

SACRED HEART, TAMPA
Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 PM CONTEMPORARY SERVICE
25 August 2024

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Opening Song: Forever (Tomlin)

V.1 Give thanks to the Lord,
our God and King.

His love endures forever!

For He is good, He is above all things.

His love endures forever!

Sing praise! Sing praise!

V.2 With a mighty hand,
and an outstretched arm

His love endures forever!

For the life that's been reborn

His love endures forever!

Sing praise! Sing praise!

Pre-Chorus:

Sing praise! Sing praise!

Chorus:

Forever God is faithful

Forever God is strong

Forever God is with us

Forever! Forever!

V.3 From the rising to the setting sun

His love endures forever!

And by the grace of God, we will carry on

His love endures forever!

Sing praise! Sing praise!

Pre-Chorus:

Sing praise! Sing praise!

Chorus:

Forever God is faithful

Forever God is strong

Forever God is with us

Forever! Forever!

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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: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b

Joshua gathered together all the tribes of Israel at Shechem, summoning their elders, their leaders, their judges, and their officers. When they stood in ranks before God, Joshua addressed all the people: "If it does not please you to serve the LORD, decide today whom you will serve, the gods your fathers served beyond the River or the gods

of the Amorites in whose country you are now dwelling. As for me and my household, we will serve the LORD." But the people answered, "Far be it from us to forsake the LORD for the service of other gods. For it was the LORD, our God, who brought us and our fathers up out of the land of Egypt, out of a state of slavery. He performed those great miracles before our very eyes and protected us along our entire journey and among the peoples through whom we passed. Therefore we also will serve the LORD, for he is our God."

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

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 34

Taste and See - (Angrisano)

***Taste and see,
the goodness of the Lord,
the goodness of the Lord! (repeat)***

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Second Reading:

Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32

Brothers and sisters:

Live in love, as Christ loved us.

***(The long form of the second reading
contains these passages):***

*Be subordinate to one another out of
reverence for Christ.*

Wives should be subordinate to their husbands as to the Lord.

For the husband is head of his wife just as Christ is head of the church, he himself the savior of the body.

As the church is subordinate to Christ, so wives should be subordinate to their husbands in everything.

Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ loved the church and handed himself over for her to sanctify her, cleansing her by the bath of water with the word, that he might present to himself the church in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish. So also husbands

should love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. For no one hates his own flesh but rather nourishes and cherishes it, even as Christ does the church, because we are members of his body. For this reason a man shall leave his father and his mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. This is a great mystery, but I speak in reference to Christ and the church.

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 3:

So I want to thank you Lord
For all you've given me!
I dancing in Your Spirit,
And singing joyfully!

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

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Gospel:

Jn 6:60-69

Many of Jesus' disciples who were listening said, "This saying is hard; who can accept it?" Since Jesus knew that his disciples were murmuring about this, he said to them, "Does this shock you? What if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives life, while the flesh is of no avail. The words I have spoken to you are Spirit and life. But there are some of you who do not believe." Jesus knew from the beginning the ones who would not believe and the one who would betray him. And he said, "For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is

granted him by my Father." As a result of this, many of his disciples returned to their former way of life and no longer accompanied him. Jesus then said to the Twelve, "Do you also want to leave?" Simon Peter answered him, "Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God."

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: Oceans
(Houston | Crocker | Lighthelm)

V.1 You call me out upon the waters
The great unknown where feet may fail.
And there I find You in the mystery
In oceans deep my faith will stand.

Chorus:

And I will call upon Your name
And keep my eyes above the waves
When oceans rise
My soul will rest in Your embrace
For I am Yours and You are mine

V.2 Your grace abounds
in deepest waters
Your sov'reign hand, will be my guide
Where feet may fail
and fear surrounds me
You've never failed
and You won't start now.

Chorus:

And I will call upon Your name
And keep my eyes above the waves
When oceans rise
My soul will rest in Your embrace
For I am Yours and You are mine

Bridge:

Spirit lead me
where my trust is without borders
Let me walk upon the waters
Wherever You would call me
Take me deeper
than my feet could ever wander
And my faith will be made stronger
In the presence of my Saviour
(Repeat 2X)

Chorus:

And I will call upon Your name
And keep my eyes above the waves
When oceans rise
My soul will rest in Your embrace
For I am Yours and You are mine

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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: Here's My Heart
(Tomlin | Ingram | Giglio)

Chorus 1:

Here's my heart Lord

Here's my heart Lord

Here's my heart Lord

Speak what is true!

V.1 'Cause I am found, I am Yours
I am loved, I'm made pure
I have life, I can breathe
I am healed, I am free!

Chorus 1:

Here's my heart Lord
Here's my heart Lord
Here's my heart Lord
Speak what is true!

V.2 'Cause You are strong, You are sure
You are life, You endure
You are good, always true
You are light, breaking through!

Chorus 2:

Here's my life Lord

Here's my life Lord

Here's my life Lord

Speak what is true

Speak what is true

Speak what is true

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Communion Song 2 – 10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord) (Myrin | Redman)

Chorus:

Bless the Lord O my soul,

O - O - O my soul

Worship His holy name

Sing like never before, O my soul

I'll worship Your holy name

V.1 The sun comes up
it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass
and whatever lies before me,
Let me be singing when the evening
comes! (***Chorus***)

Chorus:

Bless the Lord O my soul,
O - O - O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before, O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

V.2 You're rich in love
and You're slow to anger
Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness
I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons
for my heart to find.

Chorus:

Bless the Lord O my soul,
O - O - O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before, O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

V.3 And on that day
when my strength is failing
The end draws near
and my time has come
Still my soul will sing
Your praise unending
Ten thousand years
and then forevermore.

Chorus:

Bless the Lord O my soul,
O - O - O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before, O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name,
Worship Your holy name
Lord I'll worship Your holy name!

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CONCLUDING RITE

Sending Forth Song – Just Like You (Maher)

V. 1: Revive my heart, renew my soul
In You O Lord, I am made whole
No more in fear, will I wander
'Cause You're my God
my Lord and lover!
Like a burning fire, be my one desire!

Chorus:

I want to be holy just like You
I want to go where You lead me to
With reckless abandon to Your truth
I want to fall deeper in love with You!
I want to be Holy!! ***(Repeat 3x)***

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