

Daily Mass – Order of Mass and Readings for Online Mass Attendance

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October 18 Bulletin: <https://ihmparish.net/s/0576-1018-Bulletin-2020.pdf>

Today is Saturday of the Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time – October 24, 2020

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Announcements - Church reopening -

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Mass Livestream

Welcome to our Livestream of the Daily Mass - please feel free to share this with your friends on Facebook and invite people to attend the online Mass.

Good Morning. A message from Fr. Mike and Fr. Valentine - As we gather in our homes to watch the livestream let us meditate on the verse 18:20 from the Gospel of Mark: "For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them" and recognize the presence of Jesus in our lives and the domestic Church as we worship from our homes. For those who cannot physically attend this mass celebration at the Church, it is an opportunity to remember that the Church is the people of God gathered wherever they may be. Let us pray for the essential workers who are making sacrifices on the frontline and for those who are at home maintaining social distance, until that day we can return to the table of the Lord and rejoice in His love together.

Let us now take a moment to greet each other online.

Mass intentions

Marcus Andrew+ By Rekha Kulkarni

Lord have mercy

Christ have mercy;

Lord have mercy;

Daily Collect

Amen

Today's Readings can be found at: <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/102420.cfm>

Reading 1
EPH 4:7-16

Brothers and sisters:
Grace was given to each of us
according to the measure of Christ's gift.
Therefore, it says:

He ascended on high and took prisoners captive;
he gave gifts to men.

What does "he ascended" mean except that he also descended
into the lower regions of the earth?
The one who descended is also the one who ascended
far above all the heavens,
that he might fill all things.

And he gave some as Apostles, others as prophets,
others as evangelists, others as pastors and teachers,
to equip the holy ones for the work of ministry,
for building up the Body of Christ,
until we all attain to the unity of faith
and knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood
to the extent of the full stature of Christ,
so that we may no longer be infants,
tossed by waves and swept along by every wind of teaching
arising from human trickery,
from their cunning in the interests of deceitful scheming.
Rather, living the truth in love,
we should grow in every way into him who is the head, Christ,
from whom the whole Body,
joined and held together by every supporting ligament,
with the proper functioning of each part,
brings about the Body's growth and builds itself up in love.
Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

Response: Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

PS 122:1-2, 3-4AB, 4CD-5

R. (1) Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

I rejoiced because they said to me,
"We will go up to the house of the LORD."

And now we have set foot
within your gates, O Jerusalem.

R. Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

Jerusalem, built as a city
with compact unity.

To it the tribes go up,
the tribes of the LORD.

R. Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

According to the decree for Israel,
to give thanks to the name of the LORD.

In it are set up judgment seats,
seats for the house of David.

R. Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

Alleluia

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EZ 33:11

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked man, says the Lord,
but rather in his conversion that he may live.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

P: "A Reading From The Gospel According To Luke" All: "Glory To You Lord."

Gospel

LK 13:1-9

Some people told Jesus about the Galileans
whose blood Pilate had mingled with the blood of their sacrifices.

He said to them in reply,

"Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way
they were greater sinners than all other Galileans?

By no means!

But I tell you, if you do not repent,
you will all perish as they did!

Or those eighteen people who were killed
when the tower at Siloam fell on them—

do you think they were more guilty
than everyone else who lived in Jerusalem?

By no means!

But I tell you, if you do not repent,
you will all perish as they did!"

And he told them this parable:

"There once was a person who had a fig tree planted in his orchard,
and when he came in search of fruit on it but found none,

he said to the gardener,

'For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree
but have found none.

So cut it down.

Why should it exhaust the soil?'

He said to him in reply,

'Sir, leave it for this year also,

and I shall cultivate the ground around it and fertilize it;

it may bear fruit in the future.

If not you can cut it down.'"

After Gospel

P: "The Gospel of the Lord." All: "Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ."

Homily

Today's Readings Meditation:

<https://www.dailyscripture.net/>

Amen

Prayer of the faithful:

Response: Lord hear our prayer

Please pray for an end to the current COVID-19 pandemic and all who are impacted by it, especially those who are ill and those who have lost their lives. Please offer a prayer of thanksgiving as well for those who risk their own health to help others.

Please pray for the students that graduated and entering the next phase of their life.
May the Holy Spirit come upon all and continue to inspire us.

Please pray for peace around the world.

We also pray for the children of the parish who had their First Communion in September, and for the children who will receive Confirmation this month.

Back to School Prayer

Dear God, with a new school year upon us, we pray for our students and teachers, that You would ease their anxiety about going back to school amidst the pandemic. We pray for safety for those returning to in-person classes, and for the needed technology, self-discipline, and adult oversight for those learning online. We pray that every child has enough to eat, a supportive network of friends and family, and perseverance to face every challenge with Your strength. *Amen*

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Blessed be God forever

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.

Amen

And with your spirit ;
We lift them up to the Lord ;
It is right and just;

Holy, Holy, Holy

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:

TAKE THIS, ALL OF YOU, AND EAT OF IT,
FOR THIS IS MY BODY, WHICH WILL BE GIVEN UP FOR YOU
My Lord and my God

TAKE THIS, ALL OF YOU, AND DRINK FROM IT,
FOR THIS IS THE CHALICE OF MY BLOOD,
THE BLOOD OF THE NEW AND ETERNAL COVENANT,
WHICH WILL BE Poured OUT FOR YOU AND FOR MANY
FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS.
DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME.
My Lord and my God

[Priest]

The mystery of faith.

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

2. When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again.

3. Save us, Savior of the world,
for by your Cross and Resurrection
you have set us free.'

Amen

Lord's Prayer:

Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth, as it is
in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass
against us,
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom the power and the glory are yours now and forever

Amen

Peace be with you all.

Lamb of God

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

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have mercy on us.

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grant us peace.

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof; but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Prayer of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now 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.

Prayer after Communion

Amen

And with your Spirit

Blessing

Amen

Dismissal

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Have a Blessed day!

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Prayer to overcome racism:

<https://www.usccb.org/resources/Prayer-to-Overcome-Racism.pdf>

Check out the Bible resource: <https://catholic.bible/>

Other resources:

<https://catholic-daily-reflections.com/2018/06/29/lord-i-am-not-worthy-2/>

<http://thecatholicspirit.com/commentary/faith-at-home/the-sacrifice-at-your-hands/>

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