

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 11, 2025

Opening Hymn

All People That on Earth Do Dwell #853

Responsorial Psalm #1072

Psalm 100: We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

Communion Hymns

You Satisfy the Hungry Heart #940

Center of My Life #679

Shepherd of My Heart #723

Alleluia No. 1 #524

Closing Hymn

Hail Mary: Gentle Woman #889

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.

The 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.

Readings

#1072

First Reading:

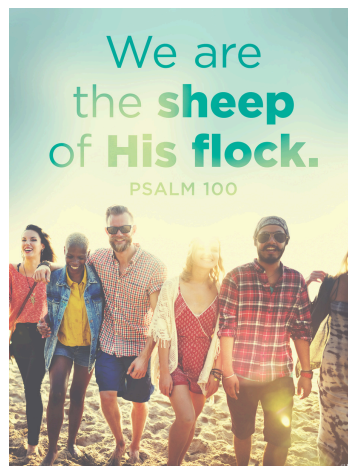
Acts 13:14, 43-52

Second Reading:

Revelation 7:9, 14b-17

Gospel:

John 10:27-30



St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.

Opening Hymn

All People That on Earth Do Dwell 853



1. All peo - ple that on earth do dwell, Sing
2. Know that the Lord is God in - deed; With -
3. O en - ter then his gates with praise; Ap -
4. For why? The Lord our God is good: His
5. To Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, The
- * Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; Praise



to the Lord with cheer - ful voice; Him serve with mirth, his
 out our aid he did us make. We are his folk, he
 proach with joy his courts un - to; Praise, laud, and bless his
 mer - cy is for ev - er sure; His truth at all times
 God whom heav'n and earth a - dore, From us and from the
 him, all crea - tures here be - low; Praise him a - bove, you



praise forth tell; Come we be - fore him and re - joice.
 does us feed, And for his sheep he does us take.
 Name al - ways, For it is seem - ly so to do.
 firm - ly stood, And shall from age to age en - dure.
 an - gel host Be praise and glo - ry ev - er - more.
 heav'n - ly host: Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

**May be sung alone or as an alternate to stanza 5.*

Text: Psalm 100; William Kethe, d. c.1593; Doxology, Thomas Ken, 1637-1711
 Tune: OLD HUNDREDTH, LM; Louis Bourgeois, c.1510-1561

First Reading

Acts 13:14, 43-52

Paul and Barnabas continued on from Perga
and reached Antioch in Pisidia.

On the sabbath they entered the synagogue and took their seats.
Many Jews and worshipers who were converts to Judaism
followed Paul and Barnabas, who spoke to them
and urged them to remain faithful to the grace of God.

On the following sabbath almost the whole city gathered
to hear the word of the Lord.

When the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy
and with violent abuse contradicted what Paul said.

Both Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly and said,
“It was necessary that the word of God be spoken to you first,
but since you reject it
and condemn yourselves as unworthy of eternal life,
we now turn to the Gentiles.

For so the Lord has commanded us,
I have made you a light to the Gentiles,
that you may be an instrument of salvation
to the ends of the earth.”

The Gentiles were delighted when they heard this
and glorified the word of the Lord.

All who were destined for eternal life came to believe,
and the word of the Lord continued to spread
through the whole region.

The Jews, however, incited the women of prominence who were worshipers
and the leading men of the city,
stirred up a persecution against Paul and Barnabas,
and expelled them from their territory.

So they shook the dust from their feet in protest against them,
and went to Iconium.

The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

Responsorial Psalm

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 100:1–2, 3, 5

Or: Alleluia.



We are his peo-ple, the sheep of his flock.

Cry out with joy to the LORD, all the earth.
Serve the LORD with gladness.
Come before him, singing for joy. *R.*

Know that he, the LORD, is God.
He made us; we belong to him.

We are his people, the sheep of his
flock. *R.*

Indeed, how good is the LORD,
eternal his merciful love.
He is faithful from age to age. *R.*

Second Reading

Revelation 7:9, 14b-17

I, John, had a vision of a great multitude,
which no one could count,
from every nation, race, people, and tongue.
They stood before the throne and before the Lamb,
wearing white robes and holding palm branches in their hands.

Then one of the elders said to me,
“These are the ones who have survived the time of great distress;
they have washed their robes
and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

“For this reason they stand before God’s throne
and worship him day and night in his temple.
The one who sits on the throne will shelter them.
They will not hunger or thirst anymore,
nor will the sun or any heat strike them.
For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne
will shepherd them
and lead them to springs of life-giving water,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

Gospel

John 10:27-30

Jesus said:
“My sheep hear my voice;
I know them, and they follow me.
I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish.
No one can take them out of my hand.
My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all,
and no one can take them out of the Father’s hand.
The Father and I are one.”

Communion Hymns

You Satisfy the Hungry Heart 940

Refrain



You sat - is - fy the hun - gry heart With



gift of fin - est wheat; Come give to us, O



sav - ing Lord, The bread of life to eat.

Verses



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|-------------------------|------|--------------------|------|
| 1. As when the shep - | herd | calls his sheep, | They |
| 2. With joy - ful lips | we | sing to you | Our |
| 3. Is not the cup | we | bless and share | The |
| 4. The mys - t'ry of | your | pres - ence, Lord, | No |
| 5. You give your - self | to | us, O Lord; | Then |



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|------------------|-------------------------|------|---------------------|-------|
| know | and heed his voice; | So | when you call | your |
| praise | and grat - i - tude, | That | you should count | us |
| blood | of Christ out - poured? | Do | not one cup, | one |
| mor - tal tongue | can tell: | Whom | all the world | can - |
| self - less | let us be, | To | serve each oth - er | |



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| fam - 'ly, Lord, | We | fol - low | and re - | joice. |
| wor - thy, Lord, | To | share | this heav'n - ly | food. |
| loaf, de - | Our | one - | ness in the | Lord? |
| not con - | Comes | in | our hearts | to dwell. |
| tain in | In | truth | and char - i - | ty. |

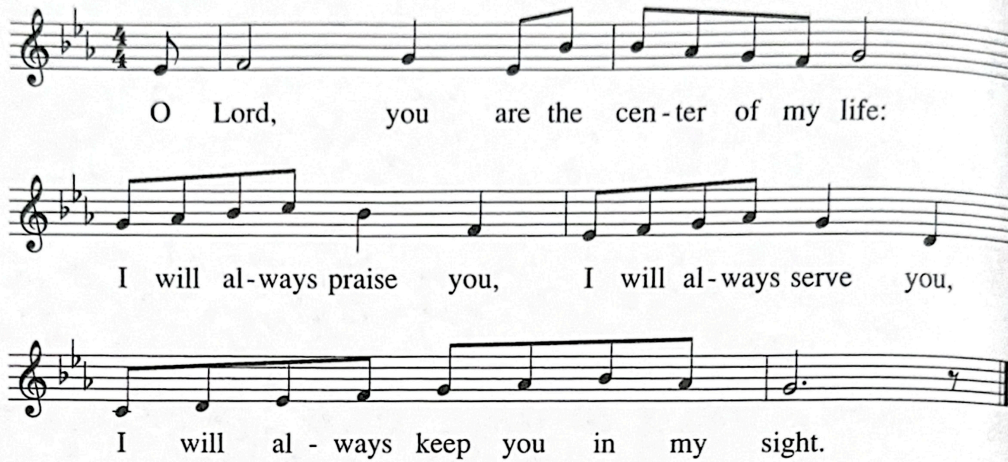
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679 Center of My Life

Refrain

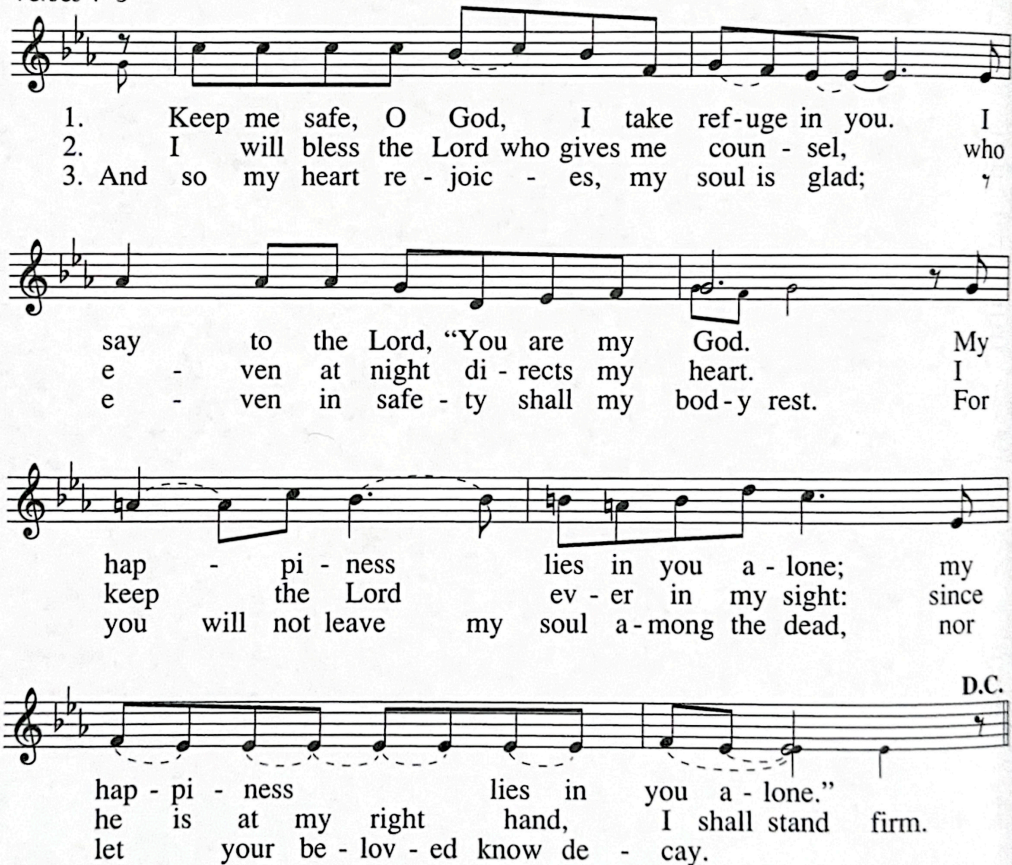


O Lord, you are the cen-ter of my life:

I will al-ways praise you, I will al-ways serve you,

I will al-ways keep you in my sight.

Verses 1-3



1. Keep me safe, O God, I take ref-uge in you. I
 2. I will bless the Lord who gives me coun-sel, who
 3. And so my heart re-joic-es, my soul is glad;

say to the Lord, "You are my God. My
 e-ven at night di-rects my heart. I
 e-ven in safe-ty shall my bod-y rest. For

hap-pi-ness lies in you a-lone; my
 keep the Lord ev-er in my sight: since
 you will not leave my soul a-mong the dead, nor

hap-pi-ness lies in you a-lone." D.C.
 he is at my right hand, I shall stand firm.
 let your be-lov-ed know de-cay.

Verse 4



4. You will show me the path of life, the

full-ness of joy in your pres-ence, at your right hand,

at your right hand hap-pi-ness for ev-er. D.C.

Shepherd of My Heart 723

Verses



1. My shep-herd is the Lord, for noth-ing shall I want;
2. If I should walk one day in - to the vale of dark-ness,
3. You a-noint my head with oil; my cup is o-ver-flow-ing;



green are the pas-tures where I'm led to re - pose.
no e - vil shall I fear with God at my side.
good - ness and kind - ness crown the days of my life.



Near wa-ters still and deep God will re - fresh my soul.
There with your crook and staff you give me strength and com-fort;
With - in the Lord's own house I dwell in peace for ev - er;

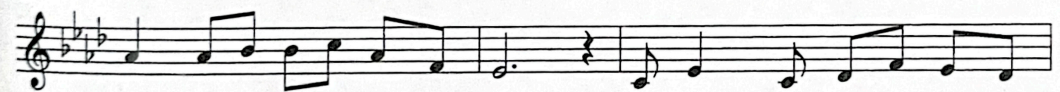


I am led on-ward in ways true to the Name.
you spread a ban-quet in the sight of my foes.
with - in the house of God my soul is at rest.

Refrain



Guide me, O shep-herd of my heart; lead me home-ward through the



dark, in-to ev-er-last-ing day. Show me the way of truth and



light; keep me al-ways in your sight. May my life nev-er



part from the shep-herd of my heart.

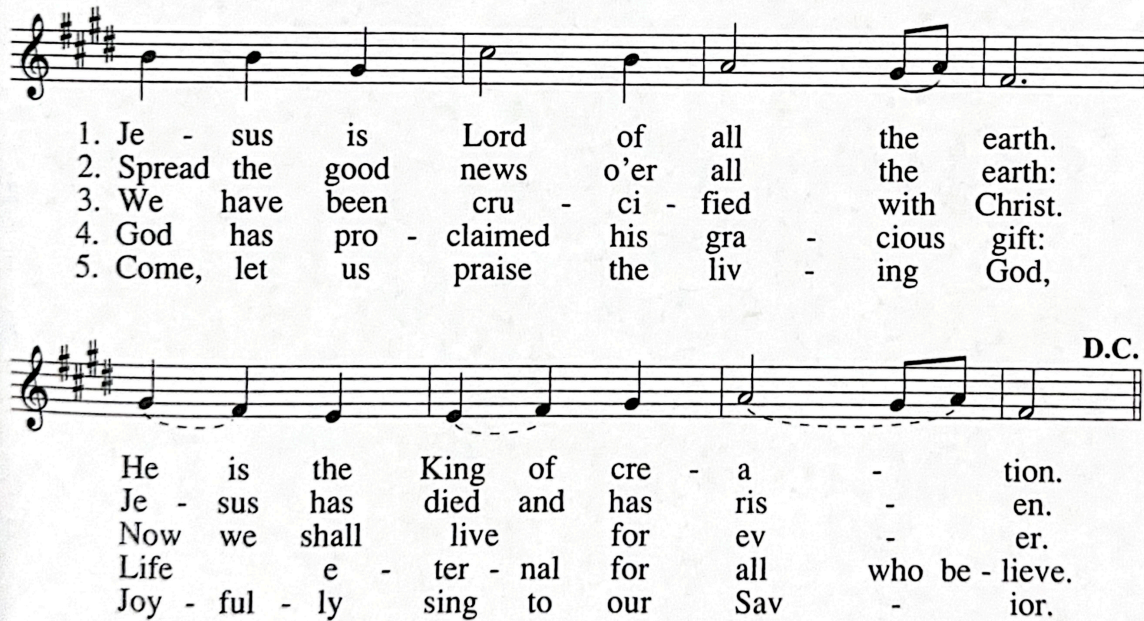
Alleluia No. 1 524

Refrain



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, give
 thanks to the ris - en Lord. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
 lu - ia, give praise to his Name.

Verses



1. Je - sus is Lord of all the earth.
 2. Spread the good news o'er all the earth:
 3. We have been cru - ci - fied with Christ.
 4. God has pro - claimed his gra - cious gift:
 5. Come, let us praise the liv - ing God,
 He is the King of cre - a - tion.
 Je - sus has died and has ris - en.
 Now we shall live for ev - er.
 Life e - ter - nal for all who be - lieve.
 Joy - ful - ly sing to our Sav - ior.

Text: Donald Fishel, b. 1950,
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Closing Hymn

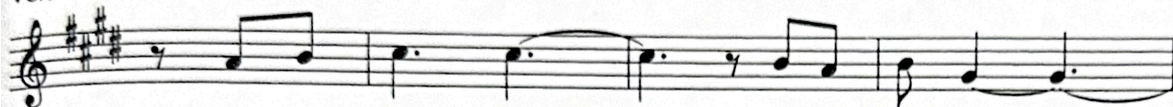
889 Hail Mary: Gentle Woman

Hail Mar - y, full of grace, the
Lord is with you. Bless-ed are you a-mong
wom-en, and blest is the fruit of your womb, Je - sus.
Ho-ly Mar - y, Moth-er of God,
pray for us sin - ners now and at the hour of
death. A - men.

Refrain

Gen-tle wom-an, quiet light, morn-ing
star, so strong and bright, gen-tle
Moth-er, peace-ful dove, teach us
wis-dom; teach us love.

Verse 1



1. You were cho - sen by the Fa - ther;



you were cho - sen for the Son.



You were cho - sen from all wom-en



and for wom-an, shin-ing one.

Verse 2



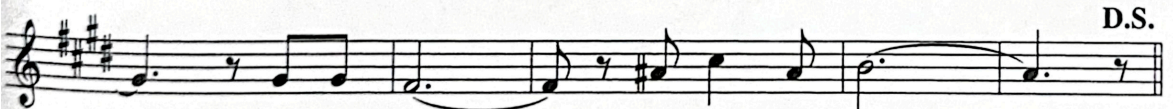
2. Bless-ed are you a - mong wom-en,



blest in turn all wom-en, too.



Bless-ed they with peace - ful spir - its.



Bless-ed they with gen - tle hearts.