



SS. Isidore and Maria Parish

GLASTONBURY, CONNECTICUT

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 18, 2026

The main responses for the Mass may be found on the inside cover of **Today's Missal (TM)**. The **Order of Mass** may be found starting at **page 3** in TM.

Gathering Hymn

O God, Beyond All Praising

Tune: THAXTED; Gustav Holst, 1874-1934; Setting by Richard Proulx



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"On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit." - John 1:33



All 1. O God, be-yond all prais-ing, we wor-ship you to -
Choir 2. The flow'r of earth-ly splen-dor in time must sure-ly
All 3. Then hear, O gra-cious Sav-ior, ac-cept the love we



day and sing the love a-maz-ing that songs can-not re-
die, its frag-ile bloom sur-ren-der to you, the Lord most
bring, that we who know your fa-vor may serve you as our



pay; for we can on-ly won-der at ev-'ry gift you
high; but hid-den from all na-ture the e-ter-nal seed is
King; and wheth-er our to-mor-rows be filled with good or



send, at bless-ings with-out num-ber and
sown— though small in mor-tal stat-ure, to
ill, we'll tri-umph through our sor-rows and



mer-cies with-out end: we lift our hearts be-
heav-en's gar-den grown: for Christ the man from
rise to praise you still: to mar-vel at your



fore you and wait up-on your word, we
heav-en from death has set us free, and
beau-ty and glo-ry in your ways, and



hon-or and a-dore you, our great and might-y Lord.
we through him are giv-en the fi-nal vic-to-ry.
make a joy-ful du-ty our sac-ri-fice of praise.

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Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

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Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10.

Music: Michel Guimont

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Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 (verses)

Music: Michel Guimont

v1: I waited, I waited for the Lord, and he stooped down to me; he heard my cry. He put a new song into my mouth, praise of our God. /R

v3: In the scroll of the book, it stands written of me: "I delight to do your will, O my God; your instruction lies deep within me." /R

v2: You delight not in sacrifice and offerings, but in an open ear. You do not ask for holocaust and victim; Then I said, "See, I have come." /R

v4: Your justice I have proclaimed in the great assembly. My lips I have not sealed; you know it, O Lord. /R

Second Reading

TM p. 50

1 Corinthians 1:1-3

Gospel Acclamation

Please stand

Mass of Christ the Savior

Dan Schutte

Vs.: The Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us.
To those who accepted him, he gave power to become children of God. /R

Gospel

TM p. 51

John 1:29-34

Homily

Profession of Faith: Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, Our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. On the third day, he arose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God, the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. **Amen.**

Universal Prayer (Prayer of the Faithful)

All: Loving God, hear our prayer.

Universal Prayer Conclusion (All):

Heavenly Father, you have created us for a definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path you have planned for each of us in this life, and to respond with a generous 'Yes'. Make our parish, our homes, and our hearts fruitful ground for your gift of vocations. May we respond to your call with courage and zeal. Stir among us a desire and the strength to live good and holy lives in service to others. We make our prayer to you, Father, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation Hymn:

Here I am, Lord
Dan Schutte

v1. I, the Lord of the sea and sky, I have heard my people cry All who dwell in dark and sin, My hand will save. I who have made the stars of the night, I will make their darkness bright Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send? /R

v2. I, the Lord of the snow and rain, I have born my people's pain I have wept for love of them. They turn away. I will break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love alone I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send? /R

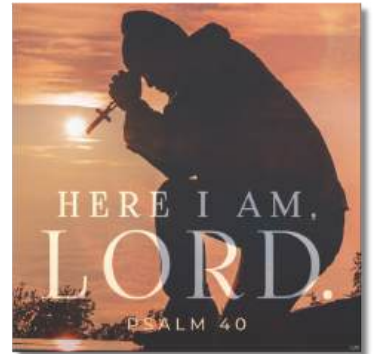
v3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame, I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide Till their hearts be satisfied I will give my life to them Whom shall I send? /R

Refrain



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night. I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

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Eucharistic Acclamations:

Mass of Christ the Savior, D. Schutte

Holy (Sanctus) | Memorial Acclamation | Amen

The Lord's Prayer

Preface Dialogue


Lamb of God

Invitation to Communion

Communion Hymn:

Behold the Lamb
Martin Willett

Verses



1. Those who were in the dark are thank-ful for the
2. Peace-ful now, those whose hearts are blessed with un-der-
3. Gen-tle one, Child of God, join with us at this
4. Lord of all, give us light. De-liv-er us from

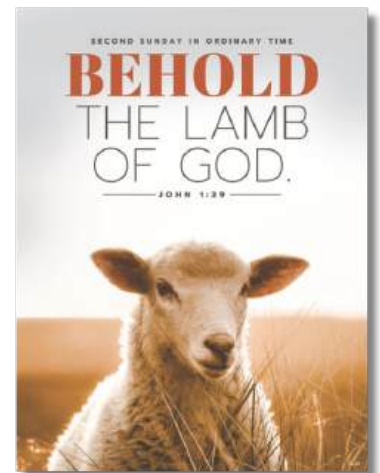
1. sun-light; we who live, we who die are grate-ful for his
2. stand-ing of the wheat, of the wine u-nit-ed with his
3. ta-ble. Bless our lives; nour-ish all who hun-ger for this
4. e-vil. Make us one; be our shield. Make still the winds that

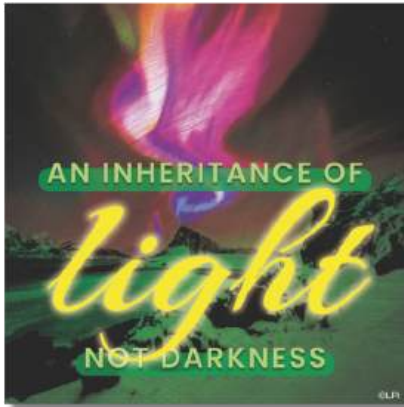
Refrain

1. gift, thank-ful for his love. Be-hold, be-hold the Lamb of
2. word and the love we share.
3. feast; shel-ter them with peace.
4. blow; cra-dle us with love.

God. All who eat, all who drink shall live; and all,
all who dwell in God shall come to know his glo-ry.

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Verses

1. I want to walk as a child of the light; I want to
2. I want to see the bright-ness of God; I want to
3. I'm look-ing for the com-ing of Christ; I want to

1. fol-low Je-sus. God set the stars to give
2. look at Je-sus. Clear Sun of righ-teous-ness,
3. be with Je-sus. When we have run with

1. light to the world; the star of my life is Je-sus.
2. shine on my path, and show me the way to the Fa-ther.
3. pa-tience the race, we shall know the joy of Je-sus.

Refrain

In him there is no dark-ness at all; the night and the
day are both a-like. The Lamb is the light of the
cit-y of God: Shine in my heart, Lord Je-sus.

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Hymn for Going Forth

Lead Me Lord
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Verses

1. Bless-ed are the poor in spir-it, long-ing for their
2. Bless-ed are the mer-ci-ful, for mer-cy shall be
3. Blest are they who through their life-times sow the seeds of

1. Lord, for God's com-ing king-dom shall be theirs.
2. theirs, and the pure in heart shall see their God.
3. peace, all will call them chil-dren of the Lord.

1. Bless-ed are the sor-row-ing, for they shall be con-
2. Blest are they whose hun-ger on-ly ho-li-ness can
3. Blest are you, though per-se-cu-ted in your ho-ly

1. soled, and the meek shall come to rule the world.
2. fill, for I say they shall be sat-is-fied.
3. life, for in heav-en, great is your re-ward.

Refrain

Lead me, Lord, lead me, Lord, by the light of truth to
seek and to find the nar-row way. Be my way;
be my truth; be my life, my Lord, and lead me, Lord, to-

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day. day. And lead me, Lord, to-day.

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