

Sacred Heart Catholic Church - Virtual Mass

Fourth Sunday of Easter - Year "A"

Gathering Song – Table of Plenty

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Chorus:

Come to the feast, of Heaven and Earth!
Come to the table of plenty!
God will provide for all that we need,
Here at the table of plenty.

V.1 Oh come and sit at My table,
Where saints and sinners are friends.
I wait to welcome the lost and lonely
To share the cup of My love!

V.2 Oh come and eat without money,
Come to drink without price.
My feast of gladness will feed your spirit
With faith and fullness of life!

Gloria:

**Glory to God, Glory to God
Glory to God in the highest,
and on Earth peace,
on Earth peace, to people of good will!**

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 23

**The Lord is my shepherd,
There is nothing I shall want!**

Gospel Acclamation:

**Everybody sing alleluia!
Everybody praise His name!
Everybody sing alleluia!
Praise His name today!**

Preparation of Gifts Song – King Of Love

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V.1 The King of Love my Shepherd is,
Whose goodness faileth never.
I nothing lack if I am His.
And He is mine forever,
And He is mine forever!

V.2 Where streams of living water flow,
My ransomed soul He leadeth.
And where the verdant pastures grow,
With food celestial feedeth!

Chorus:

Never failing, Ruler of my heart!
Everlasting, Lover of my soul!
On the mountain high or in the valley low,
The King of Love my Shepherd is,
The King of Love my Shepherd is!

V.4 In death's dark veil I fear no ill,
With Thee dear Lord beside me.
Thy rod and staff my comfort still,
Thy cross before to guide me!

Bridge:

O-o-o-oh, Hallelujah, Hallelujah!
O-o-o-oh, Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

Chorus:

Never failing, Ruler of my heart!
Everlasting, Lover of my soul!
On the mountain high or in the valley low,
The King of Love my Shepherd is,
The King of Love my Shepherd is!

V.5 And so through all the length of days
Thy goodness faileth never
Good Shepherd may I sing Your praise
Within Your house forever
Within Your house forever

Communion Song – Shelter Me

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V.1 Shepherd and sheep, my God and I:
To fresh green fields you led my steps in
days gone by.

You gave me rest,
by quiet springs,
and filled my soul with peace your loving
presence brings.

REFRAIN: O shelter me, O shelter me:
The way ahead is dark and difficult to see.
O shelter me, O shelter me:
All will be well if only you will shelter me.

V.2 Yet now I tread, a diff'rent way;
Death dogs my path with stealthy steps from
day to day.

I cannot find,
Your peaceful place,
But dwell in dreary darkness longing for your
face.

REFRAIN: O shelter me, O shelter me:
The way ahead is dark and difficult to see.
O shelter me, O shelter me:
All will be well if only you will shelter me.

V.3 I will look back, in days to come,
and realize your faithfulness has led me
home.

Within your house, I'll find my peace,
trusting that in your mercy you have sheltered
me.

REFRAIN: O shelter me, O shelter me:
The way ahead is dark and difficult to see.
O shelter me, O shelter me:
All will be well if only you will shelter me.

Sending Forth Song – Sing with All the Saints in Glory

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V.1 Sing with all the saints in glory
Sing the resurrection song!
Death and sorrow, earth's dark story,
To the former days belong.
All around the clouds are breaking,
Soon the storms of time shall cease;
In God's likeness we awaken,
Knowing everlasting peace!

V.2 O what glory, far exceeding,
All that eye has yet perceived!
Holiest hearts for ages pleading,
Never that full joy conceived.
God has promised, Christ prepares it,
There on high our welcome waits;
Every humble spirit shares it,
Christ has passed the eternal gate!

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