

**SUNDAY, June 12, 2022**  
**The Most Holy Trinity**

**Affirmation Prayer...**

Let us bless the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit! Let us praise and exalt God above all for ever!

**All: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia!**

**Hymn** **Meter: 87 87 87**

Glory be to God the Father,  
Glory be to God the Son,  
Glory be to God the Spirit,  
Glory to the Three in One!  
Glory, honor, praise and blessing  
While eternal ages run!  
Glory be to him who loves us,  
Washed us from each spot and stain!  
Glory be to him who brought us,  
Made us kings with him to reign!  
Glory, honor, praise, and blessing  
To the Lamb that once was slain!  
Glory to the King of angels,  
Glory to the Church's King,  
Glory to the King of nations,  
Heav'n and earth, your praises sing;  
Glory, honor, praise, and blessing  
To the King of glory bring!

**Canticle** **Isaiah 33:2-3, 5-6, 10**

*Praise and eternal glory to God the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Paraclete through all ages.*  
*(Traditional Antiphon)*

*God is exalted in mystery and majesty, triune and one in glory, yet nearer to us than we are to ourselves through the divine indwelling. What can we offer but praise that dares to go beyond the small boundaries of our finite understanding into the realm of light inaccessible?*

O Lord, have pity on us, for you we wait.  
Be our strength every morning,  
our salvation in time of trouble!  
At the roaring sound, peoples flee;  
when you rise in your majesty, nations are scattered.  
The Lord is exalted, enthroned on high;  
he fills Zion with right and justice.  
That which makes her seasons lasting,  
the riches that save her, are wisdom and knowledge;  
the fear of the Lord is her treasure.  
Now will I rise up, says the Lord,  
now will I be exalted, now be lifted up.

**All: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.**

**Word of God** **Ephesians 3:8-11**

To me, the very least of all the holy ones, this grace was given, to preach to the Gentiles the inscrutable riches of Christ, and to bring to light [for all] what is the plan of the mystery hidden from ages past in God who created all things, so that the manifold wisdom of God might now be

made known through the church to the principalities and authorities in the heavens. This was according to the eternal purpose that he accomplished in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Let us praise the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever!

**Canticle of Zechariah**

Blessed are you, now and through endless ages, O holy Creator and Ruler of all, most blessed and undivided Trinity!  
*(Traditional Antiphon)*

**All: Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel; he has come to his people and set them free. He has raised up for us a mighty savior, born of the house of his servant David.**

**Through his holy prophets he promised of old that he would save us from our enemies, from the hands of all who hate us. He promised to show mercy to our fathers and to remember his holy covenant.**

**This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham: to set us free from the hands of our enemies, free to worship him without fear, holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.**

**You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High; for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way, to give his people knowledge of salvation by the forgiveness of their sins.**

**In the tender compassion of our God the dawn from on high shall break upon us, to shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death, and to guide our feet into the way of peace.**

**All: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.**

**Intercessions**

Let us adore the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit:

**R/ Glory and praise to our God!**

Father most holy, we do not know how to pray: send us the Spirit to aid us in our weakness. **R/**

Father all-powerful, you sent the Spirit into our hearts to cry, "Abba, Father": make us heirs in Christ your Son. **R/**

Jesus, Son of God, you prayed to the Father to send the Advocate for your Church: lead us by the Spirit of truth. **R/**

Jesus, risen from the dead, you sent the Spirit, the Consoler, to your disciples: make us witnesses for you. **R/**

Spirit of the Father and the Son, ripen your fruits in our hearts: grant us patience and gentleness, charity, joy, and peace. **R/**

**Personal intentions**

**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.**

Eternal Father, who with the Word of Life and the Spirit of Truth are glorious in Trinity and majestic in unity, inspire us to drink ever more deeply of the wellspring of salvation that is the sacraments, that we may be drawn ever more fully into that divine life which awaits us in heaven. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

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**Reading 1**

**Proverbs 8:22-31**

The Wisdom of God cries aloud: The Lord created me when his purpose first unfolded, before the oldest of his works. From everlasting I was firmly set, from the beginning, before earth came into being. The deep was not, when I was born, there were no springs to gush with water. Before the mountains were settled, before the hills, I came to birth; before he made the earth, the countryside, or the first grains of the world's dust. When he fixed the heavens firm, I was there, when he drew a ring on the surface of the deep, when he thickened the clouds above, when he fixed fast the springs of the deep, when he assigned the sea its boundaries – and the waters will not invade the shore – when he laid down the foundations of the earth, I was by his side, a master craftsman, delighting him day after day, ever at play in his presence, at play everywhere in his world, delighting to be with the sons of men.

**Reading 2**

**Romans 5:1-5**

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith we are judged righteous and at peace with God, since it is by faith and through Jesus that we have entered this state of grace in which we can boast about looking forward to God's glory. But that is not all we can boast about; we can boast about our sufferings. These sufferings bring patience, as we know, and patience brings perseverance, and perseverance brings hope, and this hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us.

**Gospel**

**John 16:12-15**

Jesus said to his disciples: 'I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.'

**Men of St. Joseph Prayer**

**All: St. Joseph, help me to be like you. Help me to be obedient to the teachings of the Church and faithful to God's commands. Help me to patiently endure my cross each day. Let me be a model of holiness and a pillar of virtue. I solemnly promise to embrace God's will and I accept the challenge to work tirelessly for my family's salvation. Be my guide and companion on this journey. St. Joseph, terror of demons, pray for us!**

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