



# ST. MARY PARISH

Love ♦ Serve ♦ Grow

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# I WILL CHOOSE CHRIST

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I will choose Christ, I will choose love, I choose to serve.



I give my heart, I give my life, I give my all to you.

1. How many times  
must he call my name  
and show to me that he is God?  
And as a servant he calls to me,  
"You must serve too."
2. Christ, my teacher and healer,  
teach my heart and heal my soul.

- And as I walk this road with you,  
teach me to love.
3. As I look upon your cross,  
so too must I die with you.  
And with the death of my  
own desires,  
I'll rise with you.

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## Reading I

### Am 7:12-15

Amaziah, priest of Bethel, said to Amos,  
"Off with you, visionary, flee to the land of Judah!  
There earn your bread by prophesying,  
but never again prophesy in Bethel;  
for it is the king's sanctuary and a royal temple."  
Amos answered Amaziah, "I was no prophet,  
nor have I belonged to a company of prophets;  
I was a shepherd and a dresser of sycamores.  
The LORD took me from following the flock, and said  
to me, Go, prophesy to my people Israel."

*Responsorial Psalm*

**Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14**

**R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.**

I will hear what God proclaims;  
the LORD —for he proclaims peace.  
Near indeed is his salvation to those who fear him,  
glory dwelling in our land.

**R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.**

Kindness and truth shall meet;  
justice and peace shall kiss.  
Truth shall spring out of the earth,  
and justice shall look down from heaven.

**R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.**

The LORD himself will give his benefits;  
our land shall yield its increase.  
Justice shall walk before him,  
and prepare the way of his steps.

**R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.**

## Reading II

### Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,

who has blessed us in Christ

with every spiritual blessing in the heavens,

as he chose us in him, before the foundation of the world,

to be holy and without blemish before him.

In love he destined us for adoption to himself through Jesus Christ,

in accord with the favor of his will,

for the praise of the glory of his grace

that he granted us in the beloved.

In him we have redemption by his blood,

the forgiveness of transgressions,

in accord with the riches of his grace that he lavished upon us.

In all wisdom and insight, he has made known to us

the mystery of his will in accord with his favor

that he set forth in him as a plan for the fullness of times,

to sum up all things in Christ, in heaven and on earth.

In him we were also chosen,  
destined in accord with the purpose of the One  
who accomplishes all things according to the intention  
of his will,  
so that we might exist for the praise of his glory,  
we who first hoped in Christ.

In him you also, who have heard the word of truth,  
the gospel of your salvation, and have believed in him,  
were sealed with the promised holy Spirit,  
which is the first installment of our inheritance  
toward redemption as God's possession, to the praise  
of his glory.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ  
enlighten the eyes of our hearts,  
that we may know what is the hope that  
belongs to our call.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

## Gospel

### Mk 6:7-13

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two

and gave them authority over unclean spirits.

He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick—

no food, no sack, no money in their belts.

They were, however, to wear sandals

but not a second tunic.

He said to them,

“Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave.

Whatever place does not welcome you or listen to you, leave there and shake the dust off your feet in testimony against them.”

So they went off and preached repentance.

The Twelve drove out many demons,

and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

# COME, FOLLOW ME

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Barney Walker (ASCAP)

Refrain



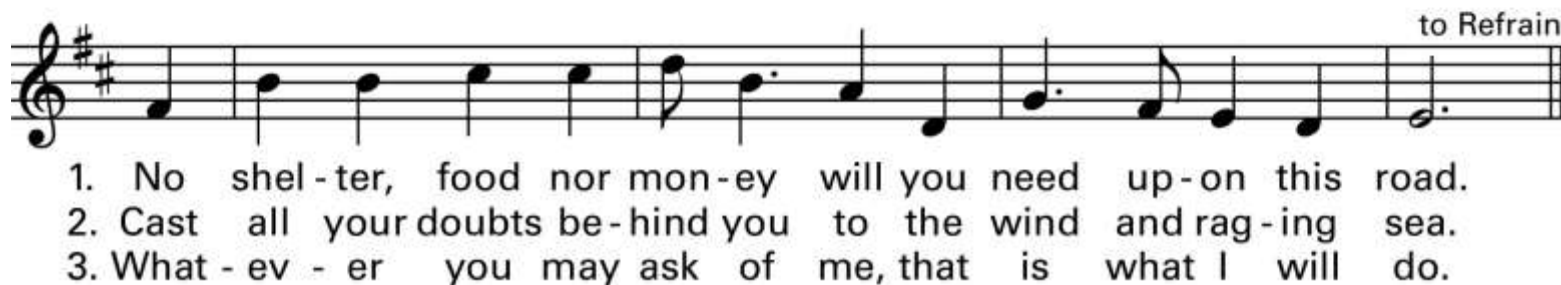
Come, fol - low me and live; do not be a - fraid. Be -  
lieve and trust in me; your faith will give you strength. Leave  
all your fears be - hind you; let your heart be free, for  
I will be your guide. Oh, come and fol - low me.

Verses



1. Come, fol - low in these foot-steps; I'll lead you gent - ly home.  
2. Come, walk a - cross the wa - ter; place all your faith in me.  
3. If you re - main with - in me, my words re - main in you.

to Refrain



1. No shel - ter, food nor mon - ey will you need up - on this road.  
2. Cast all your doubts be - hind you to the wind and rag - ing sea.  
3. What - ev - er you may ask of me, that is what I will do.

# Here I Am, Lord

Verses



1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my  
2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my  
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the



peo - ple cry. All who dwell in dark and sin  
peo - ple's pain. I have wept for love of them.  
poor and lame. I will set a feast for them.



My hand will save. I who made the  
They turn a - way. I will break their  
My hand will save. Fin - est bread I



stars of night, I will make their dark - ness bright.  
hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love a - lone.  
will pro - vide Till their hearts be sat - is - fied.



Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?  
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you



call - ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you



lead me. I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.

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# COME UNTO ME

Bob Hurd

## Refrain



Come, come un-to me; I will make you a jew - el.



Pre-cious and rare the glo-ry you'll bear in the crown of

## Verses



God. 1. There are deeds you a-lone must do; there are  
2. From the dawn of cre - a - tion, from the



1. words on-ly you can say. Trust in me, and do not trem -  
2. tree on Cal - va - ry, I chose you and gave my life



1. ble, for I go with you to show you the way.  
2. to be my own, to be my de-light.

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# TAKE MY HANDS

Sebastian Temple



1. Take my hands and make them as your own, and
2. Take my hands, they speak now for my heart, and
3. Take my hands, I give them to you, Lord. Pre -



1. use them for your king-dom here on earth.
2. by their ac-tions they will show their love.
3. pare them for the ser-vice of your name.



1. Con - se - crate them to your care, a - noint them for your
2. Guard them on their dai - ly course, \_\_\_ be their strength and
3. O - pen them to hu - man need and by their love they'll

to Verses 2, 3



1. ser - vice where \_\_\_ you may need your gos - pel to be sown.
2. guid - ing force to ev - er serve the Trin - i - ty a - bove.
3. sow your seed so all may know the love and hope you gave.



Final Ending  
Take my hands, take my hands, O Lord.

# CELTIC ALLELUIA: SENDING FORTH

Fintan O'Carroll and Christopher Walker

Refrain



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Verses



1. Now with the strength of your Word, send us to
2. Fed with the Bread of new life, filled with the
3. Now make us stead-fast in faith, joy-ful in
- \*1. Now he is liv-ing, the Christ. Out of the
2. Christ is the first-fruits from death, fill-ing the



1. be your dis-ci-ples, to bring all the world
2. wine of com-pas-sion, send us out to serve
3. hope of Christ's com-ing, and by u-ni-ty
1. tomb he is ris-en; he has con-quer-ed death,
2. church with his glo-ry! Dark-ness van-ish-es



to Refrain

1. to the joy \_\_\_\_\_ of your king-dom. \_\_\_\_\_
2. all the world \_\_\_\_\_ in your name. \_\_\_\_\_
3. let your love \_\_\_\_\_ fill our lives. \_\_\_\_\_
1. o-pened heav-en to all be-liev-ers. \_\_\_\_\_
2. in the light \_\_\_\_\_ of his pow-er. \_\_\_\_\_

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\*Verses for the Easter Season

# GO OUT, GO OUT (PSALM 117)

Curtis Stephan

Refrain



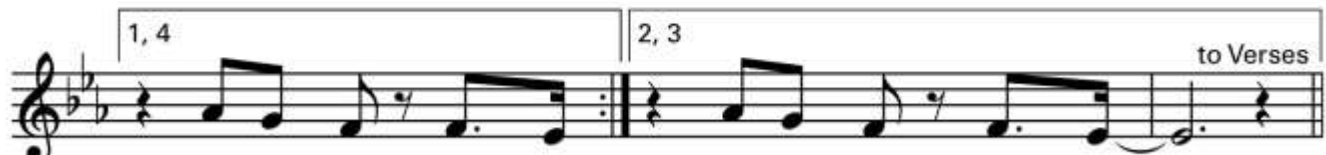
Go out, go out to all the world and tell the



Good News, tell the Good, Good News! Go out, go




out to all the world and tell the Good News,



1, 4 tell the Good, Good News! 2, 3 tell the Good, Good News. to Verses

Final



tell the Good News, tell the Good, Good News.

Verse 1



1. Praise the LORD, praise the LORD, all you na - tions;



1. Glo - ri - fy him, glo - ri - fy him, you peo - ples! to Refrain

Verse 2



2. Stead-fast, stead-fast is his kind - ness toward us,



2. and the faith - ful - ness of the LORD en - dures! to Refrain