Harvest of Hope

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Worship Aid
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Gathering Song:

O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST

ST. ANNE

1. O God, our Help in ages past, Our Hope for years to come,
2. Before the hills in order stood, Or earth received her frame,
3. A thousand ages in thy sight Are like an evening gone;
4. Time, like an ever-rolling stream, Soon bears us all away;
5. O God, our Help in ages past, Our Hope for years to come,

1. Our Shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal Home.
2. From ever-lasting thou art God, To endless years the same.
3. Short as the watch that ends the night Before the rising sun.
4. We fly forgotten, as a dream Dies at the op’ning sun.
5. Be thou our Guard while life shall last, And our eternal Home.

Text: CM; Psalm 90, adapted by Isaac Watts, 1674-1748. Music: William Croft, 1678-1727.
The Liturgy of the Word

The First Reading

A Reading from the book of the Prophet Isaiah:

Melanie Nicora

The LORD was pleased to crush him in infirmity.
If he gives his life as an offering for sin,
he shall see his descendants in a long life,
and the will of the LORD shall be accomplished through him.
Because of his affliction he shall see the light in fullness of days;
through his suffering, my servant shall justify many, and their guilt he shall bear.

The Word of the Lord.
R. Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

R: Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.
Brothers and sisters:
Since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens,
Jesus, the Son of God,
let us hold fast to our confession.
For we do not have a high priest
who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses,
but one who has similarly been tested in every way,
yet without sin.
So let us confidently approach the throne of grace
to receive mercy and to find grace for timely help.

The Word of the Lord.
R. Thanks be to God

alleluia
The Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to Jesus and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you."

He replied, "What do you wish me to do for you?"

They answered him, "Grant that in your glory we may sit one at your right and the other at your left."

Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Can you drink the cup that I drink or be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?"

They said to him, "We can."

Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink, you will drink, and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right or at my left is not mine to give but is for those for whom it has been prepared."

When the ten heard this, they became indignant at James and John. Jesus summoned them and said to them, "You know that those who are recognized as rulers over the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones make their authority over them felt. But it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many."

The Gospel of the Lord

R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ
Homily

Most Revered Sylvester D. Ryan

Profession of Faith

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 glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.
Prayer of the Faithful

For the Church around the world, that as the people of God we may always seek to glorify Christ by our care, for others, and example of offering hope to all we meet…with hope, we pray to the Lord.

R: Lord Hear Our Prayer

For all who bear the mantle of leadership locally, statewide and nationally: that the Spirit will guide them to create policies that tend to the needs of the most vulnerable of the human family…with hope, we pray to the Lord.

R: Lord Hear Our Prayer

For the human family as we recover from the Pandemic: that those who heal others are sustained in their work, that those who are ill will be healed, that all who grieve the loss of a loved one are comforted, and that those lacking access to proper care will be offered lasting solutions…with hope, we pray to the Lord.

R: Lord Hear Our Prayer

For our brothers and sisters who are without food, without shelter, facing economic instability, or struggling with any hardship: that they find compassion and accompaniment as they seek solutions, and that their needs be met by open hands and hearts…with hope, we pray to the Lord.

R: Lord Hear Our Prayer

For all who generously give of their time, talent, and treasure to support and sustain the work of Catholic Charities in the Diocese of Monterey and across the nation: that their good works will be multiplied by those who benefit from such loving generosity…with hope, we pray to the Lord.

R: Lord Hear Our Prayer

For all Catholic Charities employees, volunteers, and members of the Board of Directors: that their faith will sustain them, that their vocation to serve others in word and deed continue to grow, and that their witness will call others of good will do the same…with hope, we pray to the Lord.

R: Lord Hear Our Prayer
As a people of faith rejoicing around the Table of the Eucharist, we hold in our hearts all the intentions and petitions shared with us and reflected in this program. That these intentions be heard and that those seeking prayer be comforted…with hope, we pray to the Lord.

(please see p. 12-13 for a list of intentions from our donors, staff, and community)

**R: Lord Hear Our Prayer**

For all of the prayers, concerns, anxieties, and gratitude that live in the silence of our hearts: [6 second pause] ...we pray to the Lord.

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**Song at the Preparation of the Gifts**

**VINE AND BRANCHES**

Trevor Thomson

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**Refrain**

I am the vine and you the branch-es.

Remain in me as I remain in you; you will bear great fruit in me.

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**Verses**

1. A new com-mand-ment I give you: e-ven
2. No great-er love is there than this: than to
3. I am the liv-ing bread from heav-en; if you
4. All those who eat my flesh and drink my blood re-
5. The words that I have spo-ken are
6. And now as I have washed your feet, so

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as I have loved you, now love one an-o ther.
lay down your life, your life for your friends.
 Eat this bread, you will live for ev er.
main in me and I remain in them.
spir - it and life, they are spir - it and life.
 you must do just as I have done.

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The Communion Procession

THE EYES AND HANDS OF CHRIST

Tom Kendzia

1. One we become, no longer strangers. No longer empty or frail. Filled with the Spirit, ev’ry hunger satisfied. Christ is the center of our lives.

2. One in the Spirit, one in the Lord. One in the breaking of the bread. Life-giving witness of our dying and new life, held by the promise in our hands.

3. Not what we are, but what we become. Not what we say, but what we do. Living the challenge as the
The Sending Forth

THE SPIRIT SENDS US FORTH

1. The Spirit sends us forth to serve; We go in Jesus’ name
2. We go to comfort those who mourn And set the burdened free;
3. We go to be the hands of Christ, To scatter joy like seed
4. Then let us go to serve in peace, The gospel to proclaim.

1. To bring glad tidings to the poor, God’s favor to proclaim.
2. Where hope is dim, to share a dream And help the blind to see.
3. And, all our days, to cherish life, To do the loving deed.
4. God’s Spirit it has empowered us; We go in Jesus’ name.

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Lord hear our prayer

Today we remember and pray in Honor of:

Alice Fortini
Ambrosia Pascua
Angela Di Novella
Arturo Guido
Bastilio "Chilio" Huitron
Blanca & Jose Cauazo
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Sergio Garcia
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the Bruno Familiy
the Notre Dame Chapel Prayer Group
the Perez Family
the Suarez Lopez Family
Virginia Martinez
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Able Garcia
Adrea DeVincenzi
Adriano C. Mariano
Alfonso Montanez
Alfred Diaz-Infante
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… and all the immigrants who have died trying to reach the US borders
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“For whoever gives to the least of my brethren, you give to me”

Matthew 25:40