



**PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS:** Heavenly Father, bless your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers, and sisters. Give those you have called to the married state and those who live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of your Son, so that in Him, with Him and through Him we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always, and everywhere. With Mary, we ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

### *Introductory Rites*

**ENTRANCE SONG: Jesus is Risen**

Jesus is risen, let us sing! Praise to the Everlasting King! Alleluia, Alleluia! Praise Him in song, ye Seraphim! Praise Him with joy, ye Cherubim! Alleluia, Alleluia! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!  
On this most holy days of days, let us together sing His praise! Alleluia, Alleluia! Raise joyful voices to the sky! Sing out, ye heavens, in reply! Alleluia, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!  
To God the Father let us sing! To God the Son our risen King! Alleluia, Alleluia! And equally let us adore the Holy Spirit evermore! Alleluia, Alleluia! Alleluia, Alleluia!

### *Liturgy of the Word*

Full readings can be found at <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/041121.cfm>

FIRST READING: Acts of the Apostles 4:32-35

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, His love is everlasting! (Psalm 18)

SECOND READING: 1 John 5:1-6

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: **Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

THE GOSPEL: John 20:19-31

### *Liturgy of the Eucharist*

**PRESENTATION SONG: I Know that My Redeemer Lives**

I know that my Redeemer lives, the one who calls me home. I long to see God face to face, to see with my own eyes! REFRAIN: I know that my Redeemer lives, that I shall rise again, I know that my Redeemer lives, that I shall rise again! I know that I shall one day see the goodness of the Lord, when God will wipe away our tears, and death will be no more! REFRAIN The last day I shall rise again, shall be remade like God. My home shall be by God's own side, the dying, rising Lord! REFRAIN

### COMMUNION SONG: Eye Has not Seen

REFRAIN: Eye has not seen, ear has not heard, what God has ready for those who love Him. Spirit of Love, come give us the mind of Jesus, teach us the wisdom of God! When pain and sorrow weigh us down, be near to us, O Lord. Forgive the weakness of our faith, and bear us up within Your peaceful Word. REFRAIN Our lives are but a single breath, we flower and we fade. Yet, all our days are in your hands, so we return in love what love has made. REFRAIN To those who see with eyes of faith, the Lord is ever near. Reflected in the faces of all the poor and lowly of the world. REFRAIN

### PRAYER 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.

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### *Concluding Rites*

### CLOSING SONG: Alleluia! Alleluia! (Ode to Joy)

Alleluia! Alleluia! Hearts to heaven and voices raise, sing to God a hymn of gladness, sing to God a hymn of praise! He who on the cross as Savior for the world's salvation bled, Jesus Christ the King of Glory, now is risen from the dead! Now the iron bars are broken, Christ from death to life is born. Glorious life, and life immortal, on this resurrection morn! Christ has triumphed, and we conquer by His mighty enterprise. We with him to life eternal by His resurrection rise! Alleluia! Alleluia! Glory be to God on high. Alleluia to the Savior, who has won the victory. Alleluia to the Spirit, font of love and sanctity. Alleluia, Alleluia, to the Triune Majesty!

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL: Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.