

Annual Mass Commemorating the Legacy of
Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.



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Shrine of Saint Jude Catholic Church

Rockville, MD



The Roman Catholic
Archdiocese of
Washington

Robert Cardinal McElroy
Archbishop of Washington
Principal Celebrant

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Entrance Hymn

All Creatures of Our God and King / Oh Criaturas del Señor



1. All	crea - tures	of	our	God	and	King,	Lift
2. O	rush - ing	wind	and	breez - es	soft,	O	
3. O	flow - ing	wa - ter,	pure	and	clear,	Make	
4. Dear	moth - er	earth, who	day	by	day	Un -	
1. Oh,	cri - a - tu - ras	del	Se - ñor:	Can -			
2. Vien - to	ve - loz,	po - ten - te	a - lud;	Nu -			
3. Oh,	fuen - tes	de a - gua	de cris - tal;	A			
4. Pró - di - ga	tie - rra	ma - ter - nal	Que				



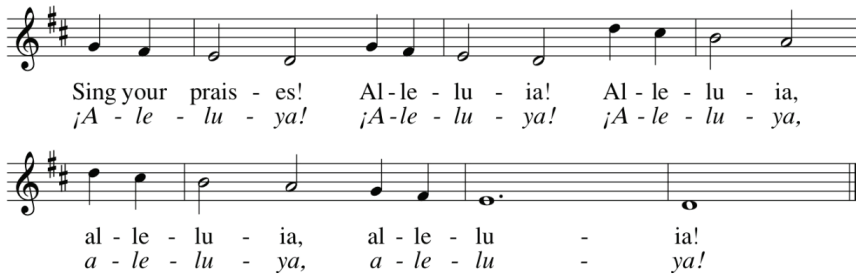
up	your	voice	and	with	us	sing:	Al - le -
clouds	that	ride	the	winds	a -	loft,	Sing your
mu - sic	for	your	Lord	to	hear.	Sing your	
fold	rich	bles - sings	on	our	way,	Sing your	
tad	con	me - lo - dio - sa	voz:	¡A - le -			
bes	en	cla - ro	cie - lo	a - zul:	¡A - le -		
vues - tro	Cre - a - dor	can - tad,	¡A - le -				
brin - das	fru - tos	sin	ce - sar:	¡A - le -			



lu - ia!	Al - le - lu - ia!	O	burn - ing	sun	with	gold - en
prais - es!	Al - le - lu - ia!	O	ris - ing	morn,	in	praise re -
prais - es!	Al - le - lu - ia!	O	fire	so	mas - ter - ful	and
prais - es!	Al - le - lu - ia!	The	flow'rs	and	fruits	that in you
lu - ya!	¡A - le - lu - ya!	Ar - dien - te	sol	con	tu	ful -
lu - ya!	¡A - le - lu - ya!	Sua - ve,	do - ra - do	a - ma - ne -		
lu - ya!	¡A - le - lu - ya!	Oh,	fue - go,	e - le - va	tu	lo -
lu - ya!	¡A - le - lu - ya!	Ri - ca	co - se - cha,	bel - la		



beam	And	sil - ver	moon	with	soft - er	gleam,
joice,	O	lights	of	eve - ning,	find	a voice.
bright,	Pro - vid - ing	us	with	warmth	and	light,
grow,	Let	them	God's	glo - ry	al - so	show.
gor;	Oh,	lu - na	de	sua - ve	es - plen - dor:	
cer;	Tu	man - to,	no - che,	al	ex - ten - der:	
or,	Tú	que	nos	das	luz	y ca - lor:
flor,	Glo - ri - fi - cad	al	Cre - a - dor:			



5. And ev'ryone of tender heart,
 Forgiving others, take your part.
 Sing your praises! Alleluia!
 All you who pain and sorrow bear,
 Praise God and cast on him your care.
 Sing your praises...

5. *Pueblo de tierno corazón,
 Que paz buscáis, y dais amor:
 ¡Aleluya! ¡Aleluya!
 Pues, si sufrís de pena cruel,
 Vuestro dolor confiadle a él:
 ¡Aleluya...*

6. And you, most kind and gentle death,
 Waiting to hush our final breath,
 Sing your praises! Alleluia!
 You lead to heav'n the child of God,
 Where Christ our Lord the way has trod.
 Sing your praises...

6. *Muerte, tan dulce y sin temor
 Para quien sigue al Salvador:
 ¡Aleluya! ¡Aleluya!
 Hacia el hogar nos llevas tú
 Que nos prepara el buen Jesús:
 ¡Aleluya...*

7. Let all things their Creator bless,
 And worship God in humbleness.
 Sing your praises! Alleluia!
 Praise God the Father, God the Son,
 And God the Spirit, Three in One!
 Sing your praises...

7. *Con gratitud y con amor
 Cante la entera creación,
 ¡Aleluya! ¡Aleluya!
 Al Padre, al Hijo Redentor,
 Y al Eternal Consolador:
 ¡Aleluya...*

Text: *Laudato si, mi Signor*; Francis of Assisi, 1182–1226; English tr. by William H. Draper, 1855–1933, alt.; Spanish tr. by J. Míguez Bonino, alt.
 Tune: LASST UNS ERFREUEN, LM with alleluias; *Geistliche Kirchengesänge*, 1623; harm. by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872–1958

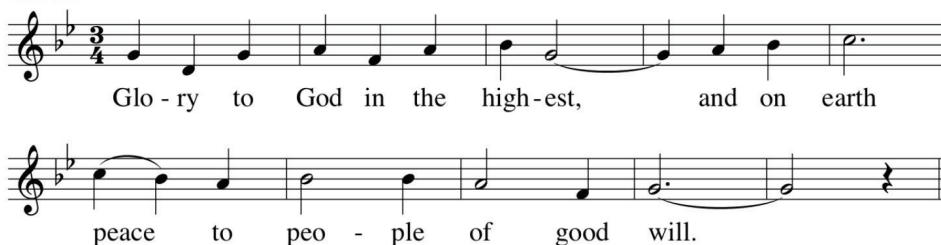
Greeting

Penitential Act

Kyrie

Gloria

Refrain



Verses

1. 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.
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the
Father,
have mercy on us.
2. 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;
3. 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.
Amen.

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Collect

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 57:15-19

Thus says he who is high and exalted, living eternally, whose name is the Holy One:
On high I dwell, and in holiness, and with the crushed and dejected in spirit, To revive
the spirits of the dejected, to revive the hearts of the crushed. I will not accuse forever,
nor always be angry; For their spirits would faint before me, the souls that I have made.
Because of their wicked avarice I was angry, and struck them, hiding myself in wrath, as
they went their own rebellious way. I saw their ways, but I will heal them and lead them;
I will give full comfort to them and to those who mourn for them, I, the Creator, who gave
them life. Peace, peace to the far and the near, says the Lord; and I will heal them.

The Word of the Lord.

R./ Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 85:9 and 10, 11-12, 13-14

R./ The Lord speaks of peace to his people.

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. **R.**

Kindness and truth shall meet;
justice and peace shall kiss.
Truth shall spring out of the earth,
and justice shall look down from heaven. **R.**

The LORD himself will give his benefits;
our land shall yield its increase.
Justice shall walk before him,
and salvation, along the way of his steps. **R**

Second Reading

Philippians 4:6-9

Brothers and sisters:

Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing what you have learned and received and heard and seen in me. Then the God of peace will be with you.

The Word of the Lord.

R./ Thanks be to God.

Gospel

Matthew 5:38-48

Jesus said to his disciples:

“You have heard that it was said, An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. But I say to you, offer no resistance to one who is evil. When someone strikes you on your right cheek, turn the other to him as well. If anyone wants to go to law with you over your tunic, hand him your cloak as well. Should anyone press you into service for one mile, go with him two miles. Give to the one who asks of you, and do not turn your back on one who wants to borrow. “You have heard that it was said, You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy. But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be children of your heavenly Father, for he makes his sun rise on the bad and the good, and causes rain to fall on the just and the unjust. For if you love those who love you, what recompense will you have? Do not the tax collectors do the same? And if you greet your brothers only, what is unusual about that? Do not the pagans do the same? So be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

R./ Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily

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Profession of Faith

Universal Prayer

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn

Ubi Caritas

by Bob Hurd

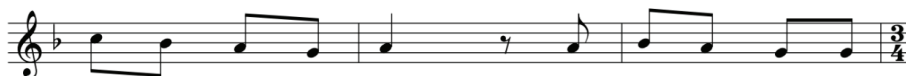
Refrain



Verses



1. *U - ni - dos co - mo un so - lo cuer - po,* *γ*
2. *Reu - ni - dos y a - li - men - ta - dos,* *ya*
3. *Que el pan de vi - da que nos u - ne nos*
4. *Y pa - ra los ne - ce - si - ta - dos de a -*
5. *Con - cé - de - nos ya ver tu glor - ia y en*



*Where there is true charity, God is present.



care for all	now	love God in re - turn.
Christ the Lord,	our	ris - en Prince of Peace.
ment of love,	your	heal - ing touch, O Christ.
ho - ly sign	of	jus - tice and new life.
saints of God	to	sing e - ter - nal praise.

<i>nues - tro a - mor</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>quien pri - me - ro a - mó.</i>
<i>co - mu - nión</i>	<i>en</i>	<i>Cris - to, Sal - va - dor.</i>
<i>pró - ji - mo</i>	<i>a - mor</i>	<i>y sa - na - ción.</i>
<i>ran - za,</i>	<i>jus - ti - cia</i>	<i>y paz.</i>
<i>san - tos,</i>	<i>can - tar - te</i>	<i>sin ce - sar.</i>

Text: Refrain and vss. 1, 2 and 5 based on *Ubi Caritas*, 9th c.; vss. 3, 4, Bob Hurd, b.1950; Spanish by Pedro Rubalcava, b.1958
Tune: Bob Hurd b.1950; acc. by Craig S. Kingsbury, b.1952
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Preface

Cardinal: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours
may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

Assembly: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory
of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

Preface Dialogue

Cardinal: The Lord be with you.

Assembly: **And with your spirit.**

Cardinal: Lift up your hearts.

Assembly: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Cardinal: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

Assembly: **It is right and just.**

Preface Acclamation

Mass of Creation

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.

Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the

high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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Memorial Acclamation

Mass of Creation

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro -

claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

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Amen

Mass of Creation



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COMMUNION RITE

The Lord's Prayer

Sign of Peace

Lamb of God

Three staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp). The first staff is for the Cantor or choir, and the second and third are for the All. The time signature changes from 3/4 to 2/4 to 4/4. The lyrics are: Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us. world, grant us peace.

Cantor or choir:

All:

To repeat

Last time

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Cardinal: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away
the sins of the world.
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

Assembly: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Communion Hymn

I Am the Bread of Life

Verses



- | | | | | |
|----------|------------|-------------------|------------------------|------------|
| 1. _____ | I | am the Bread of | life. | You who |
| 2. The | bread that | I will | give | is my |
| 3. Un - | less _____ | you _____ | eat | of the |
| 4. _____ | I | am the Res - ur - | rec - tion, | _____ |
| 5. _____ | Yes, Lord, | we be - | lieve | that _____ |
| 1. _____ | Yo | soy el Pan de | Vi - da. | A mí |
| 2. El | pan que | yo da - | ré | es mi |
| 3. _____ | Si | us - te - des no | co - men | la _____ |
| 4. Yo | soy | la | Re - su - rrec - ción, | _____ |
| 5. _____ | Sí, | Se - ñor, | cre - e - mos | que _____ |



come	to me	shall	not	hun -	ger; _____	and	who be -
flesh	for the	life	of the	world,	_____	and	if you
flesh	of the	Son	of	Man	_____	and	_____
I _____	am	the	life.	_____	If	you be -	
you _____	are	the	Christ,	_____	the	_____	
ven -	gan: _____	no ten -	drán	ham -	bre. _____	En mí	
car -	ne, la	vi -	da del	mun -	do. _____	Los que	
car -	ne del	Hi -	jo del	Hom -	bre, _____	y no	
Yo _____	soy	la	Vi -	da. _____	Si en		
tú e -	res _____	el	Me -	sí -	as, _____	el _____	



lieve in me shall not thirst. No one can come to
eat of this bread, you shall live for
drink of his blood, and drink of his
lieve in me, e - ven though you
Son of God, Who has

cre - an: no ten-drán sed. Na - die vie - ne a
co - men de es - te pan vi - vi - rán por
be - ben de su san - gre, no be - ben de su
mí us - te - des cre - en, aun - que ha - yan
Hi - jo de Dios, que has ve - ni - do al



me un - less the Fa - ther beck - ons.
ev - er, you shall live for ev - er.
blood, you shall not have life with - in you.
die, you shall live for ev - er.
come in - to the world.

mí si mi Pa - dre no lo a - tra - e.
siem - pre, vi - vi - rán por siem - pre.
san - gre, no po - drán te - ner mi vi - da.
muer - to, vi - vi - rán por siem - pre.
mun - do pa - ra re - di - mir - nos.

Refrain



And I will raise you up, and I will
Yo los re - su - ci - ta - ré, Yo los re -



raise you up, and I will raise you
su - ci - ta - ré, Yo los re - su - ci - ta -



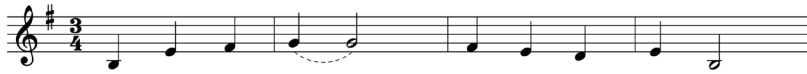
up on the last day.
ré en el dí - a fi - nal.

Text: John 6 and 11; Suzanne Toolan, RSM, b.1927; tr. anon., rev. by Ronald F. Krisman, b.1946
Tune: BREAD OF LIFE, Irregular with refrain; Suzanne Toolan, RSM, b.1927
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CONCLUDING RITES

Recessional Hymn

Christ Be Our Light



1. Long - ing for light, we wait in dark - ness.
2. Long - ing for peace, our world is trou - bled.
3. Long - ing for food, man - y are hun - gry.
4. Long - ing for shel - ter, man - y are home - less.
5. Man - y the gifts, man - y the peo - ple,



Long - ing for truth, we turn to you.
Long - ing for hope, man - y de - spair.
Long - ing for wa - ter, man - y still thirst.
Long - ing for warmth, man - y are cold.
Man - y the hearts that yearn to be - long.

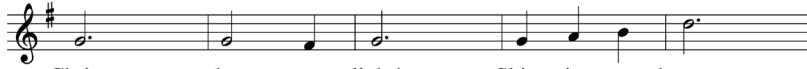


Make us your own, your ho - ly peo - ple,
Your word a - lone has pow'r to save us.
Make us your bread, bro - ken for oth - ers,
Make us your build - ing, shel - ter - ing oth - ers,
Let us be ser - vants to one an - oth - er,



Light for the world to see.
Make us your liv - ing voice.
Shared un - til all are fed.
Walls made of liv - ing stone.
Mak - ing your king - dom come.

Refrain



Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts.



Shine through the dark - ness. Christ, be our light!



Shine in your Church gath - ered to - day.

Text: Bernadette Farrell, b.1957
Tune: CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT, 9 8 9 6 with refrain; Bernadette Farrell, b.1957
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