Welcome to the Cathedral Basilica of Saint Peter in Chains in the City and Archdiocese of Cincinnati

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph
Sunday, December 28, 2020

Prelude

The Christ Child

Kenneth Kosche

Processional Hymn

Postlude

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Niel Harmon

Prayer for Vocations

A mighty 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 archdiocese, parishes, homes and hearts fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations. May your 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.

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Gospel Acclamation

This is Christ the King, Whom shepherds guard and angels sing.

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Gospel Reading

Luke 2:22-40

First Reading

Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 128: 1-2, 3, 4-5

Haste, haste to bring him laud, The babe, the Son of Mary.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. Refrain

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. Refrain

Blessed are all who fear the LORD, by the labor of your hands you shall eat. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. Refrain


Second Reading

Colossians 3:12-21

Hymn at the Preparation of the Gifts

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

Doxology

Amen, amen, amen.