

International English-speaking Catholic Community, Parish of Luxembourg Notre-Dame
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UPDATES: www.catholic.lu - **Parish Office** - Please contact the office for all enquiries: (+352) 661 127 962 / parish@catholic.lu Office hours are 08:00 - 12:00 Mon - Fri.

Weekend Masses: 7.30 pm Saturdays (vigil), Sundays 11.30am and 6.30pm. Most Covid restrictions have now been lifted and it is your personal choice whether you wear a mask.

Livestreaming of Mass: The Sunday 11.30 Mass is live-streamed via our Facebook page:
www.facebook.com/stalphonseluxembourg/live

Children's liturgy for children from the age of 3. If you would like to register your child for this group please contact the parish office: parish@catholic.lu

Plant fair: this Sunday 5 June after 11.30 Mass: please bring your donations of indoor and outdoor plants, flowers, seeds, pots etc to the courtyard carpark - there are tables for you to put them on. After Mass there will be the opportunity to exchange /buy for a donation- all proceeds to charity.

Synod 2021-2023: the final Synodal report for the Archdiocese team, reports from the discussion groups and additional comments gathered from the English-speaking Catholic Community can be found at: www.catholic.lu/synod-2021-2023

Tea/coffee after the 11:30 Mass: Refreshments have resumed after the 11.30 Mass; donations for the Ilula Orphanage Program. Please try to remember to bring your own cup for yourself and your children (paper cups are available) to reduce our impact on the environment.

Young adults Sunday get together: The young adults of our community (approx 20 -40 years) continue to meet informally at the Fischer Café at about 12.30pm after the 11.30 Mass -all welcome.

The Christian Meditation group will celebrate its 10th Anniversary next Tuesday 7th June in the garden of Stephen and Carol McCarthy in Schrassig. Anyone interested to learn more about this form of prayer is warmly invited to join us. Fr Michael will celebrate Mass and then we will have drinks and a 'pot-luck' supper. For more information phone Marcella McCarthy on 691 435 788 or email her at: marcellacreed@hotmail.com

Outdoor Mass - Sunday 19 June - we will resume the annual tradition of celebrating the 11.30 Mass in the garden of the Archbishop's residence at 3 Avenue Marie-Thérèse, followed by a picnic. Please bring your own picnic and something to sit on. (There will be no BBQ)

Music group: we would welcome new members. Please contact the parish office if you are interested: parish@catholic.lu

Hear the Cry of the Earth; hear the cry of the poor. (Pope Francis) This week's suggestion from the Diakonia group: I'll pray to the Holy Spirit to inspire me and decision makers to make the most rational use of the Earth's resources.

Donations to the English-speaking Catholic Community : Please consider making a donation via bank transfer or even better, set up a monthly direct payment:
Friends Engl. Cath. Comm. LU10 0019 5155 8196 2000.

Donations can also be made via your mobile using Digicash (payconiq)
Thank you for all your donations - your generosity is much appreciated.



MASS SETTING : Mass of Joy

OPENING HYMN : Walk in the light

1. The Spirit lives to set us free,
Walk, walk in the light.
He binds us all in unity,
Walk, walk in the light.
Walk in the light, x 3
Walk in the light of the Lord.
2. Jesus promised life to all,
Walk, walk in the light.
The dead were wakened by his call,
Walk, walk in the light.
3. The Spirit lives in you and me,
Walk, walk in the light;
His light will shine for all to see,
Walk, walk in the light.



PSALM 46: Spirit of the Living God

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mould me, fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me .. us .. all



PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL : 1. Church (Italian); 2. Families (Albanian); 3. People of Luxembourg (Luxembourgish); 4. Our children and youth (English) 5. Peace (Spanish); 6. Sick and care for the sick; (French) 7. All preparing for the sacraments (Lithuanian)

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS: In bread we bring you Lord

1. In bread we bring you Lord, our body's' labour
In wine we offer you our spirit's grief.
We do not ask you, Lord,
who is my neighbour?
But stand united now, one in belief.
For we have gladly heard your word,
your holy word
And now in answer, Lord, our gifts we bring.
Our selfish hearts make true,
our failing faith renew,
Our life belongs to you, our Lord and King.
2. The bread we offer you is blessed and broken,
And it becomes for us our spirit's food.
Over the cup we bring, your Word is spoken;
Make it your gift to us, your healing blood.
Take all that daily toil plants
in our heart's poor soil,
Take all we start and spoil,
each hopeful dream.
The chances we have missed,
the graces we resist,
Lord, in thy Eucharist, take and redeem.

COMMUNION: O let the Son of God enfold you

1. O let the Son of God enfold you
With his Spirit and his love
Let him fill your heart and satisfy your soul
O let him have the things that hold you
And his Spirit like a dove
Will descend upon your life
and make you whole

*Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs
Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs*
2. O come and sing this song with gladness
As your hearts are filled with joy
Lift your hands in sweet surrender
to his name
O give him all your tears and sadness
Give him all your years of pain
And you'll enter into life in Jesus' name

COMMUNION II: Freely, freely

1. God forgave my sin in Jesus' name
I've been born again in Jesus' name
And in Jesus' name I come to you
To share His love as He told me to

*He said: 'Freely, freely,
you have received, freely, freely give
Go in My name, and because you believe
Others will know that I live.'*
2. All power is given in Jesus' name
In earth and heaven in Jesus' name
And in Jesus' name I come to you
To share his power as He told me to.
3. God gives us life in Jesus' name,
He lives in us in Jesus' name,
And in Jesus' name I come to you
To share his peace as he told me to.

RECESSIONAL: God's Spirit is in my heart

1. God's Spirit is in my heart,
He has called me and set me apart.
This is what I have to do,
what I have to do.
*He sent me to give
the Good News to the poor,
Tell prisoners that they
are prisoners no more,
Tell blind people that they can see,
And set the downtrodden free
And go tell everyone the news*
2. *that the Kingdom of God has come,
And go tell everyone the news
that God's kingdom has come.*
2. Just as the Father sent me,
So I'm sending you out to be
My witnesses throughout the world,
The whole of the world.
3. Don't worry what you have to say,
Don't worry because on that day
God's Spirit will speak in your heart,
Will speak in your heart.