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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

LOW MASS EVERY SUNDAY AT 8:30 AM

SUNG MASS EVERY SUNDAY AT 10:30 AM

Wednesday mid-week Mass at 10:30 am



8:30 am Low Mass and 10:30 am Sung Mass

The Liturgy of the Word

A reading from the book of Wisdom (3:1-9)

But the souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster and their going from us to be their destruction, but they are at peace.

For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality.

Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth and will run like sparks through the stubble.

They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them forever.

Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

This is the word of the Lord R. Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 23

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

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall now want. In verdant pastures He gives me repose; Besides restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul

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

He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil. For you are at my side with your rod and your staff that give me courage.

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

You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

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

Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for years to come

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

A reading from the book of Revelation (21:1-7)

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"See, the home of God is among mortals.

He will dwell with them;

they will be his peoples,

and God himself will be with them and be their God;

he will wipe every tear from their eyes.

Death will be no more;

mourning and crying and pain will be no more,

for the first things have passed away."

And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life. Those who conquer will inherit these things, and I will be their God, and they will be my children.

This is the word of the Lord R. Thanks be to God

Sung Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia All: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God

All: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

The Gospel of Luke (24:1-9)

The Lord be with you. All: And also with you

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, but when they went in they did not find the body. While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, that the Son of Man must be handed over to the hands of sinners and be crucified and on the third day rise again." Then they remembered his words, and returning from the tomb they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest.

This is the Gospel of the Lord R. Praise to you, O Christ

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE



Let us now remember before God and commend to his sure keeping, those who have died for their country in time of war; those whom we knew and whose memory we treasure; and all who have lived and died in the service of mankind.

They shall grow not old as we that are left grow old. Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning we will remember them

ALL: We will remember them.

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TWO MINUTE SILENCE

Silence ends with the sounding of *The Reveille*

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION- please be seated

The prayers of intercession end with the following prayer:

Priest: Almighty and eternal God, from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted, either by death or life: Hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all whom we remember this day; fulfil in them the purpose of your love, and bring us all, with them, to your eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

ACT OF COMMITMENT

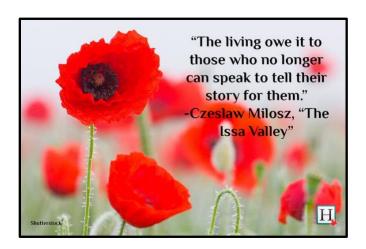
All: Heavenly Father, we pledge ourselves to serve you and others in the cause of peace, for the relief of want and suffering, and for the praise of your name. Guide us by your Spirit; give us wisdom; give us courage, give us hope; and keep us faithful now and always. Amen.

THE GREETING OF PEACE

Priest: Jesus says: Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled neither let them be afraid. The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All and also with you.

All exchange a Sign of Peace



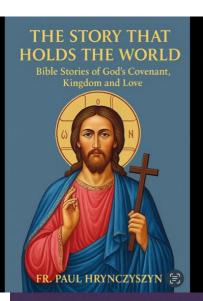
Sunday Reflection

On this Remembrance Sunday we pause in humility and gratitude. We remember those who gave their lives in the hope of peace, and those whose lives were forever changed by war. We acknowledge the cost of conflict, the grief carried in families, and the courage shown in the face of fear. As we honour their sacrifice, we also pray for a world where such sacrifice is no longer needed. Christ calls us to be peacemakers, to stand for justice, mercy and reconciliation. May our remembrance lead us not only to memory, but to action shaped by love and peace.

NOTICES

SUNDAY SCHOOL TODAY

The Sunday 8:30 am Low Mass is now celebrated every Sunday. We now have two Sunday masses celebrated regularly every week at St. Edward's. Always remember to make the Lord's Day holy!



If you're looking for a meaningful gift for a young person or family, Fr. Paul's new book *The Story That Holds the World* is available for purchase. It retells the great story of the Bible in a way that is beautiful, accessible, and spiritually thoughtful, with discussion questions for prayer at home. The cost is 35 CHF. If you're interested, please see Fr. Paul after Mass.

ST. EDWARD'S CHURCH

WAITING IN HOPE

AN ADVENT DAY OF RECOLLECTION



on Saturday, December 6,
9 am-12 pm-a peaceful pause
to prepare our hearts for
Christ's coming amid
the season's busyness.