

# Saint Augustine - Saint Francis Xavier

May 5, 2024

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

Prelude:

May Song

Joseph Jongen

Entrance Hymn:

### TABLE OF PLENTY

Dan Schutte

Refrain



Come to the feast of heav-en and earth! Come to the ta-  
- ble of plen - ty! God will pro-vide for all that we  
need, here at the ta - ble of plen - ty.

Verses



1. O come and sit at my ta - ble where saints and  
2. O come and eat with-out mon-ey; I come to  
3. My bread will ev - er sus - tain you through days of  
4. Your fields will flow - er in full-ness; your homes will

1. sin - ners are friends. I wait to wel-come the lost and  
2. drink with - out price. My feast of glad-ness will feed your  
3. sor - row and woe. My wine will flow like a sea of  
4. flour - ish in peace. For I, the giv - er of home and

to Refrain

1. lone - ly to share the cup of my love.  
2. spir - it with faith and full - ness of life.  
3. glad-ness to flood the depths of your soul.  
4. har-vest, will send my rain on the soil.

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Penitential Rite:

(from "People's Mass")

Jan Vermulst

Cantor *All*  
 Lord, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.  
 Cantor *All*  
 Christ, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy.  
 Cantor *All*  
 Lord, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.

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**Gloria:**

(from "Mass of Creation")

Marty Haugen

**Glory to God**

**Refrain**  
 Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth  
*To Verses*  
 peace to peo - ple of good will. 1. We  
 2., 3. ♪

**First Reading:** Acts of the Apostles 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48

When Peter entered, Cornelius met him and, falling at his feet, paid him homage. Peter, however, raised him up, saying, "Get up. I myself am also a human being."

Then Peter proceeded to speak and said, "In truth, I see that God shows no partiality. Rather, in every nation whoever fears him and acts uprightly is acceptable to him."

While Peter was still speaking these things, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who were listening to the word. The circumcised believers who had accompanied Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit should have been poured out on the Gentiles also, for they could hear them speaking in tongues and glorifying God. Then Peter responded, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people,

who have received the Holy Spirit even as we have?"  
He ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ.

**Responsorial Psalm:**

Antiphon and Verses: Owen Alstott



**R. The Lord has re-vealed to the na-tions his sav-ing pow'r.**

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Sing to the LORD a new song,  
for he has done wondrous deeds;  
His right hand has won victory for him,  
his holy arm.

**R. The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.**

The LORD has made his salvation known:  
in the sight of the nations he has revealed his justice.  
He has remembered his kindness and his faithfulness  
toward the house of Israel.

**R. The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.**

All the ends of the earth have seen  
the salvation by our God.  
Sing joyfully to the LORD, all you lands;  
break into song; sing praise.

**R. The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.**

**Second Reading:** 1 John 4:7-10

Beloved, let us love one another,  
because love is of God;  
everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God.  
Whoever is without love does not know God, for God is love.  
In this way the love of God was revealed to us:  
God sent his only Son into the world  
so that we might have life through him.  
In this is love:

not that we have loved God, but that he loved us  
and sent his Son as expiation for our sins.

**Gospel Acclamation:**

“Festival Alleluia”

James Chepponis



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**Gospel:** John 15:9-17

Jesus said to his disciples:

"As the Father loves me, so I also love you.

Remain in my love.

If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love,  
just as I have kept my Father's commandments  
and remain in his love.

"I have told you this so that my joy may be in you  
and your joy might be complete.

This is my commandment: love one another as I love you.

No one has greater love than this,  
to lay down one's life for one's friends.

You are my friends if you do what I command you.

I no longer call you slaves,  
because a slave does not know what his master is doing.

I have called you friends,  
because I have told you everything I have heard from my Father.

It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you  
and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain,  
so that whatever you ask the Father in my name he may give you.

This I command you: love one another."

**Homily:**

**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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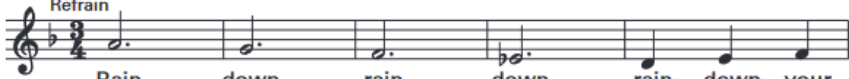
**Prayer of the Faithful:**

**Offertory Hymn:**

# RAIN DOWN

Jaime Cortez

Refrain



Rain down, rain down, rain down your



love on your peo - ple. love, God of life.


Verses



1. Faith-ful and true is the word of our God. All of God's
2. We who re - vere and find hope in our God live in the
3. God of cre - a - tion, we long for your truth; you are the



1. works are so wor - thy of trust. God's mer - cy falls on the
2. kind - ness and joy of God's wing. God will pro - tect us from
3. wa - ter of life that we thirst. Grant that your love and your



1. just and the right; full of God's love is the earth.
2. dark - ness and death; God will not leave us to starve.
3. peace touch our hearts, all of our hope lies in you.

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Holy, Holy, Holy:

(from "Mass of Creation")

Haugen

### HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho-ly Lord God of  
hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry.  
Ho-san-na in the high-est. Bless-ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the  
high-est. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

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**Memorial Acclamation:**

(from "Mass of Creation")

Haugen

### When We Eat This Bread

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro -  
claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

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**Great Amen:**

(from "Mass of Creation")

Haugen

## Amen

Two staves of musical notation in G major, 4/4 time. The melody is simple and repetitive, with lyrics 'A - men, a - men, a - men.' written below each staff.

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**Our Father:**

**Lamb of God:**

(from "Mass of Creation")

Haugen

## Lamb of God

Three staves of musical notation in G major, 3/4 time. The first staff is labeled 'Cantor:' and the second 'Assembly:'. The lyrics are 'Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us.' The third staff is labeled 'Last time' and has the lyrics 'world, grant us peace.'.

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## Prayer for Spiritual Communion

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 in my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment  
receive you sacramentally,  
come at least Spiritually in 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.



Reception of Holy Communion is open to Catholics in a state of grace (not conscious of any mortal sin), who have fasted for at least one hour prior to reception. (Water and medicine do not break the fast. The elderly and those who are sick as well as those who care for them, are not obliged to fast.) **Non-Christians, and those Christians who are not in full communion with the Catholic Church, are welcome to worship with us, but should not participate in the Communion procession unless they are assisting someone in need.** We invite you to pray for Christian unity. If you are interested in understanding why Catholics do not have open Communion, please make an appointment to speak with Ms. Parra, our parish director of Faith Formation.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

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**Communion Hymn:**

ANTIPHON

O Lord, I know you are near, stand-ing al - ways at my side. You  
guard me from the foe, and you lead me, in ways ev - er - last - ing.

VERSES

1. Lord, you have searched my heart, and you know when I  
2. Where can I run from your love? If I climb to the  
3. You know my heart and its ways, you who formed me be -  
4. Mar - vel - ous to me are your works; how pro - found are you

1. sit and when I stand. Your hand is up - on me pro -  
2. heav - ens you are there; if I fly to the sun - rise or  
3. fore I was born in the se - cret of dark - ness be -  
4. thoughts my Lord. E - ven if I could count them, they

to Antiphon

1. tect - ing me from death, keep - ing me from harm.  
2. sail be - yond the sea, still I'd find you there.  
3. fore I saw the sun in my moth - er's womb.  
4. num - ber as the stars, you would still be there.

**Recessional Hymn:**

Dan Schutte

ANTIPHON

Glo - ry and praise to our God, \_\_\_\_\_ who a - lone gives light to our days. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Man - y are the bless-ings he bears to those who trust in his

*Fine* VERSES 1-3

ways. \_\_\_\_\_

1. We the daugh-ters and sons of him who
2. In his wis - dom he strength - ens us, like
3. Ev - 'ry mo - ment of ev - 'ry day our

1. built the val - leys and plains, \_\_\_\_\_ praise the won - ders our
2. gold that's test - ed in fire. \_\_\_\_\_ Though the pow - er of
3. God is wait - ing to save, \_\_\_\_\_ al - ways, read - y to

1. God has done in ev - 'ry heart that sings. \_\_\_\_\_
2. sin pre - vails our God is there to save. \_\_\_\_\_
3. seek the lost, to an - swer those who pray. \_\_\_\_\_

to Antiphon

VERSE 4

4. God has wa - tered our bar - ren land and spent his mer - ci - ful rain. \_\_\_\_\_

4. Now the riv - ers of life run full for an - y - one to drink. \_\_\_\_\_

to Antiphon

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**Postlude:**

*Fugue in B Major, Opus 7, No. 1b*

Marcel Dupre

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