

International English-speaking Catholic Community, Parish of Luxembourg Notre-Dame
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Thought for the week: 'Any kind of racism leads inevitably to the crushing of mankind'.
"Toute espèce de racisme conduit inévitablement à l'écrasement de l'homme" St John-Paul II

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(+352) 661 127 962 / parish@catholic.lu Office hours are 08:30 - 12:30 Monday - Friday.

Weekend Masses: Sundays 11.00 in Belair Church and 18.30 in St Michel.

Livestreaming of Mass: The Sunday 11.00 Mass is live-streamed via our Facebook page:
www.facebook.com/stalphonseluxembourg/live

No evening Mass in English Wednesday 14 August: This Mass is replaced by a Vigil Mass in French at 18:00 for the Feast of the Assumption.

Feast of the Assumption: This is celebrated on Thursday 15 August and there will be Mass in English at 11.30 in the Garden Chapel at St Alphonse.

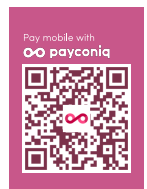
Baptisms and marriages: If you would like your son/daughter baptised, or you are planning to get married either in Luxembourg or abroad (please give at least 4 months notice for weddings), please contact the parish office.

Mass sheet - Please take home your copy of the Sunday Message.

Laudato Si': We are pleased to announce a renewal of the LAUDATO SI' movement at the heart of our community to spread the message of Pope Francis' encyclical letter in the face of the climate and social-ecological crises. The movement plans to organise social, educational and advocacy activities for all ages. The renewal of the movement is also planned as an opportunity for intercultural engagement and dialogue with other international communities of the Parish of Lëtzebuerg Notre-Dame. If you are interested in getting involved, helping out, or if you would like to find out more, please write to hope@laudatosi.lu

Donations to the English-speaking Catholic Community : Please consider making a donation via bank transfer or even better, set up a monthly direct payment:
Friends Engl. Cath. Comm. LU10 0019 5155 8196 2000.

Donations can also be made via your mobile using Digicash (payconiq)
Thank you for all your donations - your generosity is much appreciated.



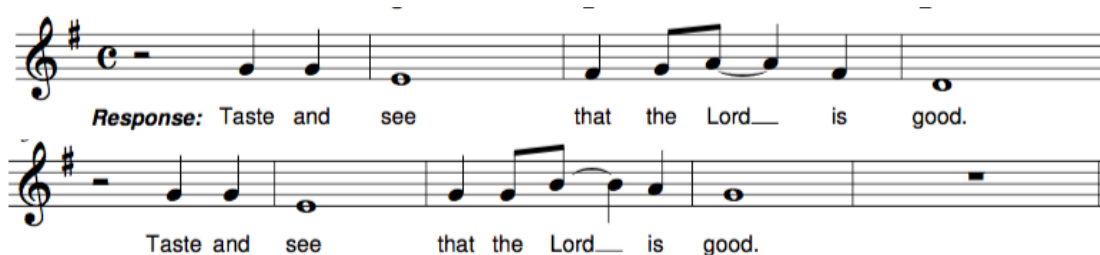
MASS SETTING : Mass of Joy

OPENING HYMN : Gather the people

*Gather the people! Enter the feast!
All are invited, the greatest and least.
The banquet is ready, now to be shared.
Join in the heavenly feast that God has prepared.*

1. Around this table we dine as kin,
beloved family of God.
We share the body of Christ, the Lord.
Here we become what we eat.
2. Around this table we tell great tales,
the wondrous stories of grace.
We hold the memory of Christ, the Lord.
So we become what we eat.
3. Around this table God's bounty falls
on all who hunger and thirst.
We drink the fullness of Christ, the Lord.
So we become what we eat.
4. Around this table our hearts rejoice
in love that's stronger than death.
We'll rise in glory with Christ, the Lord.
Then we become what we eat.

PSALM 33: Taste and see that the Lord is good



PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS : Gifts of bread and wine

1. Gifts of bread and wine,
gifts we've offered,
fruits of labour, fruits of love:
taken, offered, sanctified,
blessed and broken;
words of one who died:

'Take my body, take my saving blood.'
Gifts of bread and wine: Christ our Lord.
2. Christ our Saviour, living presence here,
as he promised while on earth:
'I am with you for all time,
I am with you in this bread and wine.'
3. To the Father, with the Spirit,
one in union with the Son,
for God's people, joined in prayer,
faith is strengthened by the food
we share.

COMMUNION I: I am the Bread of Life

1. I am the bread of life.
He who comes to me shall not hunger;
he who believes in me shall not thirst.
No one can come to me
unless the Father draw him.

*And I will raise him up,
and I will raise him up,
and I will raise him up on the last day.*
2. The bread that I will give
is my flesh for the life of the world,
and he who eats of this bread,
he shall live for ever,
he shall live for ever.
3. Unless you eat
of the flesh of the Son of Man
and drink of his blood,
and drink of his blood,
you shall not have life within you.
4. I am the resurrection,
I am the life.
He who believes in me
even if he die,
he shall live for ever.
5. Yes, Lord, I believe
that you are the Christ,
the Son of God,
who has come
into the world.

COMMUNION II: Eat this Bread

Eat this bread, drink this cup
Come to him and never be hungry.
Eat this bread, drink this cup,
Trust in him and you will not thirst.

RECESSIONAL : Let there be love

1. Let there be love shared among us,
Let there be love in our eyes,
May now your love sweep this nation,
Cause us oh Lord to arise.
Give us a fresh understanding
Give us a love that is real,
Let there be love shared among us,
Let there be love.
2. Let there be joy ...
3. Let there be peace ...

