

# Our Lady of the Lake

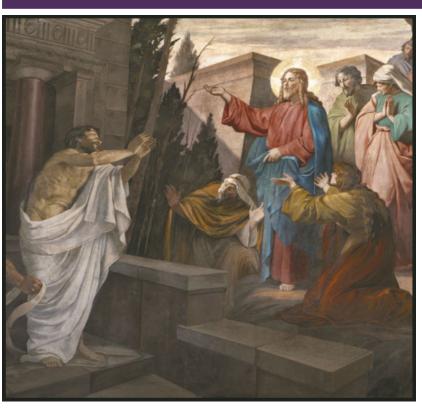
# Roman Catholic Parish

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# Fifth Sunday of Lent

Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Amen, amen, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit." – Jn 12:23-24

#### Schedule of Masses

4:00 pm (Saturday Vigil)

#### **Sunday Masses**

7:00 am, 8:45 am 10:30 am (Live streamed) 12:30 pm (Spanish/Español) 5:00 pm

#### Weekdays

Mon. 8:30 am & 7:00 pm (Spanish) Tues.-Fri. 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Sat 8:30 am

# First Friday Mass with Anointing

8:30 am & 5:30 pm

#### Confessions

Monday & Wednesday 9:00 am - 9:30 am Tuesday & Thursday 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm Saturday 9:00 am - 9:30 am First Friday 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm First Saturday 7:00 am - 7:30 am (or by appointment)

#### **Holy Hour with Benediction**

Tuesday 9:00 am or Friday 3:00 pm

### **Morning Prayer**

Monday - Friday 7:30 am

### Rosary

Monday - Saturday 7:50 am

#### **Sacraments**

Anointing of the Sick 928-855-2685



# Fifth Sunday of Lent

March 17, 2024

The grain of wheat must die to produce fruit. Such dying must be cultivated by obedience and by our covenant with God, rooted in love and forgiveness.

# Pastor's Corner

# Some Highlights for the Holy Week Ceremony

Beloved Parishioners,

As our Lenten season gradually draws to a close, I wish to communicate to you about Our Holy Week and Easter Celebration which would be good if you take note of some of the changes. Its aim is to update you and keep you informed of the activities at these sacred moments and assist us in deep appreciation of the great mystery of our salvation which has roots in the old tradition of the church.

As we all know, the Holy Week begins with Palm Sunday when Jesus entered Jerusalem in humility to complete the work of our salvation to undergo suffering, denial, and finally death on a cross. In entering Jerusalem, the people laid their garment on the ground for Him to walk upon in procession. Therefore, to recall that traditional ceremonial rites of going into Jerusalem with Jesus there is going to be a procession from the outside into the Church. The palms would be blessed outside in front of St. Joseph Hall as it is required, except when it is not possible, then followed by a procession into the church. For many who cannot join the procession because of age or sickness, you may choose to remain inside and later you can get the blessed palm from the Narthex. This would be the first time we would be doing the procession for many years, and I encourage everyone to try to be part of this ceremony. It is a way of going into Jerusalem along with Jesus in our own community.

Holy Thursday Liturgy commemorates the institution of the Eucharist and the institution of the priesthood; unfortunately, not many people have shown up in that Mass. I am using this opportunity to invite everyone to consider being a part of this valuable liturgy of our tradition. There is the traditional Adoration of Jesus in Mary's Garden from

after Mass to 12 midnight. In the past, many people have not shown up, but I am asking everyone who could make it to consider spending one hour with the Lord in Gethsemane. I equally wish to appeal that we consider participating in this year's Holy Week celebration. Many did not participate as it is expected in the past, and I am calling on all to see this as a great opportunity to be present in this most sacred celebration of our faith.

Good Friday celebration begins with the Live Passion drama by the community at 2:00pm and from there we all proceed into the church for Divine Mercy prayers which will be followed by the Veneration of the Cross Liturgy. After the Liturgy of the Veneration of the Cross we have the soup as a break and then go into the Stations of the Cross. This year there would be only one Stations of the Cross outside and one inside for those who cannot walk along. The Stations of the Cross that would be used this year on Good Friday would be the Biblical Stations of the Cross instituted by St. John Paul in 1991 which follows the ancient version. The Biblical Way of the Cross of John Paul II can lead to an experience of the deep love God revealed through the suffering and death of the Lord. The stations would be divided among the various ministries we have in the parish.

On the Saturday Vigil we continue as usual, but the Celebration will start outside with the blessing of the fire then we would proceed inside the church. In all, I appeal that everyone joins faithfully throughout the Holy Week celebration. The Easter Sunday Masses are 7:00am, 8:45am, 10:30am and 12:30pm. There would not be any 5:00pm Mass on Easter Sunday. Wishing you all a Blessed Easter in advance.

Fr. Tony Okolo C.S.Sp., V.F.

## Theme: Lord that We May See You

5th Sunday of Lent Year B, March 17, 2024

1st Reading Jeremiah 31:31-34, 2nd Reading Hebrews 5:7-9, Gospel John 12:20-33

Today's liturgy invites us to examine how we have done with our Lenten observances of this year as the Lenten season is gradually coming to an end. As it decides to come close to Him. Those arms are open to is, there is still time left to make a change and make progress if we have not done very well in our Lenten practices. Today's Gospel tells the story about the Greeks who wanted to see Jesus and they went to Philip who is from Bethsaida in Galilee. Philip took them to Andrew, and both went to Jesus. These Greeks who wanted to see Jesus represent all the pagans or Gentiles who desire to encounter Jesus. These people represent all those who are interested and really want to encounter Jesus in their lives. These Greeks represent all of us who are unworthy but wish to come close to Jesus. The desire to see Jesus as the Greeks did in today's Gospel should be our own goal in life that is, the desire to see Jesus because He is our Savior and Lord. Our hope as Christians is to see Jesus. A personal question for each of us should be: Do I really desire to see Jesus? How often in my life do I desire personally to encounter Jesus? Unless we desire sincerely, from our heart, to meet Jesus and see Him we would not see Him.

The second message from the action of Philip tells us that anyone of us that truly desires to come close to Jesus is never turned away. No one who has ever sincerely come to Jesus was ever rejected. No one who comes to Jesus in humility is turned away. He welcomes all with open arms and open heart. That's why the crucifix hanging in our churches would always show the two arms of Jesus spread wide God.

open apart. That symbol of Jesus' open arms spread on the cross is His welcoming heart to anyone who embrace anyone no matter your circumstances or your

The occasion of the meeting of Jesus with these Greeks became an opportunity for Jesus to glorify God in a very special way. Jesus said," Amen Amen I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls on the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies it produces much fruit." In a word, unless we are ready to die to our pride and our personal selfish desires we cannot see Him. Therefore, for us to see Jesus and encounter Him we must put an end to these inordinate desires which obstruct us from meeting Jesus. We meet Jesus when we kill selfishness, pride, unruly ambitions and desires. We know it is not all that easy but with serious desire to see Him, He accompanies us with His grace and love.

Finally, the first reading talks about the new covenant God wants to make with us His people. "The days are coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah." God wants to make a new covenant with us as His chosen people. The amazing news about this new covenant is that God gives us a promise that is very awesome, "I will be their God and they will be my people since I will forgive their iniquity and never call their sins to mind." What an awesome message to hear from our Lord that our sins would never be remembered, and He would be there for us as our Fr. Tony Okolo C.S.Sp., V.F.

# **Divine Wings Gala**





You have been drafted to a M.A.S.H. themed dinner and dance gala. The gala will be on Saturday, April 20, 2024 at 6:30 pm at the Havasu Air Center. Save the date! Scan the QR code for more info.

### **Online Giving**

Scan this QR code to visit our Online Giving Site. Thank you for your donations!



# Mass Intentions & Readings

Sunday	March 17	Jer 31:31-34 Heb 5:7-9	Jn 12:20-33	8:45 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm	Frank St. Clair & William, Martha, & Tim Ro Thanksgiving for Nikki Mill Maria del Refugio Gallardo Parishioners	er S/I (Betancourt Family)
Monday	March 18	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62	Jn 8:1-11	8:30 am	Souls in Purgatory Las Almas en Purgatorio	(Familia Cortes Aldaco)
Tuesday	March 19	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22	Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a		Joseph Micallef † (Ph Otto Whinnery †	nillip & Yvonne Camilleri) (Karen Whinnery)
Wednesday	March 20	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95	Jn 8:31-42		David McClintock サ (Ma Bill Archer サ	ry & Tiffany McClintock) (John & Helen Archer)
Thursday	March 21	Gn 17:3-9	Jn 8:51-59		Berislav & Marija Murina ਓ Theresa Stowers ੳ	(Ivo & Marija Murina) (The Stowers Family)
Friday	March 22	Jer 20:10-13	Jn 10:31-42		Christine St. Clair S/I Fred Bizzack サ	(Dan & Anna Tondre) (Marianne Misiak)
Saturday	March 23	Ez 37:21-28 Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11	Jn 11:45-56 Mk 14:1 - 15:47 or 15:1-39		Richard Haupert & Fred Perretta &	(The Butlers) (The Perretta Family)
Sunday	March 24	Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11	Mk 14:1 - 15:47 or 15:1-39	8:45 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm	Denise Laplace S/I The Stowers Family S/I Lynn Jeremiah H/B Parishioners Charles Ronnie Chaumont	(Denise Laplace) (The Stowers) (Family)  (Randy & Chere Bartlett)



# DECEASED OF OUR PARISH FAMILY MARIA ELENA GARCIA PETRA REYES

#### **Pontifical Good Friday Collection**

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. You may give online or envelopes will be available in the pews during Holy Week. Please be generous. For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday.



Children's bulletins are available at the entrances to the Church to take home. You are also welcome to take this bulletin home with you.

#### **Golf Cart Drivers**

We are currently looking for volunteers who are able to drive the golf cart around the parking lot before & after Sunday Masses to assist Parishioners who have trouble walking from their car to the Church. Volunteers must have Safe Environment Training, be at least 25 years old, and have a valid driver's license. Please call the Parish Office at 928-855-2685 to volunteer.



#### **Youth Ministry - March Events**

Junior High School
Every Monday from 6:00 pm to
8:00 pm in St. Joseph Hall

March (18 No Session Spring Break), 25

Senior High School
Every Wednesday, 5:30 pm Mass to 8:00 pm
in St. Joseph Hall
March (20 No Session Spring Break),
27 Tenebrae Begins in the Church



### Our Lady of the Lake Gift Shop

Shop Hours:
Monday through Friday
9:00 am—12:00 Noon
Saturday 3:00 pm—6:00 pm
Sunday 7:00 am—2:00 pm

New Merchandise arriving weekly.
Baptism, 1st Holy Communion,
and Confirmation items available.
New crucifix's and Rosaries also available.
Thank you for supporting our Gift Shop!

#### Gift Shop Volunteers Needed

Volunteer for one Sunday a month in our joyful and blessed Gift Shop. See Lorri in the Gift Shop for a volunteer form or with any questions.

Safe Environment Training is required.

### Help Needed at the Soup Kitchen

The Soup Kitchen Ministry needs volunteers! We are looking for individuals to help prepare the meals; this involves a full day commitment on either Tuesdays or Thursdays on a year round basis. Positions are also available on Saturday mornings. Please join us to help those in need within our community. Please contact Linda Nitschke at 928-855-2685.

#### **Easter Flowers**

What better way to express your joy in the risen Lord than to adorn His Altar at Easter!

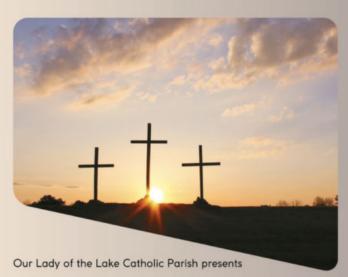


We will be accepting donations

for flowers to decorate the sanctuary throughout the Easter season. Your donation may be made in memory of a loved one or for your own special reasons. Use the envelopes provided in your envelope packet or in the pews, and return them prior to Palm Sunday, March 24th. The envelopes may be placed in the collection basket or brought to the Parish Office.

#### **Bell Choir**

We are looking for new members to bring back our Bell Choir. Practices are held on Wednesday evenings. If you are interested in joining, please call Martha at 928-855-2685.



# The Passion of Christ

Join us on Good Friday, March 29th, at 2:00 pm, on the lawn in front of the church, for a reenactment of the Passion of Christ.

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? Mt. 27:46

1975 Daytona Ave. Lake Havasu City, AZ 86403



#### Celebrate St. Joseph

Please join us on Tuesday, March 19, 2024 in St. Joseph Hall for breakfast to celebrate St. Joseph, following the 8:30 am Mass. There will be no Tuesdays with Mary. Breakfast will be hosted by Our Lady of the Lake Roman Catholic Parish. Please call

the Parish Office at 928-855-2685 to RSVP.

#### **Coffee and Donuts Update:**

There will be **NO** coffee and donuts served Easter Sunday, March 31, 2024. We will resume serving coffee and donuts on Sunday, April 7, 2024 after our 7:00 am, 8:45 am, & 10:30 am Masses in St. Joseph Hall.



#### **CRS Rice Bowl For Lent, For Life**

What you give up for Lent changes lives. Please pick up a Rice Bowl box in

the Narthex of the Church. Please return your offering to the Gift Shop or the Parish Office before Holy Thursday, March 28, 2024. For more information, please visit crsricebowl.org.

#### **Charity and Development Appeal**

The annual Charity and Development Appeal continues. Thank you to those who have already made their gift to the CDA! Please make your gift to the CDA at www.give.dphx.org.

#### Campaña anual de Caridad y Desarrollo

Hoy continua la campaña anual de Caridad y Desarrollo. Gracias a los que han dado su donación al CDA! Por favor de su donación al CDA entrando al sito de internet www.give.dphx.org

### A Spiritual Journey to Spain, France & Portugal

October 11-24, 2024
14-Days Tour
\$6,095 (All Inclusive)
With 25 Participants
Join Father Tony as we tour
Sagrada Familia, Barcelona
Gothic Quarter, Lourdes,
San Sebastian, Leon,
Santiago de Compostela,
Fatima and Lisbon.





For more information, please pick up a flyer in the Narthex or at the Parish Office or you may call Alex International Tours at 928-486-3104/928-486-3990.

If interested, please call the Parish Office at 928-855-2685.





#### **Fridays During Lent**

8:30 am Mass followed by All Day Adoration 9:00 am to 5:30 pm

Mass - 5:30 pm

#### **Stations of the Cross**

6:10 pm—English—Outside 6:20 pm—English—Inside Church 6:30 pm—Spanish—Outside



# Christ in the Neighborhood You're invited!

Join us for round 2!
April-June 2024
Third Saturday of the month
4:30-6:30 pm

(Once placed in a small group, the day may change if necessary to accommodate the personal group's schedules)

"The small group setting allows for people to share their life stories... stories which we would never hear just meeting them at the Church or at a meeting. We heard an incredible story. We now feel a connection with that fellow parishioner, a bond that wasn't there before. Our relationship is forever changed."

- Sherry Ketner

"I love going to the homes, getting to know people better, and hearing their stories. This is great! I love it." - Fr. Tony Okolo "I got to meet some friends, and even got to know some people I have seen many times at Church but never spend time with.

Good company, good food, good stories-and best of all was sharing stories of faith. We build each other up."

- Melanie Sarino

\*Registration forms are in the Narthex.\* Fill out and leave in the gift Shop, offertory, or Parish Office.







#### Our Lady of the Lake Parish Departments, School, & Ministries

Parish Office Hours Monday: 8:00am - 5:00pm Tuesday:

10:30am - 5:00pm Wednesday: 8:00am - 5:00pm 8:00am - 5:00pm

8:00am - 12:00pm

Administration & HR

Thursday:

Friday:

Patti Miller - Assistant to Pastor, Renee Brindis - Office Supervisor, Liz Amaro - Accounting and HR, Gabriel Ramirez - Social Media/ Communications

Liturgy and Music

Deacon Patrick Toilolo - Director, Terri McGrath - 8:45 Mass Choir Director, Martha Campos - Administrative Assistant

Evangelization and Outreach

Deacon Patrick Toilolo - Director, Elliott Seidel - Youth Ministry,

Laura Hernandez - Elementary Coordinator

Sick, Homebound, & Hospital Ministry

Deacon Patrick Toilolo

Maintenance

Brad Reese - Supervisor, Juan Villa - Assistant

Gift Shop Coordinator

Lorri McBrayer 928-855-2685

Grief Recovery & Mental Health

Fr. Michael Accinni Reinhardt 928-855-2685

Soup Kitchen

NEW LOCATION: Columbian Hall 186 London Bridge Rd.

Linda Nitschke, Supervisor 928-855-2685 Tuesday & Thursday 4:00 pm Saturday 8:30 am

Catholic Daughters

Sherry Ketner, Regent 928-855-4445

Knights of Columbus

Gabriel Ramirez, Grand Knight 928-412-1981

Pastoral Council

Dante Marinelli, Chair Person 928-855-2685 St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank 928-680-2874

Oremus Rosary Makers

Annette Troffer 661-972-1070

Funeral Reception Ministry

Diane Cichinsky 928-453-5941

School Advisory Board

Paula Levensailor 928-855-0154

Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School 928-855-0154

Principal - Fatima Mu, Admin. Assist. - Barbara Palmieri

School Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 7:00 am - 4:00 pm

School Faculty

PreK 3/4 - Mrs. Alejandra Serrano,

Kindergarten - Mrs. Tina Whitehouse,

1st Grade - Mrs. Maria Warner, 2nd Grade - Mrs. Barbara Larrivee,

3rd Grade - Mrs. Brittney Delgado, 4th Grade - Mrs. Julie Standal,

5th Grade - Mrs. Jacqueleine Siracusa,

6th/7th Grade - Mrs. Katelyn Stanley

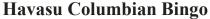
Music - Mrs. Kathryn Gricar, PE - Mrs. Margaret Bradley

School Support Staff: Mrs. Lesli Allsup, Mrs. Jane Jorgensen, Mrs. Luz Martinez, Miss Alexia Monroy, Mr. Philip Pikosz, Mrs. Jesusa Piojo, Mrs. Sandra Talmadge, Mrs. Mary Tebo



## **Knights of Columbus**

Lake Havasu City Council 6442 will be hosting a Lenten Meal – Friday, March 22, 2024 from 6-7 pm – St. Joseph Hall Please call Gabriel at 928-855-2685 if you wish to RSVP. Donations accepted



Join us to play or volunteer! We have two sessions at our Columbian Hall located at 186 London Bridge Road every week:

Mon. - Doors open 4 pm, Games start 6 pm

Wed. - Doors open 11 am, Games start 1 pm

Volunteers are needed! If you have questions or wish to volunteer, please call Denise at 619-805-5145

#### Open the Word

On Fridays after the 8:30 am morning Mass, we gather in the John Paul II Garage for Share the Word on the upcoming Sunday readings. It is a great way to get prepared for the reading & share in some great fellowship with others.



#### Virtue of the Month

The Virtue for March is responsibility. A Saint who showed responsibility: St. Pius V: After the battle against the Turks in 1571, which the Christians

lost, Pope Pius V called all Christians in Rome to pray the Rosary, asking Our Lady to grant the Christians victory. Catholics already loved and trusted Pius V because he had made sweeping reforms in the Vatican, simplifying and reorganizing the life of the Church. They prayed the Rosary as he asked, and their prayers to the Mother of God brought victory to the Christian military and saved Europe.

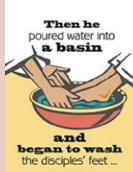
### Tenebrae Wednesday, March 27, 2024 at 7:00 pm

The service of Tenebrae, or "shadows" grew out of a combination of night prayers and early morning prayers, with an additional focus on the commemoration of the Passion of our Lord. This service is tradition, used in the last days of Holy Week, to impress upon the hearts of believers the awful consequences of sin and the magnitude of the Savior's sacrifice.

Please join us immediately after the Tenebrae for prayer service as we burn last year's Holy Oils, palms, and other religious articles in preparation for the parish's reception of this year's Holy Oils.

### Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper March 28, 2024 - 7:00 pm

During the Last Supper, Christ performs an act of love and service in the washing of the feet of His disciples. This humble act was Jesus' way of teaching His disciples and us to give respect



and serve. One way that we do this, as a parish, is that we remember those who go hungry by bringing a non-perishable food item to be placed around the altar during Offertory on Holy Thursday. The food donations and any monetary donations will be given to the Soup Kitchen.

# Disposal of Palms and Blessed Religious Articles

If you have any old blessed palms, other religious articles or prayer books that have lost their usefulness,



you may have them disposed of at the Burning of Holy Oils after Tenebrae on Holy Wednesday, March 27, 2024.

Please place your old, broken or unwanted religious articles in the basket in the Narthex by 12:00 noon on Wednesday, March 27, 2024.



Holy Week has as its Purpose the Remembrance of Christ's Passion, Death, and Resurrection.

**Saturday,** March 23, 2024 4:00 pm Mass

**Palm Sunday,** March 24, 2024 Masses: 7:00 am, 8:45 am, 10:30 am,

12:30 pm Spanish, 5:00 pm

Monday, March 25, 2024

Mass: 8:30 am

NO 7:00 pm Mass, all priests at the Cathedral in

Phoenix for Chrism Mass

Tuesday, March 26, 2024

NO 8:30 am Mass, all priests returning from Phoenix

Tuesday with Mary Holy Hour 9:00 am Confessions: 5:00 pm to 5:30 pm

Mass: 5:30 pm

Wednesday, March 27, 2024

Mass: 8:30 am

Confessions: 9:00 am to 9:30 am

Mass: 5:30 pm

Tenebrae: 7:00 pm (the ancient office of matins and lauds prayed solemnly) followed by the burning of Holy Oils and Religious Articles. Confessions follow

Tenebrae

**Holy Thursday,** March 28, 2024 7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday, March 29, 2024 2:00 pm Live Passion Play in the Church, Followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Followed by Veneration of the Cross, Followed by Soup in St. Joseph Hall 6:00 pm Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday, March 30, 2024 Confessions: 9:00 am to 10:00 am Blessing of Easter Foods: 12:00 noon

Easter Vigil Mass: 7:30 pm

Easter Sunday Masses, March 31, 2024 Masses: 7:00 am, 8:45 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm Spanish

#### **Communal Penance Services**

Monday, March 18th, from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm, we will have additional priests available for confessions in the Church. Please plan accordingly. This is an additional opportunity to receive the grace given to us through the Sacrament of Penance.

#### **ENTRANCE SONG**

#### Hosea

**Gregory Norbet** 

Come back to me with all your heart, don't let fear keep us apart. Trees do bend, though straight and tall: so must we to others' call.

Refrain: Long have I waited for your coming home to me and living deeply our new life.

The wilderness will lead you to your heart where I will speak. Integrity and justice, with tenderness, you shall know.

You shall sleep secure with peace; faithfulness will be your joy.

# Psalm 51 Create a clean heart in me, O God.

#### **OFFERTORY SONG**

#### Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling

Will L. Thompson/E.L. Maxwell

Refrain: Come home, come home, Ye who are weary, come home; Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling: Calling, "O sinner, come home!"

**S**oftly and tenderly Jesus is calling, calling for you and for me; See, on the portals He's waiting and watching, watching for you and for me.

**W**hy should we tarry when Jesus is pleading, pleading for you and for me? Why should we linger and heed not His mercies, mercies for you and for me?

My Adorable Jesus,

May our feet journey together.

May our hearts beat in unity.

May our souls be in harmony.

May our thoughts be as one.

May our ears listen to

the silence together.

May our glances

profoundly

penetrate each other.

May our lips pray together to

gain mercy from the Eternal Father.

#### **COMMUNION SONG**

### Change Our Hearts

Rory Cooney

Refrain: Change our hearts this time, your word says it can be. Change our minds, this time, Your life could make us free. We are the people Your call set apart, Lord this time change our hearts.

**B**rought by your hand to the edge of our dreams. One foot in paradise, one in the waste. Drawn by your promises, still we are lured by the shadows and the chains we leave behind.

**N**ow as we watch you stretch out your hands, of'fring abundances, fullness of joy. Your milk and honey seem distant, unreal, when we have bread and water in our hands.

Show us the way that leads to your side, over the mountains and sands of the soul. Be for us manna, water from stone, light which says we never walk alone.

#### **CLOSING SONG**

#### Christ in me Arise

**Trevor Thompson** 

Christ in me arise and dispel all the darkness. Christ in me arise with your power and your strength. Christ in me pour out your blessing and healing. Christ in me arise and I shall rise with you.

**Be** now my vision; open these eyes, showing me all that I must see. Onward to the kingdom, you are the way. Arise in me and I shall rise with you.

**B**e now my foot-steps, leading the way, taking me where I must go. Onward to the kingdom, you are the way. Arise in me and I shall rise with you.

Prayer to Saint Michael, the Archangel St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

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#### CANTO DE ENTRADA

#### Perdon, Señor

Juan A. Espinosa

Perdón, Señor, perdón. Perdón, Señor, perdón.

**M**isericordia, mi Dios, por tu bondad. Por tu inmensa compasión borra mi culpa.

Lava del todo mi delito y limpia todo mi pecado.

**R**econozco mi culpa, Señor, tengo siempre presente mi pecado.

Contra Ti, contra Ti solo peque, cometí la maldad que aborreces.

Hazme oír el gozo y la alegría, que se alegren los huesos quebrantados.

## Salmo 50 Crea en mi, Señor, un corazón puro.

#### CANTO DE OFERTORIO

#### **Entre Tus Manos**

Ray Repp

Entre tus manos está mi vida, Señor. Entre tus manos pongo mi existir. Hay que morir para vivir. Entre tus manos confío mi ser.

**S**i el grano de trigo no muere, si no muere, solo quedara; pero si muere, en abundancia dará un fruto eterno que no morirá.

Es mi anhelo, mi anhelo creciente, en el surco, contigo morir; y fecunda será la simiente, Señor, revestida de eterno vivir.

# ORACIÓN PARA HACER UNA COMUNIÓN ESPIRITUAL

(Para aquellos que no pueden recibir la comunión en este momento)

Creo Señor mío que estás realmente presente en el Santísimo Sacramento del altar. Te amo sobre todas las cosas y deseo ardientemente recibirte dentro de mi alma; pero, no pudiendo hacerlo ahora sacramentalmente, ven al menos espiritualmente a mi corazón. Y como si te hubiese recibido, te abrazo y me uno todo a Ti Oh Señor, no permitas que me separe de Ti.

### **CANTO DE COMUNIÓN**

#### Pan de Vida

Pedro Rubalcava

Yo soy el Pan de Vida. El que venga a mi no tendrá hambre; ni sed, el que crea en mi.

Estribillo: Pan de Vida; danos siempre de ese pan. Tu eres el Pan de Vida: danos siempre de ese pan.

El que coma de este pan vivirá para siempre. El pan que yo les daré es mi cuerpo, vida del mundo.

El que coma de mi carne y beba de mi sangre vive de vida eterna y yo lo resucitare.

**Y**o soy la resurrección. Yo soy la vida. Todo el que crea en mí, aunque muriera, vivirá.

#### **CANTO DE SALIDA**

#### Todos los Pueblos de la Tierra

Jose Luis Castillo

Todos los pueblos de la tierra, confíen siempre en Dios. Confíen siempre en Dios.

**D**escansa mi alma en el Señor, porque El es mi esperanza; es mi roca y salvación, no vacilare.

**D**e Dios viene mi salvación y con El está mi gloria. Es mi roca siempre firme, es mi refugio.

**P**ueblo, confía siempre en El, den le su corazón. El será nuestro refugio, vivan siempre en El.

#### Oración a San Miguel Arcángel

San Miguel Arcángel, defiéndenos en la lucha; sé nuestro amparo contra la maldad y asechanzas del demonio. Pedimos suplicantes que Dios lo mantenga bajo su imperio; y tu, Príncipe de la milicia celestial, arroja al infierno, con el poder divino, a Satanás y a los otros espíritus malvados que andan por el mundo para la perdición de las almas. Amén.

#### SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

(For those who are not able to receive Communion at this time)
My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the
Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I
cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace
You as if You were already there and unite myself
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