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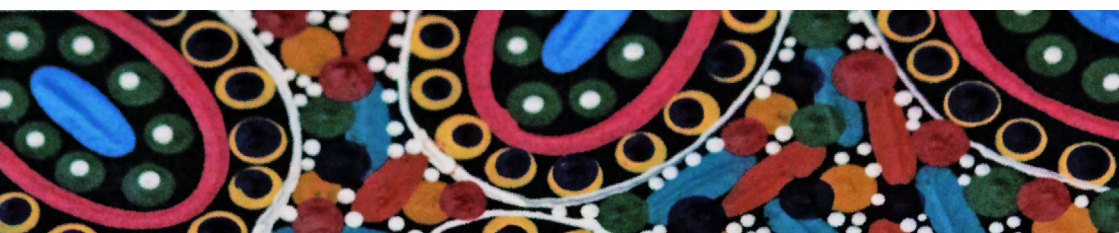
Matthew 26:36-39



Plenary Council

Listen to what the Spirit is saying...

FRIDAY, 8 OCTOBER 2021



THE FIRST ASSEMBLY OF THE FIFTH PLENARY COUNCIL OF AUSTRALIA
Friday 8 October 2021

Gathering Hymn

WHERE TWO OR THREE ARE GATHERED I *Michael Herry*

Where two or three are gath-ered in my name, know I am
 with you, I am with you; Where two or three are gath-ered in my
 name, know I am there to be with you.

Chant Where two or three are gathered in my name,
 Know I am with you, I am with you.
 Where two or three are gathered in my name,
 Know I am there to be with you.

Introductory Rite

Presider	In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
All	Amen.
Presider	Peace be with you.
All	And with your spirit.

Penitential Act

Presider Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins,
and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred
mysteries.

Lord Jesus, you were lifted up to draw all people to
yourself:

Lord have mercy.

All Lord have mercy.

You shouldered the cross,
to bear our suffering and sinfulness:
Christ have mercy.

All Christ have mercy.

You open for your people the way from death into life.
Lord have mercy.

All Lord have mercy.

Presider May almighty God have mercy on us,
forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

All Amen.

Collect

Roman Missal: For Reconciliation, Collect II

Presider O God, author of true freedom,
whose will it is to shape all men and women
into a single people released from slavery,
(and who offer us a time of grace and blessing,)
grant to your Church, we pray,
that, as she receives new growth in freedom,
she may appear more clearly to the world

as the universal sacrament of salvation,
 manifesting and making present
 the mystery of your love for all.
 Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
 who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
 God, for ever and ever.

All

Amen

The Liturgy of the Word

First Reading (Eph 3:14-19)

Lectionary II, p. 476

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Ephesians

This is what I pray, kneeling before the Father, from whom every family, whether spiritual or natural, takes its name:

Out of his infinite glory, may he give you the power through his Spirit for your hidden self to grow strong, so that Christ may live in your hearts through faith, and then, planted in love and built on love, you will with all the saints have strength to grasp the breadth and the length, the height and the depth; until, knowing the love of Christ, which is beyond all knowledge, you are filled with the utter fullness of God.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm (Ps 32)

Richard Connolly



Cantor Lord let your mercy be upon us,
as we place our trust in you.

All Lord let your mercy be upon us,
as we place our trust in you.

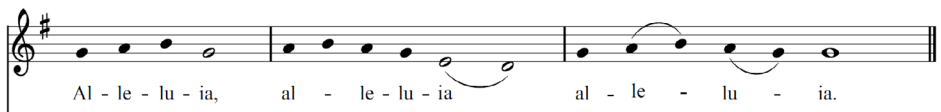
Your word, Lord is faithful,
and all your works are to be trusted.
O Lord, you love justice and right
and fill the earth with your love. *R.*

Lord, you look on those who revere you,
on those who hope in your love,
To rescue their souls from death,
to keep them alive in famine. *R.*

Our soul is waiting for the Lord.
The Lord is our help and our shield.
May your love be upon us, O Lord,
as we place all our hope in you. *R.*

Gospel Acclamation (Jn 3:16)

Gregorian Chant Mode VI



All Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Cantor For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son,
that whoever believes in him shall not perish
but have eternal life.

All Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Gospel (Mt 26: 36-39)

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

Jesus came with his disciples to a small estate called Gethsemane; and he said to his disciples, “Stay here while I go over there to pray.” He took Peter and the two sons of Zebedee with him. And sadness came over him, and great distress. Then he said to them: “My soul is sorrowful to the point of death. Wait here and keep awake with me.” And going on a little further he fell on his face and prayed: “My Father, if it is possible let this cup pass me by. Nevertheless, let it be as you, not I, would have it. “

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily

Universal Prayer

Presider: We present our needs to God, who made all things, the heaven and the earth and all that is held within, so that we might feel the compassionate touch of Jesus.

For the Leaders of our Church: That they may have the courage to promote to a culture of safeguarding, where transparency will provide justice and the truth can be proclaimed. Lord, hear us.

All Lord, hear our prayer

For the leaders of our country: That all levels of government may work to protect the vulnerable of our society, so that they may not be left exposed and taken advantage of. Lord, hear us.

All Lord, hear our prayer

For our local communities of faith: That they may we be quick to

compassionately welcome all who come to them in need, especially those who suffer from the trauma of past abuse. Lord, hear us.

All Lord, hear our prayer

For those that find themselves in situations of disadvantage: that the poor, marginalised and vulnerable may they feel the embrace of our loving God and be given a new hope through Him. Lord, hear us.

All Lord, hear our prayer

For the Plenary Council Members gathered today: that the Holy Spirit may continue to guide and direct us, allowing us to listen attentively to those in need. Lord, hear us.

All Lord, hear our prayer

Presider: Compassionate God, you forgive our failings and keep us in peace: hear these our prayers that one day we might enjoy everlasting life. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Gifts

STAY WITH ME | Jacques Berthier



Chant Stay with me, remain here with me,
Watch and pray, watch and pray.

Invitation to Prayer

Presider Pray, Brothers and Sisters, that my sacrifice
and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

All **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.**

Prayer over the Offerings

Roman Missal: For Reconciliation

Presider Remember, Lord, that your Son,
who is our peace and our reconciliation,
has cancelled the sin of the world with his Blood,
and, as you look mercifully on your Church's offerings,
grant that we (who joyfully celebrate this time of grace)
may extend to all the freedom of Christ.
Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

All **Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer

Roman Missal | Eucharistic Prayer for Reconciliation I

Presider The Lord be with you.

All **And with your spirit.**

Presider Lift up your hearts.

All **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right and just.**

It is truly right and just
that we should always give you thanks,
Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God.

For you do not cease to spur us on
to possess a more abundant life and, being rich in mercy,
you constantly offer pardon and call on sinners
to trust in your forgiveness alone.

Never did you turn away from us,
and, though time and again we have broken your covenant,
you have bound the human family to yourself
through Jesus your Son, our Redeemer,
with a new bond of love so tight
that it can never be undone.

Even now you set before your people
a time of grace and reconciliation,
and, as they turn back to you in spirit,
you grant them hope in Christ Jesus
and a desire to be of service to all,
while they entrust themselves
more fully to the Holy Spirit.

And so, filled with wonder,
we extol the power of your love,
and, proclaiming our joy
at the salvation that comes from you,
we join in the heavenly hymn of countless hosts,
as without end we acclaim:

Holy, Holy, Holy

MASS OF ST FRANCIS | *Paul Taylor*

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav'n and erth are
full of Your glo - ry. Ho - san-na in the high - est.
Bles - sed is He who comes in the name of the
Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

All 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.

Memorial Acclamation 1

MASS OF ST FRANCIS | *Paul Taylor*

The my - ste-ry of faith. We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro -
fess your Re - sur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

All We proclaim your Death, O Lord and
profess your Resurrection until you come again.

Great Amen

MASS OF ST FRANCIS | *Paul Taylor*



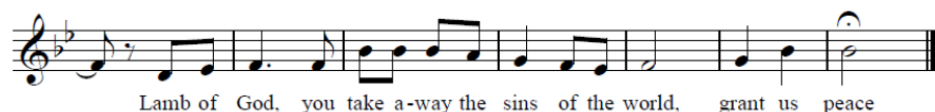
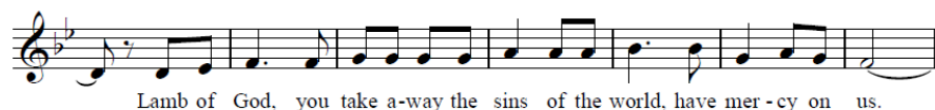
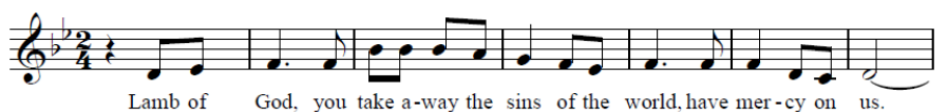
All Amen, Amen, Amen.

Lord's Prayer

Sign of Peace

Lamb of God

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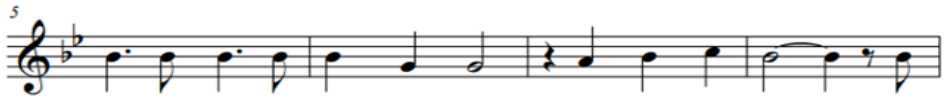


All Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
 have mercy on us.
 Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
 have mercy on us
 Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
 grant us peace.

Communion

THE FULLNESS OF GOD | *Frank Andersen*

1. Deep in Christ I pray you know the power he can give!
2. May the God of Je - sus Christ, the Fa - ther we serve...
3. Know the way you learnt from Christ to live life a - new!



May your hid - den self grow strong! And may you live... —
 fill your mind that you may see, deep in your heart, what
 Let your heart be drawn to him: let Christ re - new — the



strong in faith and built on love, un - til you know... how
 home his call now holds for you: his prom - ise true... to
 hope in you to grow in - to... good - ness and truth! And



high and long, how wide and deep, the ful - ness of God!
 fill your heart with power to live the ful - ness of God!
 liv - ing so, you'll come to know the ful - ness of



God! And liv - ing so you - 'll come to know the ful - ness of God!

1. Deep in Christ I pray you know the power He can give.
 May your hidden self grow strong and may you live
 Strong in faith and built on love, until you know
 How high and long, how wide and deep, the fullness of God
2. May the God of Jesus Christ, the Father we serve,
 Fill your minds that you may see, deep in your heart

What hope his call now holds for you,
His promise true, to fill your hearts with power to live,
the fullness of God.

3. Know the way you learned from Christ, to live life anew.
Let your hearts be drawn to Him, let Christ renew,
The hope in you, to grow into goodness and truth
And living so you'll come to know, the fullness of God,
And living so you'll come to know, the fullness of God.

Prayer after Communion

Roman Missal: For Reconciliation

Presider Let us pray.
May the Sacrament of your Son, which we have received,
increase our strength, we pray, O Lord,
that from this mystery of unity
we may drink deeply of love's power
and everywhere promote your peace.
Through Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

The Concluding Rite

Dismissal

Presider The Lord be with you.
All And with your spirit.

Blessing

Roman Missal: Blessing Ordinary Time III

Presider May almighty God bless you in his kindness
and pour out saving wisdom upon you.

All **Amen.**

Presider May he nourish you always with the teachings of the faith
and make you persevere in holy deeds.

All **Amen.**

Presider May he turn your steps towards himself
and show you the path of charity and peace.

All **Amen.**

Presider And may the blessing of almighty God,
the Father, and the Son,+ and the Holy Spirit,
come down on you and remain with you for ever.

All **Amen.**

Recessional

GO NOW YOU ARE SENT FORTH | *Leo Watt*

1. Go now, you are sent forth to live what you proclaim;
to show the world you follow Christ in fact, not just in name.
2. Go now, you are sent forth to walk this troubled earth,
To share your faith with ev'ry one and prove your real worth.
3. Go now, you are sent forth as God's ambassador;
By serving him in those we meet, we love him more and more.
4. Go now, you are sent forth and Christ goes with you too.
Today you help his kingdom come in everything you do.

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