



St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 27, 2020

Parish Mission

We are one Church: loving Jesus, serving Jesus, and sharing Jesus.

Parish Vision

We are a vibrant Catholic church serving a diverse community in a safe and welcoming environment where we care for all people along their faith journey.

Core Values

Discipleship • Hospitality
Serving • Worship

Weekend Masses

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:45 a.m.,
3:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Monday 6:30 a.m.
Tuesday 6:30 a.m.
Wednesday 6:30 a.m., 5:15 p.m.
Thursday 6:30, 8:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m.
Friday 6:30., 8:00 a.m.
Saturday 6:30 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
or by appointment

September 27 marks the 360th anniversary of the death of St. Vincent de Paul (1580-1660). Vincent founded the Daughters of Charity and the Congregation of the Missions (Vincentians). He was canonized in 1737 and is well known for his compassion to the poor.

Prayer to St. Vincent de Paul



Noble Saint Vincent de Paul,
beloved servant of the poor,
may we follow your example and do good works
among those whom society has abandoned,
enslaved, or forgotten.

Inspire us to feed the hungry,
to love a child,
to provide comfort and medicine to the sick,
to clothe those whose garments are threadbare,
and to offer hope to all who need respite.

Pray for us, dear Saint Vincent, to our beloved God that we may commit ourselves selflessly to doing the same charitable acts that you did all your life, and that we may have the favor of your guidance and strength to do God's important and meaningful work in our family, in our parish and in our world. Amen.



*This weekend
St. Vincent de Paul Parish welcomes
Bishop Edward Rice!*

... he humbled himself,
becoming obedient to
the point of death,
even death on a

cross

PHILIPPIANS 2:8

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• Mass Intentions •

Monday, September 28

St. Wenceslaus / St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions
6:30 am Living and Deceased Members of the
St. Vincent de Paul Women's Council

Tuesday, September 29

St. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels
6:30 am Living and Deceased Members of the
Kreher and Kiblinger Families

Wednesday, September 30

St. Jerome
6:30 am Living and Deceased Members of the
Steve Arnzen Family
5:15 pm Floyd Bell ☩

Thursday, October 1

St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus
6:30 am David Gregg ☩
8:00 am Jerry Halter ☩
12:10 pm Ellen Lewis ☩

Friday, October 2

The Holy Guardian Angels
6:30 am Geraldine Bohnert ☩
8:00 am Walter H. Schaumburg, Sr. (living)

Saturday, October 3

6:30 am Rosemary Theresa Horton ☩
5:00 pm Helen Little ☩

Sunday, October 4

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 am Robert Amschler ☩
9:00 am Colin Higgins ☩
10:45 am St. Vincent de Paul Parish Family
3:00 pm Living and Deceased Members of the
(Bilingual) the Alfred and Mary Westrich Families

• Prayer Requests •

Please remember **Meghan Stricker**, the sick, the hospitalized, the homebound, and those who care for them. Pray also for those suffering from Covid-19 and for all health-care workers.

The first son in today's Gospel said he would do his father's bidding, but did not. The second son balked at first, but then repented and did as he was asked. What services is God calling me to do? Which son am I more like?

Act of Spiritual Communion

The "Act of Spiritual Communion" is a prayer for anyone who desires to receive the Eucharist but is unable.

"My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen."



The Sacrament of Confirmation

Congratulations to the following members of St. Vincent de Paul Parish who are celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation this weekend. Please pray for them as their lives are enriched with the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Trent Boxdorfer | St. Emmanuel
Jacob Brown | St. Albert the Great
Brycen Clark | St. Michael the Archangel
Jake Coalter | St. John the Apostle
Marianne Dean | St. Kateri Tekakwitha
Timothy DeYong | St. Eligius
Salvatore Galati | St. Padre Pio
Jack Gardner | St. Thomas More
Michael Givens | St. Thomas, the Apostle
Dominic Hamby | St. Sebastian
Nicholas Hess | St. Augustine of Hippo
Zachary Hess | St. Maximilian Kolbe
Ben Honza | St. Anthony of Padua
Caroline Logel | St. Agatha of Sicily
DJ McDowell | St. Philip Neri
Nolan McGuire | St. Sebastian
Emmett Pfeifer | St. Paul the Apostle
Gabriel Raines | St. Anthony
Blake Schreckenbergh | St. Luke the Evangelist
Reagyn Strickland | St. Catherine of Siena
Abigail Worley | St. Therese of Lisieux

Alexandra Barajas | St. Mary of Guadalupe
Christina Blanquet | St. Mary of Fatima
Katherine Boehme | St. Therese of Lisieux
Andrew Davis | St. Paul the Apostle
Thomas Dittmer | St. John Bosco
Zoe Fox | St. Joan of Arc
Alexander Godbey | St. Patrick
Andrea Gutierrez | St. Catherine of Alexandria
Madeline Hendrickson | St. Cecilia
Madison Kirn | St. Michael the Archangel
Trey Lintner | St. John Henry Newman
Nicole Mattes | St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Felipe Ornelas | St. Toribio
Manuel Perez | St. Joseph, Husband of Mary
Kya Pope | St. Cecilia
Martina Shaw | St. Brigid of Ireland
Keegan Stritzel | St. Nicholas
Judd Thoma | St. Thomas Aquinas

Profession of Faith

Teri Ann DeRousse | St. Margaret of Cortona
Katherine Hendricks | St. Monica
Mandi Wood | St. Catherine of Genoa

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday Adoration of the Eucharist will take place following the 6:30 a.m. Mass on October 2, 2020. Consider spending time with the Lord in prayer and adoration during the day. Adoration will close with Eucharistic Benediction at 5:15 p.m. allowing those who finish work at 5:00 p.m. an opportunity to come for the final prayers and benediction.



This weekend, three new adult members are being welcomed into the Catholic Church by Profession of Faith, Confirmation, and First Eucharist. Two other adults will come into full communion with the Church through Confirmation. Each of these individuals has been attending weekly instruction throughout the summer. May the St. Vincent de Paul Parish community extend warmest greetings to the newest members —

Teri Ann DeRousse • Katherine Hendricks • Madison Kirn
Martina Shaw • Mandi Wood

Also, instruction continues for four individuals who have recently inquired about the Catholic Church and her teachings. If you know of family members or friends who have expressed an interest in the Catholic faith, please contact Deacon Mark at the parish office so they can join these four. It is never too late as there is year-round instruction. Feel free to contact Deacon Mark anytime!

May They Rest in Peace

Sympathy is extended to the families of:

Rosemary Earl, mother of Julie Anderson,

Paul Lloyd, a member of the St. Vincent de Paul Parish family.

*May they and all the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*



NDRHS Activity Week

The annual Activity Week Dinners held at Notre Dame Regional High School have been rescheduled for October 5 - 8.

Public dinners will be served from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Dinners will be available as curbside pick-up only and Notre Dame students will be delivering the meals to patron's cars. Pricing for all dinners is \$10 per meal.

- Monday, October 5, Freshmen – Kettle Beef
- Tuesday, October 6, Seniors – Fried Chicken
- Wednesday, October 7, Sophomores – Fried Fish
- Thursday, October 8, Juniors – Pork Steaks

First Reconciliation Parent Meeting

A meeting for all parents of students preparing for First Reconciliation will be held on **Tuesday, October 13**, at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. It is mandatory that at least one parent attend this meeting (Catholic parent in an interfaith marriage); children need not attend. Registration forms need to be completed at this meeting and must include a copy of the child's Baptismal certificate. Please bring a copy to the meeting. (Baptismal certificates must be obtained from the church of Baptism; please do not contact the school office for a copy.) A child will not be registered for his/her second grade sacraments or receive study materials until paperwork is complete.

If your child has *not been baptized* in the Catholic faith and wishes to celebrate the sacrament of Reconciliation and Eucharist in the future, please contact Kathy Hotop-Raines at 335-7667.

In order to celebrate First Reconciliation and First Communion a baptized child should be regularly attending Mass on the weekend, be registered in the parish and have regularly attended religion classes for at least one full year before beginning sacrament studies.

If you are unable to attend the parent meeting, please contact Fr. Rick or Mrs. Raines to schedule a private meeting.

• The Week Ahead •

Monday, September 28

- 8:00 am Confirmation Prep (SVS)
- 8:00 am Ugly Quilt Ministry (8:00 - 11:00 am)
- 7:00 pm Healing Prayer Ministry

Tuesday, September 29

- 8:00 am Confirmation Prep (SVS)
- 1:30 pm Finance Council
- 5:30 pm Tuesday Evening Bible Study

Wednesday, September 30

- 8:00 am Ugly Quilt Ministry (8:00 - 11:00 am)
- 9:00 am Wednesday Morning Bible Study
- 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour

Thursday, October 1

- 9:00 am Maxine's Shareable Wearables (9:00 - 11:00 am)
- 1:00 pm Thursday Afternoon Bible Study
- 6:00 pm RCIA

Friday, October 2

- 7:00 am Adoration of the Eucharist
- 5:15 pm Benediction

Saturday, October 3

- 9:00 am Maxine's Shareable Wearables (9:00 - 12:00 noon)
- 3:30 pm Reconciliation

Sunday, October 4

- 4:30 pm Confirmation Prep (High School)



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<https://www.facebook.com/svcape/>



Find us on Instagram at

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Readings - October 4, 2020

Isaiah 5:1-7 • Philippians 4:6-9
Matthew 21:33-43

Collection - September 20, 2020

Collection	\$ 8,581.00
E-Tithing	\$ 1,652.00
Total	\$10,233.00
Weekly Budget	\$31,450.00
Year-to-date Difference	-\$51,443.05

Thank you for being good stewards of God's gifts!

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Parish School of Religion
Escuela Parroquial de Religión

PSR (Parish School of Religion)

Recognizing that parents are the primary teachers of the faith to their children, our Parish School of Religion exists to help parents of our families who attend public school. Our PSR program exists to support parents in teaching faithfulness and understanding the life of the Church. Because of the pandemic this year, our PSR program on Wednesday evenings will take a new shape. We are going to have two learning tracks.

Track 1 will be weekly. This will include our First Graders (First Sacraments) who are beginning to learn about the faith for the very first time in a formal setting. It will also include our Second Graders (Second Sacraments) who are doing the final preparation for First Reconciliation and First Communion. In addition, our weekly track will include Seventh Graders and Eighth Graders who are preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation after Eighth Grade. This track will begin on Wednesday, October 7, and will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Track 2 will be twice a month on the first and third Wednesdays. This will include the rest of our students in grades 3, 4, 5 and 6. These four grades, along with their parents and **all** parents of grades 1, 2, 7 and 8, will come together in the Church for a family learning session. At the end of the family learning session, grades 3, 4, 5 and 6 will have "homework" to take home and do over the next two weeks. This track will begin Wednesday, October 7, and will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Understandably, this is different from previous years, but this is due to the pandemic. It is necessary to meet weekly with our children preparing for Sacraments and help them prepare for First Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation. For the other grades, we hope to provide a good curriculum by meeting with them twice a month and giving them their religion homework to do in between gatherings. Even with the different and unusual, we hope to provide a good faith program for our young children and their parents.

To register, please go to: <https://forms.gle/DU5H3ckC1jvkCvnn8>.

Bienvenidos al Miércoles PSR (Escuela Parroquial de Religión)

PSR (Escuela Parroquial de Religión) comenzará el miércoles, **7 de Octubre**. Las clases para los grados uno, dos, siete y ocho estarán en la Iglesia a las 6:00pm. Desde la iglesia, los estudiantes serán despedidos a su salón de clases. Se les pide a los padres que vengan a reunirse con sus hijos en su aula a las 7:30pm.

La preparación para la primera comunión es un programa de dos años. El primer año es una introducción a la fe. El segundo año prepara al niño para la primera reconciliación y primera comunión. La preparación para el Sacramento de la confirmación comienza con una revisión de todos los sacramentos en el grado 7. El grado 8 es cuando el niño se prepara para la confirmación.

Para preguntas sobre PSR, comuníquese con el Padre Rick o Padre Brian después de la Misa.

Registrarse: <https://forms.gle/ERjvJBuH5nNYUMH39>

Kathy Hotop-Raines

Director of Religious Education

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The Notre Dame Booster Club will host the **Mitre Cup Fall Golf Scramble** on Monday, September 28, 2020. This event is sponsored by Plaza Tire Service. The four person scramble will take place at Dalhousie Golf Club. The first of two flights will begin at 7:30 a.m. and the second flight will begin at 1:00 p.m. Smokin' Brothers will provide a catered lunch which will be served at 11:30 a.m. Each flight is limited to 25 teams. The cost is \$150 per player which includes golf cart, 18 holes, lunch, beverages, mulligans and skins. Must be 21 or older to participate. Details may be found at www.notredamehighschool.org/golf.

Humble. Pray. Seek. Turn.**LIFE CHAIN**

October 4, 2020 • 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.
Corner of William and Silver Springs Road
 Cape Girardeau

Join thousands of Christians nationwide to peacefully and prayerfully stand before God on behalf of preborn children. Participants will stand ten feet apart going up the sidewalk on the corner of William and Silver Springs Road.

Parking will be available on the lower ends of Best Buy and Logan's parking lots as well as the old Toys-R-Us parking lot. There are crosswalks to walk on. Attendants will help you park.

St. Gerard Circle

St. Gerard Circle has purchased a family program from Catholic Sprouts that focuses on "The Creed" that is prayed at Mass each week. There are 13 quick audio lessons and beautifully illustrated drawings to color. If you would like to be included and receive these materials please email Bridget Wengert at bridgetmichelle@gmail.com. She will then register you and your family.

This year, St. Gerard Circle's monthly meetings will be focused on prayer, listening/discussing The Creed, and fellowship. The next meeting will be held in the lower meeting room at 6:45 p.m. on October 22.

You are invited to the

Options for Women Pregnancy Help Center

8th Annual Banquet for Life

Tuesday, October 13, 2020

Knights of Columbus Hall

3305 N. High Street • Jackson, Missouri

Registration 5:30 p.m. • Dinner and Program 6:30 p.m.

Featuring Mr. J.J. Jasper, American Family Radio On Air Personality

For reservations please contact 573-339-2032 (limited space)

St. Vincent de Paul Elementary School has participated in the **Box Tops for Education** program for many years and, thanks to many of you, the school has benefited greatly. To date, SVS has earned over \$35,000 from Box Top submissions! But your help is still needed! Like so many things, the Box Tops program will now be conducted electronically via the BT4E app. Instead of submitting actual clipped Box Tops, all you need to do is scan your store receipt and the earnings will automatically be applied. Box Top donations from parishioners who do not have children at SVS are appreciated and are encouraged to keep supporting the school by downloading the app and scanning receipts. It's fast, easy, and a great way to help our school!

Note: Clipped Box Tops will still be accepted until their expiration date. If you still have some, be sure to place them into the box in the gathering area of church.



*Extend mercy towards others, so that there can be
 no one in need whom you meet without helping.*

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Celebrating the Sacraments Celebrando los Sacramentos

Marriage: Please contact the parish office at least **six months** in advance. (If you have been married before, an annulment may need to be done first.)

Matrimonio: Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial por lo menos con **seis meses** de antelación. (Si usted ha estado casado antes, una anulación del matrimonio puede necesitar ser hecha primero.)

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Baptism: Your family needs to be registered in the parish for three months prior to the baptism. It is necessary to schedule baptismal preparation classes six weeks prior to your child's baptism. Taking the baptism class prior to birth is encouraged! Contact Deacon Mark Kiblinger at the parish office (573-335-7667).

Bautismo: Es un requisito ser inscritos en la parroquia por lo menos 3 meses antes de bautizar. También los padres tienen que celebrar la santa misa cada fin de semana. La clase de preparación para el bautismo para padres y padrinos es cada último lunes del mes. Favor de comunicarse con Padre Rick una semana antes al 573-335-7667.

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Holy Orders and Consecrated Religious Life: Would you like to talk about how to be a Priest, Permanent Deacon, Religious Brother or Religious Sister? Come to a gathering on the last Thursday of each month for snacks and discussion about this way of life. For more information, call Father Rick at the parish office (573-335-7667) or email him at stvcapadre@gmail.com.

Orden Sagrado y vida religiosa consagrada: ¿te gustaría hablar de cómo ser sacerdote, diácono permanente, hermano religioso o hermana religiosa? Ven a una reunión el último Jueves de cada mes para algunos bocadillos y discusión sobre esta forma de vida. Para más información, llame al Padre Rick en la oficina parroquial (573-335-7667) o stvcapadre@gmail.com.

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Anointing of the Sick: If you are going to the hospital for a planned surgery, please call the parish office so this Sacrament can be celebrated with you.

Unción de los enfermos: Si usted va al hospital para una cirugía planificada, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial para que este Sacramento pueda ser celebrado con usted.

Do You Have Five Minutes to Spare?

Check out

Formed.org Daily Reflections!

In less than five minutes, Dr. Tim Gray gives a reflection on the daily readings of the church. His few minutes are packed with background, interpretation, clear explanations, and great insight into the scripture readings.

If you have been wanting to start a prayer routine that includes the daily readings, change up your daily reflections, or simply have a better understanding of scripture, you should try **Formed Daily Reflections!** Sign up for your daily email with Dr. Gray's video at <https://formed.org/daily>. Try it! – it just might be the best five minutes of your day.

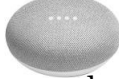
Ugly Quilt Ministry

Each October for more than 20 years, the Christian Service Ministry of St. Vincent Parish has participated in "Ugly Quilt Weekend." Because of the pandemic and the safety of volunteers in large groups, Ugly Quilt Weekend will not be held this year. The need for bedrolls remains great. Therefore, the Ugly Quilt room (in the DePaul Center) will be open on Monday **and** Wednesday mornings from 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. Volunteers are needed to help tack bedrolls. Groups are welcome. Social distancing and safety precautions will take place. For more information, contact Kathy at 573-587-5970.

Please remember that St. Vincent Parish's main source of income, the Sunday collection, is taking place in a limited way. If you have signed up for Faith Direct, thank you! Faith Direct allows you to support St. Vincent de Paul Parish using electronic funds transfer from a bank account or credit/debit card. It is simple, safe and convenient. You can begin supporting St. Vincent electronically today by visiting faith.direct/MO885. If you do not want to use this option, feel free to mail in your Sunday donation or drop it in the designated containers at weekend Masses. **As always, thank you for your contributions!**

Discipleship Corner

"Hey Google" - "Alexa" - "Siri"



Do you have a "smart speaker" — Echo, Echo Dot, or Google Home device on your kitchen counter? Have you used it to start your day with prayer and reflection? *The God Minute* podcast is now accessible via any of these devices and Siri. Just say "Hey, Google" or "Alexa" ... "Play The God Minute Podcast." Then, spend the next 10 minutes listening to music, a scripture passage, and a thought-provoking reflection. Try it the next time you are waiting for your morning coffee to brew. It's a beautiful way to spend a few minutes of your day! (And, you might recognize some of the voices you hear!)

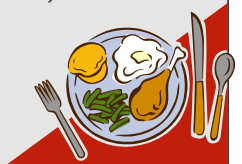


Food for the Fathers

A Ministry Opportunity

Each Tuesday Food for the Fathers, a parish ministry, will supply a warm meal for three priests. If you are interested in helping with this ministry, please sign up at <http://signup.com/login/entry/67699625678106404>. You will need to enter your email address but will NOT need to register an account on SignUp.com. If you don't like the choices listed, change your selection to include an entrée and two side dishes (no desserts, please!). Choose the date you would like to provide the meal. SignUp.com will send you an automated confirmation and reminders. Then, on the date chosen, deliver the meal between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. *to the rectory.*

If you prefer not to sign up online or have questions, please contact Beverly in the parish office at 335-7667 and she can sign you up.



Prayer for Preparing to Vote



Since we as a nation are approximately 40 days from our National Election, it might be good to be reminded of the power of prayer. The following prayer came from www.usccb.org/resources/general-prayer-and-reflection-resources-faithful-citizenship on the United States Catholic Bishops' website.

Gracious and loving God, let your Spirit be with us as we prepare to vote on Tuesday, November 3. Hear our prayers, and increase in us the will to follow your Son Jesus. Help us to draw on the resources of our faith as we use the opportunities of our democracy to shape a society more respectful of the life, dignity, and rights of the human person, especially the poor and vulnerable. We ask this through Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.



Covenant Network

Catholic Radio

Seasons come and seasons go, but learning about your Catholic faith remains. Keep your radio set on 94.3 FM, Covenant Network Catholic radio. You are sure to find many educational and inspirational programs to nurture your faith and devotional programs throughout the day and nighttime hours to support and enrich your faith life. In addition to the radio station, you can listen live, day or night, on our free Covenant Network app or at OurCatholicRadio.org.

Gathering Song *Sing of the Lord's Goodness*



1. Sing of the Lord's good - ness, Fa - ther of all wis - dom,
 2. Pow - er he has wield - ed, hon - or is his gar - ment,
 3. Cour - age in our dark - ness, com - fort in our sor - row,
 4. Praise him with your sing - ing, praise him with the trum - pet,



come to him and bless his name. Mer - cy he has shown us,
 ris - en from the snares of death. His word he has spo - ken,
 Spir - it of our God most high; sol - ace for the wea - ry,
 praise God with the lute and harp; praise him with the cym - bals,



his love is for - ev - er, faith - ful to the end of days.
 one bread he has bro - ken, new life he now gives to all.
 par - don for the sin - ner, splen - dor of the liv - ing God.
 praise him with your danc - ing, praise God till the end of days.



Come, then, all you na - tions, sing of your Lord's good - ness,



mel - o - dies of praise and thanks to God.



Ring out the Lord's glo - ry, praise him with your mu - sic,



wor - ship him and bless his name.

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First Reading

Ezekiel 18:25-28

Thus says the LORD: You say, "The LORD's way is not fair!" Hear now, house of Israel: Is it my way that is unfair, or rather, are not your ways unfair? When someone virtuous turns away from virtue to commit iniquity, and dies, it is because of the iniquity he committed that he must die. But if he turns from the wickedness he has committed, he does what is right and just, he shall preserve his life; since he has turned away from all the sins that he has committed, he shall surely live, he shall not die.

Responsorial Psalm

Remember your mercies, O Lord.

Second Reading

Philippians 2:1-11

Brothers and sisters: If there is any encouragement in Christ, any solace in love, any participation in the Spirit, any compassion and mercy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, with the same love, united in heart, thinking one thing. Do nothing out of selfishness or out of vainglory; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves, each looking out not for his own interests, but also for those of others.

Have in you the same attitude that is also in Christ Jesus, Who though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God something to be grasped. Rather, he emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, coming in human likeness; and found human in appearance, he humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Because of this, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 21:28-32

Jesus said to the chief priests and elders of the people:
 "What is your opinion?
 A man had two sons.
 He came to the first and said,
 'Son, go out and work in
 the vineyard today.'
 He said in reply, 'I will not,' but
 afterwards changed his mind and went.
 The man came to the other son
 and gave the same order.
 He said in reply,
 'Yes, sir,' but did not go.
 Which of the two did his father's will?"
 They answered, "The first."
 Jesus said to them,
 "Amen, I say to you, tax collectors
 and prostitutes are entering
 the kingdom of God before you.
 When John came to you
 in the way of righteousness,
 you did not believe him;
 but tax collectors and prostitutes did.
 Yet even when you saw that,
 you did not later change your minds
 and believe him."

Communion

Sanctuary

Congregation: (sing twice)

Lord, pre - pare me to be a sanc-tu - ar - y, pure and
 ho - ly, tried and true; with thanks-giv-ing, I'll be a
 liv - ing sanc-tu - ar - y for you.

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Jesus the Lord

Refrain

Je - sus. Je - sus. Let all cre-
 a - tion bend the knee to the Lord.

Verse 1

1. In him we live, we move and have our
 be - ing; in him the Christ, in him the
 King! Je - sus, the Lord.

Verses 2, 3

2. Though Son, he did not cling to
 3. He lived o - be - dient - ly his
 god - li - ness; but emp - tied him - self, be -
 Fa - ther's will ac - cept - ing his death,
 came a slave! Je - sus, the Lord.
 death on a tree!

Recessional

Lord of All Hopefulness

1. Lord of all hope - ful - ness, Lord of all joy,
 2. Lord of all ea - ger - ness, Lord of all faith,
 3. Lord of all kind - li - ness, Lord of all grace,
 4. Lord of all gen - tle - ness, Lord of all calm,



Whose trust, e - ver child - like, no cares can de - stroy,
 Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
 Your hands swift to wel - come, your arms to em - brace,
 Whose voice is con - tent - ment, whose pres - ence is balm,



Be there at our wak - ing, and give us, we pray,
 Be there at our la - bors, and give us, we pray,
 Be there at our hom - ing, and give us, we pray,
 Be there at our sleep - ing, and give us, we pray,



Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.
 Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.
 Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.
 Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

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The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
 the Father almighty,
 maker of heaven and earth,
 of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
 the Only Begotten Son of God,
 born of the Father before all ages.
 God from God, Light from Light,
 true God from true God,
 begotten, not made,
 consubstantial with the Father;
 through him all things were made.
 For us men and for our salvation
 he came down from heaven,
 and by the Holy Spirit
 was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
 and became man.

For our sake he was crucified
 under Pontius Pilate,
 he suffered death and was buried,
 and rose again on the third day
 in accordance with the Scriptures.
 He ascended into heaven
 and is seated at the right hand
 of the Father.

He will come again in glory
 to judge the living and the dead
 and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
 the Lord, the giver of life,
 who proceeds
 from the Father and the Son,
 who with the Father and the Son
 is adored and glorified,
 who has spoken through the
 prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic
 and apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism
 for the forgiveness of sins
 and I look forward to the
 resurrection of the dead
 and the life of the world to come.
 Amen.

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