

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD January 9 & 10, 2021

Entrance Antiphon – *After the Lord was baptized, the heavens opened, and the Spirit descended upon him like a dove, and the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved son, with whom I am well pleased.*

Entrance – Baptized in Water Text: 55 9 D; Michael Saward, 1982, The Jubilate Group. All rights reserved. Administered by Hope Publishing Co. Used with permission. Music: Traditional Gaelic melody.

Verse 1

Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit,
cleansed by the blood of Christ our King:
Heirs of salvation, trusting his promise,
faithfully now God's praise we sing.

Verse 2

Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit, dead in
the tomb with Christ our King: One with his
rising, freed and forgiven, thankfully now God's
praise we sing.

Verse 3

Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit,
marked with the sign of Christ our King:
Born of one Father, we are his children,
joyfully now God's praise we sing.

Gloria - *Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you. We give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. 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. 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.*

Responsorial Psalm – *“You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation.” Isaiah 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6*

Gospel Acclamation – *“Alleluia”*

Preparation of the Gifts

Eucharistic Acclamations

Holy, Holy

Mem. Acclamation – Save us, Savior of the world.....

Amen

Lamb of God

Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Communion Antiphon – *Behold the One of whom John said: I have seen and testified that this is the Son of God.*

Communion – Come to the Water Text based on Isaiah 55:1-2; Matthew 11:28-30. Text and music 1978, John B. Foley, S.J., and OCP. All rights reserved.

Verse 1

O let all who thirst, let them come to the water.
And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord: without money, without price. Why should you pay the price, except for the Lord?

Verse 3

And let all who toil, let them come to the water.
And let all who are weary, let them come to the Lord: all who labor, without rest. How can your soul find rest, except for the Lord?

Verse 2

And let all who seek, let them come to the water.
And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord: without money, without strife. Why should you spend your life, except for the Lord?

Verse 4

And let all the poor, let them come to the water.
Bring the ones who are laden, bring them all to the Lord: bring the children without might. Easy the load and light: come to the Lord.

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Refrain

River of glory, springs of our birth, flood of God's riches poured on the earth. We are born from the darkness and clothed in the light! We are bathed in the glory of God.

Verse 1

Fountain of mercy, grace flowing free, streams of salvation, spilling with love from a tree!
(Refrain)

Verse 2

Here there is haven, healing and health, joy for the asking, love in abundance of wealth!
(Refrain)

Verse 3

Bread for our journey God will provide. Hope for all ages, Jesus, companion and guide!
(Refrain)

