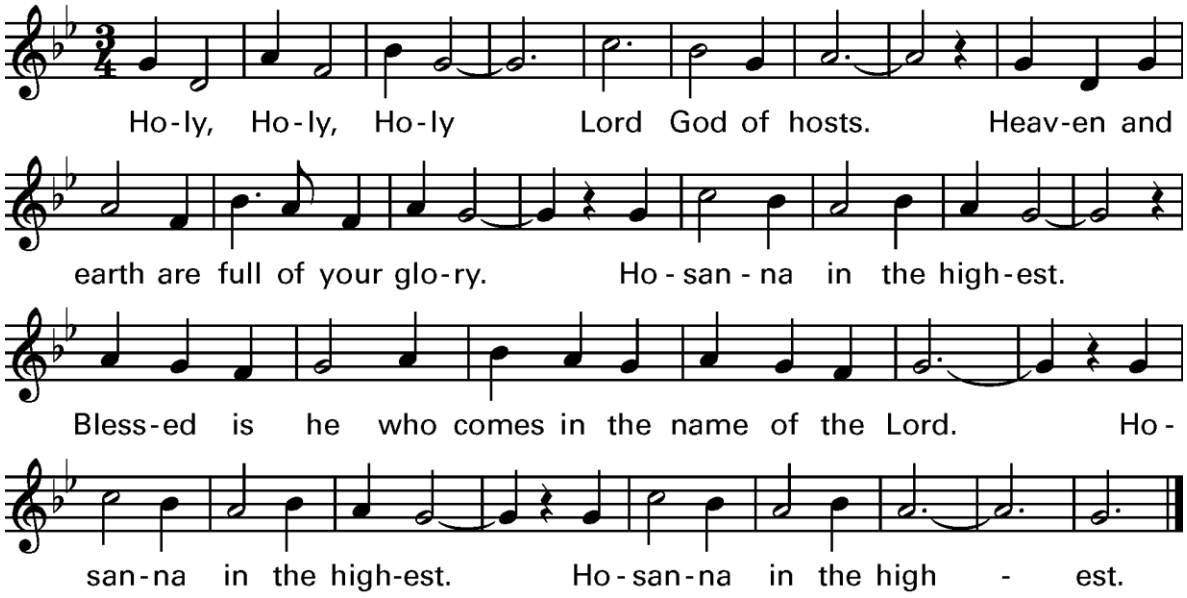


Eucharistic Acclamations

Mass of Creation

Marty Haugen

Holy



Memorial Acclamation



Amen



Lamb of God



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Communion Antiphon

The Lord is my Shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.
Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose, near restful waters he leads me.

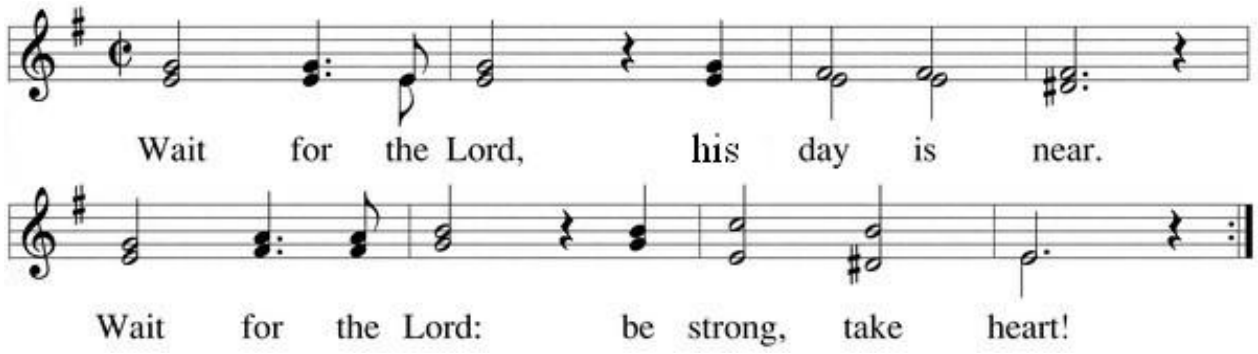
Communion Songs

I Am the Bread of Life — *Suzanne Toolan, RSM*



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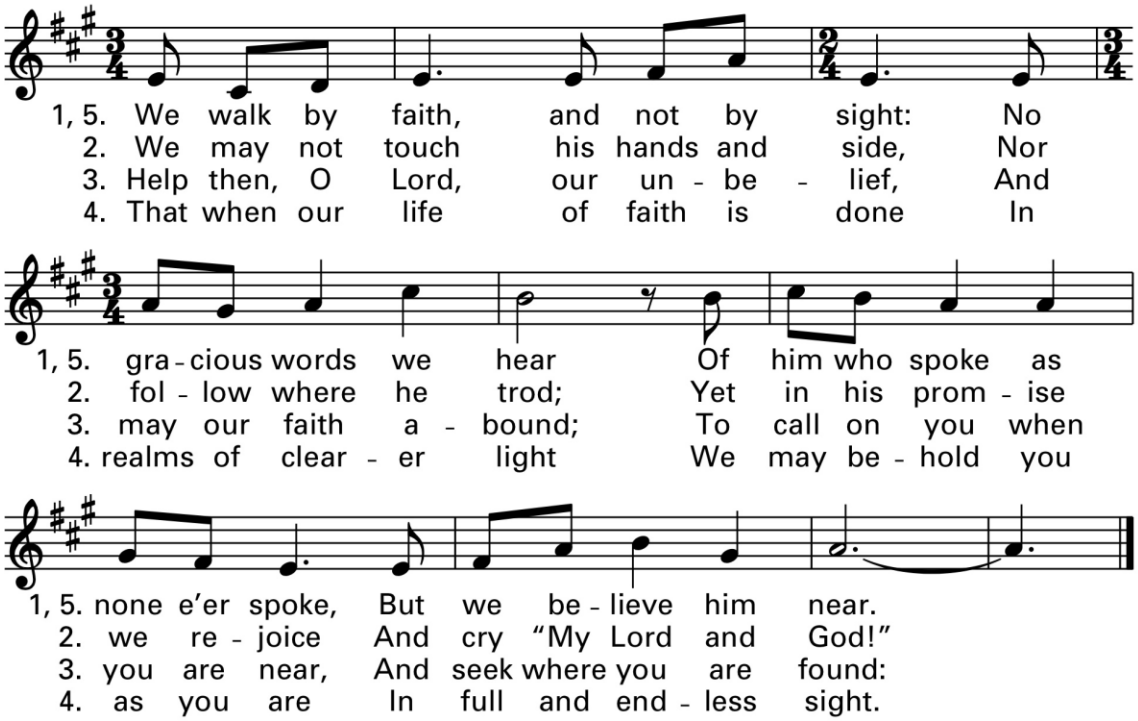
Wait for the Lord — *Taizé*



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Song of Sending Forth

We Walk By Faith — *Marty Haugen*



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