

Pulpit Announcements - July 10, 2022

15th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Welcome to all who are here today on this 15th Sunday
in Ordinary Time.**

**Whoever you are, or wherever you find yourself on
the journey, know that here at St. Matthias, All Are
Welcome.**

The Pontifical Mission Office of our Diocese assigns different missionaries for doing a Mission Appeal in every parish once a year. The Carmelites of Mary Immaculate congregation is assigned to St Matthias this year. Fr. Pauly Thekkan will be preaching at all the Masses next weekend representing the Carmelite mission, and a second collection will be taken.

**A thought to prepare ourselves to celebrate the
Eucharist: The great commandment of love is not
something “mysterious” or “remote.” Indeed, it is
very near to us!**

**Yet, how difficult it is to fulfill it, being a neighbor
to whoever is in need! As a good beginning, let us
turn to each other and give a smile or a wave of
hand, and thus enter into this celebration.**

Music for Our Assembly

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Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice. Psalm 48

Gathering Song - God Has Chosen Me

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 breakdown fear,
yes, God's time is near, God's time is near,
God's time is near; God's time is near.**

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:

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.

Responsorial Psalm - Psalm 69

Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

I pray to you, O LORD,
for the time of your favor, O God!
In your great kindness answer me
with your constant help.

Answer me, O LORD, for bounteous is your kindness:
in your great mercy turn toward me.

I am afflicted and in pain;
let your saving help, O God, protect me.
I will praise the name of God in song,
and I will glorify him with thanksgiving.

"See, you lowly ones, and be glad;
you who seek God, may your hearts revive!
For the LORD hears the poor,
and his own who are in bonds he spurns not."

For God will save Zion
and rebuild the cities of Judah.
The descendants of his servants shall inherit it,
and those who love his name shall inhabit it.

R/ Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

Communion Hymn - Christ be our Light

1. Longing for light, we wait in darkness. Longing for truth, we turn to you.

Make us your own, your holy people, light for the world to see.

Refrain

**Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness.
Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gathered today.**

2. Longing for peace, our world is troubled. Longing for hope, many despair.

Your word alone has pow'r to save us. Make us your living voice.

3. Longing for food, many are hungry. Longing for water, many still thirst.

Make us your bread, broken for others, shared until all are fed.

4. Longing for shelter, many are homeless. Longing for warmth, many are cold.

Make us your building, sheltering others, walls made of living stone.

5. Many the gifts, many the people, many the hearts that yearn to belong.

Let us be servants to one another, making your kingdom come.

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Closing Hymn - Canticle of the Sun

The heavens are telling the glory of God, and all creation is shouting for joy.

Come, dance in the forest, come, play in the field, and sing, sing to the glory of the Lord.

1. Praise for the sun, the bringer of day, He carries the light of the Lord in his rays;

The moon and the stars who light up the way Unto your throne.

2. Praise for the wind that blows through the trees, The seas mighty storms, the gentlest breeze; They blow where they will, they blow where they please To please the Lord.

3. Praise for the rain that waters our fields, And blesses our crops so all the earth yields; From death unto life her myst'ry revealed Springs forth in joy.

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PRAYERS FOR THE MASS

Gloria

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.

Glory to God...

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.

Glory to God...

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the world, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Glory to God...

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Faithful

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Our response is: “In your name O God, we pray!”

- 1. For Pope Francis, all church leaders, and this faith community of St. Matthias...Inspire us to heed the voice of the LORD, your God, and keep his commandments so that we may fulfill the mission of the Church, we pray...**
- 2. For our nation and its leaders...Guide our government leaders to recognize that everyone is our neighbor especially the poor, the outcast, and those different from us, we pray...**
- 3. For those impacted by the shootings in our country especially the recent incident in Highland Park, Illinois, and for all of those who are travelling this Summer...May we find peace of mind and learn to live in peace with one another. We pray...**
- 4. For those who are ill in body, mind, or spirit...Give them the grace to lift up the cross and be transformed into new creations through your Son, Jesus, we pray...**
- 5. For the deceased (especially Paulina Oye and Jeanne Dredge) ...Grant them eternal rest in Your Kingdom, O God, and bring peace to those left behind to grieve, we pray...**
- 6. For the silent intentions within our hearts..., we pray...**

PRIEST _____(MASS INTENTION)

Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus,

I believe that you

are present in the most Blessed 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,

and I believe your words, "Come to me all you
who labor and are heavy laden, and I will
refresh you."

Never permit me to be separated from you.

Amen.

✠ 60th Anniversary Prayer ✠

God of love, our hearts are filled with gratitude as we celebrate 60 years of our life as the parish community of St. Matthias. Thank you for the manifold blessings we received and the grace you gave us in times of our crises. We humbly ask you to give us greater fervor to live as missionary disciples of your Son Jesus. Help us to be more of a forgiving community that respects and accepts all as brothers and sisters created in your image and likeness. May we celebrate our diversity as your gift.

We praise you for our past, rejoice in our present and hope for better tomorrows for us and for our youth. Help us to be better stewards of the whole of creation as we reach out to everyone in our parish and in the larger community in love and compassion, especially those in most need of our presence, listening and support. May this important anniversary spur us on to grow stronger and give credible witness to your loving presence in us. Amen.

St. Matthias, Pray for us.

Mary Help of Christians, Pray for us

St. Joseph, Pray for us.

**In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.**