

St. Benedict Parish
The 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time—Mass
Hymn Sheet

Gathering Hymn: “Gather Us In”

1. Here in this place new light is streaming
Now is the darkness vanished away
See in this space our fears and our dreamings
Brought here to you in the light of this day
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken
Gather us in, the blind and the lame
Call to us now and we shall awaken
We shall arise at the sound of our name

2. We are the young, our lives are a mystery
We are the old who yearn for your face
We have been sung throughout all of history
Called to be light to the whole human race
Gather us in, the rich and the haughty
Gather us in, the proud and the strong
Give us a heart so meek and so lowly
Give us the courage to enter the song

3. Here we will take the wine and the water
Here we will take the bread of new birth
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters
Call us anew to be salt for the earth
Give us to drink the wine of compassion
Give us to eat the bread that is you
Nourish us well and teach us to fashion
Lives that are holy and hearts that are true

Responsorial Psalm: (SUNG) “Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.”

Preparation Hymn “O Sacrament Most Holy”

1. O Jesus we adore you, who is your love divine, conceal your mighty Godhead in forms of bread and wine.

Refrain: O Sacrament most holy O Sacrament divine, All praise and all thanksgiving be every moment thine.

2. O Jesus we adore you, our victim and our priest, whose precious blood and body become our sacred feast. (Refrain)

3. O Jesus we adore you, our Savior and our King, and with the saints and angels our humble homage bring. (Refrain)

Communion Hymn: “Soul of My Savior”

1. Soul of my Savior, sanctify my breast; body of Christ be thou my saving guest;
Blood of my Savior, bathe me in thy tide; wash me with water flowing from thy side.

2. Strength and protection may thy passion be; O blessed Jesus, hear and answer me;
Deep in thy wounds, Lord, hide and shelter me; so shall I never, never part from thee.

3. Hear me, Lord Jesus, listen as I pray, “Lead me from night to never ending day.
Fill all the world with love and grace divine, and glory, laud, and praise be ever thine.

Recessional Hymn: “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

1. Love divine, all loves excelling joy of heaven to earth come down. Fix in us your humble dwelling all your faithful mercies crown. Jesus source of all compassion, love unbounded love all pure; visit us with your salvation, let your love in us endure.

2. Come, almighty to deliver; let us all your life receive; suddenly return and never, never more your temples leave. Lord, we would be always blessing, serve you as your hosts above. Pray, and praise you without ceasing Glory in your precious love.