



Saint Columbkille Parish

Worship God, Serve Others, Form Disciples

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 16-17, 2021

Lyrics for hymns for our Masses which are being streamed.

Gathering Hymn: Rain Down by Jaime Cortez

Refrain: Rain down, rain down, rain down your love on your people. Rain down, rain down, rain down your love, God of life.

Vs. 1 Faithful and true is the word of our God. All of God's works are so worthy of trust. God's mercy falls on the just and the right; full of God's love is the earth. Repeat Refrain.

Vs. 2 We who revere and find hope in our God live in the kindness and joy of God's wing. God will protect us from darkness and death; God will not leave us to starve. Repeat Refrain.

Vs. 3 God of creation, we long for your truth; you are the water of life that we thirst. Grant that your love and your peace touch our hearts, all of our hope lies in you. Repeat Refrain.

Gloria and all Mass responses are from the Mass of Spirit and Grace by Ricky Manalo, CSP

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 33 Let Your Mercy Be On Us by Marty Haugen

Let your mercy be on us, O God, as we place our trust in you.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia from Mass of Spirit and Grace by Ricky Manalo, CSP

Preparation of the Gifts: The Servant Song by Richard Gillard

Vs. 1 Will you let me be your servant, Let me be as Christ to you; Pray that I may have the strength to Let you by my servant too.

Vs. 2 We are pilgrims on a journey, We are travelers on the road; We are here to help each other Walk the mile and bear the load.

Vs. 3 I will hold the Christ light for you In the nighttime of your fear; I will hold my hand out to you, Speak the peace you long to hear.

Vs. 4 I will weep when you are weeping; When you laugh I'll laugh with you. I will share your joy and sorrow 'Til we've seen this journey through.

Vs. 5 When we sing to God in heaven We shall find such harmony, Born of all we've known together Of Christ's love and agony.



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Communion Hymn: *By Our Love* by Tom Kendzia

Refrain: By our love, by our love, they will know we are Christians by our love. Not by words, but how we live, yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love.

Vs. 1 When we feed the hungry, they will know by our love, lifting up the lowly, by our love, by our love. We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord, and we pray that all unity may one day be restored.

Repeat Refrain.

Vs. 2 Welcome to the stranger, they will know by our love, shelter to the homeless, by our love, by our love. We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand, and together we'll spread the news that God is in our land. Repeat Refrain.

Vs. 3 Freedom to the captives, they will know by our love, comfort to the broken, by our love, by our love. We will work with each other, we will work side by side, and we'll guard each one's dignity and save each other's pride. Repeat Refrain.

Bridge: We sing praise to the Father, from whom all things come, and all praise to Christ Jesus, his only Son, and all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one, they will know we are Christians by our love.

Repeat Refrain.

Closing Hymn: *God Has Chosen Me* by Bernadette Farrell

Vs. 1 God has chosen me, God has chosen me to bring good news to the poor. God has chosen me, God has chosen me to bring new sight to those searching for light: God has chosen me, chosen me:

Refrain: And to tell the world that God's kingdom is near, to remove oppression and break down fear, yes, God's time is near, God's time is near, God's time is near, God's time is near.

Vs. 2 God has chosen me, God has chosen me to set alight a new fire. God has chosen me, God has chosen me to bring to birth a new kingdom on earth: God has chosen me, chosen me: Repeat Refrain.

Vs. 3 God is calling me, God is calling me in all whose cry is unheard. God is calling me, God is calling me to raise up the voice with no power or choice: God is calling me, calling me: Repeat Refrain.

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