

St. Benedict Parish
 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Mass Hymn sheet

Gathering Hymn

FOR YOU ARE MY GOD

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Refrain

For you are my God; you a - lone are my joy. De-

Verses

fend me, O Lord.

1. You give mar - vel - ous
2. - You are my
3. - Glad are my
4. ‡ You show me the

1. com - rades _ to me: the faith - ful who dwell in your
2. por - tion _ and cup; it is you _ that I claim for my
3. heart _ and my soul; se - cure - ly my bod - y shall
4. path _ for my life; in your pres - ence _ the full - ness of

1. land. Those _ who choose a - li - en gods _
2. prize. Your her - i - tage _ is my de - light, _
3. rest. For you _ will not leave me _ for dead, _
4. joy. To be _ at your right hand _ for - ev - er _

to Refrain

1. _ have cho - sen an a - li - en band. _
2. _ the lot you have giv - en to me. _
3. _ nor lead your be - lov - ed a - stray. _
4. _ for me would be hap - pi - ness al - ways. _

Responsorial Psalm

PSALM 69: 12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A



R. Lord, in your great love, an - swer me.

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Gospel Acclamation

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: ALLELUIA NO. VII



R. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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Serran Prayer for Vocations

O God, Who wills not the death of a sinner, but rather that he be converted and live, grant that we beseech You through the intercession of Blessed Mary, ever Virgin, Saint Joseph, her spouse, Saint Junipero Serra, and all the saints, an increase of laborers for your Church, fellow laborers with Christ to spend and consume themselves for souls, through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God forever and ever.

Amen.

Preparation Hymn

WHAT FEAST OF LOVE

GREENSLEEVES



1. What feast of love is of-fered here, What ban-quet come from
2. What light of truth is of-fered here, What cov - e - nant from
3. What wine of love is of-fered here, What crim-son drink from



1. heav - en? What food of ev - er - last - ing life, What
2. heav - en? What hope of ev - er - last - ing life, What
3. heav - en? What stream of ev - er - last - ing life, What



1. gra - cious gift is giv - en? This, this is Christ the
2. won - drous word is giv - en? This, this is Christ the
3. pre - cious blood is giv - en? This, this is Christ the



1. King, The bread come down from heav - en. O
2. King, The Sun come down from heav - en. O
3. King, The sweet - est wine of heav - en. O



1. taste and see and sing! How sweet the man - na giv - en!
2. see and hear and sing! The Word of God is giv - en!
3. taste and see and sing! The Son of God is giv - en!


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Communion Hymn

BE NOT AFRAID

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Verse 1



1. You shall cross the bar-ren des-ert, but you shall not die of



1. thirst. You shall wan-der far in safe-ty though you do not know the



1. way. You shall speak your words in for-eign lands and all will un-der-



1. stand. You shall see the face of God and live. to Refrain

Refrain



Be not a-fraid. I go be-fore you al-ways. Come fol-low



me, and I will give you rest. 1, 2 to Vss 2, 3 Final 2

Verse 2



2. If you pass through rag-ing wa-ters in the sea, you shall not



2. drown. If you walk a-mid the burn-ing flames, you shall not be



2. harmed. If you stand be-fore the pow'r of hell and death is at your



2. side, know that I am with you through it all. to Refrain

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BE NOT AFRAID (CONT. 2)



3. Bless-ed are your poor, for the king-dom shall be theirs. Blest are you that



3. weep and mourn, for one day you shall laugh. And if wick-ed tongues in-sult and



3. hate you all be-cause of me, bless-ed, bless-ed are you!

Recessional Hymn

Sent Forth by God's Blessing



1. Sent forth by God's bless-ing, Our true faith con-fess-ing,
2. With praise and thanks-giv-ing To God who is liv-ing,



1. The peo-ple of God from this dwell-ing take leave.
2. The tasks of our ev-'ry-day life we em-brace.



1. God's sac-ri-fice end-ed, O now be ex-tend-ed
2. Our faith ev-er shar-ing, In love ev-er car-ing,



1. The fruits of this Mass in all hearts who be-lieve.
2. We claim as our fam-'ly all those of each race.



1. The seed of Christ's teach-ing, Our in-ner souls reach-ing,
2. One bread that has fed us, One light that has led us



1. Shall blos-som in ac-tion for God and for all.
2. U-nite us as one in the life that we share.



1. God's grace shall in-cite us, In love shall u-nite us
2. Then may all the liv-ing With praise and thanks-giv-ing



1. To fur-ther God's king-dom and an-swer the call.
2. Give hon-or to Christ and his name that we bear.

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou,

O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God,

thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits,

who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.