

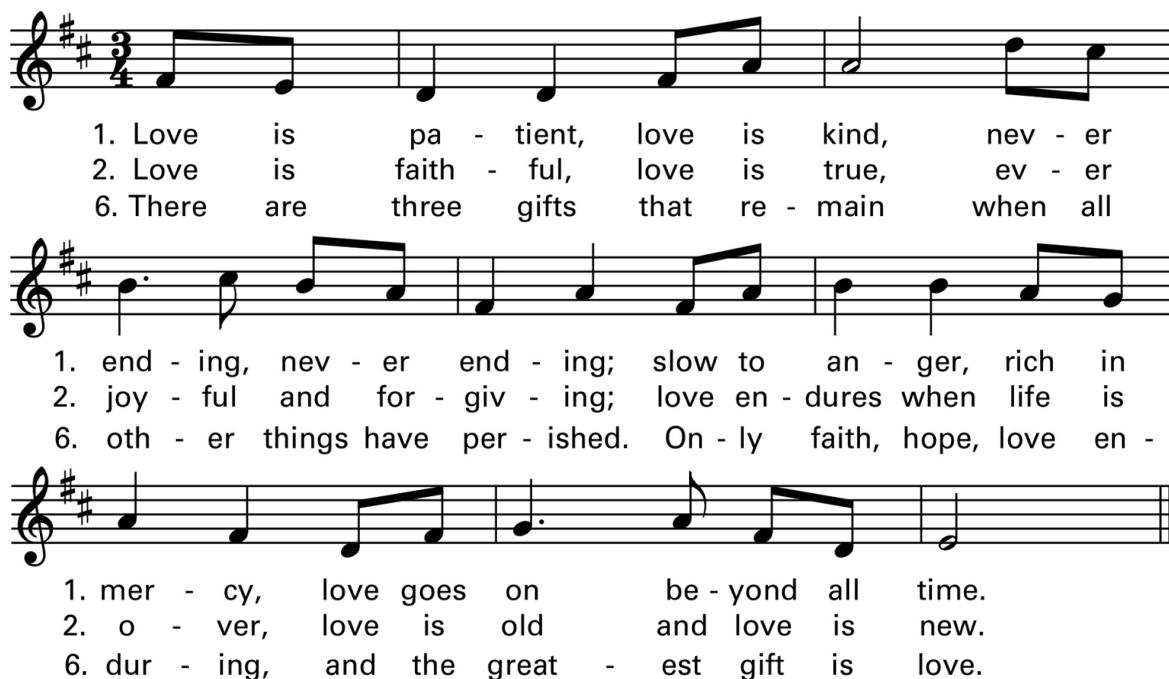
Diamond Jubilee Liturgy
September 11, 2022 | 10:30 a.m.
Mary Frances Clarke Chapel | Mount Carmel Bluffs

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As a residence for seniors, it is our custom to remain seated during the liturgy.

Prelude to the Necrology: *Love Goes On*, verses 1 & 2

Bernadette Farrell



1. Love is pa - tient, love is kind, nev - er
2. Love is faith - ful, love is true, ev - er
6. There are three gifts that re - main when all

1. end - ing, nev - er end - ing; slow to an - ger, rich in
2. joy - ful and for - giv - ing; love en - dures when life is
6. oth - er things have per - ished. On - ly faith, hope, love en -

1. mer - cy, love goes on be - yond all time.
2. o - ver, love is old and love is new.
6. dur - ing, and the great - est gift is love.

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Necrology of the Diamond Jubilee Sets

Bernadette McManigal, BVM

Response to each name: BE WITH US.

Set of February 2, 1952

S Jeanne Rivers S Mary Therese Cusack S Mary Luann Ferrero

Set of September 8, 1952

S St Kieran Kurtz	S Luca Yankovich	S Mary Therese Freymann
S Ann Christine Heintz	S Mary Pat Haley	S Clarenita Froehlich
S Anne Siegrist	S Therese Fox	S Barbara Jean Tascher
S Marie Christine Knudsen	S Helen Maher Garvey	S Corita Bussanmas

Silent Remembrance of the Victims of 9/11/2001

Conclusion to the Necrology: *Love Goes On*, verse 6

Opening Song: *A Time of Jubilee*

Michael Joncas

God's Spir - it rests on me. God has a - noint - ed me to
bring glad ti - dings to the poor, to pris - 'ners lib - er - ty, to
o - pen blind - ed eyes, to heed the cap - tives' cries, to her - ald mer - cy,
joy and peace: A time of ju - bi - lee.

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Welcome: Kathy Kandefer, BVM

Glory to God: *Mass of Renewal*

Curtis Stephan

Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace to peo - ple
of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a -
dore you, we glo - ri - fy you, we give you
thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord God, heav - en - ly
Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God,
Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a -
way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us; you take a -

way the sins of the world, re-ceive our prayer; you are seat-ed
at the right hand of the Fa-ther, have mer -
cy, have mer - cy on us. For you a-lone are the
Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the
Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it,
in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men, a - men.

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Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: *Jeremiah 29:11-14*

Catherine Dunn, BVM

For I know well the plans I have in mind for you, says the Lord,
plans for your welfare, not for woe, plans to give you a future full of hope. When
you call me, when you pray to me, I will listen to you.

When you look for me, you will find me.

Yes, when you seek me with all your heart, you will find me with you,
says the Lord.

Responsorial Canticle: *Magnificat*

Lori True

Ma - gni - fi - cat, ma - gni - fi - cat a - ni - ma me - a Do - mi - num. Ma -
gni - fi - cat, ma - gni - fi - cat a - ni - ma me - a Do - mi - num.

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Second Reading: *BVM Constitutions*

Alice Caulfield, BVM

God, who is love, has called us to follow Jesus Christ
as Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

As women of the Church we are inspired and motivated
by the vision and courage of Mary, the Mother of God,
and of Mary Frances Clarke.

Ours is a pioneer heritage enabling us to move into the future
responsive to the Spirit speaking in the exigencies of the times.

Throughout our history, we believe that God has called us
to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ in community.

A spirit of inner freedom, characteristic of Mary, Mother of the Church,
and of Mary Frances Clarke, our foundress, continues to animate us. ...

In faithfulness to the tradition of Mary Frances Clarke,
we serve the people of God by living the Gospel
in the spirit of simplicity, humility and charity.

A word from our BVM heritage. **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation: *Mass of Renewal*

Curtis Stephan



Gospel Reading: *Luke 8:1-3*

Rev. Ardel Barta

Jesus journeyed from one town and village to another,
preaching and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom of God. Accompanying
him were the Twelve

and some women who had been cured of evil spirits and infirmities,
Mary, called Magdalene, from whom seven demons had gone out,
Joanna, the wife of Herod's steward Chuza, Susanna,
and many others who provided for them out of their resources.

Reflection: Marjorie Heidkamp, BVM

**Make of us, O Lord,
an Oblation worthy to be offered to Thee forevermore...
without Reserve,
without Regret,
without Recall.**

PERPETUAL PROFESSION

July 16, 1960

Devotional Renewal of Vows

All BVM Sisters join the Jubilarians in renewing their vows.

**As Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
we are women who have been touched by God's steadfast love.**

**In response to that love, we are moved to commit ourselves
to a vowed life of faithfulness to the Lord,
faithfulness to one another in community,
faithfulness to God's people, especially the poor.**

**Loving God, in union with Jesus Christ
and in the power of the Holy Spirit,
we dedicate our lives to you
as Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.**

**We renew our vows of consecrated celibacy, poverty and obedience
lived in community with our sisters according to our Constitutions.
Aware of our individual and corporate limitations, we trust that you
who have begun this work in us will bring it to completion.**

Universal Prayer

Judith Therese McNulty, BVM

Presider: Trusting in God's steadfast love, let us offer our prayers.

- + For the Diamond Jubilarians:
in gratitude for God's blessings to us throughout these 70 years,
and for the countless gifts and blessings that have flowed through us
to so many people, we pray:

LOVING GOD, HEAR OUR PRAYER.

- + For the members of the jubilee sets who have died, for our deceased parents, relatives, friends, and all who have gone before us into eternal life, we pray:
- + For those who have mentored and guided us throughout these years in our personal, professional and spiritual lives, we pray:
- + For those who have surrounded us with love, support and care in the difficult and challenging times, and for all the people who have graced and enriched our lives, we pray:
- + For the women of wisdom and courage who have led the BVM Congregation throughout our history, especially during these past 70 years, and for those in leadership today who are guiding us into our ever-changing future, we pray:
- + For people suffering from floods, fires and all other disasters, for those displaced by war, famine and persecution, and for all who come to their aid, we pray:
- + For the leaders and people of all nations: may they work unitedly to promote true justice and bring an end to war and violence, we pray:

Presider: Loving God, hear the prayers of your people,
and free our hearts to bring your compassion to all in need.
We ask this in the name of Jesus and in the power of your Holy Spirit,
who are one with you for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Presentation of the Gifts: Susie Beckmann, BVM and Eileen Healy, BVM

Song: *The Eyes and Hands of Christ*

Tom Kendzia

Where two or three are gath-ered in my name,
love will be found, life will a - bound.
By name we are called, from wa - ter we are sent:
to be - come the eyes and hands of Christ.

1. One we be-come, no long-er strang-ers. No long-er
2. One in the Spir-it, one in the Lord. One in the

1. emp - ty or frail. Filled with the Spir - it, ev - 'ry
2. break-ing of the bread. Life - giv - ing wit - ness of our

1. hun-ger sat - is - fied. Christ is the cen - ter of our lives.
2. dy - ing and new life, held by the prom-ise in our hands.

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Eucharistic Acclamations & Lamb of God: *Mass of Renewal*

Curtis Stephan

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and
earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the high - est.
Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-
san-na in the high-est. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

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We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your
Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

✠ ✠

A - men, a - men, a - men.

✠ ✠

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy,
have mer - cy on us. world, grant us, grant us peace.

Communion Song: *The Summons*

Text: John Bell; Tune: KELVINGROVE

- VERSE 1 Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown, will you let my name be known,
Will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?
- VERSE 2 Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?
- VERSE 3 Will you let the blinded see if I but call your name?
Will you set the pris'ners free and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean, and do such as this unseen,
And admit to what I mean in you and you in me?
- VERSE 4 Will you love the 'you' you hide if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found to reshape the world around,
Through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?
- VERSE 5 Lord, your summons echoes true when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
In your company I'll go where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

Communion Song: *Love Burn Bright*

Chris de Silva

Refrain



Christ our Light, il - lu - mi - nate ev - 'ry path that leads to you.

Give us grace, Lord, guide our way: Love, burn bright.

In your light, Lord, ev - 'ry day,

ev - 'ry way we fol - low you. Grant us peace to

jour - ney through: Love, burn bright.

VS 1 CANTOR: From the shadows of the night, to your holiness and light:

ALL: May your love burn bright within our heart.

CANTOR: From the hatred born of fear, to your love that holds us near:

ALL: May your love burn bright within our heart.

VS 2 CANTOR: In our words that tear apart, place a reconciling heart:

ALL: May your love burn bright within our heart.

CANTOR: In our wounds of war and strife, place your promise of new life:

ALL: May your love burn bright within our heart.

VS 3 CANTOR: When there's doubt, uncertainty, let us witness faithfully:

ALL: May your love burn bright within our heart.

CANTOR: Where there's sadness, poverty, let us reach out willingly:

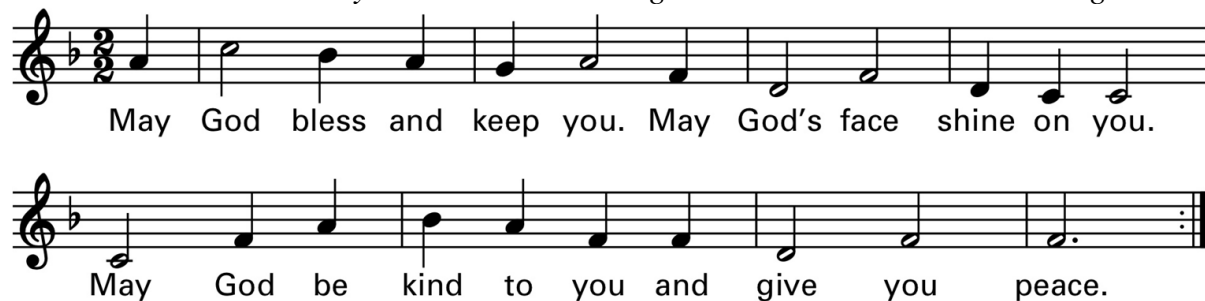
ALL: May your love burn bright within our heart.

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Community Blessing: *May God Bless and Keep You*

Christopher Walker

Please extend your hands in blessing over the Jubilarians as we sing.



May God bless and keep you. May God's face shine on you.

May God be kind to you and give you peace.

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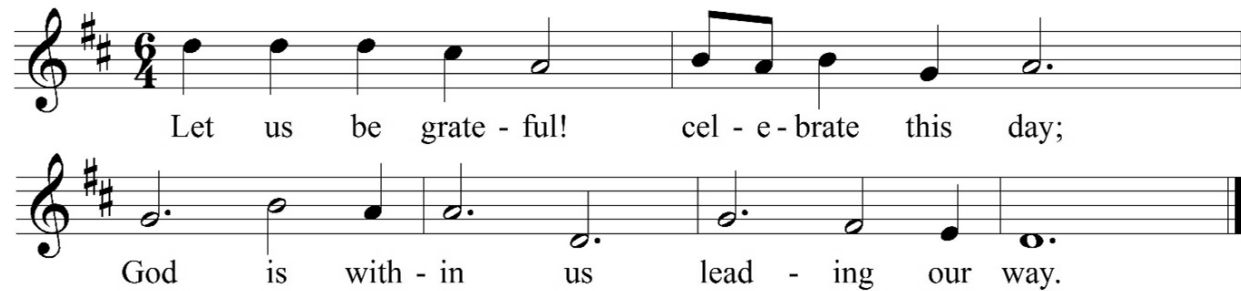
Closing Song: *Let Us Be Grateful*

Text: Mary Alma Sullivan, BVM

Music: Eliza Kenney, BVM

VERSE 1 We have been blessed with friendship, with life-giving ministries.
God is filling our lives with hope and raining gifts abundantly.

REFRAIN



VERSE 2 Join in our song of praise to God, whose Spirit has held our hands;
through many years and challenges our loving has been Spirit-led.

VERSE 3 So many thanks to offer for so many joyful years!
Our lives have been graced in countless ways, and blessings still remain.

Organ Postlude

*The Jubilarians will process out during the Postlude,
pausing to acknowledge our broadcast and livestream congregation.*

They will be available to greet you in the hallway leading to the Vista elevators.

*Those who will be with the Jubilarians for dinner in St. Joseph Hall
may wish to bypass the line and greet them downstairs.*

Take the Vista elevator to the 2nd floor and turn right to get to St. Joseph Hall.

Ring of the Prairie Bell

*You will hear the bell faintly as you exit the chapel.
For a fuller sound, walk straight out towards the Motherhouse hallway.
For the full experience, turn left and walk to the center stairwell.*