

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

Key Themes: Christ the bridegroom. I will betroth you to myself with faithfulness. The Lord is kind and merciful. You are a letter from Christ, written with the Spirit. The bridegroom is still with them. New wine, fresh skins!

Mass: Mass of St. Francis/Mass of Creation (NEW version)/Mass of the Blessed Trinity

Psalm:	The Lord Is Kind And Merciful	Colin Smith		
	The Lord Is Kind And Merciful	Willcock	GAUS	61
	The Lord Is Kind And Merciful	Haugen	GTR	46
	The Lord Is Kind And Merciful	Peloquin/Gelineau	CWB	418
	The Lord Is Kind And Merciful	Goemanne	CWB	336
	The Lord Is Kind And Merciful	Mews	CWB	152b
	The Lord Is Kind And Merciful	ICEL	CWB	459

Suggested Alleluia: For Ordinary time, avoid using the Celtic Alleluia - keep it for Christmas, Easter and other feasts. If your mass setting has a setting, use it. Halle, Halle, Halle is another possibility. There are others in the service music section of GAUS as well as Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks (GAUS 360) where the refrain can be used as a seasonal response.

Other Hymns:	Amazing Grace	GAUS	437
	And God Said Yes	AOV4K	62
	Come As You Are	GAUS	212
	God Of Mercy And Compassion	GAUS	302
	Grant To Us	GAUS	303
	Hosea [Come Back To Me]	GAUS	213
	I Have Loved You	GAUS	402
	The Lord Is Near	GAUS	457
	Take And Eat (esp. Vs 6)	GAUS	198
	A Trusting Psalm	GAUS	455
	*You Are Near	GAUS	451

Hymns of Interest: Covenant Hymn Daigle/Cooney

*Note the need to use updated words see website for link to the use of "Yahweh"

* Link: <https://stagatha.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Use-Of-Yahweh-In-Hymns.pdf>