



Community Celebration of Commitment

Sunday, June 22nd, 2025

10:00 a.m.

Feast of Corpus Christi

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Presider: Father Eugene Roy

Homilist: Sister Eileen Schuller

Music: Cindy Waddick, Jennifer Trinca
and Sister Liz Lynch

Reader: Sister Mary Waters



Abbott Marmiom once said that, "Joy is the echo of God's life in us." So let us in the words of Psalm 100:

*Cry out with Joy to the Lord
Serve the Lord with gladness
Come before God singing for joy!*

Welcome: Sr. Theresa Mahoney

Opening Hymn: **Morning Has Broken**

Morning has broken like the first morning
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird
Praise for the singing, praise for the morning
Praise for them springing fresh from the world
Sweet the rains new fall, sunlit from Heaven
Like the first dewfall on the first grass
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden
Sprung in completeness where His feet pass
Mine is the sunlight, mine is the morning
Born of the one light, Eden saw play
Praise with elation, praise every morning
God's recreation of the new day

First Reading: Genesis 14.18
Sr. Mary Waters

Psalm Response Arise, Come to Your God, Singing
Your Songs of Rejoicing

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11.23-26
Sr. Mary Waters

Gospel: Luke 9. 11b -17
Fr. Eugene Roy

Homily: Sr. Eileen Schuller

Invitation to Renewal of Vows: Sr. Theresa Mahoney

Renewal of Vows: The Community Together

God of Creation, you continually bless us with your faithful, gracious love.

Guided by your Spirit, rooted in the Risen Christ, inspired by Angela Merici and Mother Xavier, we renew our vows and commit ourselves to the support of one another in community.

Filled with gratitude we once more commit ourselves to a life of creative simplicity, mindful of the needs of all who share life with us on our fragile Earth.

We commit ourselves to a life of mutuality in relationships, which connect us to others in loving reverence and respect for one another and for all creation.

Guided by the Spirit of discernment and by the urgent need for justice and peace in our world, we recommit ourselves to a life of shared responsibility for one another and for all creation.

We promise to love and support one another as we journey together.

We place these vows before you, Loving God, and humbly ask your blessing.

Prayers of the Faithful:

Sr. Jean Ann Ledwell

Communion Hymn:

Breathe on Us

Breath on us breath of God

Cleanse us of doubt and fear

Stir in us hope and courage bold

Gift us with vision clear.

Breathe with us Breath of God

Throughout your world entire
Life in all spheres where death holds sway
Love in all hearts inspire.

Breathe in us Breath of God
Sing in our hearts anew
Teach us to work and play and pray
Signs of your presence true.

(Words adapted by Sr. Jean Ann Ledwell, osu)

Expression of Gratitude: Sr. Jean Ann Ledwell

Closing Hymn:

Canticle of the Sun

(The heavens are telling the glory of God)

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*The heavens are telling the glory of God,
And all creation is shouting for joy.
Come, dance in the forest,
come, play in the field,
And sing, sing to the glory of the Lord.*

Sing to the sun, the bringer of day,
He carries the light of the Lord in his rays,
The moon and the stars,
Who light up the way unto your throne.

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Praise to the wind that blows through the trees,
The seas' mighty storms, the gentlest breeze;
They blow where they will, they blow where they please,
to please the Lord.

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Sing to the earth who makes life grow,
The creatures we made to let your life show;
The flowers and trees
that help us to know the heart of love.

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Community Members — June 22, 2025

Sr. Noreen Allossery-Walsh

Sr. Elizabeth Lynch

Sr. Rose Marie Blonde

Sr. Theresa Mahoney

Sr. Theresa Campeau

Sr. Rebecca Mak

Sr. Florence Dauphinais

Sr. Anne McGugan

Sr. Shirley Delisle

Sr. Sheila McKinley

Sr. Anne Denomy

Sr. Marion Normandin

Sr. Linda Dube

Sr. Kathleen O'Mara

Sr. Jane Ducharme

Sr. Marie-Anne Quenneville

Sr. Helen Edwards

Sr. Rose Marie Rau

Sr. Margot Fish

Sr. Eileen Schuller

Sr. Eleanor Gleeson

Sr. Diane Sloan

Sr. Karen Gleeson

Sr. Gemma Staudt

Sr. Shizuko Hayakawa

Sr. Barbara Anne Snyder

Sr. Marian Krauskopf

Sr. Joan Stafford

Sr. June Jacuzzi

Sr. Mary Waters

Sr. Bernadette LaPorte

Sr. Elaine Weisgerber

Sr. Marguerite Lebert

Sr. Barbara Zimmer

Sr. Jean Ann Ledwell