

# Church of St. Clare -- Worship Aid



## The 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 9, 2020

### Opening Song: "O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

1. O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.
2. Beneath the shadow of your throne your saints have dwelt secure; Sufficient is your arm alone, and our defense is sure.
3. Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame, from everlasting you are God, to endless years the same.
4. A thousand ages in your sight are like an evening gone; Short as the watch that ends the night before the rising sun.

### 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. 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, have mercy on us. 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, A-men. A-men.

### 1st Reading 1KGS 19:9A, 11-13A

At the mountain of God, Horeb, Elijah came to a cave where he took shelter. Then the Lord said to him, "Go outside and stand on the mountain before the Lord; the Lord will be passing by." A strong and heavy wind was rending the mountains and crushing rocks before the Lord—

but the Lord was not in the wind. After the wind there was an earthquake— but the Lord was not in the earthquake. After the earthquake there was fire— but the Lord was not in the fire.

After the fire there was a tiny whispering sound. When he heard this, Elijah hid his face in his cloak and went and stood at the entrance of the cave.

*The Word of the Lord*

**R. Thanks be to God.**

*Psalm: "Lord, Let Us See Your Kindness"*

**R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.**

1. I will hear what God proclaims; the Lord – for he proclaims peace. Near indeed is his salvation, to those who fear him, glory dwelling in our land.
2. Kindness and truth shall meet; justice and peace shall kiss. Truth shall spring out of the earth, and justice shall look down from heaven.
3. The Lord himself will give his benefits; our land shall yield its increase. Justice shall walk before him, and prepare the way of his steps.

*2nd Reading ROM 9:1-5*

Brothers and sisters: I speak the truth in Christ, I do not lie; my conscience joins with the Holy Spirit in bearing me witness that I have great sorrow and constant anguish in my heart. For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my own people,

my kindred according to the flesh. They are Israelites; theirs the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises; theirs the patriarchs, and from them, according to the flesh, is the Christ, who is over all, God blessed forever. Amen.

*The Word of the Lord*

**R. Thanks be to God.**

*Gospel Acclamation*

Alleluia! Alle-lu-ia! Al-lelu-ia! Alleluia! Alle-lu-ia! Al-lelu-ia!

**R. Alleluia! Alle-lu-ia! Al-lelu-ia! Alleluia! Alle-lu-ia! Al-lelu-ia!**

I wait for the Lord; my soul waits for his word.

**Alleluia! Alle-lu-ia! Al-lelu-ia! Alleluia! Alle-lu-ia! Al-lelu-ia!**

*Gospel Matthew 14:22-33*

After he had fed the people, Jesus made the disciples get into a boat and precede him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. After doing so, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray. When it was evening he was there alone. Meanwhile the boat, already a few miles offshore, was being tossed about by the waves, for the wind was against it. During the fourth watch of the night, he came toward them walking on the sea. When the disciples saw him walking on the sea they were terrified. "It is a ghost," they said, and they cried out in fear.

At once Jesus spoke to them, "Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid." Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. But when he saw how strong the wind was he became frightened; and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter, and said to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" After they got into the boat, the wind died down. Those who were in the boat did him homage, saying, "Truly, you are the Son of God."

*The Gospel of the Lord*

**R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

*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 gloried, 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.

Petitions

**R. Lord, hear our prayer.**

Presentation: "Precious Lord, Take My Hand"

Preface Acclamation

**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. Hosanna in the high-est.**

The Mystery of Faith

**Priest: The mystery of faith.**

**R. When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.**

Great Amen

**R. A-men! A-men! A—men!**

Sign of Peace

**Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you always.**

**R. And with your spirit.**

Lamb of God

**R. Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world, have mercy, have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world, have mercy, have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world, grant us, grant us peace.**

An Act of Spiritual Communion

**My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy 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. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.**

Communion: "With the Lord"

**R. With the Lord there is mercy and the fullness of redemption, call to him in your trials, he will answer whenever you call.**

- 1. Out of the depths I cry to you, I cry to you, O Lord. Lord, open your ears and hear my voice, attend to the sound of my plea.**
- 2. If you O Lord, should mark our guilt, then Lord, who could hope to survive? But with you is found forgiveness of sin, and mercy that we might revere you.**
- 3. Trust in the Lord, count on his word, wait for the Lord, my soul. I will wait for the Lord all the days of my life as sentinels wait for the dawn.**
- 4. More than the sentinels wait for the dawn, let Israel wait for the Lord. For kindness is his, redemption for all, forgiveness of sins for his people.**

*Closing: "Sing of the Lord's Goodness"*

**R. Come, then, all you nations, sing of your Lord's goodness, melodies of praise and thanks to God. Ring out the Lord's glory, praise him with your music, worship him and bless his name.**

- 1. Sing of the Lord's goodness, Father of all wisdom, come to him and bless his name. Mercy he has shown us, his love is forever, faithful to the end of days.**
- 2. Power he has wielded, honor is his garment, risen from the snares of death. His word he has spoken, one bread he has broken, new life he now gives to all.**
- 3. Courage in our darkness, comfort in our sorrow, Spirit of our God most high; solace for the weary, pardon for the sinner, splendor of the living God.**

O God, Our Help in Ages Past

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Mass of Renewal

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