THE JERUSALEM MASS SHEET

16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (8) 21st of July 2024

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

Entrance Antiphon or a hymn.

See, I have God for my help. The Lord sustains my soul. I will sacrifice to you with willing heart, and praise your name, 0 Lord, for it is good. All make the Sign of the Cross as the Priest says: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen. The Priest greets everyone present. The people respond:And with your spirit. The Mass of the day may be introduced.

Penitential Act

The Priest invites the people to repentance using

one of the Penitential Acts.

Have mercy on us, 0 Lord.

For we have sinned against you.

Show us, 0 Lord, your mercy.

And grant us your salvation.

The Priest says the absolution.

Lord, have mercy.OrLord, have mercy.Christ, have mercy.Or:Christ, have mercy.Lord, have mercy.OrLord, have mercy.

Stand

Ps 53:6,8

The 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, 0 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.

The Collect

Show favour, 0 Lord, to your servants and mercifully increase the gifts of your grace, that, made fervent in hope, faith and charity, they may be ever watchful in keeping your commands.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah

'Doom for the shepherds who allow the flock of my pasture to be destroyed and scattered - it is the Lord who speaks! This, therefore, is what the Lord, the God of Israel, says about the shepherds in charge of my people: You have let my flock be scattered and go wandering and have not taken care of them. Right, I will take care of you for your misdeeds - it is the Lord who speaks! But the remnant of my flock I myself will gather from all the countries where I have dispersed them, and will bring them back to their pastures: they shall be fruitful and increase in numbers. I will raise up shepherds to look after them and pasture them; no fear, no terror for them any more; not one shall be lost - it is the Lord who speaks!

See, the days are coming - it is the Lord who speakswhen I will raise a virtuous Branch for David, who will reign as true king and be wise, practising honesty and integrity in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel dwell in confidence. And this is the name he will be called: The Lord-our-integrity.' 23:1-6

Sit

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Psalm

Ps 22. R.v1

R) The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing | shall want.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose. Near restful waters he leads me, to revive my drooping spirit. (**R**)

He guides me along the right path; he is true to his name.• If I should walk in the valley of darkness no evil would I fear. You are there with your crook and your staff; with these you give me comfort. **(R)**

You have prepared a banquet for me in the sight of my foes. My head you have anointed with oil; my cup is overflowing. **(R)**

Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me all the days of my life. In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for ever and ever. **(R)**

R) The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

Second Reading

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Ephesians

In Christ Jesus, you that used to be so far apart from us have been brought very close, by the blood of Christ. For he is the peace between us, 2:13-18

and has made the two into one and broken down the barrier which used to keep them apart, actually destroying in his own person the hostility caused by the rules and decrees of the Law. This was to create one single New Man in himself out of the two of them and by restoring peace through the cross, to unite them both in a single Body and reconcile them with God. In his own person he killed the hostility. Later he came to bring the good news of peace, peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near at hand. Through him, both of us have in the one Spirit our way to come to the Father.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation	Stand
Alleluia, alleluia!	Jn 10:27
The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice,	
says the Lord,	
I know them and they follow me.	
Alleluia!	

Gospel

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.** A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark. **Glory to you, 0 Lord.**

The apostles rejoined Jesus and told him all they had done and taught. Then he said to them, 'You must come away to some lonely place all by yourselves and rest for a while'; for there were so many coming and going that the apostles had no time even to eat. So they went off in a boat to a lonely place where they could be by themselves. But people saw them going, and many could guess where; and from every town they all hurried to the place on foot and reached **it** before them. So as he stepped ashore he saw Mark 6:30-34

a large crowd; and he took pity on them because they were like sheep without a shepherd, and he set himself to teach them at some length.

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

The Homily

The Nicene Creed

l 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 All bow

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

Sit

Stand

the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayer of the Faithful

Response example: Lord, in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

After the concluding prayer all say: Amen. Sit

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

The offerings are brought to the altar. A hymn may be sung. If the Priest says the two prayers of offering aloud, the response both times is:

Blessed be God for ever.

The people rise as the Priest says:

Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters),

that my sacrifice and yours

may be acceptable to God,

the almighty Father

The people reply:

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.

Prayer over the Offerings

0 God, who in the one perfect sacrifice brought to completion varied offerings of the law, accept, we pray, this sacrifice from your faithful servants and make it holy, as you blessed the gifts of Abel, so that what each has offered to the honour of your majesty may benefit the salvation of all. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.**

Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right and just.

Preface V of the Sundays in Ordinary Time

Creation

(The Priest may use a different Preface.) It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God.

For you laid the foundations of the world and have arranged the changing of times and seasons;

you formed man in your own image and set humanity over the whole world in all its wonder,

to rule in your name over all you have made and for ever praise you in your mighty works, through Christ our Lord.

And so, with all the Angels, we praise you, as in joyful celebration we acclaim:

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. Kneel

Eucharistic Prayer II

(The Priest may use a different Eucharistic Prayer.) You are indeed Holy, 0 Lord, the fount of all holiness. Make holy, therefore, these gifts, we pray, by sending down your Spirit upon them like the dewfall. so that they may become for us the Body and if< Blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ. At the time he was betrayed and entered willingly into his Passion, he took bread and, giving thanks, broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: TAKE THIS, ALL OF YOU, AND EAT OF IT, FOR THIS IS MY B ODY, WHICH WILL BE GIVEN UP FOR YOU. In a similar way, when supper was ended, he took the chalice and, once more giving thanks, he gave it to his disciples, saying: 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. The mystery of faith. The people continue, acclaiming: Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free. Therefore, as we celebrate the memorial of his Death and Resurrection,

we offer you, Lord,

the Bread of life and the Chalice of salvation,

giving thanks that you have held us worthy

to be in your presence and minister to you.

Humbly we pray

that, partaking of the Body and Blood of Christ, we may be gathered into one by the Holy Spirit.

Remember, Lord, your Church,

spread throughout the world,

and bring her to the fullness of charity,

together with **N**. our Pope and **N**. our Bishop

and all the clergy.

Remember also our brothers and sisters

who have fallen asleep

in the hope of the resurrection,

and all who have died in your mercy:

welcome them into the light of your face . Have mercy on us all, we pray,

that with the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God,

with blessed Joseph, her Spouse, with the blessed Apos tles,

and all the Saints who have pleased you throughout the ages,

we may merit to be coheirs to eternal life, and may praise and glorify you

through your Son, Jesus Christ.

Through him, and with him, and in him,

0 God, almighty Father,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, for ever and ever.

The people acclaim: Amen.

The Communion Rite

Stand

The Priest invites all to join in the 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.

The Priest continues alone:

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 Saviour, Jesus Christ. **For the kingdom,**

the power and the glory are yours

now and for ever.

The Priest says:

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. **Amen.** The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And with your spirit.**

The Deacon, or the Priest, adds:

Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

The Priest takes the host and breaks if.

Meanwhile the people say or sing:

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, Grant us peace. *Kneel*

The Priest shows the host to the people and says:

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

The Priest or other minister says to each communicant

The Body [Blood] of Christ. Each communicant answers: Amen.

Communion Antiphon

Rv 3:20

Behold, | stand at the door and knock,

says the Lord.

If anyone hears my voice and opens

the door to me,

| will enter his house and dine with him,

and he with me.

Amen.

Prayer after Communion

Graciously be present to your people, we pray,

0 Lord,

and lead those you have imbued with heavenly

mysteries

to pass from former ways to newness of life.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen

THE CONCLUDING RITES

Announcements may be made.

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Amen.

Then the Deacon, or the Priest, says :

Go forth, the Mass is ended, *Or:* Go and announce the Gosper of the Lord, *Or:* Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life. *Or:* Go in peace. alleluia, allelulia.

Thanks be to God.

Stand