Celebration of Sunday Eucharist

The Church of Saint Peter Claver
The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Lectionary: 118

Introductory Rites

[Stand]
♬ Opening Hymn: #578: God Never Fails

Refrain:
God never fails, God never fails
He abides in me, He gives me victory
No God never fails
Just keep the faith and never cease to pray
Just walk upright, call Him noon, day, or night
He'll be there, He'll be there
There's no need to worry for God never fails

1. I never worry; I never fret
   For God Almighty has never failed me yet.
   Though 'buked and scorned,
   I know I've been reborn,
   For God Never fails.

   [Refrain]

2. No need to worry, no need to cry
   I've got my Lord, I know he is on my side
   Daily I trust, I shall never doubt him
   For God never fails.

   [Refrain]
Greeting

Priest: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ.

All: And with your spirit

Penitential Act

Priest: Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our sins, and prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

All: I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; Therefore, I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Priest: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

All: Amen.

Kyrie

Priest: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Priest: Christ, have mercy.

All: Christ, have mercy.

Priest: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.
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Gloria

Refrain:
Glory to God, glory in the highest,
Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.

1. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

[Refrain]

2. 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, the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

[Refrain]

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

Amen, amen, amen, amen.
Amen, amen, amen.

Collect

Priest: O God who have prepared for those who love you good things which no eye can see, fill our hearts, we pray, with the warmth of your love, so that, loving you in all things and above all things, we may attain your promises, which surpass every human desire. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.
Liturgy of the Word

[Sit]

First Reading: Isaiah 56: 1, 6-7

Lector: A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah

Thus says the LORD:

Observe what is right, do what is just; for my salvation is about to come, my justice, about to be revealed. The foreigners who join themselves to the LORD, ministering to him, loving the name of the LORD, and becoming his servants—all who keep the sabbath free from profanation and hold to my covenant, them I will bring to my holy mountain and make joyful in my house of prayer; their burnt offerings and sacrifices will be acceptable on my altar, for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples.

The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6 & 8

All: ♫ O God, let all the nations praise you!

Cantor: O God be gracious and bless us; let your face shed its light upon us. So will your ways be known upon earth; and all nations learn your salvation.

All: ♫ O God, let all the nations praise you!

Cantor: Let the nations be glad and shout for joy with uprightness you rule the peoples; you guide the nations on earth.

All: ♫ O God, let all the nations praise you!

Cantor: May God give us his blessing; let all the peoples praise you! May God still give us his blessing, that all the ends of the earth may revere him!

All: ♫ O God, let all the nations praise you!
Second Reading: Romans 11: 13-15, 29-32

Lector: A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Romans

Brothers and sisters:

I am speaking to you Gentiles. Inasmuch as I am the apostle to the Gentiles, I glory in my ministry in order to make my race jealous and thus save some of them. For if their rejection is the reconciliation of the world, what will their acceptance be but life from the dead? For the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable. Just as you once disobeyed God but have now received mercy because of their disobedience, so they have now disobeyed in order that, by virtue of the mercy shown to you, they too may now receive mercy. For God delivered all to disobedience, that he might have mercy upon all.

The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

Gospel Acclamation

[Stand]


Priest (or Deacon): Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom and cured every disease among the people.

Gospel: Matthew 15:21-28

Priest (or Deacon): The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest (or Deacon): A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew.

All: Glory to you, oh Lord!

Priest (or Deacon): At that time, Jesus withdrew to the region of Tyre and Sidon. And behold, a Canaanite woman of that district came and called out, “Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David! My daughter is tormented by a demon.” But Jesus did not say a word in answer to her.

Jesus’ disciples came and asked him, “Send her away, for she keeps calling out after us.”

He said in reply, “I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.”

But the woman came and did Jesus homage, saying, “Lord, help me.”

He said in reply, “It is not right to take the food of the children and throw it to the dogs.”

She said, “Please, Lord, for even the dogs eat the scraps that fall from the table of their masters.”

Then Jesus said to her in reply, “O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.” And the woman’s daughter was healed from that hour.

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

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Homily

[Sit]
Profession of Faith: Apostles' Creed

[Stand]

All: 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

Prayers of the Faithful

All: Lord, hear our prayer.
Liturgy of the Eucharist

[Sit]

Offertory

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♬ Offertory Hymn: # 502 There is a Balm in Gilead

1. Sometimes I feel discouraged, and think my work's in vain, but then the Holy Spirit revives my soul again.

[Refrain]

2. Don't ever feel discouraged, for Jesus is your friend, who, if you lack for knowledge, He'll ne'er refuse to lend.

[Refrain]

3. If you cannot preach like Peter, if you cannot pray like Paul, you can tell the love of Jesus, And say “He died for all”

[Refrain]
Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts

Priest: Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become for us the bread of life.

All: Blessed be God for ever.

Priest: Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the wine we offer you: fruit of the vine and work of human hands it will become our spiritual drink.

All: Blessed be God for ever.

[Stand]

Priest: Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.

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Eucharistic Prayer

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

All: It is right and just.

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Sanctus

All: Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts, Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.
Communion Rite

[Kneel]

Lord’s Prayer

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.

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

All: For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.

Sign of Peace

Priest: Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles, Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

Priest: The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And with your spirit.

Deacon or Priest: Let us offer each other a sign of peace.
Lamb of God
You take away
The sins of the world;
Have mercy on us.

Lamb of God
You take away
The sins of the world;
Grant us peace
Grant us peace.

Invocation to Communion

[Kneel]

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

A Prayer for Spiritual Communion

All: My Jesus, I believe that You are in the Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though You have already come, I embrace You and unite myself entirely to You; never permit me to be separated from You.

+Amen

Communion Hymn: Instrumental
Prayer After Communion

[Sit]

Priest: Made partakers of Christ we humbly implore your mercy, Lord, that, conformed to his image on earth, we may merit also to be his coheirs in heaven who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

Concluding Rites

[Stand]

Final Blessing

♬ Priest: Go forth, the Mass is ended. Alleluia, Alleluia

♬ All: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

♬ Closing Hymn: #458 I Will Call Upon the Lord

I will call upon the Lord
For He is worthy to be praised
So shall I be saved from my enemies
The Lord Liveth and blessed be the Rock
And let the God of my salvation be exalted.
The Lord liveth, and blessed be the Rock;
And let the God of my salvation be exalted.