

**SACRED HEART, TAMPA**  
**Fourth Sunday of Easter**  
**5:30 PM CONTEMPORARY SERVICE**  
**11 May 2025**

**INTRODUCTORY RITES**

***Opening Song: Lead On Good Shepherd***  
(Orella | Mayberry | Duncan)

**V.1** Well, I've been turned 'round,  
But I've never been lost.  
Seen the water get troubled,  
But we walked across.  
When my knees were shaking,  
You held my hand.  
Turning my problems,  
To a promised land!

## **Chorus:**

Lead on Good Shepherd,  
I'll follow all my days.  
There ain't nothing sweeter,  
Than to watch You make a way.  
You've walked me through the valley,  
But You never steered me wrong.  
So lead on Good Shepherd lead on!

**V. 2** Seen some mighty deep canyons,  
That You brought me through.  
Seen some mighty big mountains,  
That just up and moved.  
Glory, glory hallelujah,  
Yeah that's my song.  
Walking with my Father,  
Into the great unknown!

## **Chorus:**

Lead on Good Shepherd,  
I'll follow all my days.  
There ain't nothing sweeter,  
Than to watch You make a way.  
You've walked me through the valley,  
But You never steered me wrong.  
So lead on Good Shepherd lead on!

## **Bridge:**

Step by step, day by day.  
Lead me on, Lord I pray.  
Road gets dark, walk by faith,  
Lead on Good Shepherd! ***(Repeat)***

## **Chorus:**

Lead on Good Shepherd,  
I'll follow all my days.  
There ain't nothing sweeter,  
Than to watch You make a way.  
You've walked me through the valley,  
But You never steered me wrong.  
So, lead on Good Shepherd!  
So, lead on Good Shepherd!  
Lead on Good Shepherd, lead on!

*Frankie Orella | Patrick Mayberry | Paul Duncan*  
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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:** Acts 13:14, 43-52

Paul and Barnabas continued on from Perga and reached Antioch in Pisidia. On the sabbath they entered the synagogue and took their seats. Many Jews and worshipers who were converts to Judaism followed Paul and Barnabas, who spoke to them and urged them to remain faithful to the grace of God.

On the following sabbath almost the whole city gathered to hear the word of the Lord. When the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy and with violent abuse contradicted what Paul said. Both Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly and said, “It was necessary that the word of God be spoken to you first, but since you reject it and condemn yourselves as unworthy of eternal life, we now turn to the Gentiles. For so the Lord has commanded us, I have made you a light to the Gentiles, that you may be an instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth.” The Gentiles were delighted when they heard this and glorified the word of the Lord.



All who were destined for eternal life came to believe, and the word of the Lord continued to spread through the whole region. The Jews, however, incited the women of prominence who were worshipers and the leading men of the city, stirred up persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and expelled them from their territory. So they shook the dust from their feet in protest against them, and went to Iconium. The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

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

## **Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 100**

**We are His people,  
The sheep of His flock.  
We are His people,  
The sheep, of His flock.**

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### **Second Reading: Rev 7:9, 14b-17**

I, John, had a vision of a great multitude, which no one could count, from every nation, race, people, and tongue. They stood before the throne and before the Lamb, wearing white robes and holding palm branches in their hands. Then one of the elders said to me, “These are the ones who have survived the time of great

distress; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. “For this reason they stand before God’s throne and worship him day and night in his temple. The one who sits on the throne will shelter them. They will not hunger or thirst anymore, nor will the sun or any heat strike them. For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to springs of life-giving water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

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!

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

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## **Gospel: Jn 10:27-30**

Jesus said: “My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish. No one can take them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one can take them out of the Father’s hand. The Father and I are one.”

The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ**

**No Repeat of the refrain after the Gospel Outside Ordinary Time.**  
**Please be seated.**

**Homily**

## **Apostles Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ,  
his only Son, our Lord,  
    (all bow during the next two lines)  
    who was conceived by the Holy  
    Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell;  
on the third day,  
he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand  
of God the Father almighty;  
from there he will come  
to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting.  
Amen.

## **Universal Prayer**

**Response:**

**“Risen Lord, hear our prayer.”**

## **LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

### ***Preparation of Gifts & Altar: King of Love*** (I am They)

**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.3** Lost and foolish off I strayed  
But yet in love He sought me  
And on His shoulder gently laid  
And home rejoicing brought me.

### **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!

## **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!

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## ***Eucharistic Acclamations:***

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

Holy, Holy – Save Us Savior – Amen

## **COMMUNION RITE**

**Our Father**

***Lamb of God:*** **Mass of a Joyful Heart**  
(Angrisano)

### ***Communion Song 1 – Good Good Father***

**V.1** I've heard a thousand stories  
Of what they think You're like  
But I've heard the tender whisper  
Of love in the dead of night  
You tell me that You're pleased  
And that I'm never alone

## **Chorus:**

You're a Good Good Father

It's who You are

It's who You are

It's who You are

And I'm loved by You

It's who I am

It's who I am

It's who I am

**V.2** I've seen many  
searching for answers  
Far and wide

But I know we're all  
searching for answers  
Only You provide

Because You know just what we need  
Before we say a word

## **Bridge:**

You are perfect in all of Your ways

You are perfect in all of Your ways

You are perfect in all of Your ways to us

**V.3** Love so undeniable

I can hardly speak

Peace so unexplainable

I can hardly think

As You call me deeper still

As You call me deeper still

As You call me deeper still

Into love love love

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## ***Communion Song 2: Hail Mary: Gentle Woman*** (Landry)

### **Chorus:**

Gentle woman, quiet light,  
morning star, so strong and bright.  
Gentle Mother, peaceful dove,  
teach us wisdom; teach us love.

**V.1** You were chosen, by the Father.  
You were chosen, for the Son.  
You were chosen, from all women.  
And for woman, shining one.

### **Chorus:**

Gentle woman, quiet light,  
morning star, so strong and bright.  
Gentle Mother, peaceful dove,  
teach us wisdom; teach us love.

**V.2** Blessed are you  
Among women.  
Blest in turn,  
All women too.  
Blessed they  
With peaceful spirits.  
Blessed they, with gentle hearts!

**Chorus:**

Gentle woman, quiet light,  
morning star, so strong and bright.  
Gentle Mother, peaceful dove,  
teach us wisdom; teach us love,  
teach us wisdom; teach us love.

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## **CONCLUDING RITE**

### **DISMISSAL**

*PRIEST: Go forth and bear witness to Christ, who is gloriously risen from the dead. Alleluia, alleluia!*

***ALL: Thanks be to God.  
Alleluia, alleluia!***

***Sending Forth Song: Alleluia Love Is Alive*** (Manibusan | Hart | Angrisano)

**V.3** People of God  
now rejoicing in Christ  
Carry your joy  
to the darkness of night  
Tell the world, tell the world,  
He is alive!



Hear the good news  
of this glorious day  
Every heart singing  
as heaven proclaims  
He is Lord, He is Lord,  
He is alive!

**Chorus:**

Alleluia, love is alive  
Conquered the grave  
and defeated the night!  
Alleluia, love is alive!  
The Son has arisen for all.  
Your people sing alleluia!

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