SACRED HEART, TAMPA Third Sunday of Easter First Communion Weekend May 4, 2025

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Opening Song: Come to the Water G 640

O let all who thirst
Let them come to the water
And let all who have nothing
Let them come to the Lord
Without money, without price
Why should you pay the price
Except for the Lord?

And let all who seek
Let them come to the water
And let all who have nothing
Let them come to the Lord
Without money, without strife
Why should you spend your life
Except for the Lord?

And let all who toil
Let them come to the water
And let all who are weary
Let them come to the Lord
All who labor without rest
How can your soul find rest
Except for the Lord?

And let all the poor
Let them come to the water
And let the ones who are laden
Let them come to the Lord
Bring the children without might
Easy the load and light
Come to the Lord

Come to the Lord Come to the Lord Come to the Lord

I will run to you, I will run to you I will run to you my Lord I will run to you, I will run to you I will run to you my Lord

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41

Psalm 30: I will extol you, LORD, for you have raised me up. (Text: Abbey Psalms & Canticles © 2010, 2018 USCCB; Music: © 2024, Philip Jakob)

Second Reading: Revelation 5:11-14

Gospel Acclamation: Easter Alleluia (Hurd)

Gospel: John 21:1-19

Homily

Renewal of Promises

Universal Prayer

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of Gifts & Altar: The Summons G 869

Will you come and follow me
If I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know
And never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown,
Will you let my name be known,
Will you let my life be grown
In you and you in me?

Will you leave yourself behind
If I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind
And never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare
Should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer
In you and you in me?

Will you let the blinded see
If I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free
And never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean,

And do such as this unseen, And admit to what I mean In you and you in me?

Will you love the 'you' you hide
If I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside
And never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found
To reshape the world around,
Through my sight and touch and sound
In you and you in me?

Lord, your summons echoes true
When you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you
And never be the same.
In your company I'll go
Where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow
In you and you in me.

Preparation of Gifts & Altar | 10:30 a.m.: You Hear the Lambs A-Cryin' (Bell)

Refrain:

You hear the lambs a cryin' Hear the lambs a cryin' Hear the lambs a cryin' O shepherd, feed my sheep.

- 1. Our Savior spoke these words so sweet: O shepherd, feed my sheep. Said Peter, if you love me, feed my sheep. O shepherd, feed my sheep. [Refrain]
- 2. O Lord, I love thee, thou dost know!O shepherd, feed my sheep.Oh, give me grace to love you more.O shepherd, feed my sheep. [Refrain]
- 3. Oh, when I am in agony;O shepherd, feed my sheep.Oh, when you see me, pity me.O shepherd, feed my sheep. [Refrain]
- 4. For I'm a pilgrim, trav'lin on; O shepherd, feed my sheep. This lonesome road where Jesus' gone.

O shepherd, feed my sheep. [Refrain]

Eucharistic Acclamations: Mass of Resurrection G 231, 234, 238 (Holy - We Proclaim - Amen)

COMMUNION RITE

Our Father

Lamb of God: Mass of Resurrection G 240

Communion Song: You Satisfy the Hungry Heart G 1032

You satisfy the hungry heart
With gift of finest wheat
Come give to us, O Saving Lord
The Bread of Life to eat

As when the shepherd calls his sheep They know and heed his voice So when you call your family Lord They follow and rejoice

You satisfy the hungry heart With gift of finest wheat Come give to us, O Saving Lord The Bread of Life to eat

With joyful lips, we sing to you
Our praise and gratitude
That you should count us worthy Lord
To share this Heavenly food

You satisfy the hungry heart With gift of finest wheat Come give to us, O Saving Lord The Bread of Life to eat

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Is not the cup we bless and share The blood of Christ outpoured? Does not one cup, one loaf declare Our Oneness in the Lord?

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Communion Song | 10:30 a.m.: In the Breaking of the Bread G 582

1) In the walking on the road, we saw Him.
In the telling of our hopes, we saw Him.
In the burning of our hearts, we saw the Lord.
At the meal He took the bread and then He blessed it, broke it, offered it.
In the breaking of the bread, we saw Him!
Suddenly our eyes were opened, and we knew He was alive!

2) We set out to find His friends to tell them.

We went to Jerusalem to tell them;
and with joy we told them, "We have seen the Lord!"

And as we were speaking there, He stood among us, blessed us, said to us, "Now my peace I leave with you." We saw Him!

Suddenly our eyes were opened, and we knew He was alive!

3) But then we became afraid without Him.
In the darkened room we stayed without Him,
waiting for the One He said that He would send.
Then the Spirit of the Lord came down upon us,
filling us, changing us, giving us the strength to say:
We saw Him! Suddenly our eyes were opened, and we knew He was alive!

4) We ran out into the street to tell them, everyone that we could meet, to tell them, "God has raised Him up and we have seen the Lord!" We took bread as He had done and then we blessed it, broke it, offered it. In the breaking of the bread, we saw Him! Suddenly our eyes were opened.

There within our midst was Jesus, and we knew He was alive. In the breaking of the bread, He is here with us again, and we know He is alive.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

CONCLUDING RITE

Dismissal Chant: Goodness is Stronger than Evil G 567

Goodness is stronger than evil, Love is stronger than hate; Light is stronger than darkness, life is stronger than death; Victory is ours, Victory is ours through God who loves us. Victory is ours, Victory is ours through God who loves us.

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