

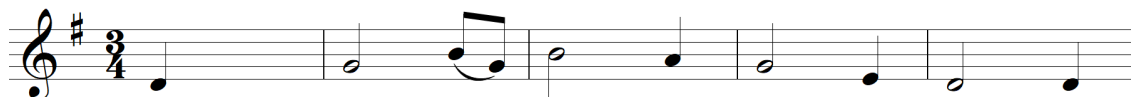
# FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 19, 2023 ❖ (SATURDAY) 4:00PM & 8:30AM MASSES

## INTRODUCTORY RITE

GATHERING SONG: *Amazing Grace*

NEW BRITAIN



*All:* 1. A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound, That  
*Women:* 2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And  
*Men:* 3. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His  
*All:* 4. Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I



1. saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but  
2. grace my fears re - lieved; How pre - cious did that  
3. word my hope se - cures; He will my shield and  
4. have al - read - y come; 'Tis grace has brought me



1. now am found; Was blind, but now I see.  
2. grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved!  
3. por - tion be As long as life en - dures.  
4. safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.

Text: John Newton, 1725–1807

Tune: NEW BRITAIN, CM; Virginia Harmony, 1831; harm. by Edwin O. Excell, 1851–1921

PENITENTIAL ACT/KYRIE:

Chant

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COLLECT PRAYER



# LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING:

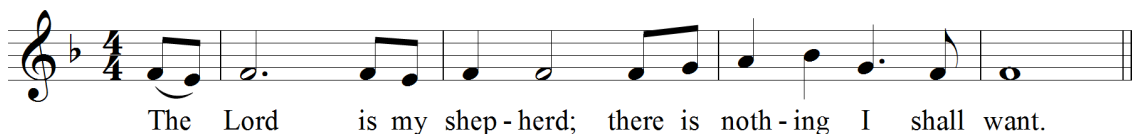
1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a

*David is anointed as king of Israel.*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: *Psalm 23: The Lord Is My Shepherd*

Crandal

Refrain:



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

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.  
In verdant pastures he gives me repose;  
beside restful waters he leads me;  
he refreshes my soul. *R/.*

He guides me in right paths  
for his name's sake.  
Even though I walk in the dark valley  
I fear no evil;  
for you are at my side  
with your rod and your staff

that give me courage. *R/.*

You spread the table before me  
in the sight of my foes;  
you anoint my head with oil;  
my cup overflows. *R/.*

Only goodness and kindness  
follow me all the days of my life;  
and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord  
for years to come. *R/.*

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SECOND READING:

Ephesians 5:8-14

*Arise from the dead, and Christ will give you light.*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: *Mass of Joy and Peace*

Alonso

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GOSPEL READING:

John 9:1-41

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



APOSTLES CREED

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GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

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## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF GIFTS: *My Shepherd, You Supply My Need*  
Ritual Song Hymnal #768

RESIGNATION



EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY: *Mass of Remembrance*  
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Haugen

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION: *Mass of Remembrance*  
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Haugen

GREAT AMEN: *Mass of Remembrance*  
Hymnal Insert Card Page #6

Haugen

COMMUNION RITE

LAMB OF GOD: *Agnus Dei XVIII*  
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Chant

## CONCLUDING RITE

SENDING FORTH: *The Cross of Jesus*

O'Brien

1. Come, O God, re - new your peo - ple,  
2. In the dark - ness that sur - rounds us

We who long to see your face. Strength - en hearts that have grown  
We have lost you from our sight. E - ven though your love has

fee - ble; Fill our lives with truth and grace,  
found us, We em - brace the powers of night.

On - ly you can win our free - dom; On - ly you can bring us  
Scat - ter now our deep - est dark - ness; Guide our hearts in - to the

peace. light. On - ly in the cross of Je - sus  
Join us to the cross of Je - sus,

Will the cap - tives find re - lease.  
Help us set our liv - ing right.

Text: Francis Patrick O'Brien, b. 1958

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