Processional Hymn

On Jordan’s Bank the Baptist Cry

Communion Processional Song

Please join in singing the refrain while in procession to receive Holy Communion.

Recessional Hymn

People, Look East

The Third Sunday of Advent December 12, 2021

Prelude

Kommet Da Num, Jesu, Von Himmel Herunter
J. S. Bach

Processional Hymn

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Postlude

Herr Christ, der Einge Gottes-Sohn
J. S. Bach

Introit Antiphon

Gaudeite in Domino semper

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

Text:

Jordanis oras praevia;
Charles Coffin, 1676–1749; Tr. by John Chandler, 1806–1876

Tune:

Winchester New. Adpt. from Musikalisches Handbuch, Hamburg, 1690

Text: (trans) Say: “Take courage, you who are fainthearted, and do not fear; behold, our God will come and he will save us.”

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 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.

Introit Antiphon

Gaudeite in Domino semper

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice. Let your forbearance be known to all men. The Lord is at hand. Do not be anxious over anything; but in all manner of prayer, let your requests be made known unto God.
Penitential Act

I confess to almighty God, and to you, my brothers and sisters, 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.

Gospel Acclamation/Aclamación

Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

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Gospel Reading/Evangelio

Luke 3:10-18

The crowds asked John the Baptist, “What should we do?” He said to them in reply, “Whoever has two cloaks should share with the person who has none. And whoever has food should do likewise. Even tax collectors came to be baptized and they said to him, “Teacher, what should we do?” He answered them, “Stop collecting more than what is prescribed.” Soldiers also asked him, “And what is that which we should do?” He told them, “Do not practise extortion, do not falsely accuse anyone, and be satisfied with your wages.”

Now the people were filled with expectation, and all were asking in their hearts whether John might be the Christ. John answered them all, saying, “I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the straps of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fan is in his hand to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his barn, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.”

Exhausting them in many other ways, he preached good news to the people.

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, 

Music from Missa Brevis

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading/Primera Lectura

Zephaniah 3:14-18a

Casta, hija de Sión, da gritos de júbilo, Israel, grita y regocijate de todo corazón, Jerusalén.

The Lord is near.

Your kindness should be known to all.

Nicene Creed

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Eucharistic Acclamations

Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of hosts.

Cantor: Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Blessing of the Catechists/Bendición de los/las Catequistas

Rejoice in the Lord always. And again I say, rejoice!

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Response/Respuesta: Atrae hacia ti a todos los hombres, Señor.

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Second Reading/Segunda Lectura

Philippians 4:4-7

Brothers and sisters: Rejoice in the Lord always, I shall say it again, rejoice! Your kinship should be known to all.

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Choral Anthem at the Procession and Preparation of the Gifts (11:00 Mass)

Rejoice in the Lord, always Anonymous

R rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say, rejoice! Let your softness be known unto all men: the Lord is e'en at hand. Be careful for nothing: but in all prayer and supplication, let your petitions be manifest unto God with giving of thanks. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. Amen.

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Lamb of God

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Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.

Music from Missa Emmanuel

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

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