

# ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL



## CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Friday after Ash Wednesday

February 24, 2023

## INTRODUCTORY RITE

Entrance Hymn: Praise to the Living God

720 LEONI

7:00 AM - Kyrie

Litany of the Saints

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

### First Reading: Is 58:1-9a

Thus says the Lord GOD:

Cry out full-throated and unsparingly,

lift up your voice like a trumpet blast;

Tell my people their wickedness,

and the house of Jacob their sins.

They seek me day after day,

and desire to know my ways,

Like a nation that has done what is just

and not abandoned the law of their God;

They ask me to declare what is due them,

pleased to gain access to God.

""Why do we fast, and you do not see it?

afflict ourselves, and you take no note of it?""

Lo, on your fast day you carry out your own pursuits,

and drive all your laborers.

Yes, your fast ends in quarreling and fighting,

striking with wicked claw.

Would that today you might fast

so as to make your voice heard on high!

Is this the manner of fasting I wish,

of keeping a day of penance:

That a man bow his head like a reed

and lie in sackcloth and ashes?

Do you call this a fast,

a day acceptable to the LORD?

This, rather, is the fasting that I wish:

releasing those bound unjustly,

untying the thongs of the yoke;

Setting free the oppressed,

breaking every yoke;



**Gospel: Mt 9:14-15**

The disciples of John approached Jesus and said,

"Why do we and the Pharisees fast much,

but your disciples do not fast?"

Jesus answered them, "Can the wedding guests mourn

as long as the bridegroom is with them?

The days will come when the bridegroom is taken away from them,

and then they will fast."

**LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

Preparation of the Gifts

Sanctus (*from* Missa Ubi Caritas)

Bob Hurd

Mystery of Faith

B. Hurd

Great Amen

B. Hurd

**COMMUNION RITE**

The Lord's Prayer

Agnus Dei: Lamb of God (Missa Jubilate Deo)

104    MISSA XVIII

Communion Hymn: Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

609    PICARDY

**CONCLUDING RITE**

Blessing & Dismissal

Recessional Hymn: Have Mercy, Lord, on Us

559    SOUTHWELL