



Sister Leta Heese
born on

July 9, 1926 in Earling, Iowa

Received into the School Sisters of St. Francis
on June 13, 1945

Perpetual Profession of Vows
on June 21, 1953

Born to Eternal Life on Friday, July 31, 2020
at Sacred Heart, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Mass of Christian Burial
Wednesday, August 5, 2020, 11:00 a.m.
St. Joseph Convent Chapel, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Private Rite of Committal
Wednesday, August 5
in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Places of Ministry

St. Mary School, Menomonee Falls, Wisconsin
St. Mary School, Luxemburg, Wisconsin
Archdiocese of Omaha, Omaha, Nebraska
SSSF OLA Provincial House, Omaha, Nebraska
St. Joseph School, Earling, Iowa
St. Pat Convent, OLA Province, Omaha, Nebraska
SSSF US Province, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
St. Boniface School/Pope John High School, Elgin, Nebraska
St. Boniface School/Parish, Elgin, Nebraska

Ministry of Prayer and Presence

New Cassel Retirement Center, Omaha, Nebraska
Sacred Heart Center, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Mass of Christian Burial
Sister Leta Heese, OSF

Introductory Rite

Greeting Father Peter Drenzek

Sprinkling with Holy Water

Placing of the Pall

Entrance Hymn Here I Am, Lord D. Schutte

Verses



1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo - ple cry.
2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo-ple's pain.
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.



1. All who dwell in dark and sin My hand will save. I, who
2. I have wept for love of them. They turn a - way. I will
3. I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Fin-est



1. made the stars of night, I will make their dark-ness bright.
2. break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love a - lone.
3. bread I will pro-vide Till their hearts be sat - is - fied.




1. Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?
2. I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?
3. I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you



call-ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you lead me.



I will hold your peo-ple in my heart.

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Placing of the Vow Paper & Response in Faith

Words of Remembrance Sister Nedine Ferris

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading Revelation 14:13

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 23 J. Gelineau

Antiphon



My shep-herd is the Lord, noth-ing in-deed shall I want.

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Second Reading 2 Corinthians 4:14—5:1

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

I am the resurrection and the life, **says** the Lord.
Whoever believes in me will **live** forever.

Gospel John 17:24-26

Homily Father Peter Drenzek

Prayer of the Faithful

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Altar

Please rise after the Invitation:

*Pray sisters and brothers,
that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God,
the almighty Father*

Presider: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right and just.

Holy, Holy, Holy

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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.

Memorial Acclamation

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-
claim your Death, O Lord, un-til you come a-gain.

Priest: 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.

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

The musical score consists of three staves of music in G minor. The first staff is for the Cantor, starting in 3/4 time and ending in 4/4. The second staff is for the Assembly, starting in 4/4 time and ending in 3/4. The third staff is a repeat section, starting in 4/4 time and ending in 4/4. The lyrics are: "Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us. world, grant us peace."

Cantor
Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the

Assembly
world, have mer - cy on us.

To Repeat
world, grant us peace.

Last time

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**All Lord, I am not worthy
that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word
and my soul shall be healed.**

Communion Processional Gift of Finest Wheat . Kreutz

Refrain




You sat-is-fy the hun-gry heart With gift of fin-est wheat, Come




give to us, O sav-ing Lord, The bread of life to eat.

1. As when the
2. With joy - ful
3. Is not the
4. The mys - t'ry
5. You give your-



1. shep - herd calls his sheep, They know and heed his voice; So
2. lips we sing to you Our praise and grat - i - tude, That
3. cup we bless and share The blood of Christ out-poured? Do
4. of your pres-ence, Lord, No mor - tal tongue can tell: Whom
5. self to us, O Lord; Then self - less let us be, To

to Refrain



1. when you call your fam-'ly, Lord, We fol - low and re - joi-ce.
2. you should count us wor-thy, Lord, To share this heav'n-ly food.
3. not one cup, one loaf, de - clare Our one-ness in the Lord?
4. all the world can - not con - tain Comes in our hearts to dwell.
5. serve each oth - er in your name In truth and char - i - ty.

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Final Commendation

Invitation to Prayer

Song of Farewell

Go Now in Peace

D. Schutte

Go now in peace, faith-ful friend of God, as you
take our love in-to par - a - dise.
God's ho - ly an - gels will lead you home to the
wide wait-ing arms of the Lord.

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Prayer of Commendation

Closing Hymn

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

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Holy God, we praise thy Name, Lord of all, we bow before thee;
All on earth thy scepter claim, all in heaven above adore thee;
//: Infinite thy vast domain, everlasting is thy reign.://

Hark, the loud celestial hymn; angel choirs above are raising,
Cherubim and Seraphim, in unceasing chorus praising,
//: Fill the heavens with sweet accord: holy, holy, holy Lord!://

Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit, Three we name thee,
While in essence only One, undivided God we claim thee;
//: And adoring, bend the knee while we own the mystery.://

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