

# June 13, 2021

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# 11th Ordinary Sunday



#### **FAITH SHARING**

Today's readings focus our attention on the birth and growth of the reign or rule of God (Kingdom of God), in our human lives.

#### EZ 17:22-24

Ezekiel tells us how the Lord God of Israel will allow a descendant of King David to become the Messiah and Savior of the world. In contrast with the parable of the tiny mustard seed in today's Gospel, Ezekiel sees the Messiah originating in a royal family (lofty Cedar, David).

### Responsorial Psalm

R. Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.

### 2 COR 5:6-10

St. Paul teaches the Corinthian Christians that they are to advance the growth of God's Kingdom and His rule in their lives by doing His will so that they may be amply rewarded in the final judgment.

#### MK 4:26-34

Jesus compares the growth of the Kingdom of God to the germination of a wheat seed and that of a tiny mustard seed. Both have exceedingly small beginnings. The wheat seeds, by gradual but steady growth, help the farmer to get a bumper crop. In the same way, the life principle in a tiny mustard seed enables it to grow into a large bush. The reign of God in human hearts and the growth of the Church in the world also have small beginnings. But the Source of all life, God the Holy Spirit, gives to both a steady, persistent, and gigantic growth, provided we, the members of the Church, cooperate with God's grace.

### ENTRANCE HYMN (Luke 17:20b-21; Daniel 6:27b)

V. The coming of the kingdom of God cannot be observed, and no one will announce: 'Look, here it is!' or 'There it is!' For behold, the kingdom of God is among you.

R. "For He is the living God, enduring forever; His kingdom shall not be destroyed, and His dominion shall be without end."

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

## Gospel MK 4:26-34

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Mark.

Jesus said to the crowds:

"This is how it is with the kingdom of God; it is as if a man were to scatter seed on the land and would sleep and rise night and day and through it all the seed would sprout and grow, he knows not how. Of its own accord the land yields fruit, first the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear. And when the grain is ripe, he wields the sickle at once, for the harvest has come."

He said

"To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade."

With many such parables he spoke the word to them as they were able to understand it. Without parables he did not speak to them, but to his own disciples he explained everything in private.

The Gospel of the Lord.



# Today's Hymns

**Processional Hymn** Hymn of Faith

**Hymn to the Holy Spirit** 144 Come, Thou Creator

Offertory Hymn 230 Come, Thou Almighty King

> Communion Hymn 229 Just As I Am

**Recessional Hymn** 228 Joyful, Joyful We Adore You

#### WORSHIP SERVICES

> Sunday, June 20 12 Ordinary Sunday Father's Day

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#### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Let us pray for all of the sick and homebound members of our Parish, especially: Howard Friedman, Bernice Muha, Janet Caruso, Michael and Patricia Havrilla, Gerry Brunson, Frank and Shellie Fisher, Gregg Smith, Clint Koch, Duane Schulte, Bill and Bernice Biroscak, Stephanie Besterci, David Potts, Andrew Chernesky, Joan Piechota, John Smith, Ernie Hoffman, John and Jane Aldershoff, Peggy Harris, Ina Reese, Bob Stutz, Tom Goff, David Gavenda, Michelle Freer, Kay Stampone, Dorothy Nabinger, John Russell, Ronald Brower, Jan Cherneski, Sally Bisch, Stan Sub, Ewelina Mendelewski-Filyushchenko, Richard Golazewski, Joseph Seliga, Fr. Donald Wunderlich, Izabela Dryfik, Michal Mularczyk.

### **ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

Most loving Jesus, I adore You in the Most Blessed Sacrament, in Which You are truly present. I love You above all things and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart and heal my soul. I embrace You and unite myself with You; may I never be separated from You. Inflame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior.

#### FATHER'S DAY IS COMING

On Sunday, June 20, we will be celebrating Father's Day. We would like to honor all Fathers, living and deceased and pray for them during Mass at 12:00 Noon.



06/13/21	Su	12:00 Noon	† Jan Dryfik
06/20/21	Su	12:00 Noon	For All Fathers, Living and Deceased
06/27/21	Su	12:00 Noon	For the healing of John Chien
07/04/21	Su	12:00 Noon	† Peter Gardyasz
07/11/21	Su	12:00 Noon	† Josephine Zdanowicz
07/18/21	Su	12:00 Noon	† For All Parishioners
07/25/21	Su	12:00 Noon	† Zbigniew Pełka

MASS INTENTION REQUEST FORM

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