ORDINARY TIME: PROPER 8 | HOLY EUCHARIST

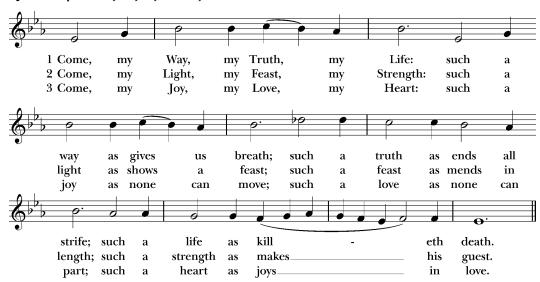
Question of the Day/Pregunta del día: How do we move into the world to bring about Christ's reign? ¿Cómo nos movemos en el mundo para ayudar a llevar a cabo el reinado de Cristo?

About this Gathering

Ordinary Time, or the "green, great, growing season", stretches from the end of May to November. The season's steady, week-by-week pattern echoes the life of Christ-followers as we strive to live out our baptism vows and grow into the likeness of Jesus the Christ. Lift your voice in hymns, worship and prayer! Please lift your voice in hymns, worship and prayer!

Prelude

Hymn 487 | Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life



MASKS & GATHERINGS "So we may be exiting the public health emergency, but we haven't left the public health threat." As Covid emergency ends for the WHO & USA, the response shifts to peacetime mode. So, while masks at Gatherings are now optional, St. Mary's asks that for the protection of others, people with cold or other symptoms to please wear a mask or worship online until symptoms clear.

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THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation

Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

Glory to God for ever and ever. Amen.

Song of Praise | Gloria, gloria, gloria | Sung twice. Your choice of language.





Collect

God be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Lord God Almighty, in whose Name the founders of this country won liberty for themselves and for us, and lit the torch of freedom for nations then unborn: Grant that we and all the people of this land may have grace to maintain our liberties in righteousness and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*

Jeremiah 28:5-9

Jeremiah offers his vision of what God is doing to the nation of Israel.

A Reading from the book of the prophet Jeremiah.

Then the prophet Jeremiah spoke to the prophet Hananiah in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the Lord, and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! May the Lord do so; may the Lord fulfill the words that you have prophesied and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the Lord and all the exiles. But listen now to this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes true, then it will be known that the Lord has truly sent the prophet."

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Churches.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18

A royal psalm praising God's power and faithfulness.

Let us read Psalm 89 responsively.

¹Your love, O LORD, for ever will I sing; *

from age to age my mouth will proclaim your faithfulness.

²For I am persuaded that your love is established for ever; *

you have set your faithfulness firmly in the heavens.

³"I have made a covenant with my chosen one; *

I have sworn an oath to David my servant:

^{4'}I will establish your line forever, *

and preserve your throne for all generations.' "

¹⁵Happy are the people who know the festal shout! *

they walk, O LORD, in the light of your presence.

¹⁶They rejoice daily in your Name; *

they are jubilant in your righteousness.

 $^{\rm 17}{\rm For}$ you are the glory of their strength, *

and by your favor our might is exalted.

¹⁸Truly, the LORD is our ruler; *****

the Holy One of Israel is our King.

Romans 6:12-23

Christ-followers have been justified, set right, by being united to Christ.

A Reading from Paul's letter to the church in Rome.

Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal bodies, so that you obey their desires. No longer present your members to sin as instruments of unrighteousness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness. For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace.

What then? Should we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! Do you not know that, if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? But thanks be to God that you who were slaves of sin have become obedient from the heart to the form of teaching to which you were entrusted and that you, having been set free from sin, have become enslaved to righteousness. I am speaking in human terms because of your limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and lawlessness, leading to even more lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness, leading to sanctification.

When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. So what fruit did you then gain from the things of which you now are ashamed? The end of those things is death. But now that you have been freed

from sin and enslaved to God, the fruit you have leads to sanctification, and the end is eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

Thanks be to God.



Matthew 10:40-42

Jesus further instructs his followers as they are sent out to continue is proclaiming and healing ministry.

The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

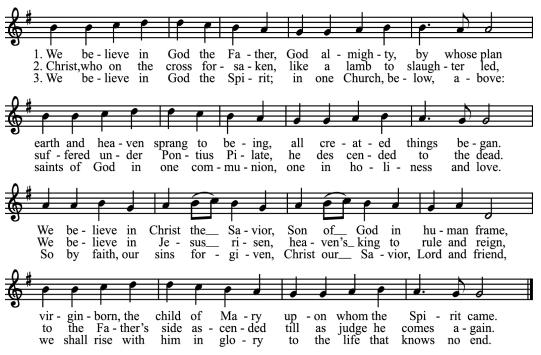
Glory to you, Lord Christ.

"Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward, and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous, and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple–truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward."

The Gospel of our Savior. Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

Creed | Ode to Joy



Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith (b. 1926); Music: Hymn to Joy, Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827), alt.

Prayers of the People

Brothers and sisters, present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life. And with humble hearts, pray to the Lord, saying, "Look upon us; *answer us, O Lord our God.*"

Lord God, you have freed your Church from sin: sanctify us that we may be wholly dedicated to you and your purposes.

Silence

O God, Look upon us;

Answer us, O Lord our God.

Incarnate God, help us to welcome Christ by welcoming the other. Give us eyes to seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving our neighbors as ourselves.

Silence

O God, Look upon us;

Answer us, O Lord our God.

Righteous God, you have given us all we need. Encourage us to share what we have so that all may have their needs met.

The people add their thanksgivings, followed by silence.

O God, Look upon us;

Answer us, O Lord our God.

O Lord, we put our trust in your mercy. We pray you make joyful the hearts of our neighbors–especially the displaced and sorrowful.

Silence

O God, Look upon us;

Answer us, O Lord our God.

O Lord, answer those who cry out in their pain. Comfort those who feel forgotten. Give peace to those who are perplexed and grieving.

The people add their intercessions and petitions, followed by silence.

O God, Look upon us;

Answer us, O Lord our God.

Gracious God, your free gift is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord: Bless and keep the dying and the dead. *The people add their remembrances, followed by silence.*

O God, Look upon us;

Answer us, O Lord our God.

In the name of Jesus we pray: O God, Look upon us;

Answer us, O Lord our God.

Confession of Sin

Let us confess our sins to God.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. *Amen*.

Peace

The peace of Christ be always with you.

And also with you.

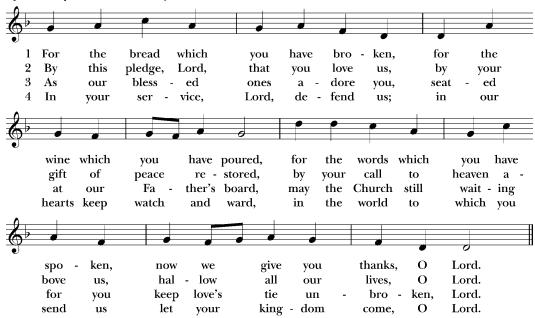
HOLY COMMUNION | PLEASE SHARE COMMUNION WITH US

Following Jesus' prophetic example to welcome everyone to His table, St. Mary's welcomes everyone to take communion with us. So, as Jesus the Christ commands his Church to "Do this for the remembrance of me.", St Mary's gathers in person or remotely to follow this command believing that by the power of the Holy Spirit the Word of God is proclaimed and the bread and wine at the church table and at your home become for us the holy sacrament of the Body and Blood of Christ.

Offering | An Invitation to Joy & Gratitude

Ways to give: Please drop your offering in the basket Or click the "Giving" tab to make a secure online offering Or Secure mail to St Mary Magdalene Anglican Church PO Box 90811 San Diego, CA 92169-2811. FYI, St Mary's has earned a CANDID GOLD STAR OF TRANSPARENCY on Guidestar, the premiere donor/organization vetting & clearing site in the US.

Hymn 340 | For the bread which you have broken



The Great Thanksgiving

O Lord our God, yours is the greatness, the power, the glory, the victory, and the majesty.

For everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

God be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

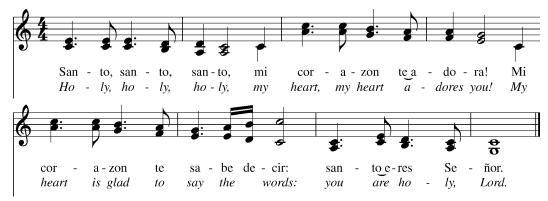
We lift them to God.

Let us give thanks to our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth. Because you are greatly glorified in the assembly of your saints. All your creatures praise you, and your faithful servants bless you, confessing before the rulers of this world the great Name of your only begotten. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

WLP 785 | Santo, santo, santo Holy, holy, holy | Sung twice. Your choice of language.



We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In Christ, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In Christ, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Savior Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." After supper Jesus took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

We remember Christ's death, We proclaim Christ's resurrection, We await Christ's coming in glory; And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Savior of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us in the sacrifice of Jesus Christ, through whom we are acceptable to you, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Mary Magdalene and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Savior, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN**.

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray in our chosen language and voice.

The contemporary version below is <u>optional</u>; however, please pray boldly the version of choice and language of choice.

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Breaking the Bread & Communion

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Behold what you are.

May we become what we receive.

The Body of Christ, the Bread of Heaven. Amen. | The Blood of Christ, the Cup of Salvation. Amen. We come forward take the Bread and, for those who choose, the Wine. St. Mary's upholds the Doctrine of Concomitance that the fullness of communion is available by receiving either the holy bread or wine or both.

Sending Prayer

Let us pray together.

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

Blessing Over the People

Beloved, you are God's and you are loved. May God the Creator, who made you in God's multi-faceted image, uphold you. May God the Christ, who crossed boundaries for the sake of love, liberate you. May God the Holy Spirit, who draws all of us together, inspire you. And the blessing of God–creator, liberator, and sanctifier–be with you this day and always.

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Hymn 657 | Love divine, all loves excelling



Dismissal

God be in my head,

God be in my heart.

God be in my left hand, God be in my right hand, God be in my whole life.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.