



The Church of Saint Peter

Sunday, March 1, 2026 Est. 1839



Second Sunday of Lent

Gathering Hymn

Lenten Prayer

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Refrain:

Let us re - turn to God, and know our Fath-er; Let us re - turn to
 Christ, and know our Broth - er. He gave his life so that we might love one an-
 oth-er, so, Let us re - turn to God deep in our hearts.

Verse: Lord, call to mind mercies from ages past, tenderly giv'n, humbly received.

Lord, by your grace, show us your face, free us from sin and death; free us, O God, from our distress. **R/.**

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Greeting

Priest: The Lord be with you. *People:* **And with your spirit.**

Penitential Act

Confiteor: I confess to almighty God, and to you, my brothers and sisters,
 that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and my words,
 in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,

[We strike our breast] 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.

Priest: May almighty God...

V. Lord, have mer-cy. R. Lord, have mer-cy.
 V. Christ, have mer-cy. R. Christ, have mer-cy.
 V. Lord, have mer-cy. R. Lord, have mer-cy.

Collect (Opening Prayer)

Reading I

Genesis 12:1-4a

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 33: Lord, Let Your Mercy Be on Us

Michel Guimont

Lord, let your mer-cy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

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Reading II

2 Timothy 1:8b-10

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION
FOR LENT, HOLY THURSDAY, & GOOD FRIDAY

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Glo - ry to you, Lord Je - sus Christ, Son of the Liv - ing God!

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Gospel Reading

Matthew 17:1-9

Deacon or Priest: The Lord be with you. *People:* **And with your spirit.**

Deacon or Priest: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew. *People:* **Glory to you, O Lord.**

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] 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.

Prayer of the Faithful

Preparation of the Gifts

Christ, Be Our Light

Bernadette Farrell



Verses
1. Long-ing for light, we wait in dark - ness. Long-ing for truth, we turn to you.
2. Long-ing for peace, our world is troub - led. Long-ing for hope, man - y des - pair.
3. Long-ing for food, man - y are hun - gry. Long-ing for wa - ter, man - y still thirst.
4. Long-ing for shel - ter, man - y are home - less. Long-ing for warmth, man - y are cold.



Make us your own, your ho - ly peo - ple, light for the world to see.
Your word a - lone has pow'r to save us. Make us your liv - ing voice.
Make us your bread, bro - ken for oth - ers, shared un - til all are fed.
Make us your build - ing, shel - ter - ing oth - ers, walls made of liv - ing stone.



Refrain
Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the dark - ness.



Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gath - ered to - day.

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Invitation to Prayer

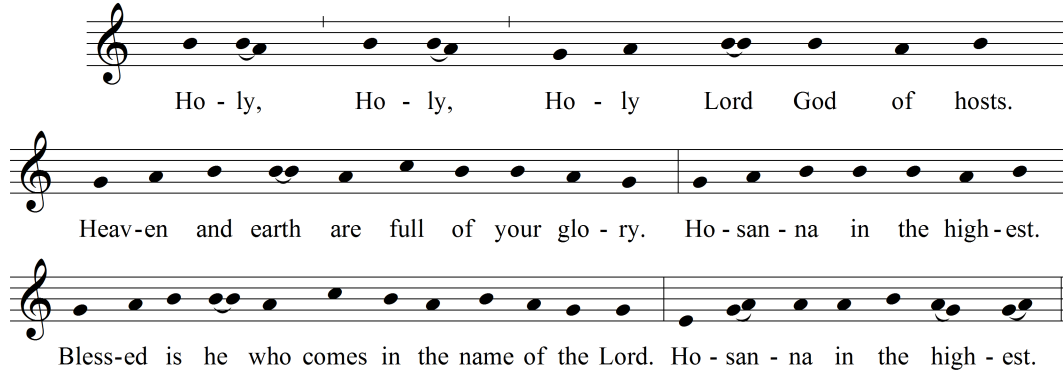
**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands
for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

The Eucharistic Prayer

V. The Lord be with you. **R. And with your spirit.**
V. Lift up your hearts. **R. We lift them up to the Lord.**
V. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **R. It is right and just.**

SANCTUS

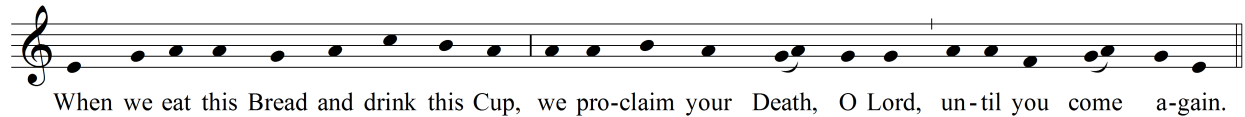
Roman Missal



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

MYSTERY OF FAITH

Roman Missal



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

AMEN



A - men.

The Lord's Prayer

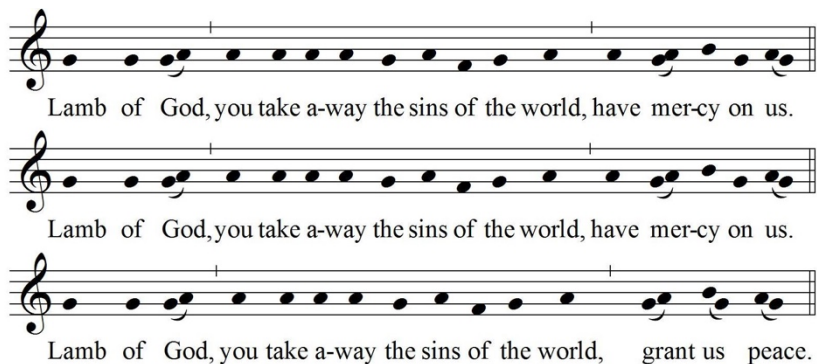
**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

Priest: Deliver us, Lord... our Savior, Jesus Christ.

People: **For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.**

The Sign of Peace *Priest:* The peace of the Lord be with you always. *People:* **And with your spirit.**

Lamb of God



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Invitation to Communion *Priest:* Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
 Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.
All: **Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,
 but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

Communion Hymn

This Is the Son of God

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This is the Son of _ God in _ whom is God's de - light:
 Let us lis-ten, let us lis-ten to him. ____

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Prayer after Communion

Blessing

Priest: The Lord be with you. *People:* **And with your spirit.**

Dismissal

Response: **Thanks be to God.**

Recessional Hymn

Through the Desert

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Refrain

Teach us, Lord, to love as you love us.
 Guide us as we walk on the way. Help us bear the Cross as we
 fol - low you through the des-ert to the joy of sal - va - tion.

With trusting hearts do we come before our God
 To save our souls, Not in pride, but in true faith. **R/.**

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