

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

SUNDAY, MAY 2, 2021

2:30 P.M.

CELEBRANT

REV. BRIAN DOERR

CONCELEBRANTS

REV. DAVE NEWTON

REV. JOHN NGUYEN

DEACON

WILLIAM REID

ST. ELIZABETH SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH
CARMEL, INDIANA

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

(please stand)

Proclamation

O God Beyond All PraisingTHAXTED

Greeting

The Lord be with you.
R:/And with your spirit.

Sprinkling Rite

Rain DownJamie Cortez

Gloria

Mass of WisdomSteven R. Janco

Opening Prayer

(please be seated)

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First ReadingActs 9:26-31

When Saul arrived in Jerusalem he tried to join the disciples, but they were all afraid of him, not believing that he was a disciple. Then Barnabas took charge of him and brought him to the apostles, and he reported to them how he had seen the Lord, and that he had spoken to him, and how in Damascus he had spoken out boldly in the name of Jesus. He moved about freely with them in Jerusalem, and spoke out boldly in the name of the Lord. He also spoke and debated with the Hellenists, but they tried to kill him. And when the brothers learned of this, they took him down to Caesarea and sent him on his way to Tarsus. The church throughout all Judea, Galilee, and Samaria was at peace. It was being built up and walked in the fear of the Lord, and with the consolation of the Holy Spirit it grew in numbers.

The Word of the Lord. **R:/Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 22: I Will Praise You LordMichel Guimont

Second Reading1 John 3:18-24

Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth. Now this is how we shall know that we belong to the truth and reassure our hearts before him in whatever our hearts condemn, for God is greater than our hearts and knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have confidence in God and receive from him whatever we ask, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him. And his commandment is this: we should believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and love one another just as he commanded us. Those who keep his commandments remain in him, and he in them, and the way we know that he remains in us is from the Spirit he gave us.

The Word of the Lord. **R:/Thanks be to God.**

(please stand)

Gospel Acclamation.....Steven R. Janco

The Lord be with you.

R:/And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

R:/Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel ReadingJohn 15:1-8

Jesus said to his disciples: “I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine grower. He takes away every branch in me that does not bear fruit, and every one that does he prunes so that it bears more fruit. You are already pruned because of the word that I spoke to you. Remain in me, as I remain in you. Just as a branch cannot bear fruit on its own unless it remains on the vine, so neither can you unless you remain in me. I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing. Anyone who does not remain in me will be thrown out like a branch and wither; people will gather them and throw them into a fire and they will be burned. If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask for whatever you want and it will be done for you. By this is my Father glorified, that you bear much fruit and become my disciples.”

The Gospel of the Lord. **R:/Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

(please be seated)

Homily

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Universal PrayerR:/ Lord, hear our prayer.

Prayer for Peace

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace:

where there is hatred, let me sow love;

where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith;

where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light;

where there is sadness, joy.

O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek

to be consoled as to console,

to be understood as to understand,

to be loved as to love,

For it is in giving that we receive,

it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,

it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

(please be seated)

Preparation of the Altar and Gifts

We Come TodayMark Friedman

Invitation to Prayer

Priest: “. . . may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.”

(please stand)

**People: 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.**

Preface Dialogue

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right and just.

Holy, Holy, HolyMass of Wisdom

(please kneel)

The Mystery of FaithMass of Wisdom

Great AmenMass of Wisdom

THE COMMUNION RITE

(please stand)

The Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God**Mass of Wisdom**

(please kneel)

Communion

Behold the Lamb of God...

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

Everyone is welcome to participate in this Mass.
Practicing Catholics, who are properly disposed, and have observed the Eucharistic fast
are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Others please remain seated.

Communion Hymns

We Are Many Parts.....**Marty Haugen**

One Love Released**Bob Frenzel and Kevin Keil**

Ubi Caritas**Bob Hurd**

I Received the Living God**LIVING GOD**

Bread of Life**Bernadette Farrell**

Come to the Lord**Steve Angrisano and Tom Tomaszek**

Regina Caeli/O Queen of Heaven**REGINA CAELI LAETARE**

(please stand)

Prayer After Communion

THE CONCLUDING RITE

Greeting

Blessing

Dismissal

Recessional Hymn

Sing With All the Saints in Glory**ODE TO JOY**

FIRST COMMUNICANTS

Claire Elizabeth Buchheit
David Charles Bukovac
Michael Anthony Bush
Cameron Celia Clark
Kara Marie Coyne
Annabelle James Crosby
Hogan Thomas Decatur
Lillian Maria Del Real
Louisa Bene Dobson
Mason Michael Doerr
Samuel Timothy Elder
Lauren Theresa Fairman
Benjamin David Falkenstein
Cecilia Faustina Marie Gorney
Andrew Alexander Gray
Evie Marie Grimes
Emmy Kay Hanna
Tyler Patrick Hochstedler
Olivia Marie Hughes
Evalynn Ondreja Jas
Marshall Boyd Johnston
Oliver Hart Juleen
Emma Elizabeth Kaiser

Jack Martin Kolacki
Harper Roe Lach
Liliann Dally Pace Lewis
Megan Ann Mahoney
Aidan Hong McCrory
Vivien Elaine Morris
Seth Brandon Lee Ortman
Victoria Bryn Pike
Paige Alene Robinson
Amelia Karen Saavedra
Mia Marie Schermerhorn
Myah Jo Schermerhorn
Elliot Robert Schiffli
Alexander John Selear
Brockway Lawrence Smith
Isaac Harold Stuller
Easton James Treadway
Harmony Skye VanDeWalle
Marcella Colette Walton
Cameron Joseph Weaver
Alexander Lee Wood
Gage Townsend Yates

