

DIOCESE OF SCRANTON

The Most Reverend Joseph C. Bambera, Bishop

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Sunday, November 2, 2025, 5:00 p.m.
Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

Cathedral of Saint Peter
Scranton, Pennsylvania

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The Most Reverend Joseph C. Bambera, *Bishop of Scranton*

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Prelude

Chorale on REQUIEM ETERNAM Charles Callahan 1951-2023

Postlude

Tocatta on SINE NOMINE Charles Callahan 1951-2023

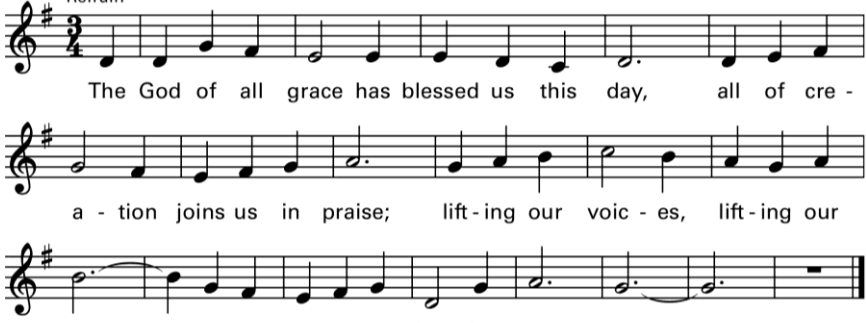
Introductory Rites

ENTRANCE HYMN

"The God of All Grace"

Manalo

Refrain



The God of all grace has blessed us this day, all of cre -
a - tion joins us in praise; lift - ing our voic - es, lift - ing our
hearts to the glo - ry of God for - ev - er!

Verses



1. God of pow - er and might, come in - to our pres - ence this
2. God of mer - cy and truth, who brings us from night in - to
3. God of won - drous love, com - pas - sion and glo - ry are
4a. All the gifts of the Lord shall flow from the glo - ry of
*4b. God of wa - ter and birth, re - new - ing the face of the



1. day. Strength - en us now with a spir - it of
2. day, nour - ish our lives with a spir - it of
3. yours. Come fill our hearts with a spir - it of
4a. God. Let us pro - claim all the won - ders we've
4b. earth; heal - ing us now with the Spir - it of

to Refrain



1. faith; we gath - er in your name.
2. hope and shield us from all fear.
3. love: the joy we find in you.
4a. seen: give thanks, re - joice and sing!
4b. Christ, you cleanse us from our sins.

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PENITENTIAL ACT

COLLECT

Liturgy of the Word

READING I

Isaiah 25:6-9

En aquel día, el Señor del universe preparará sobre este monte un festín con platillos suculentos para todos los pueblos; un banquete con vinos exquisitos y manjares sustanciosos. Él arrancará en este monte el velo que cubre el rostro de todos los pueblos, el paño que oscurece a todas las naciones. Destruirá la muerte para siempre; el Señor Dios enjugará las lágrimas de todos los rostros y borraré de toda la tierra la afrenta de su pueblo. Así lo ha dicho el Señor. En aquel día se dirá: "Aquí está nuestro Dios, de quien esperábamos que nos salvara. Alegrémonos y gocemos con la salvación que nos trae, porque la mano del Señor reposará en este monte".

The word of the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 23

Antiphon



My shep-herd is the Lord, noth-ing in-deed shall I want.

Text: Psalm 23; The Grail
Music: Joseph Gelineau, SJ
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READING II

Romans 6:3-9

Brothers and sisters: Are you unaware that we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were indeed buried with him through baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live in newness of life.

Palabra del Señor. **R. Te alabamos, Señor.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

"Alleluia"

Murray



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Music: A. Gregory Murray, OSB, © 1958, The Grail, GIA Publications, Inc., agent

Deacon: The Lord be with you.

All: **And with your spirit.**

Deacon: A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

All: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

GOSPEL

John 6:37-40

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo esta parábola sobre algunos que se tenían por justos y despreciaban a los demás: "Dos hombres subieron al templo para orar: uno era fariseo y el otro, publicano. El fariseo, erguido, oraba así en su interior: 'Dios mío, te doy gracias porque no soy como los demás hombres: ladrones, injustos y adúlteros; tampoco soy como ese publicano. Ayuno dos veces por semana y pago el diezmo de todas mis ganancias'. El publicano, en cambio, se quedó lejos y no se atrevía a levantar los ojos al cielo. Lo único que hacía era golpearse el pecho, diciendo: 'Dios mío, apiádate de mí, que soy un pecador'. Pues bien, yo les aseguro que éste bajó a su casa justificado y aquél no; porque todo el que se enaltece será humillado y el que se humilla será enaltecido".

The Gospel of the Lord.

R. Praise to you Lord, Jesus Christ.

HOMILY

Reverend Alex J. Roche

PROFESSION OF FAITH

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: Lord, hear our prayer.

Liturgy of the Eucharist

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

"Be Not Afraid"

Dufford

Verse 1



1. You shall cross the bar-ren des-ert, but you
shall not die of thirst. You shall wan-der far in
safe-ty though you do not know the way. You shall
speak your words in for-eign lands and all will un-der-
stand. You shall see the face of God and live.

Refrain



Be not a-fraid. I go be-fore you al-ways.
Come, fol-low me, and I will give you rest.

Verse 2



2. If you pass through rag-ing wa-ters in the
sea, you shall not drown. If you walk a-mid the burn-ing flames,
you shall not be harmed. If you stand be-fore the

"Be Not Afraid" continued

pow'r of hell and death is at your side,
know that I am with you through it all. D.S.

Verse 3

3. Bless-ed are your poor, for the king-dom shall be
theirs. Blest are you that weep and mourn, for
one day you shall laugh. And if wick-ed tongues in -
sult and hate you all be-cause of me,
bless-ed, bless-ed are you! D.S.

Text: Isaiah 43:2-3, Luke 6:20ff; Bob Dufford, SJ, b.1943
Tune: Bob Dufford, SJ, b.1943; acc. by Theophane Hytrek, OSF, 1915-1992
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INVITATION TO PRAYER

All: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

PREFACE DIALOGUE

Bishop: **The Lord be with you.**

All: **And with your spirit.**

Bishop: **Lift up your hearts.**

All: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Bishop: **Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.**

All: **It is right and just.**

EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS

acclamations from A Community Mass

Proulx

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.
Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

The musical score is written on five staves in G major (one sharp) and common time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The first staff ends with a whole rest. The second staff has a long note for 'Ho -'. The third staff ends with a whole rest. The fourth staff has a long note for 'Ho -'. The fifth staff ends with a double bar line.

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-
claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

The musical score is written on two staves in G major and common time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The first staff ends with a long note for 'we pro-'. The second staff ends with a double bar line.

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AMEN

A - men, a - men, a - men.

The musical score is written on one staff in G major and common time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The staff ends with a double bar line.

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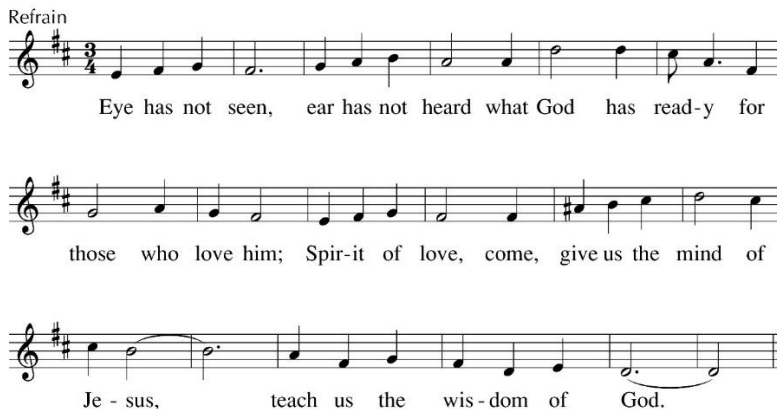
Bishop Bambara: The peace of the Lord be with you always.
All: **And with your spirit.**

Isele



All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Haugen



"Eye Has Not Seen" cont.

Verses 1-3



1. When pain and sor - row weigh us down, be near to us, O
2. Our lives are but a sin - gle breath, we flow-er and we
3. To those who see with eyes of faith, the Lord is ev - er



Lord;
fade,
near,
for - give the weak - ness
yet all our days are
re - flect - ed in the
of our faith, and
in your hands, so
fac - es of



bear us up with - in your peace - ful word.
we re - turn in love what love has made.
all the poor and low - ly of the world.

Verse 4



4. We sing a mys-t'ry from the past in halls where saints have



trod, yet ev - er new the mu - sic rings to



Je - sus, Liv - ing Song of God.

Text: 1 Corinthians 2:9-10; Marty Haugen, b.1950
Tune: Marty Haugen, b.1950
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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Concluding Rite

PONTIFICAL BLESSING

Bishop: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Bishop: Blessed be the name of the Lord.

All: Now and for ever.

Bishop: Our help is in the Name of the Lord.

All: Who made Heaven and earth.

Bishop: May almighty God bless you, the †Father, and the Son,
and the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

DISMISSAL

Deacon: Go in peace.

All: Thanks be to God.



1. For all the saints, who from their la - bors rest,
2. You were their rock, their for - tress and their might;
3. O may your sol - diers, faith - ful, true, and bold,
4. O blest com - mun - ion, fel - low - ship di - vine!
5. And when the strife is fierce, the war - fare long,
6. The gold - en eve - ning bright - ens in the west;



Who to the world their faith in you con - fessed; Your
 You, Lord, their Cap - tain in the well - fought fight;
 Fight as the saints who no - bly fought of old, And
 We fee - bly strug - gle, they in glo - ry shine; Yet
 Steals on the ear the dis - tant tri - umph song, And
 Soon, soon to faith - ful war - riors comes their rest; }



name, O Je - sus, be for - ev - er blest.
 You, in the dark - ness drear, their one true light.
 win with them the vic - tor's crown of gold.
 all are one with - in your great de - sign.
 hearts are brave a - gain, and arms are strong.
 Sweet is the calm of par - a - dise the blest.



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

7. But then there breaks a yet more glorious day;
 The saints triumphant rise in bright array;
 The King of glory passes on his way.
 Alleluia! Alleluia!
8. From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
 Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
 Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:
 Alleluia! Alleluia!

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Pastoral Center after Mass.*



“If any of you feel within the calling to a special vocation,
to the consecrated life or the priesthood,
I encourage you not to be afraid to respond.
That invitation, which you feel vibrate within,
comes from God, who speaks to our hearts.”
Pope Leo XIV