



## SATURDAY MORNING

### HYMNS & PRAYER

31<sup>st</sup> August 2024

#### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Word of God, come down on earth, living rain from heav'n descending;  
touch our hearts and bring to birth faith and hope and love unending.  
Word almighty, we revere you; Word made flesh, we long to hear you.

Word eternal, throned on high, Word that brought to life creation,  
Word that came from heav'n to die, crucified for our salvation,  
saving Word, the world restoring, speak to us, your love outpouring.

Word that speaks your Father's love, one with him beyond all telling,  
Word that sends us from above God the Spirit, with us dwelling,  
Word of truth, to all truth lead us, Word of life, with one bread feed us.

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.*

#### COMMUNION REFLECTION

"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?

Will you love the 'you' you hide if I but call your name?  
Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same?  
Will you use the faith you've found to reshape the world around,  
through my sight and touch and sound 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 com-pa-ny I'll go where your love and footsteps show.  
Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

## **RECESSIONAL HYMN**

Salve, Regina, Mater misericordiae,  
vita, dulcedo, et spes nostra, salve.  
ad te clamamus, exsules filii Hevae,  
ad te suspiramus, gementes et flentes  
in hac lacrimarum valle.

Eia, ergo, advocata nostra, illos tuos  
misericordes oculos ad nos converte;  
et Iesum, benedictum fructum ventris tui,  
nobis post hoc exsilium ostende.  
O clemens, O pia, O dulcis Virgo Maria.

## **MARIAN PRAYER**

### **HOLY MOTHER**

Holy Mother of our Redeemer,  
ever open gate of heaven and star of the sea,  
come to the aid of your children  
who have fallen and who seek to rise.  
You gave birth, O Wonder, to your Creator,  
remaining ever virgin.  
Receive the greetings of the Angel Gabriel,  
and have pity on us sinners.

Amen.

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