

**SACRED HEART, TAMPA**  
**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**5:30 PM CONTEMPORARY SERVICE**  
**23 July 2023**

**INTRODUCTORY RITES**

**Opening Song: Open the Eyes of My Heart (*Baloche*)**

**Chorus:**

Open the eyes of my heart Lord,  
Open the eyes of my heart.

I want to see You.

I want to see You!

**V.1:** To see You high and lifted up,  
Shining in the light of Your glory.

Pour out Your power and love,

As we sing holy holy holy!

## **Bridge:**

Holy holy holy!

Holy holy holy!

Holy holy holy!

I want to see You!

## **Chorus:**

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## ***Glory to God: Mass of a Joyful Heart***

*(Angrisano)*

**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.

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

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!

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

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.

**Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth,  
peace to people of good will!  
A-A-AMEN!**

## **LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**First Reading:** Wis 12:13, 16-19

There is no god besides you who  
have the care of all, that you need  
show you have not unjustly  
condemned. For your might is the

source of justice; your mastery over all things makes you lenient to all. For you show your might when the perfection of your power is disbelieved; and in those who know you, you rebuke temerity. But though you are master of might, you judge with clemency, and with much lenience you govern us; for power, whenever you will, attends you. And you taught your people, by these deeds, that those who are just must be kind; and you gave your children good ground for hope that you would permit repentance for their sins.

The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God!**

# **Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 145**

*Common Psalm for Ordinary Time  
(Angrisano)*

**I, will lift up Your name,  
praise to my King and God  
for You are holy.  
I, will lift up Your name,  
praise to my King and my God on high!**

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**Second Reading:                      Rom 8:26-27**

Brothers and sisters: The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groanings. And the one who searches hearts knows what is the intention of the Spirit, because he

intercedes for the holy ones according to God's will.

The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God!**

***Gospel Greeting: Everybody Sing Alleluia (Melendez)***

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

**Verse 1:**

I was walking in the dark  
And could not see the light.  
Jesus came into my life,  
And made everything alright!



**Refrain:**

**Everybody sing alleluia!**

**Everybody praise His name!**

**Everybody sing alleluia!**

**Praise His name today!**

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**Gospel:**

**Mt 13:24-43**

Jesus proposed another parable to the crowds, saying: "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field. While everyone was asleep his enemy came and sowed weeds all through the wheat, and then went off. When the crop grew and bore fruit, the weeds

appeared as well. The slaves of the householder came to him and said, 'Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where have the weeds come from?' He answered, 'An enemy has done this.' His slaves said to him, 'Do you want us to go and pull them up?' He replied, 'No, if you pull up the weeds you might uproot the wheat along with them. Let them grow together until harvest; then at harvest time I will say to the harvesters, "First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for burning; but gather the wheat into my barn."'"

(Short form of the Gospel ends here)

He proposed another parable to them. "The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that a person took and sowed in a field. It is the smallest of all the seeds yet when full-grown it is the largest of plants. It becomes a large bush, and the 'birds of the sky come and dwell in its branches.'" He spoke to them another parable. "The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed with three measures of wheat flour until the whole batch was leavened." All these things Jesus spoke to the crowds in parables. He spoke to them only in parables, to fulfill what had been said through the prophet: I will open my mouth in parables, I will announce

what has lain hidden from the foundation of the world. Then, dismissing the crowds, he went into the house. His disciples approached him and said, "Explain to us the parable of the weeds in the field." He said in reply, "He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the kingdom. The weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sows them is the devil. The harvest is the end of the age, and the harvesters are angels. Just as weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his

kingdom all who cause others to sin and all evildoers. They will throw them into the fiery furnace, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth. Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Whoever has ears ought to hear."

The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ**

***Please remain standing to repeat the refrain of the Gospel Greeting!***

**Repeat Chorus:**

**Everybody sing alleluia!**

**Everybody praise His name!**

**Everybody sing alleluia!**

**Praise His name today!**

***Please be seated.***

# Homily

## Nicene Creed

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,  
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

## **Universal Prayer**

**Response: “Loving God, hear our prayer.”**



## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

### **Preparation of Gifts & Altar: Lord I Need You (Nockels)**

**V.1** Lord I come, I confess.  
Bowling here, I find my rest.  
And without You, I fall apart.  
You're the one, that guides my heart.

#### **Chorus:**

Lord I need You, oh I need You  
Ev'ry hour I need You.  
My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh God, how I need You

**V.2** Where sin runs deep,  
Your grace is more.  
Where grace is found,  
is where You are.

And where You are,  
Lord I am free.  
Holiness, is Christ in me.  
Where You are, Lord I am free.  
Holiness, is Christ in me.

**Chorus:**

Lord I need You, oh I need You  
Ev'ry hour I need You.  
My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh God, how I need You

**Bridge:**

So teach my song to rise to You  
When temptation comes my way  
And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You  
Jesus You're my hope and stay  
And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You  
Jesus You're my hope and stay!

## **Chorus:**

Lord I need You, oh I need You  
Ev'ry hour I need You.

My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh God, how I need You!

My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh God, how I need You!

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## ***Eucharistic Acclamations:***

### **Mass of a Joyful Heart (Angrisano)**

Holy, Holy – We Proclaim – Amen

## **COMMUNION RITE**

**Our Father**

***Lamb of God: Mass of a Joyful Heart***

*(Angrisano)*

***Communion Song 1 – Heaven Help Me***

*(Bentley | Fieldes | Williams)*

**V.1** When I can't find the words

When I can barely breathe

I'm falling on my knees

***Heaven help me***

***Heaven help me***

When I can't feel You near

And I can't hear You speak

I'm falling on my knees

***Heaven help me***

***Heaven help me***

**Chorus:**

***Help me! Help me!***

'Cause I can't walk this road alone  
And I can't do this on my own

***Tell me! Tell me!***

I just need to hear You say  
That everything will be okay

**V.2** When I don't understand

When I don't I think I can

I know You have a plan

***So Heaven help me***

***Heaven help me***

**Bridge:**

Help me believe it; When I can't see it.

Help me to know it; When I can't hold it!

**Tag:**

I just need to hear You say  
That everything will be okay

**Ending:**

When I can't find the words  
When I can barely breathe  
I'm falling on my knees

***Heaven help me.***

***Heaven help me!***

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## ***Communion Song 2 – You Are My King*** ***(Amazing Love) (Foote)***

### **Bridge:**

You are my King,  
Jesus You are my King!  
Jesus You are my King!  
Jesus You are my King!

### **Chorus:**

Amazing love!  
How can it be,  
that You my King would die for me!  
Amazing love!  
I know it's true, It's my joy to honor You,  
In all I do I honor You!

**V.1** I'm forgiven,  
Because You were forsaken.  
I'm accepted. You were condemned.  
I'm alive and well.  
Your Spirit is within me,  
Because You died and rose again!

**Chorus:**

Amazing love!  
How can it be,  
that You my King would die for me!  
Amazing love!  
I know it's true, It's my joy to honor You,  
In all I do I honor You!

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## CONCLUDING RITE

### DISMISSAL

#### Sending Forth Song – Lord I Lift Your Name On High (*Founds*)

V.1 Lord I lift Your name on high  
Lord I love to sing Your praises  
I'm so glad You're in my life  
I'm so glad You came to save us (*repeat*)

#### Chorus:

You came from heaven to earth  
To show the way  
From the earth to the cross  
My debt to pay  
From the cross to the grave  
From the grave to the sky  
Lord I lift Your name on high

## **Final Ending:**

Lord I lift Your name on high! (3x)

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