

Liturgical Music for the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE HYMN: *Gather Us In*

Here in this place new light is streaming,
Now is the darkness vanished away,
See in this space our fears and our dreaming,
Brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in the lost and forsaken,
Gather us in the blind and the lame;
Call to us now, and we shall awaken,
We shall arise at the sound of our name.

Here we will take the wine and the water,
Here we will take the bread of new birth,
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters,
Call us anew to be salt for the earth.
Give us to drink the wine of compassion,
Give us to eat the bread that is you;
Nourish us well, and teach us to fashion
Lives that are holy and hearts that are true.

By M. Haugen © 1982 - GIA Publications.

GLORIA: [Sung]

© P. Taylor - TAY.

PSALM RESPONSE: *Psalm 26*

**The Lord is my light, my light and my salvation;
The Lord is my light and my salvation.**

© Gerard O'Dempsey ofmcap.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

© Gerard O'Dempsey ofmcap

OFFERTORY: *The Summons*

Will you come and follow me
If I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know
And never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown,
Will you let my name be known,
Will you let my life be grown
In you and you in me?

Will you leave yourself behind
If I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind
And never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare
Should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer pray'r
In you and you in me?

Lord, your summons echoes true
When you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you
And never be the same.
In your company I'll go
Where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow
In you and you in me.

By John Bell © 1987 - WLD.

HOLY, HOLY: [Sung]

© P. Taylor - TAY.

ACCLAMATION:

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection
until you come again.

© P. Taylor - TAY.

LAMB OF GOD: [Sung]

© P. Taylor - TAY.

Mass Parts: Excerpts from the Roman Missal © 2010 ICEL

COMMUNION:

When We Eat This Bread

**When we eat this bread.
When we drink this cup
We proclaim your death Lord Jesus
Until you come in glory.**

Come unto Me all who are weary,
I will give you rest.

I am the light of the world.
All who follow me will have the light of life.

I am the bread of life. I am the resurrection
I will be your strength.

© Gerard O'Dempsey ofmcap.

RECESSIONAL:

Go Now, You are Sent Forth

Go now, you are sent forth
To live what you proclaim;
To show the world you follow Christ
In fact, not just in name.

Go now, you are sent forth
As God's ambassador;
By serving Him in those we meet
We love him more and more.

Go now, you are sent forth
And Christ goes with you, too.
Today you help his kingdom come
In everything you do.

© L. Watt - LED



PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Jim McMorrine.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOM WE REMEMBER: Andrew & Mary Killin, Lorraine Murphy, Deceased members of the Lobeiger & Slattery families, Eric & Peter Tilley, Rita Vanderbyl, David Samson, Brian McCarthy, Peter Maczyszyn, Gerry Thiele, Brian Meara, Kirtley & Dolan families, Brian Czisowski, Jack Short, Jim Ryan, Jack & Eileen McMahan, Frank & Miriam O'Leary, Eric Cross, Pearl Noonan, Bob & John Skippington, Val O'Dempsey, Thomas Boyle, Margery Boyle, Ellie & Ossie Cody, Mike Cody, Helen Cody, Maureen & Lex Levinson, Fr Harold Buckley, Harry & Marjorie Buckley, Moira Murphy, Melinda & Arthur Murphy, Bernice & Clement Goan, Arthur & Brian Bracey & Grahame Coultas.

LET US PRAY for those who are sick or recovering from surgery: Fr Ray Kearney, Koreti Manutai, Sr Teresa Lyne, Marian Siczek, Lilian Morrison, Brian Kay, Margaret Leahy, Rodney Newton, Michele Besgrove, Phyllis Cook, Dale Murphy (Pat Murphy's son), Gordon Broughton, Diane Brown, Dakota Smith, Rebecca Smith, Jodie Eade, Don Gallaway, Dominic Galligan, Ann Fowler, Norma Caldwell, Ron Jones, Monica Jones, Josie Campion, Jack Burchill, Kody Smith, Theresa Alexander, Joana Ambrad, Nena Preverin, Imogen Smith, Valerie Mills, Sophie Leonard, Kalayanee Jitpakdee, David Stewart, Anthony Eden, Michael Mulkerin, Lachlan Summerville, Margaret Pawson, Concetta Tiberi, Noela Shute, Ethan Bauer, Trish Spark, Philippa Swain, Stuart McLean, John McKeough, Aiden, Pat Stuart, Bridgette Muller, Errol Nutley, Darcy Watt, Hazel Seller, Lisa Lynch, Minna Ward, Paul McKean, Madge McLennan & Karen Purdie.

We also include in our prayers all the aged and sick to whom we take Communion.

We pray for the safety and good judgement of those serving in our defence forces overseas.

(Please contact us when you feel that it is appropriate to remove the name of your friend or loved one from our Parish Prayer List)

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE ANNIVERSARIES 22 January - 28 January

Pope Benedict XV, Charlie Bradford, Doris Cunningham, Simon Flynn, Vivian Glover, Margaret Hasted, Mary Hogan, Jack O'Toole, Fr Bill Behm, Ruby Danaher, Patricia Paton, Elsie McCormack, Mikayla McKeaten, Rose Marks, Allan Swift, Irene Winterhoff, Gladys Rosentretor, Fernando Coelho, Malcolm Edmunds, Alexander Elliott, Victor Hawkins, Lorna Larter, Marie Mathews, (Mick) Harold Richards, Ethel Shearer, Patricia Waterson, John Doolan, Eleanor Hennessy (Doolan), Harry Sciberras, Vince Maude, Maureen Mangan, Sheila Burke, Kevin Hallahan, William Lane, Patricia Gee & Mary Barrow.

NEXT WEEK'S LITURGY - GROUP 1 YEAR A - FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME				
1 st Reading: Zeph 2:3; 3:12-13		2 nd Reading: 1 Cor 26-31		Gospel Text: Matthew 5:1-12
28/29 January	5.00pm Vigil	7.00am	8.15am - Riverview	9.30am
READERS	Evelyn Le Bherz Karen Sotiriadis Kate Sotiriadis	Francis Klein Gerard Marsh Denise Retchford	Neville Stagg Mike Wilkinson Mary Wilkinson	Katherine Toohill Eileen Behm Trish Watter Desmond Mok
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Mary Lloyd Lyll Newsome Ben Sotiriadis Jeff Newton -----	Bill McCrea Paul Peacock Cathy Peacock Yvonne Folan -----	Aukusitino Olamoe Seela Olamoe Eileen Adkins Cyprian Manutai Jerica Toalei	Donna Conway Peter Conway Irene Murgatroyd Paul Everding -----
ALTAR SERVERS	5.00pm – Michael Morgan, Nicholas Everding 9.30am – Scott Andrews, Sam Morris		8.15am – -----	
CHURCH CLEANING	Team J			
COUNTERS: Group 2	FIRST COLLECTION: \$ 1,173-95		SECOND COLLECTION: \$ 1,645-75	

REFLECTION - Two sets of two brothers were running successful family businesses. But once Jesus passed by and *called* them, the Gospel says, at *once* they left their boats and followed him. I think because, hearing his voice, they realised that Jesus was the true vocalist of God.

Irish author and mystic, John O'Donohue, once wrote, 'Something in us senses and knows how perfectly the contours of the soul fit the divine embrace.' *

Maybe Simon Peter, Andrew, James and John sensed that, in this Jesus, there was a Soul whose contours perfectly fitted the divine embrace. They were prepared to risk everything for the chance to have *their* souls contoured along the same lines.

The call: 'Follow me ...', was not to an isolated individual promising to save his soul, but to two brothers and then another two brothers. Immediately, a community was being formed and its task was to bring others into that Jesus-following community.

We could pause for a moment to hear the brothers beckoning us to follow the call of that voice sounded by Our Lord Jesus Christ.

*John O'Donohue, *Divine Beauty: The Invisible Embrace*, Bantam Press, 246.

© Fr Michael Tate

