fullness of charity, together with *N.* our Pope and *N.* our Bishop and all the clergy.

For the Departed Souls

Remember also our brothers and sisters who have fallen asleep in the hope of the resurrection, and all who have died in your mercy: welcome them into the light of your face.

In Communion with the Saints

Have mercy on us all, we pray, that with the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God, with the Blessed Joseph, her spouse, with the blessed Apostles, and all the Saints who have pleased you throughout the ages, we may merit to be coheirs to eternal life, and may praise and glorify you through you Son, Jesus Christ.

Concluding Doxology

Through him, and with him, and in him,
O God, almighty Father,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all glory and honor is yours,
for ever, and ever.
Amen

Communion Rite ***STAND***

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come;
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
Priest:
Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil,
graciously grant us peace in our days,
that, by the help of your mercy,
we may be always free from sin
and safe from all distress,
as we await the blessed hope
and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.
People:
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever.

Sign Of Peace

Priest : Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you; look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.
People : ***Amen***
Priest : The peace of the Lord be with you always
People : ***And with your Spirit.***
Priest : Let us offer each other the sign of peace

Breaking of the Bread

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: ***Have mercy on us.***
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: ***Have mercy on us.***
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: ***Grant us peace.***

Reception of Communion ***KNEEL***

Priest : Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.
People : ***Lord, I am not worthy***
that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word
and my soul shall be healed.
Priest : The body of Christ.
Answer : **Amen**
Priest : The blood of Christ.
Answer : **Amen**

Communion

Prayer after Communion
[Celebrate in Signs] ***STAND***

May your Sacraments, O Lord, we pray
perfect in us what lies within them,
that what we now celebrate in signs
we may one day possess in truth.
Through Christ our Lord
R/ Amen.

General Announcements ***SIT***

Blessing ***STAND***

In this Eucharist we have experienced God's love for us. **R/ Amen.**

God of mercy, you created us in your image. Grant that we may love you above all things and our neighbors as ourselves. Through Christ, our Lord. **R/ Amen.**

May the blessing of almighty God, the Father, and the Son, ✠ and the Holy Spirit, come down on you and remain with you for ever. **R/ Amen.**

Go in peace and love one another,
as the Lord has love us.
R/ Thanks be to God.

30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME < A

October 24 - 25, 2026

MC: Greeting

Entrance song ***STAND***

Introduction by the Celebrant

ENTRANCE ANT. *Cf. Ps 105 (104):3-4*
[Seek the Lord]
Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice; turn to the Lord and his strength; constantly seek his face.

Penitential Act

God's love for us is infinite and unconditional yet our love is limited, for him and people let us ask the Lord to forgive us:

(pause)

Lord Jesus, you tell us:
Love God with all your heart and soul.
We are afraid of giving ourselves,
there is not enough joy and warmth in our love.
Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Jesus Christ, you ask of us:
Love the Lord with all your mind.
Our love is not strong enough,
your plans for us and the world seem impossible.
Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

Lord Jesus, you invite us today
to love our neighbor as ourselves.
Too often we do not see
that we cannot love You
without loving people and show kindness to the needy.
Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Have mercy on us Lord
and forgive us our trepid love,
our fear of committing ourselves.
Give us a love without boundaries
and lead us all to everlasting life. **Amen.**

Glory to God in the highest

C: **Collect** ***[Increase Virtues]***

Almighty ever-living God,
increase our faith, hope and charity,
and make us love what you command,
so that we may merit what you promise.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.
R/ Amen.

Liturgy of the Word ***SIT***

First Reading *Ex 22:20-26*
[Kindness to Others]

The Lord warns his people not to oppress foreigners nor to harm widows or orphans. Consideration for the poor and needy should be a prime concern.

A reading from the Book of Exodus

Thus says the Lord: "You shall not molest or oppress an alien, for you were once aliens yourselves in the land of Egypt. You shall not wrong any widow or orphan. If ever you wrong them and they cry out to me, I will surely hear their cry. My wrath will flare up, and I will kill you with the sword; then your own wives will be widows, and your children orphans.
"If you lend money to one of your poor neighbors among my people, you shall not act like an extortioner toward him by demanding interest from him. If you take your neighbor's cloak as a pledge, you shall return it to him before sunset; for this cloak of his is the only covering he has for his body. What else has he to sleep in? If he cries out to me, I will hear him; for I am compassionate."
The word of the Lord.
R/ Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm *Ps 18* ***[God Our Rock]***

R/. I love you, Lord, my strength.

I love you, O Lord, my strength,
O Lord, my rock, my fortress, my deliverer.
(R.)

My God, my rock of refuge,
my shield, the horn of my salvation my stronghold!
Praised be the Lord, I exclaim,
and I am safe from my enemies. **(R.)**

The Lord lives and blessed be my rock!
Extolled be God my savior,
you who gave great victories to your king
and showed kindness to your anointed. **(R.)**

Second Reading *1 Thes 1:5c-10*
[Imitating Christ]

You received the word of the Lord in spite of great hardships. You then became model Christians for your neighbors. You turned from idols to worship the true God.

A reading from the first Letter of Saint Paul to the Thessalonians

Brothers and sisters: You know what sort of

people we were among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, receiving the word in great affliction, with joy from the Holy Spirit, so that you became a model for all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For from you the word of the Lord has sounded forth not only in Macedonia and in Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has gone forth, so that we have no need to say anything. For they themselves openly declare about us what sort of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God and to await his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus, who delivers us from the coming wrath.

The word of the Lord.

R/ Thanks be to God.

Alleluia Jn 14:23 ***[Keep My Word]*** ***STAND***

R/ Alleluia, alleluia.

Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him.

R/ Alleluia, alleluia.



"You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

Gospel *Mt 22:34-40*

[The Greatest Commandments]

Jesus tells the scholar of the law that the greatest of all the commandments is love-to love God above all else and your neighbor as yourself. This sums up the whole law.

R/ The Lord be with you.

R/ And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

R/ Glory to you, O Lord

When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a scholar of the law, tested him by asking, "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" He said to him, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. The whole law and the prophets depend on these two commandments.

The Gospel of the Lord.

R./ Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Homily ***SIT***

I believe in God ***STAND***

General Intercessions

God is a father of love and mercy to his people. We entrust ourselves to his compassion and pray:

(Pause)

For the Church: that through the proclamation of the Gospel, God's Word may bring love, peace and comfort to all who suffer religious persecution, and that Christ's saving mission may reach the ends of the earth. Let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

For the civil leaders: that they may use their authority to protect and provide for the poor, the oppressed, and the unborn; that they may enact policies to support farmers; and that they may effectively address the threats of El Nino, mitigating drought and global food insecurity. Let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

For our Parish community: that filled with charity and compassion, we may reach out to those in need and generously support the World Food Day fund drive to assist the Victims of earthquakes in Flores, as they endure hardship and seek to rebuild their lives. Let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

Lord Jesus, head of the Church: we humbly seek Your providence upon St. Peter Canisius International Catholic Parish. Grant us the grace to love God with all our heart, soul and mind, to love our neighbors as ourselves, and to be a Light to the nations. Let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

We pray for those intentions offered for the Mass and for our personal intentions ...

(Pause)

Let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

Loving Father, You have done great things for us; we are filled with joy, please keep us united with You in all things. Through Christ our Lord.

R/ Amen.

SL: Offertory hymn ***SIT***

Liturgy of the Eucharistic

Preparation of the Bread

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation,
for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you:
fruit of the earth and work of human hands,
it will become for us the bread of life.

All : ***Blessed be God for ever.***

Preparation of the Wine

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation,
for through your goodness we have received the wine we offer you:
fruit of the vine and work of human hands,
it will become our spiritual drink.

All : ***Blessed be God for ever.***

Invitation To Prayer ***STAND***

Priest : Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

People : May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his Holy Church

Prayer over the Offerings ***[Glorifying God]*** ***STAND***

Look, we pray, O Lord,
on the offerings we make to your majesty, that whatever is done by us in your service may be directed above all to your glory.
Through Christ our Lord.

R/ Amen.

The Eucharistic Prayer ***STAND***

Introductory Dialogue

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts

We lift them up to the Lord

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right and just

Preface VII of the Sundays in Ordinary Time

It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God.

For you so loved the world that in your mercy you sent us the Redeemer, to live like us in all things but sin, so that you might love in us what you loved in your Son, by whose obedience we have been restored to those gifts of yours that, by sinning, we had lost in disobedience.

And so, Lord, with all the Angels and Saints, we, too, give you thanks, as in exultation we acclaim:

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts....

Eucharistic Prayer No.2 ***KNEEL***

Praise to the Father

You are indeed Holy, O Lord,
the fount of all holiness.

Invocation of the Holy Spirit

Make holy, therefore, these gifts, we pray, by sending down your Spirit upon them like the dewfall, so that they may become for us the Body and ✠ Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ.

The Lord's Supper

At the time he was betrayed and entered willingly into his Passion, he took bread and, giving thanks, broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take this, all of you, and eat of it,
for this my Body,
which will be given up for you.

In a similar way, when supper was ended, he took the chalice and, once more giving thanks, he gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take this, all of you, and drink from it,
for this is the chalice of my Blood,
the Blood of the new and eternal covenant,
which will be poured out for you and for many
for the forgiveness of sins.

Do this in memory of me.

Memorial Acclamation

Priest : The mystery of faith.
All : When we eat this Bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

The Memorial Prayer

Therefore, as we celebrate the memorial of his Death, and Resurrection, we offer you Lord, the Bread of life and the Chalice of salvation, giving thanks that you have held us worthy to be in your presence and minister to you.

Invocation of the Holy Spirit

Humbly we pray that, partaking of the Body and Blood of Christ, we may be gathered into one by the Holy Spirit.

Intercessions: For the Church

Remember, Lord, your Church, spread throughout the world, and bring her to the