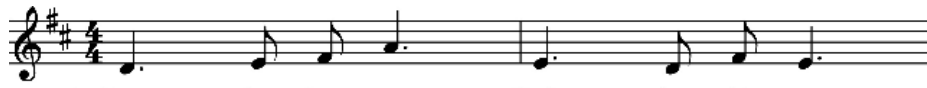


# Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## INTRODUCTORY RITES

### GATHERING SONG

### Christ Before Us #416



1. Christ be - fore us, Christ be - side us,  
2. May we be for one an - oth - er  
3. God be - fore us through the a - ges;  
4. O Re - deem - er, fill your ser - vants



1. Christ to guide us all our days. He to car - ry  
2. all that you would have us be. May we live your  
3. Christ be - side us here to - day. Spir - it, lead us  
4. with your words of last - ing life. Give to those with



1. all our sor - rows, he to bear us per - fect grace.  
2. law of kind - ness, love, com - pas - sion, char - i - ty.  
3. forth for - ev - er; guide and help us all our days.  
4. hands of heal - ing love trans - cend - ing pain and strife.



1. Je - sus, Sav - ior, Friend and Broth - er, In - ter - ces - sor,  
2. May we climb your ho - ly moun - tain; may we see your  
3. Christ the Sav - ior, God the Liv - ing, Great Cre - a - tor,  
4. Make us lov - ing sons and daugh - ters; make us ho - ly,



1. Son of God, save your peo - ple in your dy - ing,  
2. ho - ly face! Vis - it now this hum - ble dwell - ing;  
3. Spir - it blest! Ho - ly Three - in - One Im - mor - tal,  
4. kind and true, sent to la - bor for your King - dom—



1. and in ris - ing, con - quer death.  
2. dwell with - in this ho - ly place.  
3. come and be our wel - come guest.  
4. rest - less till we rest in you.

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### SIGN OF THE CROSS

Priest: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

### GREETING

Priest: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: **And with your spirit.**

## PENITENTIAL ACT

**All:** I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters,  
that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words,  
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,  
**And, striking their breast, they say:**  
through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;  
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints,  
and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

**The absolution by the Priest follows:**

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

**All:** Amen.

Cantor; All repeat      Cantor; All repeat      Cantor; All repeat

Lord, have mer - cy.      Christ, have mer - cy.      Lord, have mer - cy.

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## GLORIA

Glo-ry to God, Glo-ry to God in the high - est,  
and on earth peace to peo - ple of good will. We  
praise you, we bless you, we a - dore you, we glo - ri - fy  
you, we give you thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord  
God, heav-en - ly King, O God, al - might - y Fa - ther.  
Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the  
Fa - ther, you take a - way the sins of the world, have  
mer - cy on us; you take a - way the sins of the  
world, re - ceive our prayer; you are seat - ed at the

right hand of the Fa-ther, have mer-cy on  
us. For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,  
you a-lone are the Most High,  
Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the  
glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men, a-men.

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## COLLECT

Priest: . . . . . Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

### FIRST READING

*Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19*

#### A reading from the Book of the Prophet Jeremiah

The word of the LORD came to me, saying:

Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,  
before you were born I dedicated you,  
a prophet to the nations I appointed you.

But do you gird your loins;  
stand up and tell them  
all that I command you.

Be not crushed on their account,  
as though I would leave you crushed before them;  
for it is I this day

who have made you a fortified city,  
a pillar of iron, a wall of brass,  
against the whole land:

against Judah's kings and princes,  
against its priests and people.

They will fight against you but not prevail over you,  
for I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD.

Lector: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

I will sing of your sal - va - tion.

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## SECOND READING

*1 Corinthians 12:31 – 13:13*

### **A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians**

Brothers and sisters:

Strive eagerly for the greatest spiritual gifts.

But I shall show you a still more excellent way.

If I speak in human and angelic tongues,  
but do not have love,  
I am a resounding gong or a clashing cymbal.  
And if I have the gift of prophecy,  
and comprehend all mysteries and all knowledge;  
if I have all faith so as to move mountains,  
but do not have love, I am nothing.  
If I give away everything I own,  
and if I hand my body over so that I may boast,  
but do not have love, I gain nothing.

Love is patient, love is kind.  
It is not jealous, it is not pompous,  
It is not inflated, it is not rude,  
it does not seek its own interests,  
it is not quick-tempered, it does not brood over injury,  
it does not rejoice over wrongdoing  
but rejoices with the truth.  
It bears all things, believes all things,  
hopes all things, endures all things.

Love never fails.  
If there are prophecies, they will be brought to nothing;  
if tongues, they will cease;  
if knowledge, it will be brought to nothing.  
For we know partially and we prophesy partially,  
but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away.  
When I was a child, I used to talk as a child,  
think as a child, reason as a child;  
when I became a man, I put aside childish things.  
At present we see indistinctly, as in a mirror,  
but then face to face.  
At present I know partially;  
then I shall know fully, as I am fully known.  
So faith, hope, love remain, these three;  
but the greatest of these is love.

Lector: The word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## GOSPEL

*Luke 4:21-30*

Deacon: The Lord be with you.

**All: And with your spirit.**

Deacon: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

**All: Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus began speaking in the synagogue, saying:  
“Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing.”  
And all spoke highly of him  
and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth.  
They also asked, “Isn’t this the son of Joseph?”  
He said to them, “Surely you will quote me this proverb,  
‘Physician, cure yourself,’ and say,  
‘Do here in your native place  
the things that we heard were done in Capernaum.’”  
And he said, “Amen, I say to you,  
no prophet is accepted in his own native place.  
Indeed, I tell you,  
there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah  
when the sky was closed for three and a half years  
and a severe famine spread over the entire land.  
It was to none of these that Elijah was sent,  
but only to a widow in Zarephath in the land of Sidon.  
Again, there were many lepers in Israel  
during the time of Elisha the prophet;  
yet not one of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian.”  
When the people in the synagogue heard this,  
they were all filled with fury.  
They rose up, drove him out of the town,  
and led him to the brow of the hill  
on which their town had been built,  
to hurl him down headlong.  
But Jesus passed through the midst of them and went away.

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

## HOMILY

## THE CREED

**All: 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,**

At the words that follow, up to and including 'and became man', all bow.

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.

## THE PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

All: Hear our prayer.

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

*Opportunity for online giving*

### OFFERTORY SONG

### Servant Song #388

Verses

1. What do you want of me, Lord? Where do you  
2. I hear you call my name, Lord, and I am  
3. A - bove, be - low, and a - round me, be - fore, be -  
4. You are the light in my dark - ness. You are my  
5. I am your song and ser - vant, sing - ing your

1. want me to serve you? Where can I sing your  
2. moved with - in me. Your Spir - it stirs my  
3. hind, and all through me, your Spir - it burns deep with -  
4. strength when I'm wea - ry. You give me sight when I'm  
5. praise like Ma - ry. Sur - ren - dered to your

1. prais - es? I am your song.  
2. deep - est self. Sing your songs in me.  
3. in me. Fire my life with your love.  
4. blind - ed. Come, see for me.  
5. Spir - it, "Let it be done to me."

Refrain

1. Je - sus, Je - sus, you are the Lord.  
2. Je - sus, Je - sus, you are my Lord.  
3. Je - sus, Je - sus, be the warmth of my heart.  
4. Je - sus, Je - sus, you are my Light.  
5. Je - sus, Je - sus, "Let it be done to me."

1-5. Je - sus, Je - sus, you are the way.

**All: Blessed be God for ever (x2)**

Priest: Pray, brethren (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.**

Priest: . . . . . Through Christ our Lord.

**All: Amen.**

## THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Priest: The Lord be with you.

**All: And with your spirit.**

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

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

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right and just.**

## 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.

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## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your  
Res-ur-rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

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Priest: Through him, and with him, and in him,  
O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all glory and honor is yours, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

## THE COMMUNION RITE

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Priest: At the Savior's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

All: **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.**

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days,  
that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin  
and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope  
and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

All: **For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.**

### SIGN OF PEACE

Priest: Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles:  
Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins,  
but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity  
in accordance with your will.  
Who live and reign for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: **And with your spirit.**

Deacon: Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

### LAMB OF GOD

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy,  
mer - cy on us. world, grant us, grant us peace.

The image shows two staves of musical notation in 3/4 time. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 3/4 time signature. It contains the melody for the first line of the prayer. The second staff continues the melody for the second line and ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign. Above the second staff, the word "Final" is written above a double bar line. The lyrics are written below the notes.



## COMMUNION

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world.  
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

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

## PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus,

I believe that you are truly present in the most Blessed Sacrament.  
I love you above all things and I desire to possess You within my soul.

Since I am unable at this moment to receive You sacramentally,  
come at lease spiritually into my heart.


I embrace You as being already there,  
and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen

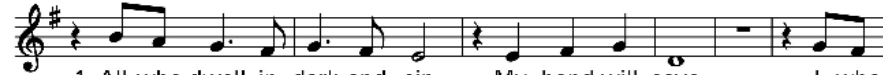
## COMMUNION SONG

## Here I am Lord #393

Verses



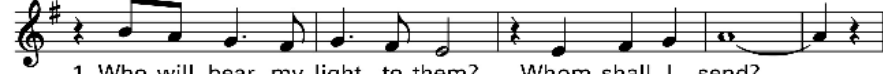
1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo - ple cry.  
2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo-ple's pain.  
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.



1. All who dwell in dark and sin My hand will save. I, who  
2. I have wept for love of them. They turn a - way. I will  
3. I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Fin-est



1. made the stars of night, I will make their dark-ness bright.  
2. break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love a - lone.  
3. bread I will pro-vide Till their hearts be sat - is - fied.



1. Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?  
2. I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?  
3. I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you



call-ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you



lead me. I will hold your peo-ple in my heart.

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Priest: . . . . . Through Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen**

## FINAL BLESSING

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: May almighty God bless you,  
the Father, and the Son, ✠ and the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

## DISMISSAL

Deacon: Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

## RECESSIONAL SONG

### For You Are My God #562

For you are my God; you a - lone are my joy. De-

fend me, O Lord.

- Verses
1. You give mar - vel - ous
  2. - You are my
  3. - Glad are my
  4. † You show me the

1. com - rades \_ to me: the faith - ful who dwell in your
2. por - tion \_ and cup; it is you \_ that I claim for my
3. heart \_ and my soul; se - cure - ly my bod - y shall
4. path \_ for my life; in your pres - ence \_ the full - ness of

1. land. Those \_ who choose a - li - en gods \_
2. prize. Your her - i - tage \_ is my de - light, \_
3. rest. For you \_ will not leave me \_ for dead, \_
4. joy. To be \_ at your right hand \_ for - ev - er \_

to Refrain

1. \_ have cho - sen an a - li - en band. \_
2. \_ the lot you have giv - en to me. \_
3. \_ nor lead your be - lov - ed a - stray. \_
4. \_ for me would be hap - pi - ness al - ways. \_