Antiphon texts from the English translation of
and the mute tongue sing for joy.

Then the lame shall leap like a stag,
make firm knees that are weak,
Strengthen hands that are feeble,
the splendor of our God.

They will see the glory of the LORD,
the splendor of Carmel and Sharon;
and rejoice with joyful song.

Like the crocus it shall bloom abundantly,
the Arabah will rejoice and bloom;
exult;

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Communion Antiphon

Dicite: Pusillanimes confortamini

Isaiah 35

11:00

Recessional Hymn

Christ our Light

This hymn text was commissioned by the Archdiocese
of Cincinnati in honor of our Bicentennial year:

1. Christ our Light,
   God, we sing for joy.
   All our world(s)
  三折
   Fold
   Fold
   Fold

2. Word of God, take us with you.
   As where death's
   眼
   眼
   眼

3. Cast your love, O light, take bow before you.
   Three-fold
   三折
   三折
   三折

4. Christ, the three-fold
   Fold
   Fold
   Fold

5. Holy by God, we sing for joy.
   All our world(s)
   三折
   三折
   三折

Choral Motet (11:00 Mass)

Alma redemptoris Mater
G.P. da Palestrina

Kind mother of the Redeemer, the open gateway to heaven and star of the sea,
help your fallen people who strive to rise again;
we pray you, who bore your holy Son by a miracle of nature,
a virgin first and last, who received God's greeting from the mouth of Gabriel,
have mercy on sinners.

Choral Motet (11:00 Mass)

Lamb of God

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Strengthen hands that are feeble,

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The glory of Lebanon will be given to it,
the splendor of the God's

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Postlude (4:30 & 9:00) Nun Komm, der Heiden Heiland

Paul Manz

Postlude (11:00) Herr Christ, der Einge Gottes-Sohn

Johann Sebastian Bach

Please return this worship leaflet to the end of the pew.
Penitential Act
I confess to almighty God through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Kyrie
Cantor, Amen all

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.


First Reading
Isaiah 61:1-2a, 10-11

Responsorial Psalm

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Second Reading
1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

Gospel Acclamation

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Gospel Reading
John 1:6-8, 19-28

Prayer for Vocations

A Glorious Father, You have created us for some definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for us in this life and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make our archdiocesan parishes, homes and hearts fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations. May our young people respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among our men a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. Bless us with consecrated religious and those called to a chaste single life, permanent deacons, and faithful husbands and wives, who are a sign of Christ's love for His Church. We commend our prayer for vocations to You, Father, through the intercession of Mary our Mother, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Offertory Hymn
Come, O Long Expected Jesus

Memorial Acclamation

Doxology


Offertory Motet (11:00 a.m.)
This is the Record of John, when the Jews sent priests and Levites from Jerusalem to ask him, 'Who art thou?' And he confessed, and denied not; and said plainly, 'I am not the Christ.' And they asked of him, 'What art thou then? Art thou Elias?' And he said, 'I am not.' 'Art thou the prophet?' and he answered, 'No.' Then said they unto him, 'What art thou that we may give an answer unto them that sent us. What sayest thou of thyself?' And he said: 'I am the voice of him that crieth in the wilderness, Make straight the way of the Lord!'