SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B

ENTRANCE HYMN

- Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
 To his feet your tribute bring;
 Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
 who like me His praises should sing?
 Alleluia, alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.
- Praise Him for His grace and favor
 To our fathers in distress;
 Praise Him still the same for ever,
 Slow to chide, and swift to bless:
 Alleluia, alleluia! Glorious in His faithfulness.
- Father-like He tends and spares us;
 Well our feeble frame He knows;
 In His hand He gently bears us,
 Rescues us from all our foes.
 Alleluia, alleluia! Widely as His mercy flows.
- Angels, help us to adore Him; Ye behold Him face to face; Sun and moon, bow down before Him, dwellers all in time and space.
 Alleluia, alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace!

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen

FIRST READING

A reading from the book of Leviticus 13:1-2. 44-46 *The leper must live apart: he must live outside the camp.*

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron, 'If a swelling or scab or shiny spot appears on a man's skin, a case of leprosy of the skin is to be suspected. The man must be taken to Aaron, the priest, or to one of the priests who are his sons. 'The man is leprous: he is unclean. The priest must declare him unclean; he is suffering from leprosy of the head. A man infected with leprosy must wear his clothing torn and his hair disordered; he must shield his upper lip and cry, "Unclean, unclean." As long as the disease lasts he must be unclean; and therefore he must live apart; he must live outside the camp.' The word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 31:1-2. 5. 11. R) v. 7

- R. You are my refuge, O Lord; you fill me with the joy of salvation.
- Happy the man whose offence is forgiven, whose sin is remitted.
 O happy the man to whom the Lord imputes no guilt, in whose spirit is no guile. (R.)

- But now I have acknowledged my sins; my guilt I did not hide. I said: 'I will confess my offence to the Lord.' And you, Lord, have forgiven the guilt of my sin. (R.)
- Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord, exult, you just!
 O come, ring out your joy, all you upright of heart. (R.)

SECOND READING

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians

10:31-11:1

Take me for your model, as I take Christ.

Whatever you eat, whatever you drink, whatever you do at all, do it for the glory of God. Never do anything offensive to anyone - to Jews or Greeks or to the Church of God; just as I try to be helpful to everyone at all times, not anxious for my own advantage but for the advantage of everybody else, so that they may be saved. Take me for your model, as I take Christ. The word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Lk 7:16

Alleluia, alleluia! A great prophet has appeared among us; God has visited his people. Alleluia.

GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark 1:40-45 *The leprosy left him at once and he was cured.*

A leper came to Jesus and pleaded on his knees: 'If you want to' he said 'you can cure me.' Feeling sorry for him, Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him. 'Of course I want to!' he said. 'Be cured!' And the leprosy left him at once and he was cured. Jesus immediately sent him away and sternly ordered him, 'Mind you say nothing to anyone, but go and show yourself to the priest, and make the offering for your healing prescribed by Moses as evidence of your recovery.' The man went away, but then started talking about it freely and telling the story everywhere, so that Jesus could no longer go openly into any town, but had to stay outside in places where nobody lived. Even so, people from all around would come to him. The Gospel of the Lord.

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven; (All bow) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the

Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

OFFERTORY HYMN

- Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
 O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation. All you who hear, now to his altar draw near, join in profound adoration.
- Praise to the Lord, let us offer our gifts at his altar; let not our sins and transgressions now cause us to falter. Christ, the High Priest, bids us all join in his feast; victims with him on the altar.
- 3. Praise to the Lord, who has fearfully, wondrously, made you, health has bestowed and, when heedlessly falling, has stayed you.

 What need or grief| ever has failed of relief?

 Wings of his mercy did shade you.
- 4. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning and, as on wings of an eagle, uplifting, sustaining.

 Have you not seen | how all that's needful has been sent by his gracious ordaining?
- Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you; surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.
 Ponder anew| what the Almighty can do as with his love he befriends you.
- 6. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him! All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him! Let the Amen| sound from his people again; gladly forever adore him!

COMMUNION HYMNS

- Make me a channel of your peace.
 Where there is hatred, let me bring your love.
 Where there is injury, your pardon, Lord.
 And where there's doubt, true faith in you.
- 2.Make me a channel of your peace. Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope. Where there is darkness only light, and where there's sadness ever joy.
- 3.Oh, Master, grant that I may never seek so much to be consoled as to console.

- to be understood as to understand, to be loved, as to love, with all my soul.
- 4.Make me a channel of your peace. It is in pardoning that we are pardoned, in giving to all men that we receive, and in dying that we're born to eternal life.

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Make me a servant, humble and meek Lord, let me lift up those who are weak, And may the prayer of my heart always be: Make me a servant (3) today.

- Even though you were in the form of God you took the form of a slave.
 You accepted death even on across,
 So God exalted your name.
- Ere you formed me in my mother's womb, you called me by my name.
 And you touched my mouth and appointed me a prophet to the world.
- May I heal the sick and the crippled bind, Bring back the sheep that stray.
 May I seek the lost and the weak strong With justice feed the poor.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

- For all the saints, who from their labours rest, Who Thee by faith before the world confessed, Thy Name, O Jesu, be forever blessed. Alleluia, Alleluia!
- For Martyrs, who with joyful kindled eye, Saw the bright crown descending from the sky, And seeing, grasped it, Thee we glorify. Alleluia, Alleluia!
- O may Thy soldiers, faithful, true and bold, Fight as the saints who nobly fought of old, And win with them the victor's crown of gold. Alleluia, Alleluia!
- 4. O blest communion, fellowship divine! We feebly struggle, they in glory shine; Yet all are one in Thee, for all are Thine. Alleluia, Alleluia!
- 5. But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day; The saints triumphant rise in bright array; The King of glory passes on His way. Alleluia, Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
Singing to Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia, alleluia!