HYMN SHEET FOR THE 3rd SUNDAY OF YEAR C

ENTRANCE HYMN

Here in this place new light is streaming,
Now is the darkness vanished away,
See in this space our fears and our dreamings,
Brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in' the lost and forsaken,
Gather us in' the blind and the lame;
Call to us now, and we shall awaken,
We shall arise at the sound of our name.

We are the young' our lives are a mystery, We are the old' who yearn for your face, We have been sung throughout all of history, Called to be light to the whole human race.

Gather us in' the rich and the haughty,
Gather us in' the proud and the strong;
Give us a heart so meek and so lowly,
Give us the courage to enter the song.

Here we will take the wine and the water,
Here we will take the bread of new birth,
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters,
Call us anew to be salt for the earth.
Give us to drink the wine of compassion,
Give us to eat the bread that is you;
Nourish us well, and teach us to fashion
Lives that are holy and hearts that are true.

Not in the dark of buildings confining,
Not in some heaven, light years away,
But here in this place the new light is shining,
Now is the Kingdom, now is the day.
Gather us in and hold us for ever,
Gather us in and make us your own;
Gather us in' all peoples together,
Fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

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PSALM RESPONSE

Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia!
The Lord has sent me to bring the Good News to the poor,
to proclaim liberty to the captives.
Alleluia!



PRAYER OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are truly present in the Most Blessed Sacrament of the altar.

I love You above all things,
And I desire to receive You into my life.

Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart and soul.

I embrace You as if you were already there, and I unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

(Saint Alphonsus Liguori)



COMMUNION HYMN

Here is bread that speaks of love;
your body broken for a guilty world,
for a guilty world.
Hungry, we come to feed on you;
manna from heaven, giving strength anew,
giving strength anew.

Lord, by your cross and resurrection you have freed us.

And now we know that you're the Saviour of the world.

Open our eyes to see you here with us and burn within our hearts, risen Lord, risen Lord.

Here is wine that tells of grace;
your blood outpoured to cover all our shame,
to cover all our shame.
Thirsty, we come to drink from you;
fountain of life, our souls you will renew,
our souls you will renew.

Lord, by your cross......

Grace, such grace! Here, we find grace! (Repeat)

Lord, by your cross......

Here we are, your body, Lord, given that all the world might be restored, the world might be restored.

Offering now the lives we live; freely you gave, and freely we will give, freely we will give.

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RECESSIONAL HYMN

Take the word of God with you as you go.

Take the seeds of God's word and make them grow.

Go in peace to serve the world, in peace to serve the world.

Take the love of God, the love of God with you as you go.

Take the peace of God with you as you go.

Take the seeds of God's peace and make them grow.

Go in peace to serve the world, in peace to serve the world.

Take the love of God, the love of God with you as you go.

Take the joy of God with you as you go.

Take the seeds of God's joy and make them grow.

Go in peace to serve the world, in peace to serve the world.

Take the love of God, the love of God with you as you go.

Take the love of God with you as you go.

Take the seeds of God's love and make them grow.

Go in peace to serve the world, in peace to serve the world.

Take the love of God, the love of God with you as you go.

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