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## The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ – Corpus Christi

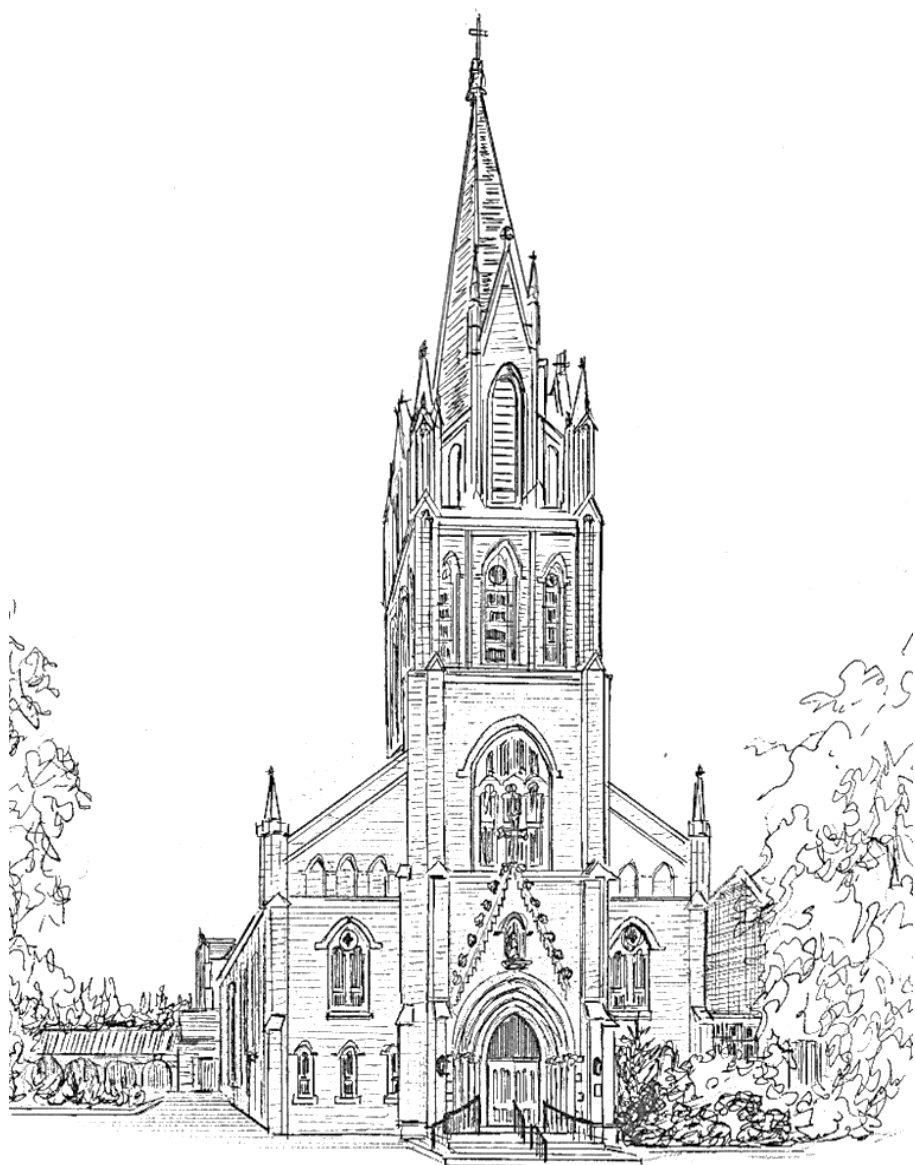


June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 at 5:30PM

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“I am the living bread that came down from heaven,  
says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live forever.”

*Gospel Versicle for Corpus Christi*



# GATHERING HYMN

*I Am the Bread of Life*

**Gather, No. 945**

Verses

1. I am the Bread of life. You who  
 2. The bread that I will give is my  
 3. Un-less you eat of the  
 4. I am the Res-ur-rec-tion, come to me shall not hun-ger; and who be-  
 flesh for the life of the world, and if you  
 flesh of the Son of Man and  
 I am the life. If you be-  
 lieve in me shall not thirst. No one can come to  
 eat of this bread, you shall live for  
 drink of his blood, and drink of his  
 lieve in me, e-ven though you  
 me un-less the Fa-ther beck-ons.  
 ev-er, you shall live for ev-er.  
 blood, you shall not have life with-in you.  
 die, you shall live for ev-er.

Refrain

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

Text: John 6 and 11; Suzanne Toolan, RSM, b.1927; tr. by anon., rev. by Ronald F. Krisman, b.1946  
 Tune: BREAD OF LIFE, Irregular with refrain; Suzanne Toolan, RSM, b.1927  
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# GREETING

## PENITENTIAL RITE

*Confiteor*

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, *All strike their breastbones once with their right hand* 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.

## KYRIE

*Mass of Joy and Peace*

Tony Alonso

*Kyrie eleison, Christe eleison, Kyrie eleison*

## GLORIA

*Mass of Joy and Peace*

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Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God in the  
high - est, and on earth peace, on earth peace to  
peo - ple of good will. *To repeat* *Last time*  
A - men.

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. 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.  
Amen.

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# Liturgy of the Word

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## FIRST READING

Genesis 14:18-20

Melchizedek brought out bread and wine. In those days, Melchizedek, king of Salem, brought out bread and wine, and being a priest of God Most High, he blessed Abram with these words: "Blessed be Abram by God Most High, the creator of heaven and earth; and blessed be God Most High, who delivered your foes into your hand." Then Abram gave him a tenth of everything.

*The Word of the Lord*

**✠ Thanks be to God**

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM 110

Stephen Fischer



You are a priest for-ev-er in the line of Mel-chi-ze-dek.

## SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Brothers and sisters: I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus, on the night he was handed over, took bread, and, after he had given thanks, broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.

*The Word of the Lord*

**✠ Thanks be to God**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*Mass of Joy and Peace*



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



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

## GOSPEL

Luke 9:11b-17

Jesus spoke to the crowds about the kingdom of God, and he healed those who needed to be cured. As the day was drawing to a close, the Twelve approached him and said, "Dismiss the crowd so that they can go to the surrounding villages and farms and find lodging and provisions; for we are in a deserted place here." He said to them, "Give them some food yourselves." They replied, "Five loaves and two fish are all we have, unless we ourselves go and buy food for all these people." Now the men there numbered about five thousand. Then he said to his disciples, "Have them sit down in groups of about fifty." They did so and made them all sit down. Then taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets.

*The Gospel of the Lord*

℟ Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

## HOMILY

### PROFESSION OF FAITH

*Nicene Creed*

**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, *[all bow]* 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

℟ Lord, hear our prayer

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# Liturgy of the Eucharist

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## OFFERTORY SONG

*By Your Hand You Feed Your People*

### Verses



1. By your hand, you feed your peo - ple, food of  
2. In this meal we taste your sweet - ness, bread for  
3. Send us now with faith and cour - age to the

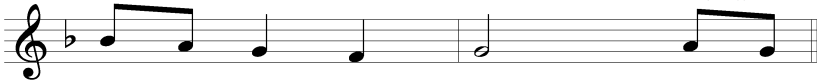


an - gels, heav - en's bread; For these  
hun - ger, wine of peace; Ho - ly  
hun - gry, lost, be - reaved; In our



gifts we did not la - bor, by your  
Word and Ho - ly Wis - dom sat - is -  
liv - ing and our dy - ing, we be -

### Refrain



grace have we been fed: Christ's own -  
fy our deep - est needs.  
come what we re - ceive:



Bod - y, blessed and bro - ken, Cup o'er - flow - ing, life out -



poured, Giv - en as a liv - ing to - ken of your



world re - deemed, re - stored.

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Susan Briehl  
Based on Wisdom 16:20-21, 26, 17:1a

Tune: CAMROSE  
by Marty Haugen

Priest:

The Lord be with you

Lift up your hearts.

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

People:

**✠ And with your spirit.**

**✠ We lift them up to the Lord.**

**✠ It is right and just.**

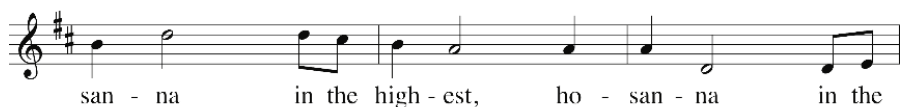
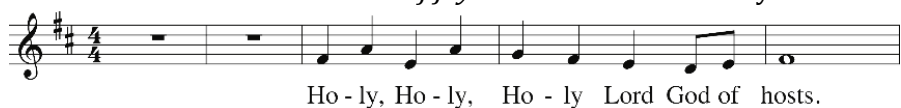
Priest: Pray... acceptable to the almighty Father.

People: **✠ 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.**

## HOLY

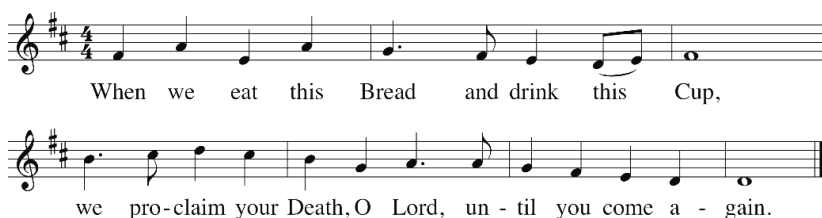
## Mass of Joy and Peace

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## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION *Mass of Joy and Peace* Tony Alonso



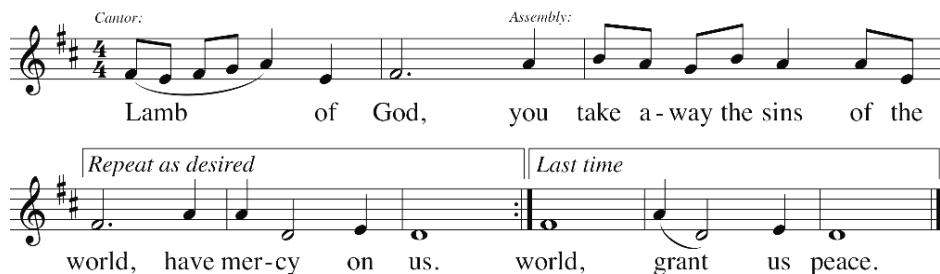
## GREAT AMEN



## THE LORD'S PRAYER

## SIGN OF PEACE

## LAMB OF GOD



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## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Priest: Behold.... Of the Lamb. **✠ Lord I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof. But only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

## COMMUNION

## Take and Eat This Bread

## Gather, No. 928

### Refrain



Take and eat this bread. Take and drink this cup.



This is my bod - y and my blood.



When you eat this bread, when you drink this cup,



you live in me and I in you.

### Verses



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|------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. This is the bread   | come down from heav-en; |
| 2. Gath - ered as one  | a - round one ta - ble, |
| 3. With - in our hands | we hold the mys - t'ry, |
| 4. Come all who thirst | for life e - ter - nal, |



D.C.

this is the cup of our sal - va - tion.  
sent forth to wit - ness to sal - va - tion.  
dy - ing and ris - ing to sal - va - tion.  
come to the ta - ble of sal - va - tion.

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## CONCLUDING RITES

### PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

*St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.*

# SENDING FORTH

*I Come with Joy*

**Gather, No. 919**



1. I come with joy, a child of God, For -  
 2. I come with Chris - tians far and near To  
 3. As Christ breaks bread, and bids us share, Each  
 4. The Spir - it of the ris - en Christ, Un -  
 5. To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound By



giv - en, loved, and free, The life of Je - sus  
 find, as all are fed, The new com - mu - ni -  
 proud di - vi - sion ends. The love that made us,  
 seen, but ev - er near, Is in such friend - ship  
 all that God has done, We'll go with joy, to



to re - call, In love laid down for me.  
 ty of love In Christ's com - mu - nion bread.  
 makes us one, And strang - ers now are friends.  
 bet - ter known, A - live a - mong us here.  
 give the world The love that makes us one.

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## POSTLUDE

Randy Moore, *Piano*

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