

# **Eucharistic Homily**

*Second Lord's Day of Christmas*

*January 5, 2020*

You and I will not lay eyes on Jesus until we die and go to heaven or until He comes again—whichever comes first. But just because we've never seen Jesus with our eyes doesn't mean that we don't know Him.

Each and every Lord's Day, Jesus calls us to His banqueting table to feast with Him and to commune with Him through His body and blood. Among many other ways that Jesus makes Himself known to us, it is through this memorial feast that we come to know His generous hospitality, His joyful victory over death, and the promise of glory that awaits us. This Holy Communion is the edible word of God so that we might taste and see that the Lord is good. It is in the breaking of the bread that our eyes are opened to behold the risen Savior.

If you've been baptized into Christ and are seeking to live faithfully and obediently for Him, you are invited to partake of this feast that our gracious God has provided for us. These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

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