



WELCOME TO SAINT LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fifth Sunday of Lent March 20/21, 2021

Celebrant: Fr. Thomas Schliessmann, Pastor

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PLEASE



Wear a mask.
Ask an usher if you need one.



Social distance



Help us save time cleaning by not using the kneelers. Feel free to sit or kneel on the floor.



Receive the Holy Eucharist in the hands instead of on the tongue.



We are so thankful to be celebrating Mass with you in person. Help us celebrate Mass safely.

OPENING HYMN

BEYOND THE DAYS

REFRAIN

Beyond the days of hope and myst'ry
we see a light of faith renewed,
and in our longing we thirst for guidance
to walk with you day by day.

Forty days and nights,
you guide the steps of our journey.
May your presence be felt
in the whisper of your voice.

REFRAIN

Not on bread alone
are we to walk on this journey.
Speak the words that give life
to the yearnings of our hearts.

REFRAIN

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PENITENTIAL RITE

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

OR

Kyrie, eleison. Kyrie, eleison.
Christe, eleison. Christe, eleison.
Kyrie, eleison. Kyrie, eleison.

OR

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers
and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts
and in my words, in what I have done and in what I
have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault,
through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask
blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to
the Lord our God.

FIRST READING

Jeremiah 31:31-34

The days are coming, says the LORD,
when I will make a new covenant with the house of
Israel
and the house of Judah.

It will not be like the covenant I made with their
fathers
the day I took them by the hand
to lead them forth from the land of Egypt;
for they broke my covenant,
and I had to show myself their master, says the
LORD.

But this is the covenant that I will make
with the house of Israel after those days, says the
LORD.

I will place my law within them and write it upon
their hearts;
I will be their God, and they shall be my people.
No longer will they have need to teach their friends
and relatives
how to know the LORD.

All, from least to greatest, shall know me, says the
LORD,
for I will forgive their evildoing and remember their
sin no more.

The word of the Lord. **R. Thanks be to God.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15

R. Create a clean heart in me, O God.

SECOND READING

Hebrews 5:7-9

In the days when Christ Jesus was in the flesh,
he offered prayers and supplications with loud cries
and tears
to the one who was able to save him from death,
and he was heard because of his reverence.
Son though he was, he learned obedience from what
he suffered;
and when he was made perfect,
he became the source of eternal salvation for all who
obey him.

The word of the Lord. **R. Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL

John 12:20-33

Some Greeks who had come to worship at the
Passover Feast
came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee,
and asked him, "Sir, we would like to see Jesus."
Philip went and told Andrew;
then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus.
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.
Whoever loves his life loses it,
and whoever hates his life in this world
will preserve it for eternal life.
Whoever serves me must follow me,
and where I am, there also will my servant be.
The Father will honor whoever serves me.

“I am troubled now. Yet what should I say?
‘Father, save me from this hour’?
But it was for this purpose that I came to this hour.
Father, glorify your name.”
Then a voice came from heaven,
“I have glorified it and will glorify it again.”
The crowd there heard it and said it was thunder;
but others said, “An angel has spoken to him.”
Jesus answered and said,
“This voice did not come for my sake but for yours.
Now is the time of judgment on this world;
now the ruler of this world will be driven out.
And when I am lifted up from the earth,
I will draw everyone to myself.”
He said this indicating the kind of death he would
die.

The Gospel of the Lord.

R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

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,

(At the words that follow, all bow.)

**and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the
Virgin Mary, and became man. (end bow)**

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.

SANCTUS

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus. Dóminus Deus Sábaoth.
Pleni sunt caeli et terra glória tua. Hosánna in
excélsis. Benedictus qui venit in nómine Dómini.
Hosánna in excélsis.

MYSTÉRIUM FÍDEI

Mortem tuam annuntiámus, Dómine,
et tuam resurrectionem confitémur, donec vénias.

AGNUS DEI

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
dona nobis pacem.

FINAL HYMN

I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE

I am the Bread of life.
You who come to me shall not hunger;
And who believe in Me shall not thirst.
No one can come to Me unless the Father beckons.

REFRAIN

And I will raise you up,
and I will raise you up,
And I will raise you up
on the last day.

The bread that I will give
is My flesh for the life of the world,
and if you eat of this bread,
you shall live forever, you shall live forever.

REFRAIN

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