ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR THE
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRELUDE

“Adagio” from Symphony No. 3
Louis Vierne (1870–1937)

Dies sind die heiligen zehn Gebot, BWV 678
Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)

The Introductory Rites

ENTRANCE

Thy strong word did cleave the darkness
EBENEZER

1. Thy strong word did cleave the darkness; At thy speaking
2. Lo, on those who dwelt in darkness, Dark as night and
3. Thy strong word be-speaks us right-eous; Bright with thine own
it was done; For created light we thank thee,
deep as death, Broke the light of thy salvation,
holiness, Glorious now, we press toward glory,

While thine ordered seasons run: Alleluia!
Breathed thine own life-giving breath: Alleluia!
And our lives our hopes confess: Alleluia!

Alleluia! Praise to thee who light dost send!
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Alleluia! Praise to thee who light dost send!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! without end!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! without end!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! without end!

PENITENTIAL ACT

Missa de angelis
Vatican VIII

Have mercy on us.
GLORIA

Presider

Gloria in excelsis Deo.

Choir

Et in terra pax hominibus bonae voluntatis.

ALL

We praise you

Choir

Glorify you

ALL

Benedicimus te.

We bless you

Choir

Adoramus te.

We adore you

ALL

ALL

We give you thanks

for your great glory

Choir

Dominus Deus, Rex cælestis, Deus Pater omnipotens.

We glorify you

Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father

Choir

Dominus Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris.

You take away

the sins of the world,
have mercy on us

Lord Jesus Christ
Only Begotten Son

Choir

Qui tollis peccata mundi, suscipe deprecationem nostram.

You take away the sins
of the world
receive our prayer

ALL

You are seated at the right hand
of the Father, have mercy on us

Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris, misere re nobi

For you alone
are the Holy One

Choir

Quoniam tu solus sanctus.

You alone are the Lord

ALL

Tu solus Dominus.

You alone are the Most High Jesus Christ

Choir

Tu solus Altissimus, Iesu Christe.

ALL

Tu solus Altissimus, Iesu Christe.

with the Holy Spirit
in the glory
of God the Father

Amen.

OPENING PRAYER (COLLECT)
The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING
Sirach 15:15-20

SECOND READING
I Corinthians 2:6-10

GOSPEL
Matthew 5:17-37

HOMILY
Father Michael G. Ryan

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,
All BOW
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate
of the Virgin Mary, and became man.
All ST AND UPRIGHT
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
hed 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.

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL
Jacques Berthier (1923–1994)
PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

Offertory (10:00)

If ye love me
Thomas Tallis (c1505–1585)

If ye love me, keep my commandments, and I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another comforter, that he may abide with you for ever, ev’n the spirit of truth. (John 14:15-17)

(Sunday evening)

Jesu, joy of loving hearts
chant, Mode V

Sanctus

Mass for the City
Richard Proulx (1937–2010)

Mystery of faith

Agnus Dei

Missa de angelis
Vatican VIII
Please kneel following the Lamb of God and remain kneeling until it is time for your row to go forward for Holy Communion.

COMMUNION

Manduaverunt, et saturati sunt nimis
They ate and were fully satisfied; the Lord gave them all that they desired; they were not deprived of their wants.

chant, Mode I

(10:00)

HYMN OF PRAISE

(Ave verum corpus)
Flor Peeters (1903–1986)

God, we praise you!

NETTLETON

HYMN OF PRAISE

1. God, we praise you! God, we bless you! God, we name you sovereign Lord! Might-y King whom an-gels set their world a blaze, Mar-tyrs, once un-known, un-

2. True a-pos-tles, faith-ful proph-ets, Saints who judge the world you made; Lord in mer-cy help your wor-ship, Fa-ther, by your church ad-or-ed:

3. Christ, at God’s right hand vic-to-rious, You will serv-ants For whose free-dom you have paid:

All cre-a-tion shows your glo-ry, Heav’n and While your church on earth con-fesses One ma-

Raise us up from dust to glo-ry, Guard us earth draw near your throne, Sing-ing “Ho-ly, ho-ly, jes-tic Trin-i-ty: Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly from all sin to-day; King en-throned a-bove all ho-ly, Lord of hosts, and God a-lone!”

SPIRIT, God, our hope et-ter-nal-ly. prais-es, Save your peo-ple, God, we pray.

PROCESSION

"Final" from Symphony No. 3
Louis Vierne

Allabreve in D Major, BWV 589
Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)

Welcome, Visitors! If you are a visitor to the Cathedral, we want you to know how welcome you are — whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish here in the Archdiocese.

The 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time February 12, 2023

On the Cover: Immense is the wisdom of the Lord. Detail of clerestory window, St. James Cathedral. Charles Connick artist.

Flowers at the Altar are offered in loving memory of Nicholas Ryan Harrison, from his mother Roxanne, and sister Natalie.

Hospitality after Sunday 10:00AM Mass Join us in Cathedral Hall for biscuits, hard-boiled eggs, fresh fruit, and the chance to visit with fellow parishioners.

St. Vincent de Paul Thanks you An older woman relocated to Seattle several years ago. Not able to afford housing on arriving, she was homeless. However, after enrolling in a work program, the woman found a part time job at a major retail store. As a result of having steady income, she was able to move into an apartment. When a car accident damaged her automobile, her insurance refused to cover the expense to repair it. Needing to have a working car to get to her job, she used the money she had on hand to get her car fixed. Consequently, this made her short of money to pay her rent. The woman called the St. Vincent de Paul Helpline (206-767-6449). Thanks to your support, we were able to assist with the amount of rent she could not cover. Information, Jo Ann Wiesner, 206-291-4012 or wiesnerjo@gmail.com.

Care for Creation Tip of the Week Repurpose your electronic devices: Did you know over 100,000 laptops are discarded every day—and 70% of those laptops could be repurposed? It’s time to keep e-waste out of landfills and instead, focus on repurposing to promote a more circular, sustainable economy.

Companies like CircleIT (www.circleit.us) provide a simple, sustainable and secure method of device disposal. Don’t let your old data-bearing devices collect dust in your closet or worse, risk being reduced to landfill waste. Learn more about the Cathedral’s Care for Creation team at our upcoming meeting on Thursday, February 23, 6:00pm on Zoom. Information, Patty Bowman, pbowman140@msn.com.

Parish Remembrance Throughout the year, because we are the Cathedral Church, we remember in prayer at Mass and Vespers each of the parishes and missions of the Archdiocese of Seattle on a Sunday near their feast day. This week we pray for the parishes of Holy Disciples in Puyallup and St. Yves Mission in Harmony.
YOUNG ADULTS If you’re looking for community and to grow deeper in your devotion to Jesus Christ, you’re invited to join our weekly Young Adult Gathering! We meet every Sunday at the Pastoral Outreach Center from 6:30-8:00pm immediately following the 5:30pm Mass. A simple supper and drinks will be provided, and parking is available at O’Dea. Information, Andrew Braley, abraley@stjamescathedral.org or text 206-330-1512.

ADULT CONFIRMATION Are you or is someone you know 17 or older and in need of the Sacrament of Confirmation? The sacrament will be celebrated on Thursday, May 11 at 7:00pm. Classes in preparation for Confirmation begin on Tuesday, February 28. Catholic Baptism and First Communion are required. The deadline for registration is February 21. Information and registration, John Marquez, 206-654-4640 or jmarquez@stjames-cathedral.org.

SAVE THE DATE: CHOIR CAMP 2023 All children and youth with unchanged (treble) voices entering grades 1 through 8 are encouraged to register for Choir Camp! All are welcome: parishioners and non-parishioners alike. Camp occurs daily August 7-11, Monday through Friday, 9:00am until 4:00pm. Camp concludes with all choristers returning at 9:00am on August 13 to sing for the 10:00am Sunday Mass. Contact the Youth Music Office to register today! Information, Youth Music Office, 206-382-4876 or youthmusic@stjames-cathedral.org.

2023 WASHINGTON STATE LEGISLATIVE SESSION The Washington State Catholic Conference (WSCC) provides weekly updates on bills that can help support some of the most vulnerable in our state. This year, some of the proposed bills include help for Medicaid recipients, promotion of climate-friendly practices, and support for survivors of human trafficking. In addition, the WSCC opposed bills on the mishandling of human embryos as well as expansion of assisted suicide. To find out more about these and other bills, to learn how to contact your local legislators, and to use your voice for those who are voiceless, sign up for the WSCC’s weekly newsletter. Subscribe, https://www.wacatholics.org/be-an-advocate/join-our-network.

FAITH FRIENDS INCLUSION MINISTRY Faith Friends is an inclusion ministry serving children and teens from across the Archdiocese of Seattle. We are a unique blend of our Faith Mentor and Children’s Faith Formation program, and provide Sacramental Preparation, as well as opportunities for friendship with other youth. Information, Jennifer Wong, 206-619-0816, faithfriends@stjames-cathedral.org, or www.faithfriendsstjames.org.

ARE YOU A REGISTERED PARISHIONER AT ST. JAMES? Many who attend St. James regularly and consider the Cathedral their parish have never officially registered. We strongly encourage you to register. Registered parishioners receive important mailings from the Cathedral (including offering envelopes!). You can register online at www.stjames-cathedral.org.

Opportunities to Serve

YOUTH ALTAR SERVERS Children who have received their First Holy Communion are eligible to participate in the Mass in a special way as altar servers. Altar servers add dignity to the liturgy and assist the priest during Mass. Altar serving is a great way for kids to get to know the Mass better, and participate actively in their faith along with other young people. The time commitment is flexible based on your family’s schedule, and there are openings at all Masses. Information, Corinna Laughlin, cloughlin@stjames-cathedral.org.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION The Cathedral needs more communion ministers! The need is particularly great on Saturday and Sunday evenings. Confirmed, practicing Catholics of all ages are welcome to participate in this important ministry. Training is provided. Information, Corinna Laughlin, cloughlin@stjames-cathedral.org.

CATHEDRAL KITCHEN As the Cathedral Kitchen prepares to return to complete in-person dining each weekday, consider joining the Kitchen team by committing to prepare and serve meals once a week. Information, Mick McHugh, 206-264-2091 or MickMcHugh00@gmail.com.

SUNDAY BREAKFAST There are only two opportunities for homeless and low-income people to enjoy a free breakfast on Sunday mornings, and St. James is one of them. Volunteers come in either on Saturdays to cook, or Sundays to heat up and serve breakfast. Information, Patrick Barredo, 206-382-4515 or pbarredo@stjames-cathedral.org.

SANDWICH MAKING MINISTRY Healthy sandwiches can be made at home and then brought to the Cathedral to share with men staying at the St. Martin de Porres Shelter. This is a great activity for families with young children, people with busy lives, and anyone who is not able to go out and serve. Information, Patrick Barredo, 206-382-4515 or pbarredo@stjames-cathedral.org.

FEBRUARY IS BLACK HISTORY MONTH As we continue our commemoration of Black History Month, give yourself time to revisit the U.S. Bishops’ pastoral letter against racism, Open Wide Our Hearts: The Enduring Call to Love (https://www.usccb.org/resources/open-wide-our-hearts_0.pdf). In it, they address this particularly destructive and persistent form of evil. Despite many promising strides made in our country, racism still infects our nation. Learn more about the Cathedral’s own efforts against the sin of racism through the St. James Racial Solidarity Team. Information, Patrick Barredo, pbarredo@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-4515.