

Eve of the Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Proper 25 (Year C)

5:00 p.m., Saturday, October 25, 2025

The texts found below are those of the chants and prayers which change each week and are sung by the choir and celebrant alone.

Members of the congregation are invited to join the choir in the chants that are printed with music in the Mass booklet (“*Sancta Eucharistia*”).

(1) Introitus Psalm 105: 3, 4 and 1

Laetetur cor quaerentium Dominum: quaerite Dominum, et confirmamini: quaerite faciem eius semper. *Ps.* Confitemini Domino, et invocate nomen eius: annuntiate inter gentes opera eius.

Let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice. Search for the LORD and his strength; continually seek his face. *V.* Give thanks to the LORD and call upon his Name; make known his deeds among the peoples.

(2) Collecta

Omnipotens sempiterne Deus, da nobis fidei, spei et caritatis incrementum: et ut mereamur assequi quod promittis, fac nos amare quod praecipis; per Iesum Christum Dominum nostrum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spiritus Sancti, Deus, per omnia saecula saeculorum. *Amen.*

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Epistola (Epistle Reading): 2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

(3) Alleluia Psalm 147: 13

Alleluia. Lauda, Ierusalem, Dominum: lauda Deum tuum, Sion.

Alleluia. Worship the LORD, O Jerusalem; praise your God, O Zion.

Evangelium (Gospel Reading): Luke 18:9-14

(4) Offertorium Psalm 119: 107, 125

Domine, vivifica me secundum eloquium tuum: ut sciam testimonia tua.

Preserve my life, O LORD, according to your word: that I may know your decrees.

(5) Praefatio

Creator lucis et fons vitae, qui nos fecisti in imagine tua, et nos vocasti in vitam novam in Iesu Christo Domino nostro.

For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

(6) Communio Psalm 20: 6

Laetabimur in salutari tuo: et in nomine Domini Dei nostri magnificabitur.

We will shout for joy at your victory and triumph in the Name of our God.

(7) Postcommunio

Perficiant in nobis, Domine, quaesumus, tua sacramenta quod continent, ut, quae nunc specie gerimus, rerum veritate capiamus; per Christum Dominum nostrum. *Amen.*

Let your sacraments accomplish in us what they signify, we beseech you, O Lord: that we may lay hold effectually on what we celebrate outwardly; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Last Gospel: John 1:1-18

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Preacher *Aaron Conner*
Cantors *Paul Ellison, Claire Kelm*
Server *Viliami Dauwe*
Thurifer *Alexis Reed*

The Latin Minor Propers are drawn from *The Gregorian Missal for Sundays: Notated in Gregorian Chant by the Monks of Solesmes.*

The English translation of the Postcommunion is by Bruce Ford, Grace Church, Newark

We believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the consecrated Bread and Wine. All persons baptized with water in the name of the Trinity are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Those who do not wish to take Communion may come forward to receive a blessing, with arms crossed over their chest.

The blessed Sacrament is given to the communicants with these words: *Corpus Christi.* [Amen.] *Sanguis Christi.* [Amen.]

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