

Our Lady of the Lake

Roman Catholic Parish

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Fr. Michael Accinni Reinhardt PAROCHIAL VICAR

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Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

In their synagogue was a man with an unclean spirit; he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are-the Holy One of God!" Jesus rebuked him and said, "Quiet! Come out of him!" - Mk 1:23-25

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

8:30 am & Wednesday 5:30 pm

First Friday Mass with Anointing

8:30 am & 6:30 pm

Confessions

Tuesday 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Wednesday 9:00 am - 9:30 am

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



Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 28, 2024

As Moses challenged the Israelites to listen to God's Voice, so we are called to hear the voice of Jesus and live out his teachings by what we say and do, whatever our vocation in life may be.

Pastor's Corner

Answering God's Call

Beloved Parishioners,

This week my reflection is centered on God's call. The scripture is filled with personalities who answered God's call in their lives in various ways like Abraham, Moses, Peter, Paul and others. Many rose to the occasion and answered the call immediately as they heard it. Some others responded after a little complaint of their unworthiness as exemplified by the Prophet Jeremiah. His call comes in different ways, for different purposes and our ability to recognize His voice helps us realize our goals and reach our potential in life. Last Sunday, we were presented with the call of Samuel as he was sleeping in the temple of the Lord under the guidance of Eli the priest. Samuel was unaware it was the Lord who was calling him until Eli, his master, revealed that to him. It is evident that if Eli had not guided him, he may never have known and would have missed the opportunity of serving the people for which he was called. Besides, had Samuel not responded to the call he would not have reached the position of being a great Prophet in Israel. Many young people have failed to reach their potential in life because of their inability to recognize what God has called them in life.

In the Gospel of last Sunday, we saw how Jesus called Simon and his brother Andrew, James, and John. They were in their trade of fishing when Jesus called them, and they left everything at once and followed Him. Their "YES" to answer Jesus' call led to the spread of the Gospel message to all corners of the world.

In Mark's Gospel 2:13-17, we read about the call of Levi who was at his duty post and as Jesus passed by, He called him, and Levi left everything immediately and followed Jesus. Levi, like Simon, James and John do not need anyone to interpret for them because they heard the call direct from the Lord. One outstanding thing about all these people was the fact that they were all in their daily tasks when they

were called. It means we can hear God's voice in our daily activities, in our chosen career or the things we take interest in doing. God calls us in different ways and at times we need someone to help us recognize His voice as in the case of Samuel. At times, through prayers and reading the word of God, we can hear God's voice. Some of those who may be of great assistance to help us recognize God's call in our life may be our parents, our teachers, our priests, our husbands, wives, our trusted good friends, or those who have been placed in charge of us. The most profound ways we can hear God's voice are through prayers, respect and obedience to those who are placed with the responsibility over us.

Some takeaways are that the Lord keeps calling us every day. At times we need some other people's help to recognize His voice, at some other times we don't need anyone to recognize it. Furthermore, His call does not come with force or compulsion but with gentle invitation. He calls us at various points in our life. It may be at a young age, as Samuel, or later in life or even in the evening of our life. The response we give depends on our positive disposition to follow Him.

Beloved parishioners, I would ask each of you to pray to the Lord to reveal to you where He is calling you in our parish now in your life. There are several ministries that need the assistance of many of you and your positive response would boost the parish. At times, our perception of our unworthiness can make us feel unqualified. At other times, the perception of other people who see us as not qualified can discourage us. Some other time we may consider ourselves weak to respond but your Yes is the only thing God needs from you. God does not call the perfect but He gives us the grace to do His work. May God give you a true discernment of Spirit to hear His voice and know what to do.

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

Theme: He Taught Them with Authority

4th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B, January 28, 2024
1st Reading Deuteronomy 18:15-20, 2nd Reading 1 Corinthians 7:32-35, Gospel Mark 1:21-28

The Gospel tells how Jesus taught His audience with authority unlike the Scribes and Pharisees who came before Him. To teach with authority is to demonstrate that everything comes from Him and not appealing to any outside authority to convince His audience as done by the Scribes and Pharisees of His day. This finds confirmation in the first reading of today when Moses spoke to the people saying the Lord says, "I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their kin, and will put my words into his mouth, he shall tell them all that I command him." He taught with personal authority meaning that He needed no authority beyond Himself. According to William Barclay "He spoke with finality of the voice of God. To the people it was like breeze from heaven to hear someone speak like that." The Scribes and Pharisees disagreed with Jesus not because He gave a wrong teaching, but His teaching made a big impression in the lives of His audience that the Pharisees felt threatened by the fame of Jesus. Their disagreement could be attributed to the level of jealousy and feeling that their job was at stake.

Similarly, He casts out demons in His own power and authority and never appealed to any other form of power or authority to drive them out as a sign that He has power over any forces of the demons. It demonstrates to us that Jesus has power to overcome any forces of the demons in our lives, families, or society. In His name and by His power all other forces would bow down. It means that Jesus' presence needs to be encountered to be able to experience His power. The irony in the drama seen in today's Gospel reading with Jesus' presence in the synagogue is that even the demons are able to recognize who Jesus is and the power He possesses while the Scribes and Pharisees,

who are the religious leaders, could not. The Scribes and Pharisees fail to recognize the identity and power of Jesus even as He stood before them because their minds were blinded by envy, jealousy, and pride. In the same way, when we are blinded by envy, jealousy, and pride we fail to see the grace and power of God in others. For us to see the amazing works of God in others, especially among our family members and colleagues, we need to rid our minds and hearts of envy, jealousy, and pride.

These two incidents of teaching with authority and casting out demons that amazed the people to confess that they have never seen a thing like this is a sure sign that Jesus remains the only person who has authority to transform us from within and bring newness of life in us. When we open ourselves to hear His words and believe in the power embedded in His words, we too can give testimony of the marvelous works of God. He is the only person who can destroy the negative forces in our lives that threaten to dominate us, but this can only work if we allow Him to have His way into our lives.

Finally, the second reading calls us to free our minds from unnecessary anxieties, worry and fear which affect our lives negatively. We should focus on God and take our every anxiety to God in prayer. We know that it is not easy not to worry when we are faced with life's challenges, but we are encouraged because we have one in the person of Jesus who is always there to give ears to our cries. Jesus has the power to give solutions to our problems if we have strong recourse to Him. Truly anxiety and worry solve no problems and to live our lives in anxiety creates more problems for us.

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Good to be Catholic

Monday, February 5th, in the Church at 6:00 pm. Come join Fr. Michael as we take a look at the Mass up close and personal as he opens for us the meaning surrounding the key parts to the Holy Mass. The theme for February is "The Mass in Slow Motion."

Come enjoy as the Mass is unfolded for us right before our eyes, allowing us to change our vantage point of the Mass as the central prayer of the Church and as our connection to Heaven. If you ever felt the Mass to be boring, difficult to engage, or would like to know how our full active and conscience participation is a necessary part to our worship then join us in knowing why it's good to be Catholic.

Online Giving

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Mass Intentions & Readings

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Sunday	January 28	Dt 18:15-20 1 Cor 7:32-35	Mk 1:21-28	8:45 am	Parishioners Michael Donlon &	(Bill & JoJo Spaeth)
					Leonard & Marjorie Wrig	
				12:30 pm	Jose Socorro Aldaco & Let	
						(Familia Cortes Aldaco)
				5:00 pm	Tillie Antonia Maestas サ	(Susy & Manuel)
Monday	January 29	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13	Mk 5:1-20	8:30 am	Conrad Studer 합	(Family)
Tuesday	January 30	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3	Mk 5:21-43	8:30 am	Elaine Guitar S/I	(Sam & Renee)
Wednesday	January 31	2 Sm 24:2, 9-17	Mk 6:1-6		Lena & Cyril Noronha S/I Art Ontiveros ず	(Angeline Hildum) (Linda Ontiveros)
Thursday	February 1	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12	Mk 6:7-13	8:30 am	Margaret Neumann	(Don & Jenn Neumann)
Friday	February 2	Mal 3:1-4	Lk 2:22-40		Healing Mass	
		Heb 2:14-18		6:30 pm	Healing Mass	
Saturday	February 3	1 Kgs 3:4-13 Jb 7:1-4, 6-7 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23	Mk 6:30-34 Mk 1:29-39	8:30 am	Mr. & Mrs. Francis Camilleri や (Phillip & Yvonne Camilleri)	
				4:00 pm	Fred Perretta 🕆	(The Perretta Family)
Sunday	February 4	Jb 7:1-4, 6-7 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23	Mk 1:29-39		Bill Taffe 🕆	(Linda Ray)
					Tim Rooney 🅆	(Pat Rooney)
				10:30 am	Rudi & Peter Grohmann	(Rosa Grohmann)
				12:30 pm	Parishioners	
				5:00 pm	Ronnie Chaumont 🕆	(Fonseca Family)



Youth Ministry - January Events

High School Youth Ministry Wednesday Nights - 5:30 pm Mass to St. Joseph Hall until 8:00 pm on January 31

Youth Ministry Bowling Night
for Jr. & Sr. High School

Date Change Monday, January 29, 2024
from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm
At Havasu Lanes Bowling Alley
Please bring \$20 for bowling & shoe rentals.
Pizza will be provided!
Sign up with Elliott at the Parish Office.



Companions on the Journey

Small group for depression, anxiety, & grief support through conversation & accompaniment. We have begun meeting and will meet the first and third Saturday of every month at 10:30 am.

All groups will meet with Fr. Michael in the St. Thomas More Room of the Church. If you are interested in this group, please call the Parish Office at 928-855-2685.



Altar Flowers

Happy 65th Wedding Anniversary Pominic & Anna May Sconzo

From,
Pominic Sconzo



Altar Candles

Happy 65th Wedding Anniversary Pominic & Anna May Sconzo

> Love, The Kids



Mass Schedule Change

During Lent, we will include a Spanish Mass on Monday evenings at 7:00 pm and a

5:30 pm Mass Tuesdays through Fridays in our Mass Schedule.

Candlemas Day Blessing of the Candles

On Friday, February 2, 2024, forty days after Christmas, the Church celebrates the feast of the Presentation of the Lord. Because it echoes the Christmas festival, this day is a celebration of light and darkness.

For nine centuries, it has been tradition to bless candles on this day. Because of its simplicity and beauty, the candle has continued to be used when the Church gathers for prayer, both in public places and in the home. We will continue the tradition the Church has had for nine centuries and bless candles that you bring after the 8:30 am Mass on Friday, February 2nd, the Presentation of the Lord.



St. Blaise Blessing of Throats

On Saturday, February 3rd, we remember St. Blaise, the patron saint of throats. The Blessing of Throats will take place during the

8:30 am Mass. There will be a general Blessing of the Throats at the 4:00 pm vigil Mass.

Soup Kitchen Bake Sale

Saturday, February 10, 2024 before and after the Vigil Mass and Sunday, February 11, 2024 before and after all Morning Masses. Bakery items can be dropped off on Saturday, February 10, 2024 from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm in the St. Thomas More Room of the Church.

Please contact Linda at 928-412-6372 with any questions.



February Anniversaries

Couples that will be celebrating their Wedding Anniversary during the month of February will have an opportunity to receive a special blessing, at all the Masses celebrated on Sat., Feb. 3, and Sun., Feb. 4, 2024.

Thank you for your Stewardship



Plate Collection for January 20 & 21, 2024

Envelope, Loose Checks & Cash

\$16,903.00

Online Giving Jan. 15 - Jan. 21 - Plate Collection

(Please visit www.ourladyofthelakeromancatholicparish.org to establish an online giving account.)

Regular \$5,617.00

Regular total

\$22,520.00

Budgeted for the week of January 21st \$30,000.00

Deficit:

\$7,480.00

This does not include the school financials.

Catholic Men's Fellowship Group

We are a group of men who come together every first Thursday of the month from 7:00 am to 8:00 am to pray and share our faith. Our next meeting is on Thursday, February 1, 2024, in the Holy Family Parish Center. Just bring your Bible, we furnish the rest, including breakfast.

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration

We have an opportunity to come before Jesus in the Eucharist for Adoration. Every first Friday of the month we will have All Day Eucharistic Adoration following the 8:30 am Healing Mass. At 3:00 pm we pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet, at 5:30 pm we will have confessions followed by a Healing Mass at 6:30 pm. From 9 am to 6:30 pm we have an opportunity to come to church and spend time with Jesus in prayer & adoration. Please stop by the Narthex to sign up for an Adoration time slot for Friday, February 2nd.



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.

Kick Off Weekend for CDA is February 3-4, 2024

Throughout the Gospels, we come to know the heart of Christ, the One who took on our humanity to draw us to Himself and to heal our brokenness of heart. Next week the annual Charity and Development Appeal begins. Through your gift to the CDA, you demonstrate care for others. The CDA helps more than 70 educational, charitable and spiritual organizations bring the heart and hands of Jesus to children, young adults, families and neighbors here in Arizona.

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



El Inicio de el CDA es el 3-4 de Febrero de 2024

A lo largo de los Evangelios, llegamos a conocer el corazón de Cristo, Aquel que asumió nuestra humanidad para atraernos a Él y sanar nuestro corazón quebrantado. En dos semanas comienza la campaña anual de Caridad y Desarrollo. Con su donación al CDA usted demuestra su compasión a los demás. El CDA ayuda a más de 70 organizaciones que brindan ayuda de educación, caridad y espiritualidad. Ellos llevan el corazón y las manos de Jesús a niños, jóvenes, familias y vecinos aquí en

Arizona. ¡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





Oremus Rosary Makers

Our Rosary Makers Ministry was started in 1979 by 6 parishioners. Over the years we have made and sent thousands of rosaries to missions both here in the United States and all over the world. The cost of mailing and supplies keep going up and the request for more rosaries keep coming in from all over the world.

We desperately need your prayers and donations to keep our Rosary Missionary "alive". All prayers and donations will be greatly appreciated. Prayers will be accepted anytime, anywhere. Donations can be put in an envelope marked "Rosary Makers" then dropped in the collection baskets or brought to the Parish Office.



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!



CELEBRATE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS 2024

January 28 – February 3



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 Thursday: 8:00am - 5:00pm Friday: 8:00am - 12:00pm



Administration & HR

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 928-855-2685 Linda Nitschke, Supervisor

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

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



Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court #2213

Catholic Daughters Fashion Show

The Catholic Daughters of Our Lady of the Lake Roman Catholic Parish present:

Italiano Fashionista

Saturday, February 10, 2024

Doors open at 11:00 am, lunch served at 12:00 Noon.

Donations: \$20.00

(presale tickets only—No tickets sold at door) Columbian Hall—186 London Bridge Rd. Lake Havasu City, AZ

Call Pat Sandoval for questions or tickets 928-680-1597

Fashions presented by: Barracuda; Dillards; Maurices and Raxx

For those interested in becoming a member of CDA, please contact Regent Sherry Ketner at 928-855-4445.

Havasu Columbian Bingo

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

Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament

The Knights of Columbus Council 6442 will be hosting a Charity Golf Tournament on Saturday, February 24, 2024 at the Lake Havasu Golf Club. The event will benefit local charities that provide for the needy.

The tournament is a four-person scramble. Registration is at 7:00 am, with a shotgun start at 8:00 am. The cost is \$125 per individual golfer, \$400 per team of four, and will cover golf and lunch immediately following the tournament.

Prizes will be provided for a Par 3 hole in one (\$10,000 for one Par 3), and for the longest drives both male and female.

Registration flyers are located in the Narthex & Parish Office.





Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court #2213

Attention Parishioners with a Child who is a Freshman, Sophomore or Junior in College

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court OLOL #2213 has established "The Cindy Smith Scholarship Fund" for a young adult member of our Church who is already in college. This has been established in memory of our past regent and long time board member who passed away. The scholarship will be awarded considering active participation in our church over the years, and of course academic achievement. If you are interested, or you know a young adult who is interested, please call Alexis Aramini at 928-505-7840 or email: alexisaramini@gmail.com for details and/or an application by the end of February.

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.

Representatives from Alex International Tours will be available in the Narthex after Mass on February 3rd and after morning Masses on February 4th.

An informational meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 6, 2024 at 5:30 pm in St. Joseph Hall.





Christ in the Neighborhood **Kick Off**

Christ in the Neighborhood is a ministry that provides an opportunity for families within our parish community to come

together for a monthly meal to build personal relationships. After three months, participants are placed in different groups and again meet for three consecutive months. The longer a family participates, the more parishioners a person comes to know and love. Invitations to our religious is encouraged.

Prayerfully consider joining us.

Registration is in the brochure.

Tear off registration form and please place in the offertory, leave at the gift shop, or leave at the parish office. Any questions please feel free to call or text Tina Gannon at 706-531-8245 or email markandtina.gannon@gmail.com

January 31, 2024 Wednesday Mass at 5:30 pm Potluck Dinner from 6:15 pm to 7:30 pm In the Holy Family Parish Center

If your last name begins with A-I, please bring a main dish. If your last name begins with J-Q, please bring a dessert. If your last name begins with R-V, please bring a side dish. If your last name begins with W-Z, please bring bread.

First round monthly dinner rotations will be announced.





Virtue of the Month

The Virtue for January is PATRIOTISM.

John 11:55-56

"The time for the Passover Festival was near, and many people went up from the country to Jerusalem to perform the ritual of purification before the festival."

ENTRANCE SONG

OFFERTORY SONG

All Are Welcome

Be Not Afraid
Bob Dufford

Marty Haugen

Let us build a house where love can dwell and all can safely live, a place where saints and children tell how hearts learn to forgive. Built of hopes and dreams and visions, rock of faith and vault of grace; Here the love of Christ shall end divisions.

Refrain: All are welcome, all are welcome, all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where prophets speak, and words are strong and true, where all God's children dare to seek to dream God's reign a new. Here the cross shall stand as witness And as symbol of God's grace. Here as one we claim the faith of Jesus.

Psalm 95 If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Glory to God

Tony Alonso

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, 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.

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.

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.

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.

You shall cross the barren desert, but you shall not die of thirst. You shall wander far in safety though you do not know the way. You shall speak your words in foreign lands and all will understand. You shall see the face of God and live.

Refrain: Be not afraid. I go before you always. Come, follow me, and I will give you rest.

If you pass through raging waters in the sea, you shall not drown. If you walk amid the burning flames, you shall not be harmed. If you stand before the pow'r of hell and death is at your side, know that I am with you through it all.

COMMUNION SONGS

Bread for the World

Bernadette Farell

Refrain: Bread for the World: a world of hunger. Wine for all peoples; people who thirst. May we who eat be bread for others. May we who drink pour out our love, pour out our love.

Lord Jesus Christ, you are the bread of life, broken to reach and heal the wounds of human pain. Where we divide your people you are waiting there on bended knee to wash our feet with endless care.

Lord Jesus Christ, you are the wine of peace, poured in to hearts once broken and where dryness sleeps. Where we are tired and weary you are waiting there to be the way which beckon us beyond despair.

Lord Jesus Christ, you call us to your feast, at which the rich and pow'rful have become the least. Where we survive on others in our human greed you walk among us begging for your ev 'ry need.

CLOSING SONG

Lead Me Lord

John D. Becker

Blessed are the poor in spirit, longing for their Lord, for God's coming kingdom shall be theirs. Blessed are the sorrowing, for they shall be consoled, and the meek shall come to rule the world.

Refrain: Lead me, Lord, lead me, Lord, by the light of truth to seek and to find the narrow way. Be my way; be my truth; be my life, my Lord, and lead me, Lord, today.

CANTO DE ENTRADA

Tu Palabra Me Da Vida

Juan A. Espinosa

Tu palabra me da vida, confío en Ti, Señor. Tu palabra es eterna en ella esperaré.

Dichoso el que, con vida intachable, camina en la ley del Señor. Dichoso el que, guardando sus preceptos, lo busca de todo corazón.

Postrada en el polvo está mi alma; devuélvame la vida tu palabra. Mi alma está llena de tristeza; consuélame, Señor, con tus promesas.

Salmo 94 Señor, que no seamos sordos a tu voz.

CANTO DE OFERTORIO

Ofrenda de Amor

Gregorio Fernández

Por los niños que empiezan la vida, por los hombres sin techo ni hogar. Por los pueblos que sufren la guerra te ofrecemos el vino y el pan.

Pan y vino sobre el altar son ofrendas de amor, pan y vino serán después tu Cuerpo y Sangre Señor.

Por los hombres que viven unidos, por los hombres que buscan la paz, por los pueblos que no te conocen, te ofrecemos el vino y el pan.

Por aquellos a quienes queremos, por nosotros y nuestra amistad, por los vivos y por los difuntos, te ofrecemos el vino y el pan.

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. Amen.

THANK YOU TO <u>ALL</u> WHO ADVERTISE IN OUR BULLETIN!

CANTO DE COMUNIÓN

Ven, Ven Al Banquete

Bob Hurd

Ven, ven al banquete, ven a la fiesta de Dios. Los que tienen hambre y sed serán saciados, ven a la cena de Cristo, ven a la fiesta de Dios.

¿Quién le puede dar de comer a la multitud? Con Jesús al compartir lo poco que hay recibimos plenitud.

Hay que darse a morir para cosechar, las semillas de libertad y resurrección, la promesa de vivir.

Los desamparados vendrán a partir el pan y verán su dignidad de nuevo en Jesús, Salvador y buen Pastor.

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¡Profeta te consagro, no haya duda y temor en tu andar por la historia; se fiel a tu misión!

Anúnciale a los pueblos que Dios renovara su pacto en la justicia, su amor florecerá.

Denuncia todo aquello que causa la opresión, para que se convierta y vuelva a su Señor.

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 wholly to You. Never permit me to be separate from you. Amen



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