



CATHEDRAL OF ST FRANCIS XAVIER

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4th Sunday of Lent Year C

6pm Mass

30th March 2025

Entrance Hymn: Hosea

Come back to me with all your heart
Don't let fear keep us apart
Trees do bend though straight and tall
So must we to others call

*Long have I waited for
Your coming home to me
And living deeply our new life*

The wilderness will lead you
To the place where I will speak
Integrity and justice
With tenderness
You shall know.
You shall sleep secure with peace;
faithfulness will be your joy.

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Responsorial Psalm: *Ps 33:2-7. R. v.9*
(R.) Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!
I will rise and go to my Father and tell him:
Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you.
Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

Hymn: Nearer My God to Thee

Nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!
E'en though it be a cross that raiseth me,
still all my song shall be,
nearer, my God, to thee;
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

Though like the wanderer, the sun gone down,
darkness be over me, my rest a stone;
yet in my dreams I'd be
nearer, my God, to thee;
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

There let the way appear, steps unto heaven;
all that thou sendest me, in mercy given;
angels to beckon me
nearer, my God, to thee;
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

Then, with my waking thoughts bright with thy praise,
out of my stony griefs Bethel I'll raise;
so by my woes to be
nearer, my God, to thee;
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

Or if, on joyful wing cleaving the sky,
sun, moon, and stars forgot, upward I fly,
still all my song shall be,
nearer, my God, to thee;
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

Sarah Flower Adams (1841)

Communion Hymn: We Come to You

By your body and blood,
by your life and your love; renew us.
May your sacrifice be forgiveness in me;
heal us.

*We come to you.
We come to you broken, hungry.
We come to you.
We come to you.
Make us whole again.*

In the body of Christ
we are brought to new life; restore us.
May the flesh that we eat
and the blood that we drink save us. (to Refrain)

By your love,
by your grace,
we are one. (to Refrain)

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Recessional Hymn: A New Heart for a New World

*Create a new heart, Holy Lord. Beckon our lives through your word.
Open our eyes to your call, united as one for your world.
Heighten our minds to your thoughts heal us of pride and of hurt
may we go forth in your name we pray our hearts change.*

The hearts of the cross lowly and poor, calls us on.
Lord, it is you promising hope, promising truth.

Restless the hearts who yearn for your peace in this land.
Deepen the dream; justice brings life, justice redeems.

*Create a new heart, Holy Lord. Beckon our lives through your word.
Open our eyes to your call, united as one for your world. X2*

May we go forth in your name we pray our hearts change.

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