

For I know
the plans
I have
for you &
declares
the Lord
plans to prosper you
& not to harm
you.....
plans to GIVE YOU HOPE
& a future.

Jeremiah 29

Retirement Celebration in honor of

Mrs. Mary Hesser

August 14, 2016

Christian Brothers High School

Introductory Rites

Call to Worship

Let us remember.....that we are in the holy presence of God.

Gathering Song Shine, Jesus Shine (Kendrick)

Lord the light of Your love is shining, in the midst of the darkness, shining. Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us, set us free by the truth You now bring us. Shine on me. Shine on me.

Refrain: *Shine, Jesus, shine. Fill this land with the Father's glory. Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire. Flow, river, flow. Flood the nations with grace and mercy. Send forth Your Word, Lord and let there be light.*

Lord, I come into Your awesome presence, from the shadows into Your radiance, by the blood I may enter Your brightness. Search me, try me, consume all my darkness. Shine on me. Shine on me.

Greeting

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Presider: The Lord be with you. Assembly: And with your spirit.

Penitential Rite

Presider: Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

Assembly: I confess to almighty God, and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Presider: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

Assembly: Amen.

Gloria

*Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people
of good will. 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.

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;

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.

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.

Opening Prayer



Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

Proclaimed by: John Higgins

Psalm Response (Ps. 41) Be With Me (Hart)

*Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble. Be with me,
Lord. Be with me.*

Second Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4

Proclaimed by: Cecilia Powers

Gospel Acclamation

*Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Give the glory
and the honor to the Lord.*

Gospel Reading Luke 12:49-53

*"I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were
already blazing..."*

Homily

Prayers of the Faithful

*Read by: Kirk Purdy, Mary Alice Spinelli,
John Riley-Portal*

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts

Offertory Song **Friends (Smith)**

Refrain: And friends are friends forever, if the Lord's the Lord of them. And a friend will not say never, cause the welcome will not end. Though it's hard to let you go, in the Father's hands we know, that a lifetime's not too long to live as friends.

Bread and Wine: Rona Gordon, Donna Adam

Invitation To Prayer

Presider: 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.

Eucharistic Prayer

Presider: The Lord be with you.

Assembly: And with your spirit.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

Assembly: We lift them up to the Lord.

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

Assembly: It is right and just.



Sanctus

William Gokelman & David Kauffman

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of
 hosts. Heav - en and earth are full, full of your
 glo - ry. Ho - san - na, Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san -
 na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho - san -
 na. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Mystery Of Faith

William Gokelman & David Kauffman

The mys - te - ry of faith. **All**
 Opt I *f* We pro - claim your
 Opt II When we eat this Bread and
 Opt III *f* Save us, Sav - ior
 Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your Res - ur - rec - tion,
 drink this Cup, we pro - claim your Death, O Lord,
 of the world, for by your Cross and Res - ur - rec - tion,
 un - til you come a - gain *f* gain
 un - til you come a - gain. When we gain
f you have set us free. *f* free

Amen

William Gokelman & David Kauffman

Musical score for 'Amen' in G major, 4/4 time. The first line is for the Priest (trumpet) and the second line is for the All. The lyrics are: A - men, A - men, A - men, A - men!

The Lord's Prayer

Agnus Dei

William Gokelman & David Kauffman

Musical score for 'The Lord's Prayer' (Agnus Dei) in G major, 3/4 time. The score is for Cantor and All. The lyrics are: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us world, grant us, grant us peace.

Priest: 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.

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

*Ministers of the Eucharist: Bishop Cotta, Fr. Hebda,
Lorecan Barnes, Marian Shackel, Courtney Hendry
Altar server: Makena Haroldson*

Communion Song Breathe (Barnett)

This is the air I breathe. This is the air I breathe. Your holy presence living in me. This is my daily bread. This is my daily bread. Your very word spoken to me. And I..... I'm desperate for you....And I..... I'm lost without you.

Communion Song You Are Mine (Haas)

I will come to you in the silence. I will lift you from all your fear. You will hear my voice. I claim you as my choice. Be still and know I am here.

I am hope for all who are hopeless. I am eyes for all who long to see. In the shadows of the night, I will be your light. Come and rest in me.

Refrain: Do not be afraid I am with you. I have called you each by name. Come and follow me. I will bring you home. I love you and you are mine.

I am strength for all the despairing. Healing for the ones who dwell in shame. All the blind will see. The lame will all run free and all will know my name. (Refrain)

I am the word that leads all to freedom. I am the peace the world cannot give. I will call your name, embracing all your pain. Stand up now, walk and live. (Refrain)

Closing Song Strength for the Journey (Poirier)

Refrain: I will be. I will be. I will be strength for the journey (repeat).

There is a road meant for you to travel, narrow and steep is the Shepherd's way. And as you say, "Yes," letting me guide you, I will be strength for the journey. (Refrain)

There is a cross meant for you to carry, there is a cross meant for you alone. And as you bow down in humble surrender, I will be strength for the journey. (Refrain)

All are invited to join us following mass for a reception in the Cafeteria. Please make sure to sign the guest book. We also invite each guest/family to take one of the decorative sheets of paper to write a personal message or favorite memory for Mary. Please leave these pages on the table near the guest book.
Thank you for celebrating with us today!