



ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL *of the* IMMACULATE CONCEPTION *Portland, Oregon*

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT | MARCH 9TH, 2025



"Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil." Luke 4:1-2

HOLY MASS

Daily Mass

MONDAY 5:30pm
TUESDAY—SATURDAY 7:30am

Weekend Masses

SATURDAY (VIGIL) 5:30pm
SUNDAY 7:30, 9:00, & 11:00am

CONFESSIONS

MONDAY 4:00-5:15pm
SATURDAY 4:00-5:15pm
1ST SATURDAY After 7:30am Mass

ADORATION

MONDAYS After 5:30pm Mass-6:30pm
THURSDAYS 8:00am-6:00pm*
*Evening Prayer and Benediction at 6:00pm**

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WELCOME TO ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

ABOUT OUR CHURCH

Since its dedication in 1926, St. Mary's Cathedral has stood as the gracious center of the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon. The Cathedral belongs to the 400,000 Catholics of the Archdiocese and serves as a place of ceremony and celebration for those who come here. The Cathedral is also a parish church, and as such, it is home to its parishioners and is a welcoming place for all visitors. More history of the Cathedral can be found on our website.

For more detailed information about the Art and History of St. Mary's Cathedral, visit our website www.maryscathedral.com.

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Monday – Thursday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Friday: 9:00 AM – Noon



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Cathedral School is a premier, Pre-Kindergarten through Eighth grade Catholic School in the Portland Metropolitan area. At Cathedral School, we provide our students with an excellent education focused on Faith, Service and Knowledge. Our mission is to instill a lifelong love for learning and a respect for each person and all creations as gifts of God.

Cathedral School has been inspiring students to reach their full potential for over 125 years. A challenging curriculum founded in Catholic tradition, combined with a nurturing community ensures that our students are prepared - for life!

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MASS SCHEDULE & RECTORS NOTE – FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

MASSES AND INTENTIONS

Sat. Mar 8	St. John of God, Religious
7:30am	<i>Int. of The Fife Family</i>
Sat. Mar 8	First Sunday of Lent
5:30pm	† <i>Geraldine Conley</i>
Sun. Mar 9	First Sunday of Lent
7:30am	<i>Int. of Gary Rademacher</i>
9:00am	<i>Int. of Lila Bauer</i>
11:00am	<i>Int. of Anne Marie Wise</i>
Mon. Mar 10	Lenten Weekday
5:30pm	† <i>Dolores Jerret</i>
Tues. Mar 11	Lenten Weekday
7:30am	<i>Int. of Vivian Thorne</i>
Wed. Mar 12	Lenten Weekday
7:30am	† <i>Jacob Alvey</i>
Thu. Mar 13	Lenten Weekday
7:30am	† <i>Nicholas O'Connor</i>
Fri. Mar 14	Lenten Weekday
7:30am	<i>Int. of Ann & Andreas Loeffler</i>
Sat. Mar 15	Lenten Weekday
7:30am	<i>Int. of Allie Labrousse</i>
Sat. Mar 15	Second Sunday of Lent
5:30pm	<i>Int. of Fr. Matthew Libra</i>
Sun. Mar 16	Second Sunday of Lent
7:30am	<i>Int. of Anna Cole</i>
9:00am	† <i>Delfin and Nora Jordan</i>
11:00am	<i>Pro populo</i>

FINANCIAL REPORT

Sunday Collections

February 23rd, 2025 : \$11,960.12

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1. Use this QR Code
2. Visit maryscathedral.com
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3. Drop cash or check into a Donation box at an entrance to the church.



FROM THE RECTOR

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I am writing this on Monday night so as to hit the bulletin deadline. I was released from hospital last Wednesday (after 2 weeks) and have to be on a self-administered IV antibiotic for about 1 month. For those of you who know these things: I was admitted to the hospital with necrotizing pneumonia; whilst there I got a staph infection (MRSA) which turned into a blood infection. Whilst we think the pneumonia is under control the blood infection is now what needs attention. So that is my plan for now. I also need to build-up my strength and work on my diet - after 2 weeks or so without any appetite or any real sleep you can imagine I'm very weak.

Thank you to all who have sent cards, notes, emails etc. - I appreciate your prayers - please keep them coming - still a long way to go.

God is Good! I am grateful to my brother priests who have stepped up to help out at Cathedral at this time. I am very grateful to those priests who have brought me Holy Communion during my time in the hospital and here at home. I am happy to say that yesterday I managed to say a private Mass and today also - which I offered for your intentions.

I am so grateful to Andreas and Jenna for keeping things going at the Cathedral. I am especially grateful to Andreas who has been my primary care giver during this time.

I will keep you informed of my progress - in the meantime please continue your prayers for God's Will and a speedy recovery.

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LENT: A SEASON OF RENEWAL

Lent is a 40-day season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving that begins on Ash Wednesday and ends at sundown on Holy Thursday. It's a period of preparation to celebrate the Lord's Resurrection at Easter. During Lent, we seek the Lord in prayer by reading Sacred Scripture; we serve by giving alms; and we practice self-control through fasting. We are called not only to abstain from luxuries during Lent, but to a **true inner conversion of heart** as we seek to follow Christ's will more faithfully. We recall the waters of baptism in which we were also baptized into Christ's death, died to sin and evil, and began new life in Christ.

HOW DO WE ENTER INTO LENT WITH THE LORD? HERE ARE SOME IDEAS TO PREPARE YOUR HEART FOR EASTER:

- Try going to Daily Mass a few times if you don't typically go to mass other than Sunday. Daily mass times at the Cathedral include Mondays @ 5:30pm and Tuesday- Saturday @ 7:30am.
- Choose a daily Lenten Devotional
- Think of a daily Penance to do during Advent (No coffee, No eating out, No TV, only religious Music...etc.). Try to pick something that will really open up space for God in your life!
- Consider doing a Holy Hour each week. Adoration is on Thursdays @ Cathedral 8am-6pm
- Find more time in silence and meditative prayer, just "being" with the Lord.
- Join us for Stations of the Cross on Fridays @ 7:00pm in the Cathedral. Soup Supper @ 6pm in the Cathedral School Cafeteria
- Create a Lenten Calendar to display in your home and create a prayer space
- Pick up a RICE Bowl to collect money for the poor and needy. Visit www.crsricebowl.org

WHAT ABOUT FASTING? SEE BELOW FOR GUIDELINES ON WHAT DAYS OF "FASTING" AND "ABSTINENCE" MEAN DURING LENT:

LENTEN FASTING & ABSTINENCE



How do we fast?

When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

Am I excused from fasting and abstinence?

Those that are excused from fast and abstinence outside the age limits include the **physically or mentally ill** including individuals suffering from **chronic illnesses** such as **diabetes**. Also excluded are **pregnant or nursing women**.

For more information on fasting and abstinence, visit usccb.org.

Fasting

Ash Wednesday
Good Friday

Ages 18-59

Abstinence

Every Friday
during Lent
(Abstinence = No Meat)

Ages 14+



LOCAL COMMUNITY NEWS AND EVENTS



LENTEN SOUP & STATIONS



Fridays during Lent

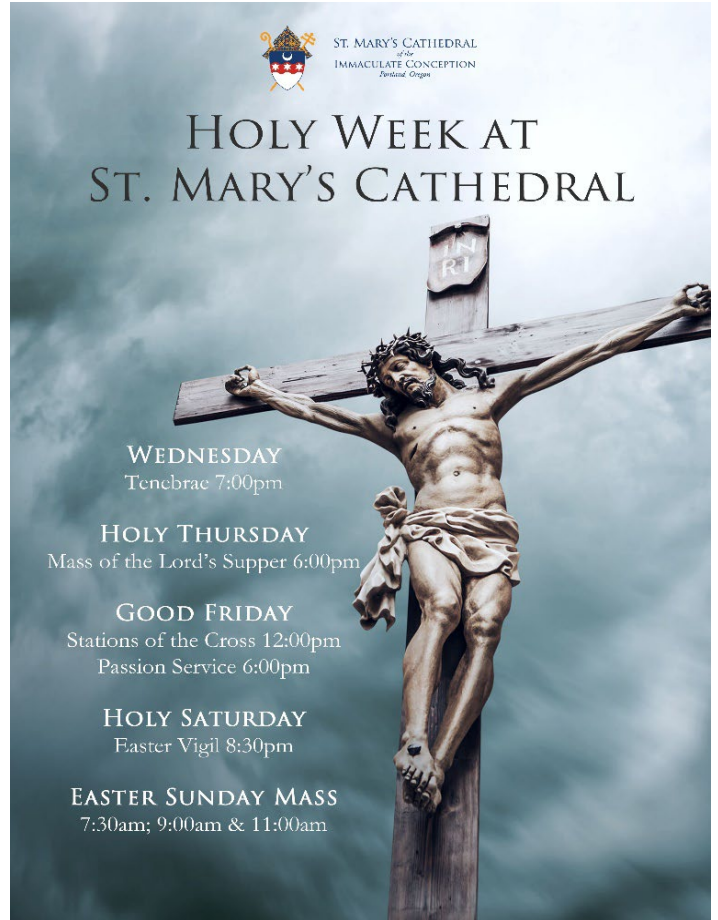
SOUP SUPPER: 6PM IN THE
CATHEDRAL SCHOOL CAFETERIA


STATIONS OF THE CROSS: 7PM IN
THE CHURCH



LENTEN FOOD DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting non-perishable food donations during the Lenten season. There will be a basket in the vestibule of the church where you can drop off your donations. Please give to support those in our community who are less fortunate. Donations will be accepted starting Ash Wednesday and ending on the Friday before Easter (Good Friday). All donations will be given to the Lift-Up organization, whose mission is to reduce hunger and improve the lives of Northwest and Downtown Portland. More information about Lift-Up can be found at <https://www.lifturbanportland.org/>.



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HOLY WEEK AT ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

WEDNESDAY
Tenebrae 7:00pm

HOLY THURSDAY
Mass of the Lord's Supper 6:00pm

GOOD FRIDAY
Stations of the Cross 12:00pm
Passion Service 6:00pm

HOLY SATURDAY
Easter Vigil 8:30pm

EASTER SUNDAY MASS
7:30am; 9:00am & 11:00am



**Portland
Rescue Mission**
Giving Hope. Restoring Life.™

PORTLAND RESCUE MISSION DRIVE

Starting on March 5th, The Cathedral will have a donation barrel in the back of the church to collect items for Portland Rescue Mission. Portland Rescue Mission exists to demonstrate the compassion of Christ and transform the lives of homeless and addicted people through providing hot meals, emergency shelter, transitional assistance, vocational and life skills training, and long-term addiction recovery. If you are able to participate in the donation drive, please bring unopened toiletries (alcohol-free) and new or lightly used blankets, coats, gloves and clothing to the provided barrel in the vestibule of the Church. Thank you!

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MAR 29

CAPPELLA ROMANA

VOCAL ENSEMBLE
ALEXANDER LINGAS
MUSIC DIRECTOR



Frank La Rocca's



Featuring St. Mary's Cathedral organist Seung Min Oh. Led by Richard Sparks, director of the Benedict XVI Ensemble.

St. Mary's parishioners save 20% in advance with code STMARYS

REQUIEM FOR THE FORGOTTEN

Experience the profound beauty of sacred music that speaks to the heart of Catholic faith and teaching. Cappella Romana presents ***Requiem for the Forgotten*** by Catholic composer Frank La Rocca, a moving work for choir, organ, and strings honoring the displaced and homeless, affirming the God-given dignity of every person.

Opening with Josef Rheinberger's luminous *Mass* for Double Choir dedicated to Pope Leo XIII, whose landmark encyclicals championed the Church's mission to care for the poor.

Requiem for the Forgotten also features a moving hymn for Ukraine. **Be uplifted by sacred music that unites faith, beauty, and a call to compassion.**

**Saturday, March 29
2:00 pm (NEW TIME)**

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MAY 7, 2025

3:00 TO 6:00 PM

PORTLAND GOLF CLUB
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PORTLAND, OREGON

Seminary Tea Committee



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Tea, coffee and
hors d'oeuvres will be served.

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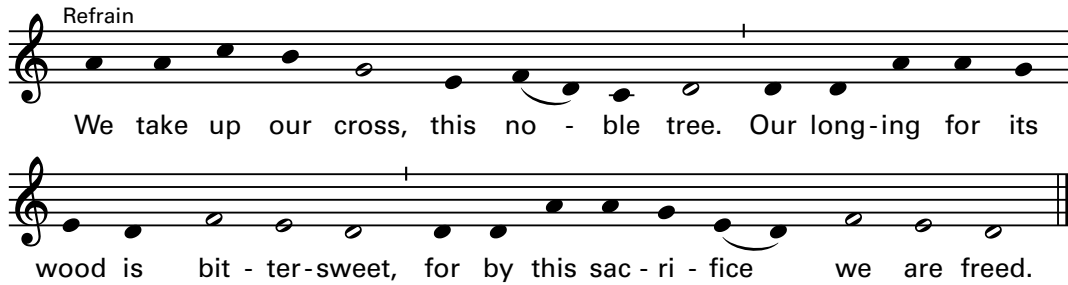
The Entrance Rite

Entrance Antiphon

*When he calls on me, I will answer him;
I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days.*

music by Angela Birkhead-Flight

Refrain



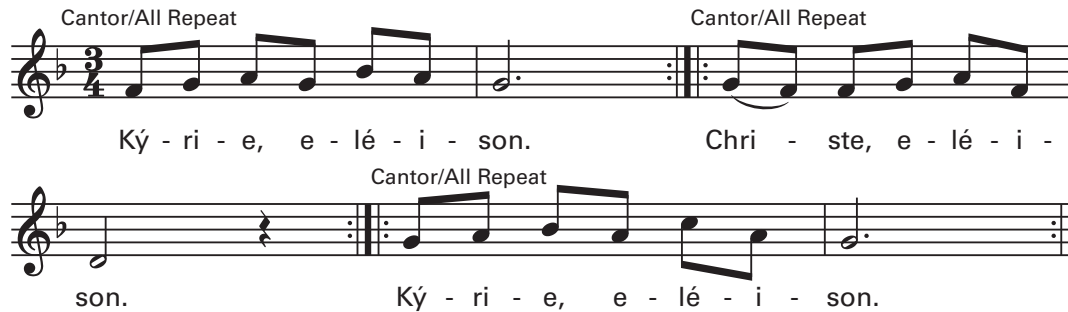
We take up our cross, this no - ble tree. Our long-ing for its
wood is bit - ter-sweet, for by this sac - ri - fice we are freed.

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Kyrie

Missa Ubi Caritas

Cantor/All Repeat



Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son. Chri - ste, e - lé - i -
son. Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son.

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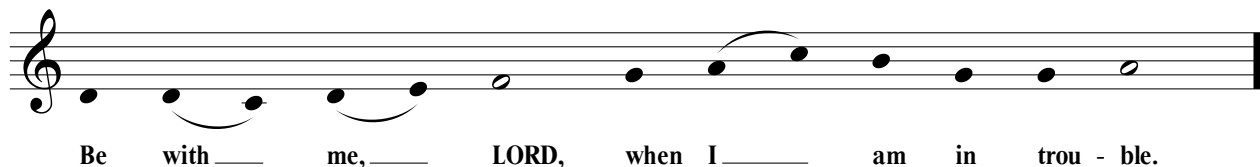
The Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

Deuteronomy 26:4–10

Responsorial Psalm

91:1–2, 10–11, 12–13, 14–15



Be with me, LORD, when I am in trou - ble.

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Second Reading

Romans 10:8–13

Gospel Acclamation

Richard Proulx



Praise to you, Lord Je - sus Christ, King of end-less glo - ry!

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Gospel Reading

Luke 4:1–13

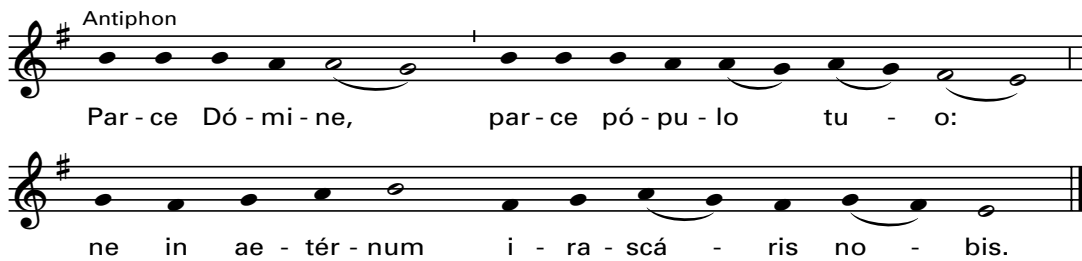
The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Gifts

Vigil/9am

Parce Domine

Chant, Mode I



Text and music: Chant, Mode I; *Liber Cantualis*, 1983.

11am

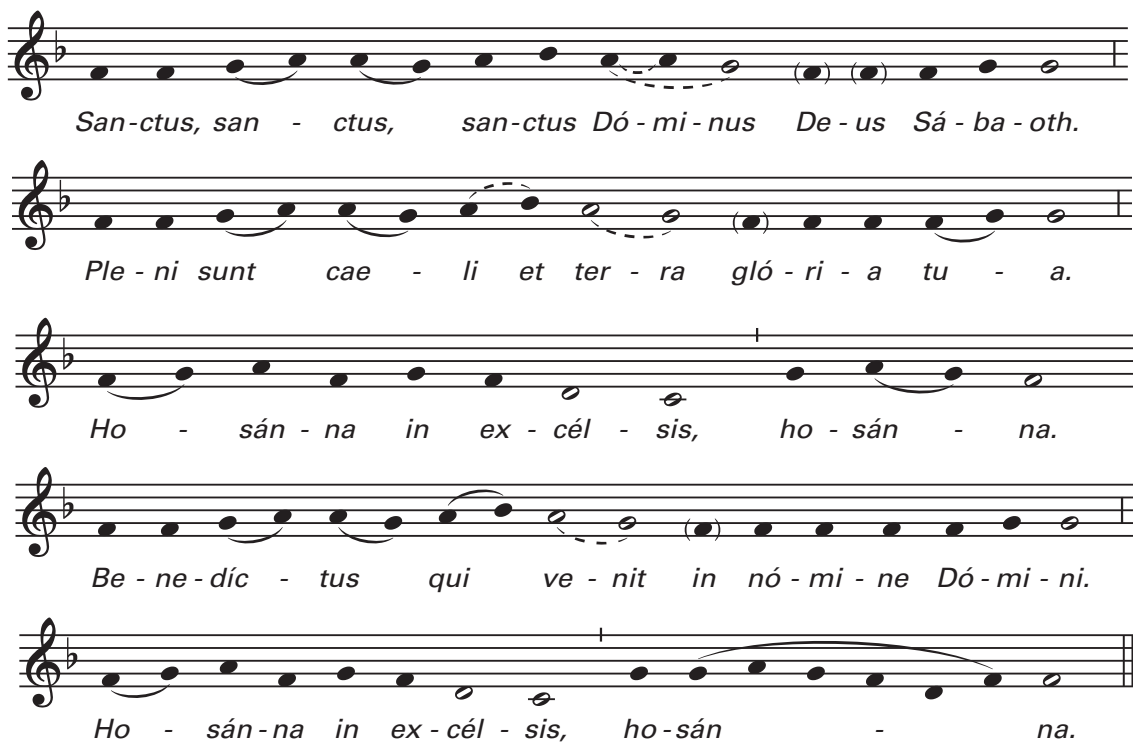
Parce Domine

Felix Nowowieski, Op. 35

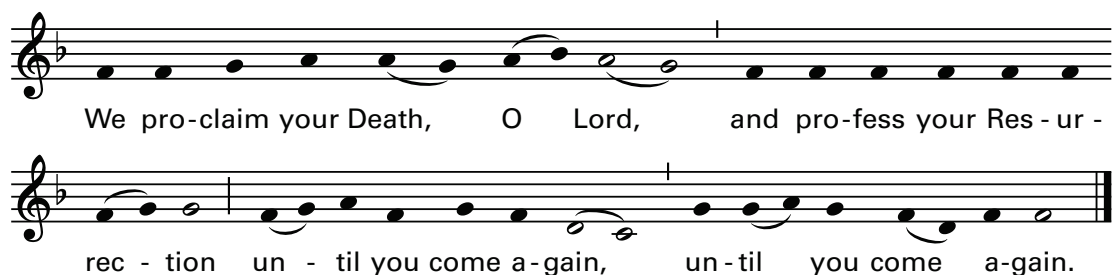
*Lord, spare your people, do not be angry at us forever.
Have mercy on us, O God, according to your great mercy.*

Eucharistic Acclamations

Missa Ubi Caritas



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The Communion Rite

Agnus Dei

Missa Ubi Caritas

Invocation: Cantor

Agnus Dei, qui tollis pec - cata mundi:

Response: All

mi - se - re - re no - bis, mi - se - re - re no - bis.
Final: do - na no - bis pa - cem, do - na no - bis pa - cem.

Communion Antiphon:

One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

Communion Procession

Attende Domine

ATTENDE DOMINE

Refrain

Have mer-cy on us, Lord, Je-sus our Sav-ior: Bur-dened with sin, we im-
At - tén-de Dó-mi-ne, et mi-se-ré-re, Qui - a pec-cá-vi-mus

Verses

plore you! 1. O great — Re-deem-er, King of all cre - a - tion,
ti - bi. 2. Ex - alt - ed Sav-ior, Cor-ner-stone of heav - en,
3. We beg — you, Je - sus, God im-mense in pow - er:
1. Ad te Rex sum-me, — óm - ni - um re-dém - ptor,
2. Déx - te - ra Pa - tris, — la - pis an - gu - lá - ris,
3. Ro - gá-mus, De - us, — tu - am ma - ie - stá - tem:

1. As we are sin - ners, we de - serve your judg - ment:
2. Gate of sal - va - tion, Way to life im - mor - tal:
3. Lis - ten in kind-ness as we ask for - give - ness:
1. Ó - cu - los nó - stros sub - le - vá - mus flen - tes:
2. Vi - a sa - lú - tis iá - nu - a cae - lé - stis,
3. Áu - ri - bus sa - cris gé - mi - tus ex - áu - dí:

to Refrain

1. Je - sus, be gra-cious; hear our prayer of sor - row.
2. Send forth your Spir - it; heal your hum-bled peo - ple!
3. Though sin con-demns us, you are strong to save us!
1. Ex - áu - dí, Chri - ste, sup - pli - cán - tum pre - ces.
2. Áb - lu - e no - stri má - cu - las de - lí - cti.
3. Crí - mi - na no - stra plá - ci - dus in - dúl - ge.

Into the Woods My Master Went

Jane Hawes

Into the woods my Master went, Clean forspent.
Into the woods my Master came, forspent with death and shame.
But the olives they were not blind to him; the little grey leaves were kind to him.
The thorn tree had a mind to him, when into the woods he came.

Out of the woods my Master went, and he was well content.
Out of the woods my Master came, content with death and shame.
When death and shame would woo him last, from under the trees they drew him last.
'Twas on a tree they slew him last, when out of the woods he came.

Sidney Lanier (1842-1881)

The Concluding Rite

Blessing and Dismissal

Closing Hymn

Led by the Spirit

KINGSFOLD



1. Led by the Spir - it of our God, we go to fast and
2. Led by the Spir - it, we con - front temp - ta - tion face to
3. Led by the Spir - it, now draw near the wa - ters of re -
4. Led by the Spir - it, now sing praise to God the Trin - i -

1. pray With Christ in - to the wil - der-ness; we join his
2. face, And know full well we must re - ly on God's re -
3. birth With hearts that long to wor-ship God in spir - it
4. ty: The Source of Life, the liv - ing Word made flesh to

1. pas - chal way. "Rend not your gar - ments, rend your hearts. Turn
2. deem - ing grace. On bread a - lone we can - not live, but
3. and in truth. "Who - ev - er drinks the drink I give shall
4. set us free, The Spir - it blow - ing where it will to

1. back your lives to me." Thus says our kind and
2. nour-ished by the Word We seek the will of
3. nev - er thirst a - gain." Thus says the Lord who
4. make us friends of God: This mys - t'ry far be -

1. gra - cious God, whose reign is lib - er - ty.
2. God to do: this is our drink and food.
3. died for us, our Sav - ior, kin and friend.
4. yond our reach, yet near in heal - ing love.

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