



PLUM Worship

Taizé

March 6, 2024

Lent

Welcome

Veni Sancte Spiritus
Holy Spirit, Come to Us

Ostinato (repeated continuously)



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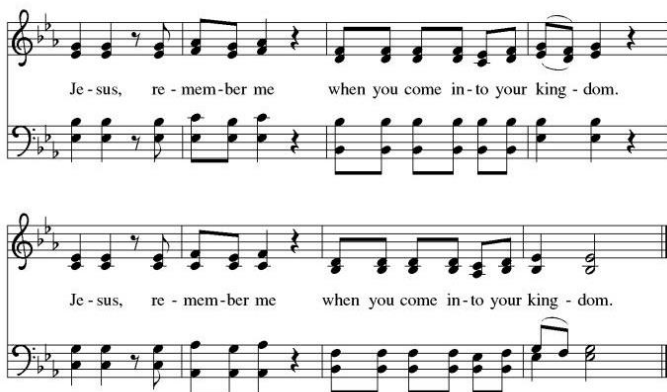
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Prayer

Creator God, you prepare a new way in the wilderness, and your grace waters our desert. Open our hearts to be transformed by the new thing you are doing, that our lives may proclaim the extravagance of your love given to all through your son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever.

Jesus, Remember Me



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Psalms 141

Let My Prayer Arise

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fv6vBUMHCZA>

Refrain

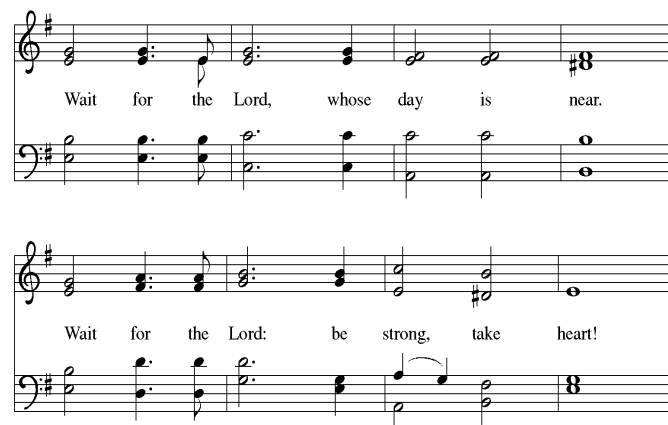


Oh God, I call to you, come to me now;
O hear my voice when I cry to you *Refrain*

Keep watch within me, God; deep in my heart
May the light of your love be burning bright *Refrain*

All praise to the God of all, Creator of life;
All praise be to Christ and the Spirit of love *Refrain*

Wait for the Lord



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[Wait for the Lord \(Taizé\) \[with lyrics for congregations\] - YouTube](#)



Gospel Reading: Mark 14:3-9

³While he was at Bethany in the house of Simon the leper, as he sat at the table, a woman came with an alabaster jar of very costly ointment of nard, and she broke open the jar and poured the ointment on his head. ⁴But some were there who said to one another in anger, "Why was the ointment wasted in this way? ⁵For this ointment could

have been sold for more than three hundred denarii, and the money given to the poor." And they scolded her. ⁶But Jesus said, "Let her alone; why do you trouble her? She has performed a good service for me. ⁷For you always have the poor with you, and you can show kindness to them whenever you wish; but you will not always have me. ⁸She has done what she could; she has anointed my body beforehand for its burial. ⁹Truly I tell you, wherever the good news is proclaimed in the whole world, what she has done will be told in remembrance of her."



Silent Meditation

Stay with Me



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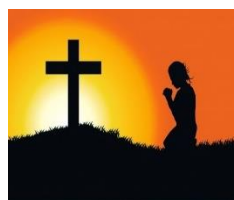
O Lord, Hear My Prayer
The Lord Is My Song



Text: Psalm 102:1–2; Taizé Community, adapt.
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Prayer of Intercessions

O Christ, reveal the presence of your Kingdom in our midst. Teach us and help us on our Lenten journey to:

Feast on faith. Fast from judging others.

Feast on Christ dwelling in each of us, even the other. Fast from fear of our differences.

Feast on the healing power of God. Fast from discontent.

Feast on speech that purifies. Fast from words that pollute.

Feast on gratitude. Fast from bitterness.

Feast on patience. Fast from pessimism.

Feast on hope. Fast from despair.

Feast on encouragement. Fast from anger.

Feast on forgiveness. Fast from self-concern.

Feast on compassion. Fast from suspicion.

Feast on truth. Fast from gossip.

Feast on purposeful silence. Fast from outside noise that distract us from you.

Feast on prayer to draw us closer to your steadfast love. Fast from anxiety.

Our eyes are turned to you, O Lord; our soul finds rest in you.

At this point in the service, we pause for individual prayers. You are invited to pray and place your petitions before God.



Gathered as one by the Holy Spirit, let us sing the prayer Jesus taught us:

Our Fa-ther in heav-en, hal-lowed be your name,
 your king-dom come, your will be done, on earth as in heav-en.
 Give us to-day our dai-ly bread. For-give us our sins as we
 for-give those who sin a-against us. Save us from the time of tri-al
 and de-liv-er us from e-vil. For the king-dom, the pow'r,
 and the glo-ry are yours, now and for-ev-er. A-men.

Ubi caritas et amor Where True Charity and Love Abide

U-bi ca-ri-tas et a-mor,
 Where true char-i-ty and love a-bide,
 u-bi ca-ri-tas, De-us i-bi est.
 God is dwell-ing there; God is dwell-ing there.

Text: Latin antiphon, 9th cent.; Taizé Community; tr. *With One Voice*
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Nothing Can Trouble Nada te turbe

Na-da te tur-be, na-da te-es-pan-te.
 Noth-ing can trou-ble, noth-ing can fright-en.
 Quien a Dios tie-ne na-da le fal-ta. Na-da te tur-be,
 Those who seek God shall nev-er go want-ing. Noth-ing can trou-ble,
 na-da te-es-pan-te. So-lo Dios bas-ta.
 noth-ing can fright-en. God a-lone fills us.

Text: Teresa of Avila, 1515–1582; adapt. Taizé Community

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Benediction & Dismissal

Almighty God, Father, +Son, and Holy Spirit bless you now and forever. **Amen.**

Go in peace and serve the Lord.

Sending Song....Surely the Presence

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hD9-1ZOctV4>

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place
 I can feel his mighty power and his grace
 I can hear the brush of angel wings
 I see glory on each face
 Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place



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