

# THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)  
September 20, 2020

Cathedral of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception  
KINGSTON, ONTARIO

## ORGAN PRELUDE

*Please stand for the procession.*

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON *(sung by choir)*

Sir Henry Walford Davies  
(1869-1941)

adapted by Jeffrey Moellman

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord.  
Should they cry to me in any distress,  
I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.

*(cf., Psalm 37:39, 40, 28)*

## ✠ Introductory Rites ✠

### GREETING

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

ALL: **Amen.**

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

ALL: **And with your spirit.**

## PENITENTIAL ACT

CELEBRANT: Let us acknowledge our sins,  
and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

CELEBRANT: You were sent to heal the contrite of heart: Lord, have mercy.

**ALL: Lord, have mercy.**

CELEBRANT: You came to call sinners: Christ, have mercy.

**ALL: Christ, have mercy.**

CELEBRANT: You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us.  
Lord, have mercy.

**ALL: Lord, have mercy.**

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

**ALL: Amen.**

## GLORIA (*spoken*)

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.

## OPENING PRAYER

ALL RESPOND: **Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

# ✠ The Liturgy of the Word ✠

## READING I

*Isaiah 55:6-9*

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: **Thanks be to God.**

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalm 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18*

**Response: The Lord is near to all who call on him.**

## READING II (*omitted*)

*Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a*

*Please stand.*

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (*sung by choir*)

Open our hearts, O Lord,  
to listen to the words of your Son.

(*cf., Acts 16:14b*)

## THE HOLY GOSPEL

*Matthew 20:1-16a*

DEACON OR CELEBRANT: The Lord be with you.

ALL: **And with your spirit.**

DEACON OR CELEBRANT: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

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

*Following the Gospel:*

DEACON OR CELEBRANT: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

*Please be seated.*

HOMILY

Father Shawn J. Hughes  
Rector, St. Mary's Cathedral

*Please stand.*

NICENE CREED (*omitted*)

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS (*omitted*)

## ✠ Liturgy of the Eucharist ✠

*Please be seated.*

CELEBRANT: Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation,  
for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you:  
fruit of the earth and work of human hands,  
it will become for us the bread of life.

ALL: **Blessed be God for ever.**

CELEBRANT: Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation,  
for through your goodness we have received the wine we offer you:  
fruit of the vine and work of human hands,  
it will become our spiritual drink.

ALL: **Blessed be God for ever.**

*Please stand.*

CELEBRANT: Pray, my 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.**

## PREFACE DIALOGUE

- CELEBRANT: The Lord be with you.      ALL: **And with your spirit.**
- CELEBRANT: Lift up your hearts.      ALL: **We lift them up to the Lord.**
- CELEBRANT: Let us give thanks  
to the Lord, our God.      ALL: **It is right and just.**

## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

*Please stand.*

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

- 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.**
- CELEBRANT: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days,  
that, by the help of your mercy, we may always be free from sin  
and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope  
and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.
- ALL:            **For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever.**

## FRACTION RITE

*Please kneel.*

- CELEBRANT: 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.**

## DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

### COMMUNION MOTET (*sung by choir*)

*Sicut cervus*

Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina  
(1525-1594)

*Sicut cervus desiderat ad fontes aquarum,  
ita desiderat anima mea ad te, Deus.*

As the deer longs for running streams,  
So my soul longs for you, O God.

(Psalm 42:1)

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON (*sung by choir*)

You have ordered that your commandments be kept diligently;  
O that my ways may be guided towards the keeping of your statutes.

(Psalm 119:4-5)

### COMMUNION MOTET (*sung by choir*)

#### Soul of My Saviour

Soul of my Saviour, sanctify my breast;  
Body of Christ, be thou my saving guest;  
Blood of my Saviour, bathe me in thy tide;  
Wash me with water flowing from his side.

Strength and protection may thy Passion be;  
O Blessed Jesus, hear and answer me;  
Deep in thy wounds, Lord, hide and shelter me;  
So shall I never, never part from thee.

Guard and defend me from the foe malign,  
in death's dread moments make me only thine;  
call me and bid me come to thee on high  
where I may praise thee with thy saints for ay.

### ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus,  
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You.  
Amen.

## BLESSING

ALL RESPOND: **Amen.**

## DISMISSAL

ALL RESPOND: **Thanks be to God.**

## ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Please join us in-person or via Internet live-stream  
from the  
Cathedral of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception.

### Weekday Masses

*In-person attendance permitted (masks required)*

**Monday – Friday**                      **12:10pm only**

### Holy Hour (Adoration, Exposition, Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament)

*In-person attendance permitted (masks required)*

**Wednesday, September 23**   **6:00-9:00pm**

### Holy Sacrifice of the Mass (26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)

*In-person attendance permitted (masks required)*

**Saturday, September 26**        **5:00pm**

**Sunday, September 27**            **8:00am**

**10:30am**    *Live-streamed*  
music provided by the Cathedral Schola

### Gloria

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