

# ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL



## CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Friday of the Twenty-fourth Week in Ordinary Time

September 22, 2023

## INTRODUCTORY RITE

Entrance Hymn: For the Beauty of the Earth  
Lord, Have Mercy (Kyrie)

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Litany of the Saints

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

### First Reading: 1 Tm 6:2c-12

Beloved:

Teach and urge these things.

Whoever teaches something different  
and does not agree with the sound words of our Lord Jesus Christ  
and the religious teaching  
is conceited, understanding nothing,  
and has a morbid disposition for arguments and verbal disputes.

From these come envy, rivalry, insults, evil suspicions,  
and mutual friction among people with corrupted minds,  
who are deprived of the truth,  
supposing religion to be a means of gain.

Indeed, religion with contentment is a great gain.

For we brought nothing into the world,  
just as we shall not be able to take anything out of it.

If we have food and clothing, we shall be content with that.

Those who want to be rich are falling into temptation and into a trap  
and into many foolish and harmful desires,  
which plunge them into ruin and destruction.

For the love of money is the root of all evils,  
and some people in their desire for it have strayed from the faith  
and have pierced themselves with many pains.

But you, man of God, avoid all this.

Instead, pursue righteousness, devotion,  
faith, love, patience, and gentleness.

Compete well for the faith.

Lay hold of eternal life,  
to which you were called when you made the noble confession  
in the presence of many witnesses.

**Responsorial Psalm: Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20**

**R. Blessed the poor in spirit; the Kingdom of heaven is theirs!**

Why should I fear in evil days  
when my wicked ensnarers ring me round?  
They trust in their wealth;  
the abundance of their riches is their boast.

**R. Blessed the poor in spirit; the Kingdom of heaven is theirs!**

Yet in no way can a man redeem himself,  
or pay his own ransom to God;  
Too high is the price to redeem one's life; he would never have enough  
to remain alive always and not see destruction.

**R. Blessed the poor in spirit; the Kingdom of heaven is theirs!**

Fear not when a man grows rich,  
when the wealth of his house becomes great,  
For when he dies, he shall take none of it;  
his wealth shall not follow him down.

**R. Blessed the poor in spirit; the Kingdom of heaven is theirs!**

Though in his lifetime he counted himself blessed,  
"They will praise you for doing well for yourself,"  
He shall join the circle of his forebears  
who shall never more see light.

**R. Blessed the poor in spirit; the Kingdom of heaven is theirs!**

**Acclamation before the Gospel: Alleluia**

226 Melchior Vulpus

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth;  
you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the Kingdom.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

**Gospel: Lk 8:1-3**

Jesus journeyed from one town and village to another,  
preaching and proclaiming the good news of the Kingdom of God.  
Accompanying him were the Twelve  
and some women who had been cured of evil spirits and infirmities,  
Mary, called Magdalene, from whom seven demons had gone out,  
Joanna, the wife of Herod's steward Chuza,  
Susanna, and many others  
who provided for them out of their resources.

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts

Holy, Holy (Sanctus): Mass of the City

Mystery of Faith

Great Amen

Richard Proulx

R. Proulx

R. Proulx

## COMMUNION RITE

The Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God (Agnus Dei): Holy Cross Mass

Communion Hymn: O Living Bread From Heaven

David Clarke Isele

670 AURELIA

## CONCLUDING RITE

Blessing & Dismissal

Recessional Hymn: For the Fruits of His Creation

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