

### SAINT CLARE OF ASSISI

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### Parish Office Hours:

7:30am-1:30pm Sunday Monday—Thursday 9:00am-5:00pm

Closed for lunch from 12:00pm-1:00pm on weekdays Friday-Saturday Closed

#### **Religious Education**

Youth Group **AIDO** K-6 Catechesis Sacramental Prep

Mondays, 6:30pm-8pm Mondays, 6pm-7:30pm Wednesdays, 4pm or 6pm Wednesdays, 4pm or 6pm

St. Clare of Assisi is an official Baby Safe Haven location. Parents or agents of parents can drop off an unharmed newborn baby to a staff member during regular office hours. For more information, please visit azsafebabyhaven.org

Pro-Life Resources: Are you struggling with a crisis pregnancy and need help? These resources are recognized by the Diocese of Phoenix and can help you, regardless of income.

Life Choices Women's Clinic:www.pro-lifearizona.com | (602) 305-5100 Choices Pregnancy Center: www.choicesaz.com | (623) 486-5232 First Way Pregnancy Center: www.1stway.net | (602) 261-7522



#### Liturgy Schedule

4:00pm 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 5:00pm

Monday-Saturday, 8:00am

Adoration & Reconciliation

Eucharistic Adoration Reconciliation

Saturday Vigil Mass

Sunday Masses

Daily Masses

Fridays 1:00pm-4:00pm Wednesdays 12:00pm-1:00pm Fridays 5:00pm-6:00pm Saturdays 2:30pm-3:30pm

#### Sacraments

For more information on the Sacraments of Baptism or Marriage, and what is needed to complete your sacraments, please contact Pastoral Care Coordinator Joe Lukaszewski. For all other Sacraments, please contact Director of Religious Education, Sarah Camplese.

#### Ministry of Care

If you are homebound, hospitalized or in a care facility, or know of someone who is and would like Holy Communion on a weekly basis, please contact Joe to make arrangements.

#### **Mission Statement**

St. Clare of Assisi parishioners strive to be faithful disciples of Christ's Catholic Church, drawing strength from the Sacraments, living the Gospel of Jesus without compromise, doing works of charity and justice.

#### St. Vincent de Paul 24 Hour Assistance Helpline

Please call (623) 975-5617. This is not a manned phone line. Leave a message and someone WILL call you back.

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Mass	Intentions
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	Saturday, Ap	ril 2	0, 2024							
8:00am	Happy Birthday: Kevin Ortega & Anna Reyes	by	Ana Reyes							
4:00pm	Rich Fager	by	Donna Schier							
	Sunday, April 21, 2024									
7:00am	Jeanne Gaffney Mooney†	by	Susan & William Clark							
9:00am	Deceased Members of the Gaudio, Giallanza, Morbillo & Nocera Families	by	Connie & Eugene Gaudio							
11:00am	Susan Salata†	by	Joe & Anne Pipitone							
5:00pm	Pro Populo	for	St. Clare of Assisi Parishioners							
	Monday, Apr	il 22								
8:00am	Mr. Tassi†	by	Jerry Calabrese							
	Tuesday, Apr	il 23	3, 2024							
8:00am	Donna Kovacs†	by	Lorina Bacani							
	Wednesday, A	pril	24, 2024							
8:00am	Brian Sweeney	by	Bob Sweeney							
	Thursday, Ap	ril 2	5, 2024							
8:00am	Lorraine Mueller†	by	Karen Lachky							
	Friday, Apri	l 26,	2024							
8:00am	Javier y Sonia Ramirez†	by	Beatriz Solorio							
	Saturday, Ap	ril 2'	7, 2024							
8:00am	William Chesnut† & Ellyn Thompson†	by	Denise Midkiff							
4:00pm	Pro Populo	for	St. Clare of Assisi Parishioners							
	Sunday, Apri	l 28,	2024							
7:00am	Robert Duran†	by	Charlene Duran							
9:00am	Celso Suratos†	by	The Vergara Family							
11:00am	Bill Wild†	by	Carol Lee							
5:00pm	Theresa Moreno†	for	Marie Navarro							



Barbara Mauer, Bob Murphy, Fr. Hans Ruygt, Marie Frasca, Karen Opsahl, Christina Hoffman, Brian Vergara, Wade Chio, Dean Hoffman, Tim Lukaszewski, Rolanda Grijalva, Aurelia Formoso, Alfred Tony Muñoz, Darlene Piazza, Glenn Sutton, Bryan Sutton, Jerianne Bender, Benjamin Catalan, Marsha Gaskill, Greg McNeal

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	Monday, April 22, 2024
6:00pm	Contemporary Choir Practice—CHURCH
6:00pm	OCIA-NARTHEX
6:30pm	Middle School Youth Group—OLD OFFICE
6:30pm	High School Youth Group—HALL
	Tuesday, April 23, 2024
9:00am	Adult Bible Study—HALL
11:30am	Legion of Mary—HALL
11:30am	Nomad AA—HALL
1 '	Children's Choir Practice—CHURCH
5:00pm	Christ Renews His Parish: Men's Class—CLASSR00M 3
5:00pm	Christ Renews His Parish: Women's Class—OLD OFFICE
6:00pm	St. Vincent de Paul—HALL
6:30pm	Traditional Choir Practice—CHURCH
	Wednesday, April 24, 2024
9:00am	Men's Scripture Study—HALL
10:30am	Legion of Mary Jrs—HALL
4:00pm	Religious Education—CLASSR00MS, HALL, OLD OFFICE
6:00pm	Knights of Columbus CUF Ceremony—CHURCH
6:00pm	Religious Education—CLASSROOMS, HALL, OLD OFFICE
	Thursday, April 25, 2024
	Adult Bible Study—HALL
	Nomad AA—HALL
	Scouts Meeting—HALL Anima Christi Charismatics—VESTRY
	Metanoia Classes-CLASSR00M 3
	Friday, April 26, 2024
8:45am	Holy Family Homeschool Coop—HALL
8:45am	Divine Mercy Cenacle Diary Study—VESTRY
1:00pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry—HALL
1:00pm	Rosary Makers—OLD OFFICE
7:00pm	El Buen Pastor Carismatica—CHURCH
	Saturday, April 27, 2024
	Catholic Men's Fellowship—OLD OFFICE
9:00am	Cursillo—OLD OFFICE
10:00am	Our Lady of Antipolo Celebration—CHURCH, HALL
	Sunday , April 28, 2024
Knight	ts of Columbus Coffee & Donuts—after all Masses—HALL
1:30pm	St. Maximilian Kolbe Fraternity—OLD OFFICE

6:30pm Young Adult Fellowship-HALL



Today, on the Fourth Sunday of Easter, we celebrate Good Shepherd Sunday. It is a day when we reflect upon the tender image of Jesus as the Shepherd of us all. It is also a day set aside to pray for more shepherds within our Church who will shepherd God's flock with the Heart of Christ. Our Gospel passage comes from John 10 which, in part, is a commentary on the previous chapter that includes the long and detailed story of the healing of the blind man. Recall that Jesus healed this man who was blind from birth. He did this healing "so that the works of God might be made visible through him." As a result of this man's healing, the Pharisees cast the blind man out of the synagogue, not believing that Jesus' healing was from God. After the man was cast out of the synagogue, Jesus spoke with him again and he professed his deep faith in Jesus, the true Shepherd. The healed blind man said, "I do believe, Lord." Then he worshiped Jesus. Thus, the greater healing of this man was that he became a member of God's flock, accepting Jesus as his true Shepherd. Our Gospel today is Jesus' commentary upon the actions of the Pharisees in contrast to His own. The Pharisees, as religious leaders, were not shepherds. They were "thieves and robbers" who came to "steal and slaughter and destroy." Jesus, however, came so that those who listened to His voice "might have life and have it more abundantly." The Gospel passage quoted above explains why the Pharisees were not true shepherds. It was because they "work for pay" and have "no concern for the sheep." Think about that statement as it applies to the Pharisees and their treatment of this man who was blind from birth. First of all, the "pay" that these Pharisees worked for was their own self importance—a fleeting and worldly reward. They saw themselves as the true teachers and interpreters of the Law and saw anyone who did not follow them as a threat. The Pharisees clearly perceived Jesus as such a threat to them. For that reason, they took their envy out on this humble and simple blind man. They were not shepherds to him. They did not encourage him, support him, point him to God or act in any way as an instrument of God's grace. Instead, they condemned this innocent and holy man out of their pride. Though God shepherds us today through His sacred pastors, we are all called to participate in this shepherding of the Good Shepherd in our own unique way. We are called to lead those within our families, at work, at school, within our neighborhoods, social circles and in every other societal context. But too often we imitate these Pharisees by allowing our own selfishness and desire for self importance to interfere with our ability to put others first and love them with the Shepherd's heart. Reflect, today, upon the calling you have received to lay down your life for others in imitation of the Good Shepherd. In order to imitate this love in the Heart of Christ, we must love without seeking love in return. Reflect upon how well you do this, and pray that the Good Shepherd will use you to shepherd those in your life who need it the most.

Divine Shepherd, You came to lay down Your life for us all so that we might have life and have it to the fullest. Like the blind man You cured, I profess my belief in You and worship You. Help me to receive and imitate Your love so that I will lay my life down for others, leading them to You, their holy Shepherd. Jesus, my Good Shepherd, I trust in You.



#### WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

April 21: Fourth Sunday of Easter First Reading: Acts 4: 8-12 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 Second Reading: First John 3: 1-2 Alleluia: John 10: 14 Gospel: John 10: 11-18

April 22 First Reading: Acts 11: 1-18 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 42: 2-3; 43: 3-4 Alleluia: John 10: 14 Gospel: John 10: 1-10

April 23: St. George First Reading: Acts 11: 19-26 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 87: 1b-3, 4-5, 6-7 Alleluia: John 10: 27 Gospel: John 10: 22-30

April 24: St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen First Reading: Acts 12: 24-13:5 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 67: 2-3, 5, 6 and 8 Alleluia: John 8: 12 Gospel: John 12: 44-50

April 25: St. Mark the Evangelist

First Reading: First Peter 5: 5b-14 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 89: 2-3, 6-7, 16-17 Alleluia: First Corinthians 1: 23a, 24b Gospel: Mark 16: 15-20

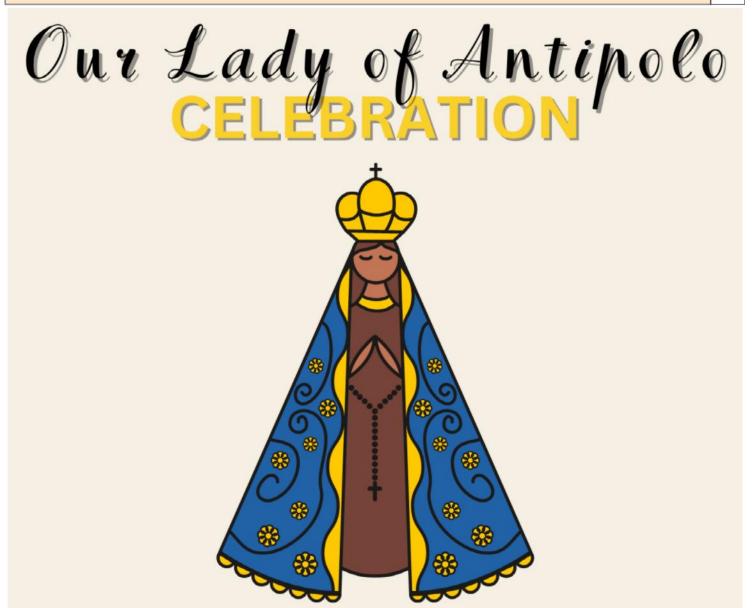
April 26

First Reading: Acts 13: 26-33 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 2: 6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab Alleluia: John 14: 6 Gospel: John 14: 1-6

April 27

First Reading: Acts 13: 44-52 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 98: 1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 Alleluia: John 8: 31b-32 Gospel: John 14: 7-14

April 28: Fifth Sunday of Easter First Reading: Acts 9: 26-31 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 22: 26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 Second Reading: First John 3: 18-24 Alleluia: John 15: 4a, 5b Gospel: John 15: 1-8



## Saturday, April 27th | 10am in the Church Cultural Procession to follow at 11:20am!

Filipino Box Lunch for sale: April 20-21

Contact MaryLou Gonzalez for more information at (571) 437-8461

# HAPPY EASTER

Thank you to the many parishioners who offered gifts, their prayers, and warm words of encouragement during Holy Week and on Easter Sunday! We are so blessed to have such a warm, caring community.

> God bless you, Fr. McGuire & Fr. Menegay

### **Day of Renewal** for grieving mothers and grandmothers Dia de Renovación para mamás y abuelas

Join us on April 27, 2024



**Our Lady of Guadalupe Monastery** 8502 W Pinchot Avenue, Phoenix 9:15 am - 4:00 pm \$45 - breakfast and lunch included Register at sacredsorrows.org



All grieving mothers and grandmothers - no matter how long - or how recent - it has been since your loss, are invited to this full day bilingual retreat. The program has been designed to bring gentle comfort and rest to your soul. The day will end with a Memorial Mass in honor of our loved ones.

Para todas las mamás y abuelas que viven la perdida de un hijo(a) o nieto(a). No importa cuánto tiempo a pasado - o que tan reciente - ha sido la perdida. Este programa bilingüe ha sido creado para traer consuelo y descanso al alma. Una misa conmemorativa concluirá el retiro. Para más información contactar a Liliana at lili@sacredsorrows.org

Presented by Fr. Stephan Bauer, OSC, of the Crosier Fathers and Brothers of Phoenix, Ms. Rita Morton, Founder of Sacred Sorrows and grieving mother, and Mrs. Liliana Tavera, grieving mother and Hispanic Program Coordinator for Sacred Sorrows.



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St Paul Roman Catholic Church | O'Carroll Hall

Fridag ENCOUNTER NIGHT 6pm-9pm

Saturday CONFERENCE 9am-9pm **BILINGUAL CHARISMATIC** 

WORSHIP & ADORATION 7pm

\$25 early registration. \$35 after April 30th

330 W Coral Gables Dr., Phoenix, AZ

MAY 24 & 25

HOLY MASS 4pm

Come to Me.

all who are weary

and burdened, and

I will give you

rest. ~Matt 11:28

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2024 JUNE 17-21, 9AM-12PM

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	Month of Jan-24			FISCAL YEAR TO DATE July 2023 to January 2024 (7 Months)			
	Actual	Budget	Difference	Actual	Budget	Difference	
Ordinary Plate Collection							
In Pew Giving	92,474.84			637,281.35			
Online Giving	41,148.00			305,926.60			
TOTAL	133,622.84	116,400.00	17,222.84	943,207.95	814,800.00	128,407.95	
Building Fund Collection							
In Pew Giving	26,088.84			152,360.83			
Online Giving	10,501.00			70,958.00			
TOTAL	36,589.84	40,000.00	3,410.16	223,318.83	280,000.00	\$56,681.17	
PAC/PEWS DONATION	43,072.00	4,167.00	38,905.00	257,069.82	29,169.00	\$227,900.82	

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	Month of Feb-24			FISCAL YEAR TO DATE July 2023 to February 2024 (8 Months)		
	Actual	Budget	Difference	Actual	Budget	Difference
Ordinary Plate Collection						
In Pew Giving	111,620.34			748,901.69		
Online Giving	43,708.00			349,634.60		
TOTAL	155,328.34	116,400.00	38,928.34	1,098,536.29	931,200.00	167,336.29
Building Fund Collection						
In Pew Giving	38,655.16			191,015.99		
Online Giving	10,649.00			81,607.00		
TOTAL	49,304.16	40,000.00	9,304.16	272,622.99	320,000.00	\$47,377.01
PAC/PEWS DONATION	3,638.00	4,167.00	-529.00	260,707.82	33,336.00	\$227,371.82

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	Month of Mar-24			FISCAL YEAR TO DATE July 2023 to March 2024 (9 months)			
	Actual	Budget	Difference	Actual	Budget	Difference	
Ordinary Plate Collection							
In Pew Giving	129,538.76			878,440.45			
Online Giving	49,178.85			398,813.45			
TOTAL	178,717.61	116,400.00	62,317.61	1,277,253.90	1,047,600.00	229,653.90	
Building Fund Collection							
In Pew Giving	49,759.03			240,775.02			
Online Giving	9,981.00			91,588.00			
TOTAL	59,740.03	40,000.00	19,740.03	332,363.02	360,000.00	27,636.98	
PAC/PEWS DONATION	2,337.00	4,167.00	-1,830.00	263,044.82	37,503.00	225,541.82	

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#### St. Clare of Assisi Roman Catholic Parish

May 11-12



We are collecting maternity clothing, accessories, toiletries, slippers, compression stockings, and self -care items for pregnant women in need! These items will go to pamper mothers who would normally be unable to afford these items on their own. Please help us support these mothers who have chosen life!

#### Abortion: Fiction & Fact

Fiction: Abortion is women's healthcare and saves lives! Fact: Abortion does not save women's lives. Abortion is never medically necessary. It does not treat or solve any pregnancy-related complications.

So, what is abortion? Abortion is the direct and intentional killing of a child in the womb.

By supporting these moms in need, you support a culture of life for their babies!

Check back each week for more Abortion: Fiction & Fact.



Please pray for the peaceful repose of the soul of Roy Campbell

Altar Hower

This weekend's flowers are offered in honor of

Millie Allen<sup>†</sup>

# IAM THE GOOD SHEPHERE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

volunteers needed

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2024

JUNE 17-21

VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN FOR AGES 13+ STCPAZ, ORG/VACATION-BIBLE-SCHOOL



Seekers in Sneakers

**EL BUEN PASTOR** CARISMATICA

liernes Grupo de oración en español Iglesia I 7pm-9pm

> Preguntas o se necesita más información? Llama a Sandra: (623) 293-2848

#### St. Clare of Assisi Roman Catholic Parish



### **RESTAURANT & CATERING**

Enjoy breakfast, lunch, and dinner in our family owned and operated restaurant. We also invite you to try some of Chef Peter's famous BBQ dishes! Be sure to check our website for our Daily Specials that are sure to please!

#### What We Offer

Experience the quality and thrill of our catering service. We offer a wide range of flavorful options that will definitely satisfy your palate. Let Chef Peter create a delicious personalized menu perfect for your special event!

Visit Us 17200 W BELL ROAD

SURPRISE, AZ 85374 (at Happy Trails Resort)

Take Bell Road to 17200 Bell Road (Happy Trails Resort). turn right onto Happy Trails Blvd, follow road to Guest Entance Continue on around HT Blvd, past the pond, turn right into the parking lot to the PAC previous parts Gratus. Follow signs around to The Chuckwagon entrance.



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Organ Concert ADAM BRAKEL April 28 | 3pm OUR LADY OF LOURD PARISH & MISSION AT LAKE PLEA

For more information or to RSVP for the complimentary concert & reception, please go to: ololscw.org/organ or scan the QR code



### THE STONE THE BUILDERS REJECTED HAS BECOME **THE CORNERSTONE**

Psalm 118:22

Edition #5

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> WITH FRIENDS VIGIL MASS

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#### Fourth Sunday of Easter, April 20-21: Worship Aid

Welcome to St. Clare of Assisi Parish! We are glad you are here for the celebration of the Holy Mass. Please take note of the guidelines for the reception of Holy Communion: Prior to receiving Communion, Catholics should have fasted for one hour; water and medicine excepting. Catholics aware of grave sin (e.g. intentionally missing Mass on Sunday/Holy Days, abortion, theft, sexual sin, use of contraceptives, etc.) should go to Confession prior to receiving Communion. Because of our belief in the Eucharist being the Body and Blood of Christ, reception of Communion is reserved to Catholics. There may exist circumstances in the lives of some individual Catholics, which may not facilitate immediate participation in receiving Communion (e.g., cohabitation, marriage outside the Church). A priest would be happy to assist you in rectifying these situations. We come together to worship God in spirit and in truth.

#### Entrance Hymn: I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say 707

1.I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Come unto me and rest; lay down, O weary one, lay down your head upon my breast." I came to Jesus as I was, so weary, worn, and sad: I found in him a resting place, and he has made me glad. 2.I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Behold I freely give the living water, thirsty one, stoop down and drink and live." I came to Jesus, and I drank of that life-giving stream; my thirst was quenched, my soul revived, and now I live in him.

3.I heard the voice of Jesus say, "I am this dark world's light; look unto me, your morn shall rise, and all your day be bright." I looked to Jesus, and I found in him my star, my sun; and in that light of life I'll walk till trav'ling days are done.

#### Sign of the Cross & Greeting Penitential Act:

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,

#### [striking their breast, they say:]

through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;

#### [then they continue:]

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 eleison.* **Kyrie eleison**. *Christe eleison*. **Christe Eleison**. *Kyrie eleison*. **Kyrie eleison**.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

<u>Gloria 297:</u> Gloria in excélsis Deo. Et in terra pax homínibus bonae voluntátis. Laudámus te. Benedícimus te. Adorámus te. Glorificámus te. Grátias ágimus tibi propter magnam glóriam tuam. Dómine Deus, Rex caeléstis, Deus Pater omnípotens. Dómine Fili unigénite Iesu Christe. Dómine Deus, Agnus Dei, Fílius Patris, Qui tollis peccáta mundi, miserere nobis. Qui tollis peccáta mundi, súscipe deprecatiónem nostram. Qui sedes ad déxteram Patris, miserere nobis. Quóniam tu solus sanctus. Tu solus Dóminus. Tu solus Altíssimus, Iesu Christe. Cum Sancto Spíritu, in glória Dei Patris. Amen.

Glory to God in the highest. And on earth peace to people of good will. 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, Father almighty. 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. 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.

#### Liturgy of the Word: Worship Hymnal 1086 <u>Responsorial Psalm:</u> R/. The stone rejected by the builders has become

#### the cornerstone. 1.Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his mercy endures forever. It is better to take refuge in the LORD than to trust in man. It is better to take refuge in the LORD than to trust in princes.

2.I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me and have been my savior. The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone. By the LORD has this been done it is wonderful in our eyes. 3.Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD, we bless you from the house of the LORD. I will give thanks to you, for you have answered me and have been my savior. Give thanks to the LROD, for he is good, for his kindness endures forever.

**Gospel Acclamation:** R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. I am the good shepherd, says the Lord. I know my sheep, and mine know me.

#### <u>Liturgy of the Eucharist</u> <u>Offertory Hymn: Christ is Made the Sure</u> <u>Foundation 732</u>

1.Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ, our Head and cornerstone. Chosen of the Lord and precious, binding all the Church in one; Holy Zion's help forever and our confidence alone.

2.To this temple, where we call You, Come, O Lord of hosts today. With Your steadfast loving kindness, hear Your servants as they pray. And your fullest benediction shed in all its bright array.

3.Here bestow on all Your servants what they ask of You to gain. What they gain from You, forever with the blessed to retain. And hereafter in Your glory evermore with You to reign.

4.Praise and honor to the Father, praise and honor to the Son. Praise and honor to the Spirit, ever three and ever one: One in might and One in glory while unending ages run!

#### Prayer Over the Offerings & Invitation to Prayer

#### **Preface Dialogue & Preface**

#### Sanctus:

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis. Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

#### **Eucharistic Prayer**

#### **Mystery of Faith:**

We proclaim Your death, O Lord, and profess Your Resurrection, until You come again.

#### The Communion Rite

The Lord's Prayer The Sign of Peace

#### Agnus Dei:

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. (2x) Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem.

Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. (2x) Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

#### **Communion Antiphon:**

I am the good shepherd, alleluia; I know my sheep and my own know me, alleluia, alleluia.

#### Communion Hymn: At the Lamb's High Feast 512

1.At the Lamb's high feast, we sing praise to our victorious King, who has washed us in the tide flowing from His pierced side. Praise we Him, whose love divine gives His sacred Blood for wine, gives His Body for the feast: Christ the victim, Christ the priest.

2. Where the Paschal blood is poured, death's dark angel sheathes his sword; Israel's hosts triumphant go through the wave that drowns the foe. Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed, Paschal victim, Paschal bread. With sincerity and love eat we manna from above.

3.Mighty victim from on high, Hell's fierce pow'rs beneath you lie; You have conquered in the fight, You have brought us life and light. Now no more can death appall, now no more the grave enthrall; You have opened paradise, and in You Your saints shall rise.

4.Easter triumph, Easter joy, this alone can sin destroy; from sin's pow'r, Lord, set us free, newborn souls in you to be. Father, who the crown shall give, Savior, by whose death we life, Spirit, guide through all our days: Three in One, Your name we praise.

#### Communion Hymn: Eat This Bread 943

Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to Him and never be hungry. Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in Him and you will not thirst.

1.Christ is the bread of life, the true bread sent from the Father.

2.Our ancestors ate manna in the desert, but his is the bread come down from heaven.

3.Eat His flesh and drink His blood and Christ will raise you up on the last day.

4. Anyone who eats this bread will live forever.

5.If we believe and eat this bread, we will have eternal life.

#### **The Concluding Rites**

#### **Blessing & Dismissal**

**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 Divine Power of God, 9cast into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

#### **<u>Recessional Hymn: The King of Love My</u>** <u>Shepherd Is 712</u>

1. The King of love my shepherd is, whose goodness fails me never; I nothing lack if I am His and He is mine forever.

2. Where streams of living water flow, my ransomed soul He's leading. And where the verdant pastures grow, with food celestial feeding.

3.Confused and foolish oft I strayed, but yet in love He sought me, and on His shoulder gently laid, and home, rejoicing, brought me.

4.In death's dark vale, I fear no ill with You, dear Lord, beside me. Your rod and staff my comfort still, Your cross before to guide me.

5.You spread a table in my sight, Your saving grace bestowing; and oh, what transport of delight from Your pure chalice flowing!

6.And so, through all the length of days Your goodness fails me never. Good Shepherd, may I sing Your praise within Your house forever.

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