

*Music for the  
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
"Those who sing pray twice."*

**Gathering Song:** Worship Fourth Edition #831

1. As we gather at your table,  
As we listen to your word,  
Help us know, O God, your presence;  
Let our hearts and minds be stirred.  
Nourish us with sacred story  
Till we claim it as our own;  
Teach us through this holy banquet  
How to make Love's vict'ry known.
2. Turn our worship into witness  
In the sacrament of life;  
Send us forth to love and serve you,  
Bringing peace where there is strife.  
Give us, Christ, your great compassion  
To forgive as you forgave;  
May we still behold your image  
In the world you died to save.
3. Gracious Spirit, help us summon  
Other guests to share that feast  
Where triumphant Love will welcome  
Those who had been last and least.  
There no more will envy blind us,  
Nor will pride our peace destroy,  
As we join with saints and angels  
To repeat the sounding joy.

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Tune: NETTLETON Wyeth's Repository of Sacred Music, 1813

**Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 103** Gather Third Edition #72

**Antiphon:**

**The Lord is kind and merciful; the Lord is kind and merciful.  
Slow to anger, rich in kindness, the Lord is kind and merciful.**

Text: Psalm 103; Jeanne Cotter

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**Presentation Song:** Journey Songs Third Edition #710

**Refrain**

**Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est.**

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1. We gather together in the love of Christ;  
let each one be glad in him and rejoice.  
Our God is alive, the God of love is near;  
so love one another with a heart sincere.
2. We, the many, become one body as the Spirit binds,  
and we seek to be one in Christ and one in heart  
and mind.  
Let all quarrels, all division, all our conflict cease;  
then will Christ truly dwell among us as our Lord of Peace.
3. Then, joined with the blessed, filled with hope and grace,  
dear Lord, in great glory may we see your face.  
Our joy none can measure, joy that knows no end,  
resounding from endless age to age. Amen.

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**Communion Song:** Worship Fourth Edition #764

**Refrain:**

**We hold the death of the Lord deep in our hearts.**

**Living; now we remain with Jesus the Christ.**

1. Once we were people afraid, lost in the night.  
Then by your cross we were saved;  
Dead became living, Life from your giving. **Refrain**
2. Something which we have known, something  
we've touched, what we have seen with our eyes:  
This we have heard; Life giving word. **Refrain**

3. He chose to give of himself, became our bread.  
Broken, that we might live.  
Love beyond love, Pain for our pain. **Refrain**
4. We are the presence of God; this is our call.  
Now to become bread and wine:  
Food for the hungry, Life for the weary,  
for to live with the Lord, we must die with the Lord.  
**Refrain**

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**Communion Song:** Gather Third Edition #828

1. 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. O 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 of ourselves that we receive,  
and in dying that we're born to eternal life.

Text: Based on the prayer traditionally ascr. to St. Francis  
of Assisi; adapt. by Sebastian Temple, 1928-1997  
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Dedicated to Mrs. Frances Tracy

**Concluding Hymn:** Worship Fourth Edition #645

1. There's a wideness in God's mercy  
Like the wideness of the sea;  
There's a kindness in God's justice  
Which is more than liberty.  
There is plentiful redemption  
In the blood that has been shed;  
There is joy for all the members  
In the sorrows of the Head.
2. For the love of God is broader  
than the measures of our mind,  
And the heart of the Eternal  
Is most wonderfully kind.  
If our love were but more simple  
We should take him at his word,  
And our lives would be thanksgiving  
For the goodness of our Lord.
3. Troubled souls, why will you scatter  
Like a crowd of frightened sheep?  
Foolish hearts, why will you wander  
From a love so true and deep?  
There is welcome for the sinner  
And more graces for the good;  
There is mercy with the Savior,  
There is healing in his blood.

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