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**Thought for the week:** 'Any kind of racism inevitably leads to the crushing of mankind' *"Toute espèce de racisme conduit inévitablement à l'écrasement de l'homme"* Saint Jean-Paul II

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

**Saturday 19:30 Vigil Mass Garden Chapel St. Alphonse resumes next weekend, 12 October.**

**World Day for Migrants & Refugees was last Sunday:** thank you to all who worked so hard on this. It was a great success.

**First Holy Communion registration** - this has opened. Please go to 'Latest Posts' on [catholic.lu](http://catholic.lu) for further information. All parents should attend the meeting after the 11.00 Mass on Sunday 20 October. Registration closes 4 November.

**Livestreaming of Mass:** The Sunday 11.00 Mass is live-streamed via our Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/stalphonseluxembourg/live](https://www.facebook.com/stalphonseluxembourg/live)

**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.

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## MASS SETTING : Mass of Joy

## OPENING HYMN : Holy, holy is the Lord

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord; holy is the Lord God Almighty.  
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord; holy is the Lord God Almighty.  
*Who was and is and is to come, Holy, holy, holy is the Lord.*

1. Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is the Lord...
2. Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lord...
3. Glory, glory, glory to the Lord...

## PSALM 127: May the Lord bless us all the days of our life.

Musical notation for Psalm 127. It consists of two staves. The first staff has a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a common time signature (C). The melody is written on a five-line staff. Below the first staff, the lyrics "Response: May the Lord bless us all the days of our life." are written. The second staff continues the melody. Below the second staff, the lyrics "May the Lord bless us all the days of our life." are written. There are some musical notations like "3" and "5" above the notes, indicating triplets and quintuplets respectively.

**Response:** May the Lord bless us all the days of our life.

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## PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS : A new commandment

*A new commandment I give unto you,  
That you love one another  
as I have loved you,  
That you love one another  
as I have loved you.*

1. By this shall all men know that  
you are my disciples,  
if you have love one for another. x2

2. You are my friends if you do  
what I command you.  
Without my help you can do nothing. x2
3. I am the true vine,  
my Father is the gardener  
Abide in me, I will be with you. x2
4. True love is patient,  
not arrogant nor boastful,  
Love bears all things, love is eternal.

## COMMUNION I : This is my body

1. This is my body broken for you  
bringing you wholeness, making you free  
Take it and eat it and when you do  
Do it in love for me.
2. This is my blood poured out for you  
bringing forgiveness, making you free  
Take it and drink it and when you do  
do it in love for me.
3. Back to my Father soon I shall go  
Do not forget me, then you will see  
I am still with you, and you will know  
you're very close to me.

4. Filled with my Spirit, how you will grow  
You are my branches, I am the tree  
If you are faithful, others will know  
you are alive in me.
5. Love one another, I have loved you  
and I have shown you how to be free  
serve one another, and when you do  
do it in love for me.

## COMMUNION II : Abba Father

*Abba, Abba, Father.  
You are the potter; we are the clay,  
the work of your hands.*

1. Mould us, mould us and fashion us  
into the image of Jesus, your Son,  
of Jesus, your Son.
2. Father, may we be one in you.  
May we be one in you as he is in you,  
and you are in him.
3. Glory, glory and praise to you.  
Glory and praise to you forever, amen,  
forever, amen.



## RECESSIONAL : You are my all in all

*Jesus, Lamb of God  
Worthy is your name  
Jesus, Lamb of God  
Worthy is your name*

1. You are my strength when I am weak  
You are the treasure that I seek  
You are my all in all  
Seeking you as a precious jewel  
Lord, to give up I'd be a fool  
You are my all in all

2. Taking my sin, my cross, my shame  
Rising again I bless your name  
You are my all in all  
When I fall down you pick me up  
When I am dry you fill my cup  
You are my all in all.