



26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 26, 2021

**Gathering Song: As We Gather at Your Table**

COMMUNION

As We Gather at Your Table

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F Gm F Gm F Bb C Bb F

1 As we gath - er at your ta - ble, as we lis - ten to your word,  
2 Turn our wor - ship in - to wit - ness in the sac - ra - ment of life;  
3 Gra - cious Spir - it, help us sum - mon oth - er guests to share that feast

F Gm F Dm Gm Dm Gm Am Bb F

help us know, O God, your pres - ence; let our hearts and minds be stirred.  
send us forth to love and serve you, bring - ing peace where there is strife.  
where tri - um - phant Love will wel - come those who had been last and least.

F Dm C F Bb C Dm Am Dm Gm F Bb

Nour - ish us with sa - cred sto - ry till we claim it as our own;  
Give us, Christ, your great com - pas - sion to for - give as you for - gave,  
There no more will en - vy blind us nor will pride our peace de - stroy,

Dm C F Dm Gm F Bb C Bb F

teach us through this ho - ly ban - quet how to make Love's vic - t'ry known.  
may we still be - hold your im - age in the world you died to save.  
as we join with saints and an - gels to re - peat the sound - ing joy.

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## Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## Liturgy of the Word

*First Reading: Numbers 11: 25-29*

### PSALM 54: 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B



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*Second Reading: James 5: 1-6*

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: ALLELUIA NO. IV



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*Gospel: Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48*

## Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

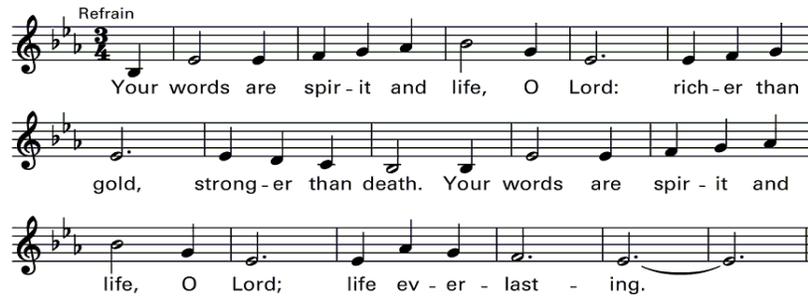
## *Prayers for God's People*

### *Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts*

#### YOUR WORDS ARE SPIRIT AND LIFE (PSALM 19)

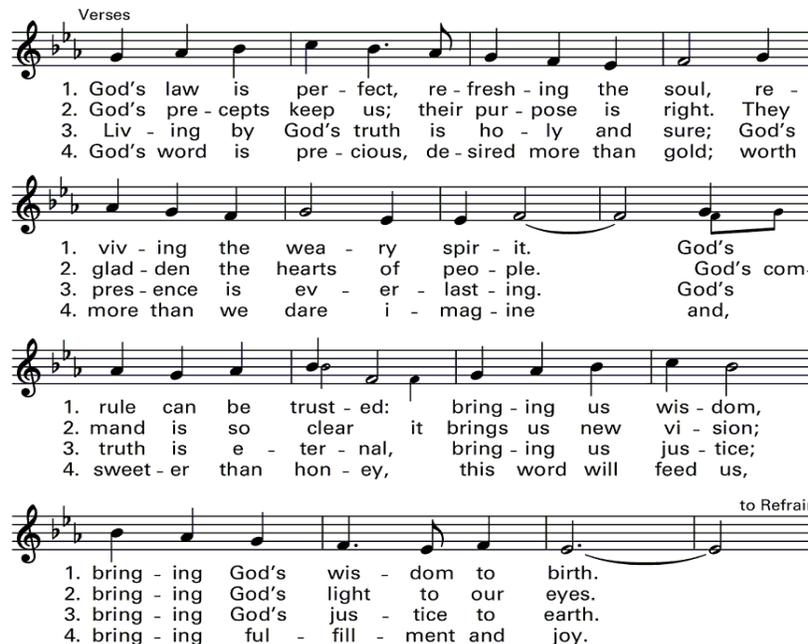
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Your words are spir - it and life, O Lord: rich - er than  
gold, strong - er than death. Your words are spir - it and  
life, O Lord; life ev - er - last - ing.

Verses



1. God's law is per - fect, re - fresh - ing the soul, re -  
2. God's pre - cepts keep us; their pur - pose is right. They  
3. Liv - ing by God's truth is ho - ly and sure; God's  
4. God's word is pre - cious, de - sired more than gold; worth

1. viv - ing the wea - ry spir - it. God's  
2. glad - den the hearts of peo - ple. God's com -  
3. pres - ence is ev - er - last - ing. God's  
4. more than we dare i - mag - ine and,

1. rule can be trust - ed: bring - ing us wis - dom,  
2. mand is so clear it brings us new vi - sion;  
3. truth is e - ter - nal, bring - ing us jus - tice;  
4. sweet - er than hon - ey, this word will feed us,

to Refrain

1. bring - ing God's wis - dom to birth.  
2. bring - ing God's light to our eyes.  
3. bring - ing God's jus - tice to earth.  
4. bring - ing ful - fill - ment and joy.

*All Mass Parts from Mass of Creation by Marty Haugen*

**Communion Song:**

**ONE BREAD, ONE BODY**

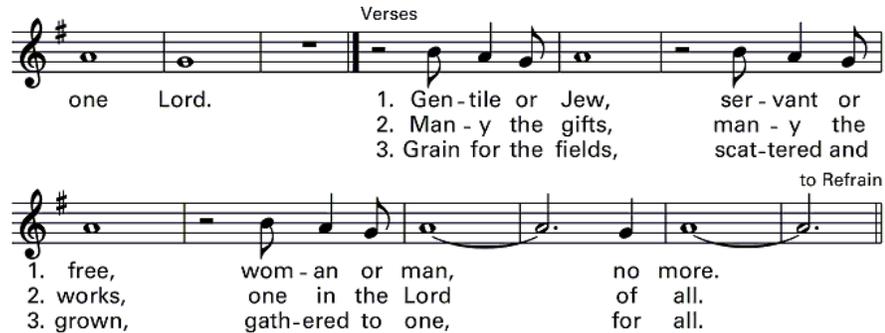
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One bread, one bod-y, one Lord of all,  
one cup of bless-ing which we bless. And we, though  
man-y, through-out the earth, we are one bod - y in this

Verses



one Lord. 1. Gen-tile or Jew, ser - vant or  
2. Man - y the gifts, man - y the  
3. Grain for the fields, scat-tered and

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1. free, wom - an or man, no more.  
2. works, one in the Lord of all.  
3. grown, gath-ered to one, for all.

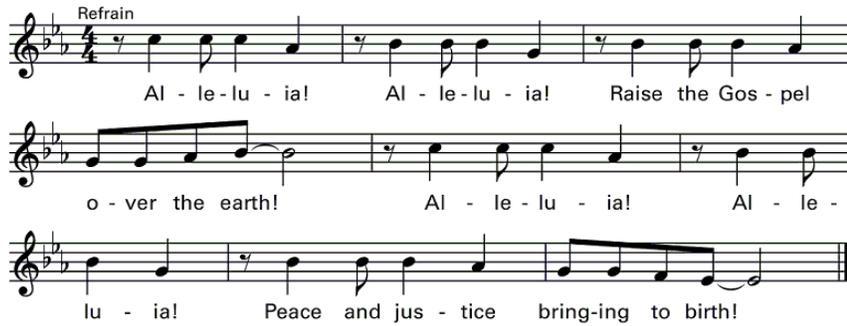
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# *Sending Forth: Alleluia! Raise the Gospel*

## ALLELUIA! RAISE THE GOSPEL

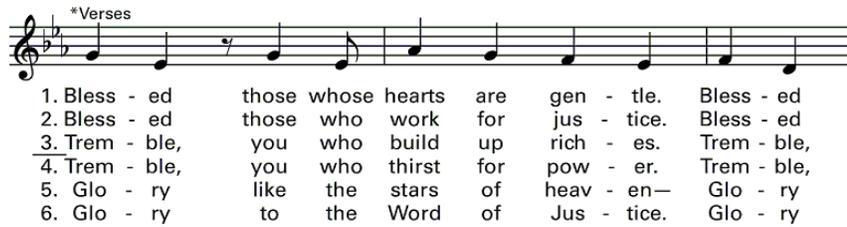
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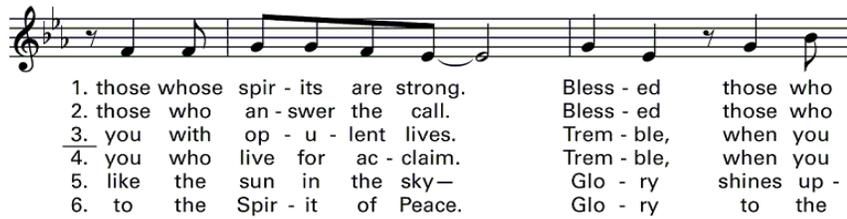


Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Raise the Gos - pel  
o - ver the earth! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -  
lu - ia! Peace and jus - tice bring - ing to birth!

\*Verses



1. Bless - ed those whose hearts are gen - tle. Bless - ed  
2. Bless - ed those who work for jus - tice. Bless - ed  
3. Trem - ble, you who build up rich - es. Trem - ble,  
4. Trem - ble, you who thirst for pow - er. Trem - ble,  
5. Glo - ry like the stars of heav - en— Glo - ry  
6. Glo - ry to the Word of Jus - tice. Glo - ry



1. those whose spir - its are strong. Bless - ed those who  
2. those who an - swer the call. Bless - ed those who  
3. you with op - u - lent lives. Trem - ble, when you  
4. you who live for ac - claim. Trem - ble, when you  
5. like the sun in the sky— Glo - ry shines up -  
6. to the Spir - it of Peace. Glo - ry to the

to Refrain



1. choose to bring forth right where there is wrong.  
2. dare to dream of last - ing peace for all.  
3. meet the poor and see Christ in their eyes.  
4. find no com - fort in your wealth and fame.  
5. on all peo - ple, e - qual in God's eyes.  
6. God of Love whose bless - ings nev - er cease.

\*Alternate verses available in the accompaniment books.

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