

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 27, 2022 ❖ 11:15AM MASS

INTRODUCTORY RITE

GATHERING SONG: *Out of Darkness*

Walker

Refrain:

Out of dark - ness God has called us claimed by Christ as
God's own peo - ple. Ho - ly na - tion, roy - al priest - hood, walk - ing in God's
mar - v'ous light. mar - v'ous light. A - men.

1, 2, 3. 2 Final

Verses:

1. Let us take the words you give. Strong and faith - ful words to live.
2. Let us take the Christ you give, Bro - ken Bod - y, Christ we live.
3. Let us take the love you give, that the way of love we live.

Words that in our hearts are sown; words that bind us as your own.
Christ the ris - en from the tomb; Christ, who calls us as your own.
Love to bring your peo - ple home; love to make us all your own.

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COLLECT PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

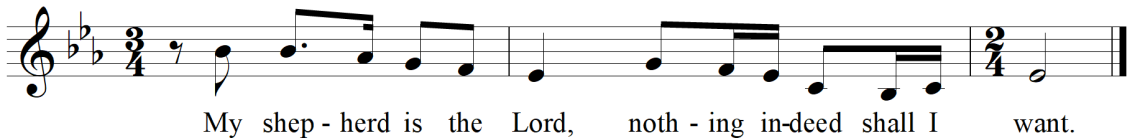
FIRST READING:

1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a

*David is anointed as king of Israel.*RESPONSORIAL PSALM: *Psalm 23: My Shepherd Is the Lord*

Gelineau

Refrain:



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

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Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6

Lord, you are my shepherd;
 there is nothing I shall want.

Fresh and green are the pastures
 where you give me repose.

Near restful waters you lead me,
 to revive my drooping spirit.

You guide me along the right path;
 you are true to your name.

If I should walk in the valley of darkness
 no evil would I fear.

You are there with your crook and your staff;

with these you give me comfort.

You have prepared a banquet for me
 in the sight of my foes.

My head you have anointed with oil;
 my cup is overflowing.

Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me
 all the days of my life.

In the Lord's own house shall I dwell
 for ever and ever.

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SECOND READING:

Ephesians 5:8-14

*Arise from the dead, and Christ will give you light.*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: *Glory to You, O Word of God*

Proulx

GOSPEL READING:

John 9:1-41

The man who was blind went off and washed himself and came back able to see.

THE SECOND SCRUTINY OF THE ELECT

This is the second of three such rituals for those preparing for baptism at the Easter Vigil. The scrutinies are meant to uncover, then heal all that is weak, defective, or sinful in the hearts of the elect; to bring out, then strengthen all that is upright, strong, and good. For the scrutinies are celebrated in order to deliver the elect from the power of sin and Satan, to protect them against temptation, and to give them strength in Christ, who is the way, the truth, and the life. The elect express their repentance, and the assembly prays for them in a special way, as they continue their Lenten journey towards the Easter sacraments.

INTERCESSIONS FOR THE ELECT & FOR ALL *Music may be found on page 4 of the pew card.*

PRAYER OVER THE ELECT

A prayer is offered, addressed to God the Father, asking that the elect be set free from falsehood, darkness and sin. In the laying on of hands by the priest, the transformational power of the Holy Spirit is signified. Concluding is a prayer addressed to Jesus, that he might send the Spirit to give water, light and life to the Elect.

DISMISSAL OF THE ELECT & CANDIDATES *Music may be found on page 3 of the pew card.*

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

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PREPARATION OF GIFTS (CHORAL ANTHEM): *Be Thou My Vision* David Ashley White (b. 1944)

Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art;
Thou my best Thought, by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word;
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son;
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Great God of heaven, my victory won,
May I reach Heaven's joys, O bright Heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whate'er befall,
Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

~ translated by Mary E. Byrne (1880-1931)

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY: *Sanctus XVIII*

Chant

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

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GREAT AMEN

Kelly

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COMMUNION RITE

LAMB OF GOD: *Agnus Dei XVIII*

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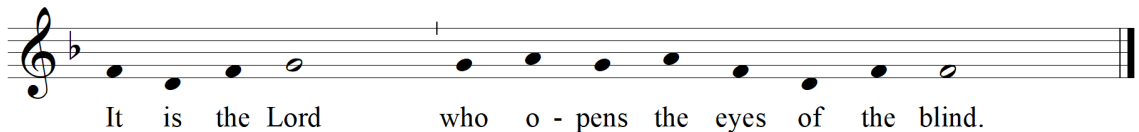
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COMMUNION SONGS: *The Lord Anointed My Eyes/ Psalm 146*

Kelly

Choir: The Lord anointed my eyes: I went, I washed, I saw and I believed in God.

Congregational Refrain:



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Take and Eat

Joncas

Ritual Song Hymnal #1025

CONCLUDING RITE

SENDING FORTH: *Jesus, Lead the Way*

ROCHELLE

Ritual Song Hymnal #824