

SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD

ASH WEDNESDAY

FEBRUARY 14TH 2024

PRELUDE CHANT

Attende Domine

Attende, Domine, et miserere,
quia peccavimus tibi.

Ad te Rex summe, omnium redemptor,
oculos nostros sublevamus flentes:
exaudi, Christe, supplicatum preces.

Dextera Patris, lapis angularis,
via salutis, ianua caelestis,
ablue nostri maculas delicti.

Rogamus, Deus, tuam maiestatem:
auribus sacris gemitus exaudi:
crimina nostra placidus indulge.

Tibi fatemur crimina admissa:
contrito corde pandimus occulta:
tua Redemptor, pietas ignoscat.

Innocens captus, nec repugnans ductus,
testibus falsis pro impiis damnatus:
quos redemisti, tu conserva, Christe.

Hear us, O Lord, and have mercy,
Because we have sinned against Thee.

To Thee, highest King, Redeemer of all,
We lift up our eyes in weeping:
Hear, O Christ, the prayers of your servants.

Right hand of the Father, Cornerstone,
Way of salvation, gate of heaven,
Wash away our stains of sin.

We beseech Thee, God, in Thy great majesty:
Hear our groans with Thy holy ears:
Calmly forgive our crimes.

To Thee we confess our sins admitted
With a contrite heart we reveal the things hidden:
By Thy kindness, O Redeemer, overlook them.

The Innocent, seized, not refusing to be led;
Condemned by false accounts of impious men
Those whom Thou hast redeemed, save, O Christ.

INTROITUS

Misereris Omnium, Domine

You are merciful to all, O Lord, and despise nothing that you have made. You overlook
people's sins, to bring them to repentance, and you spare them, for you are the Lord our God.

ENTRANCE HYMN

Again We Keep This Solemn Fast



1. A - gain we keep this sol - emn fast, A gift of faith from ag - es past,
2. The law and proph-ets from of old In fig - ured ways this Lent fore-told,
3. More spar-ing, there-fore, let us make The words we speak, the food we take,
4. We pray, O bless - ed Three in One, Our God while end - less a - ges run,



1. This Lent which binds us lov - ing - ly To faith and hope and char - i - ty.
2. Which Christ, all a - ges' Lord and Guide, In these last days has sanc - ti - fied.
3. Our sleep, our laugh-ter, ev - 'ry sense; Learn peace through ho - ly pen - i - tence.
4. That this, our Lent of for - ty days, May bring us growth and give you praise.

GREETING

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

JOEL 2:12-18

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 51:3-4, 5-6AB, 12-13, 14 AND 17

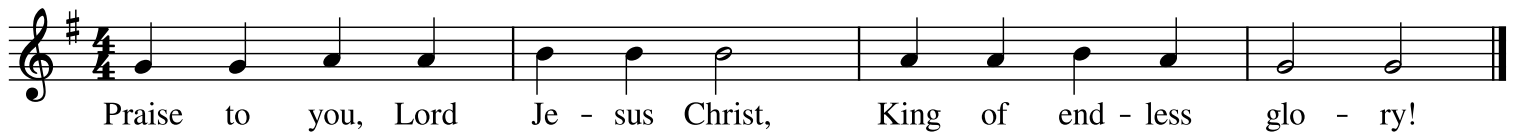


SECOND READING

II CORINTHIANS 5:20 - 6:2

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

PSALM 95:8



GOSPEL

MATTHEW 6:1-6, 16-18

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

TODAY IS THE ACCEPTED TIME



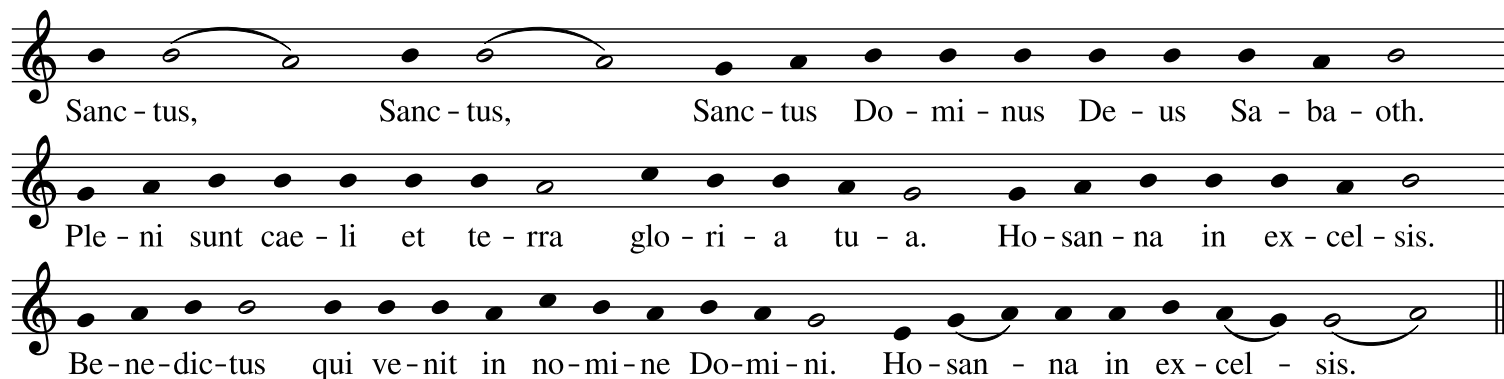
Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours
may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

People: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands,
for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

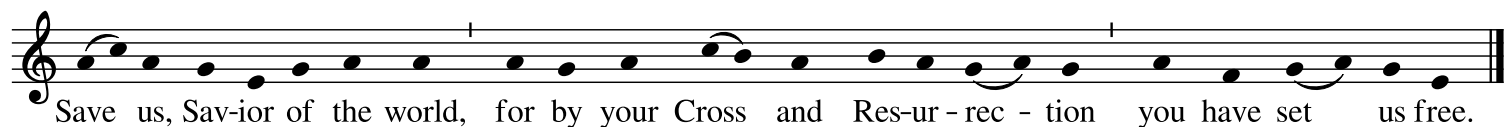
PREFACE DIALOGUE



Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus, Sanc - tus Do - mi - nus De - us Sa - ba - oth.
 Ple - ni sunt cae - li et te - rra glo - ri - a tu - a. Ho - san - na in ex - cel - sis.
 Be - ne - dic - tus qui ve - nit in no - mi - ne Do - mi - ni. Ho - san - na in ex - cel - sis.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

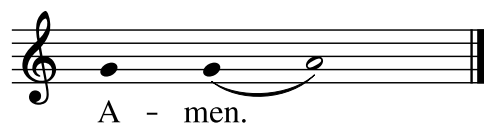
CHAPEL MASS



Save us, Sav - ior of the world, for by your Cross and Res - ur - rec - tion you have set us free.

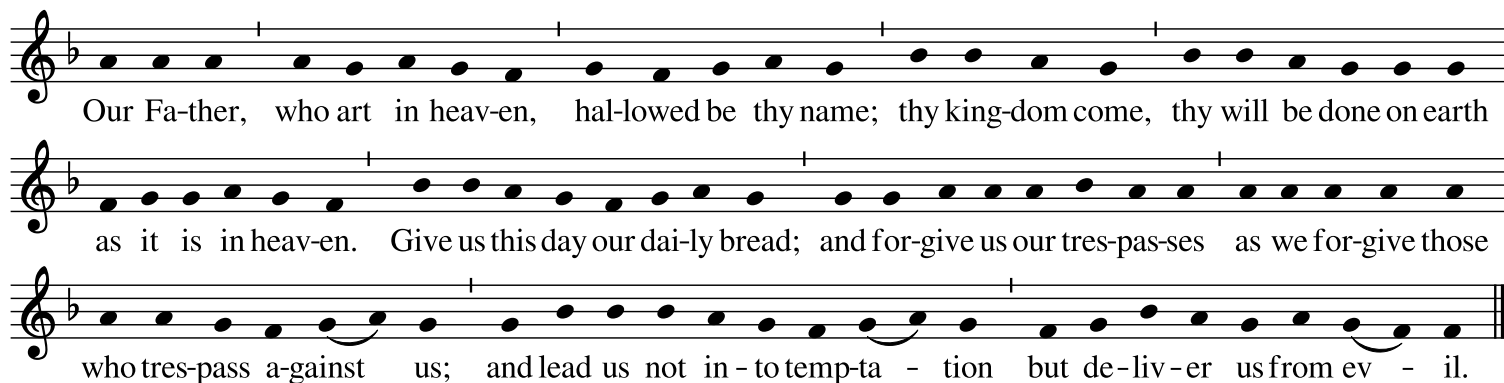
AMEN

CHAPEL MASS



A - men.

THE LORD'S PRAYER



Our Fa - ther, who art in heav - en, hal - lowed be thy name; thy king - dom come, thy will be done on earth
 as it is in heav - en. Give us this day our dai - ly bread; and for - give us our tres - pas - ses as we for - give those
 who tres - pass a - gainst us; and lead us not in - to temp - ta - tion but de - liv - er us from ev - il.

Priest: deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that,
 by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress,
 as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.




For the king - dom, the pow - er and the glo - ry are yours, now and for - ev - er.

AGNUS DEI

MISSA XVIII



Ag - nus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - di, mi - se - re - re no - bis, do - na no - bis pa - cem.



Pa-nis an - ge-li-cus fit pa-nis ho-mi-num; Dat pa-nis cœ-li-cus fi - gu-ris ter-mi - num:
 Te tri-na De-i-tas u-na-que pos-ci-mus: Sic nos tu vi-si-ta, si - cut te co-li - mus;

O res mi - ra - bi-lis! Man - du-cat Do-mi-num pau-per, ser - vus et hu-mi - lis.
 Per tu-as se-mi-tas duc nos quo ten-di-mus, Ad lu - cem quam in - ha - bi - tas.

The bread of the angels becomes the bread of men;
 the bread of heaven puts an end to prefigurations.

O wondrous thing! the poor, the slave and the humble feed on their Lord.

Of you, threefold and one God, we ask: Come to visit us as we worship you;
 lead us on your paths to where we want to go: to the light in which you dwell.

MEDITATION

THE SUMMONS




From the depths we cry to thee, God of sov - 'reign ma - jes - ty!
 Gra - cious God, our hearts re - new; Strength - en us thy will to do.
 Lord, ac - cept our Len - ten fast And for - give our sin - ful past,

Hear our prayers and hymns of praise; Bless our Lent of for - ty days.
 Wash us, make us pure with - in; Cleanse us from the stain of sin.
 That we may par - take with thee In the Eas - ter mys - ter - y.

HYMN DURING THE DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES

ASHES



We rise a - gain from ash - es, from the good we've failed to do. We
 We of - fer you our fail - ures, we of - fer you at - tempts. the
 Then raise us up from ash - es, your heal - ing ease our pain. Though

rise a - gain from ash - es, re - deemed, O Lord, by you. Our pen - ance, Lord, our
 gifts not ful - ly giv - en, the dreams not ful - ly dreamt. Our stum - blings, give di -
 spring has turned to win - ter, and sun - shine turned to rain, your rain will nur - ture

sor - row, our griev - ing hearts re - new,
 rec - tion, our vi - sions wid - er view, } an of - fer - ing of ash - es, an of - fer - ing to you.
 grow - ing and cre - ate our world a - new,

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I SUNDAY OF LENT

FEBRUARY 18TH 2024

PRELUDE CHANT

PARCE DOMINE

Parce, Domine, Parce populo tuo:
Ne in aeternum irascaris nobis.

Flectamus iram vindicem,
Ploremus ante Judicem;
Clamemus ore supplici,
Dicamus omnes cernui:

Nostris malis offendimus
Tuam Deus clementiam
Effunde nobis desuper
Remissor indulgentiam.

Dans tempus acceptabile,
Da lacrimarum rivulis
Lavare cordis victimam,
Quam laeta adurat caritas.

Audi, benigne Conditor,
Nostras preces cum fletibus
In hoc sacro jejunio,
Fusas quadragenario.

Spare, O Lord, Spare Your people,
Do not be angry with us forever.

Let us turn back the angry avenger,
Let us lament before the Judge;
Let us cry aloud as suppliants,
Falling prostrate, let us all say:

By our evils we have offended
Against your mercy, O God.
Pour out upon us from above
Your indulgence, unto remission.

Having given us this acceptable time,
Grant that by these rivers of our tears,
The victim, our heart, may be cleansed
That our joy may enkindle our charity.

Hear, O merciful Creator,
Our prayers through weeping,
In this most sacred fast,
Made firm by these forty days.

INTROITUS

INVOCABIT ME

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

ENTRANCE HYMN

THE GLORY OF THESE FORTY DAYS



1. The glo - ry of these for - ty days We cel - e - brate with songs of praise;
2. A - lone and fast - ing Mo - ses saw The lov - ing God who gave the law;
3. So Dan - iel trained his mys - tic sight, De - liv - ered from the li - ons' might;
4. Then grant, O God, that we may be, too, Con - sumed in fast and pray'r with you;



1. For Christ, by whom all things were made, Him - self has fast - ed and has prayed.
2. And to E - li - jah, fast - ing, came The steeds and char - i - ots of flame.
3. And John, the Bride - groom's friend, be - came The her - ald of Mes - si - ah's name.
4. Our spir - its strength - en with your grace, And give us joy to see your face.

GREETING

REPENTENTIAL RITE

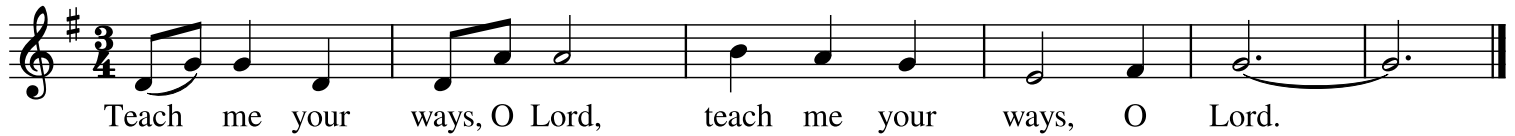
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FIRST READING

GENESIS 9:8-15

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 25:4,5, 6-7, 8-9

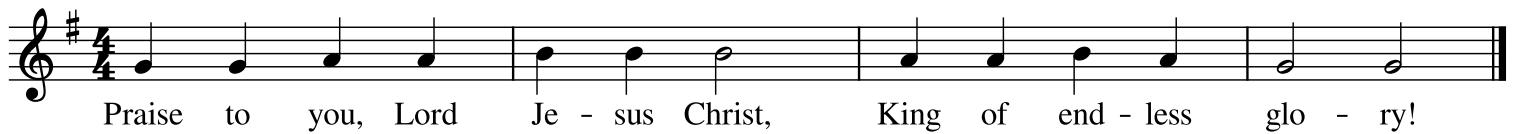


SECOND READING

I PETER 3:18-22

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

MATTHEW 4:4B



GOSPEL

MARK 1:12-15

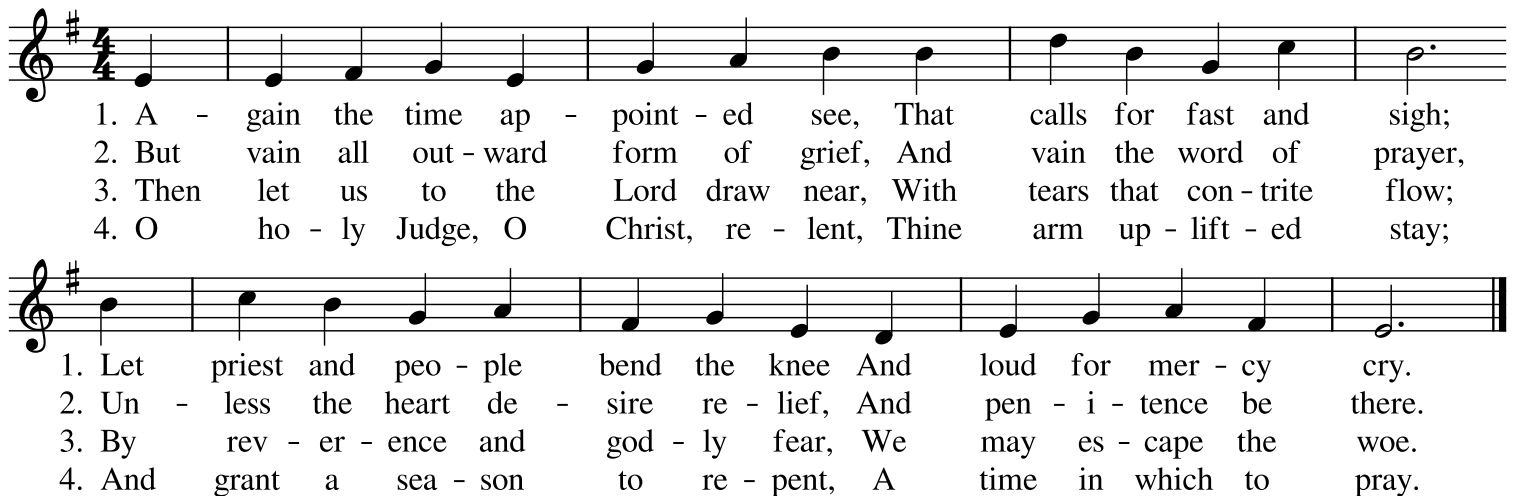
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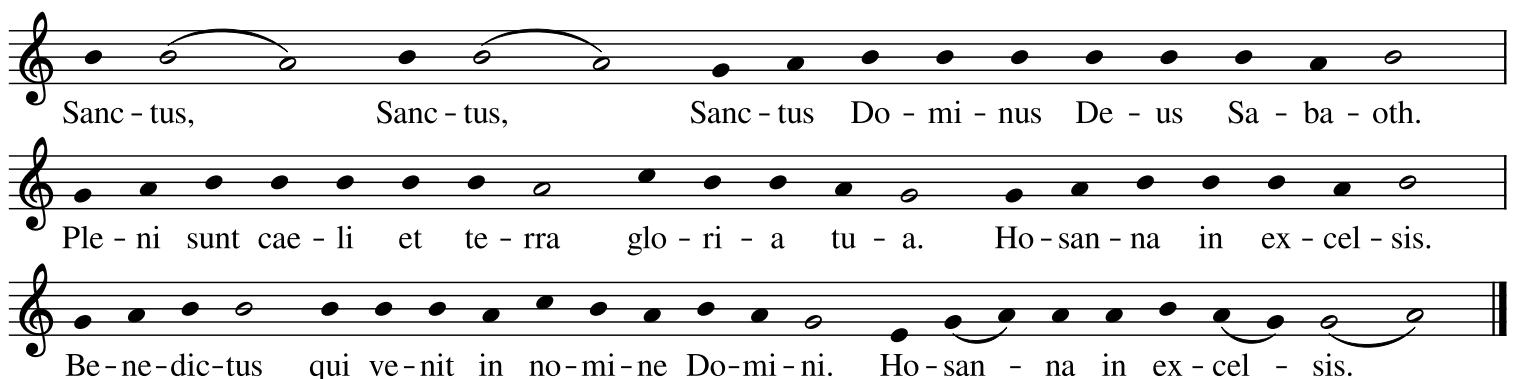
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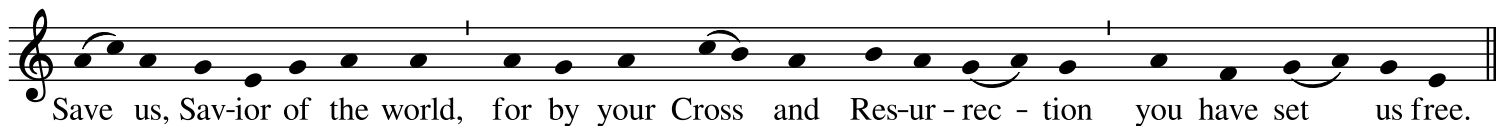
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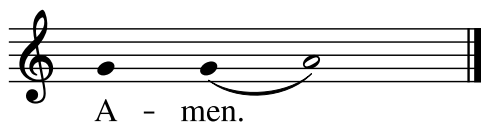
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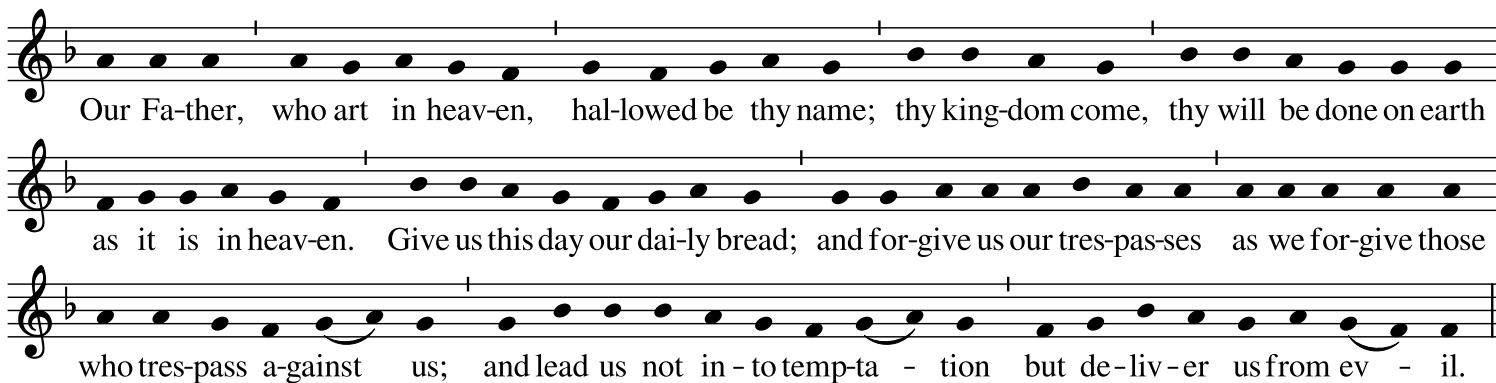


AMEN

CHANT MASS



THE LORD'S PRAYER

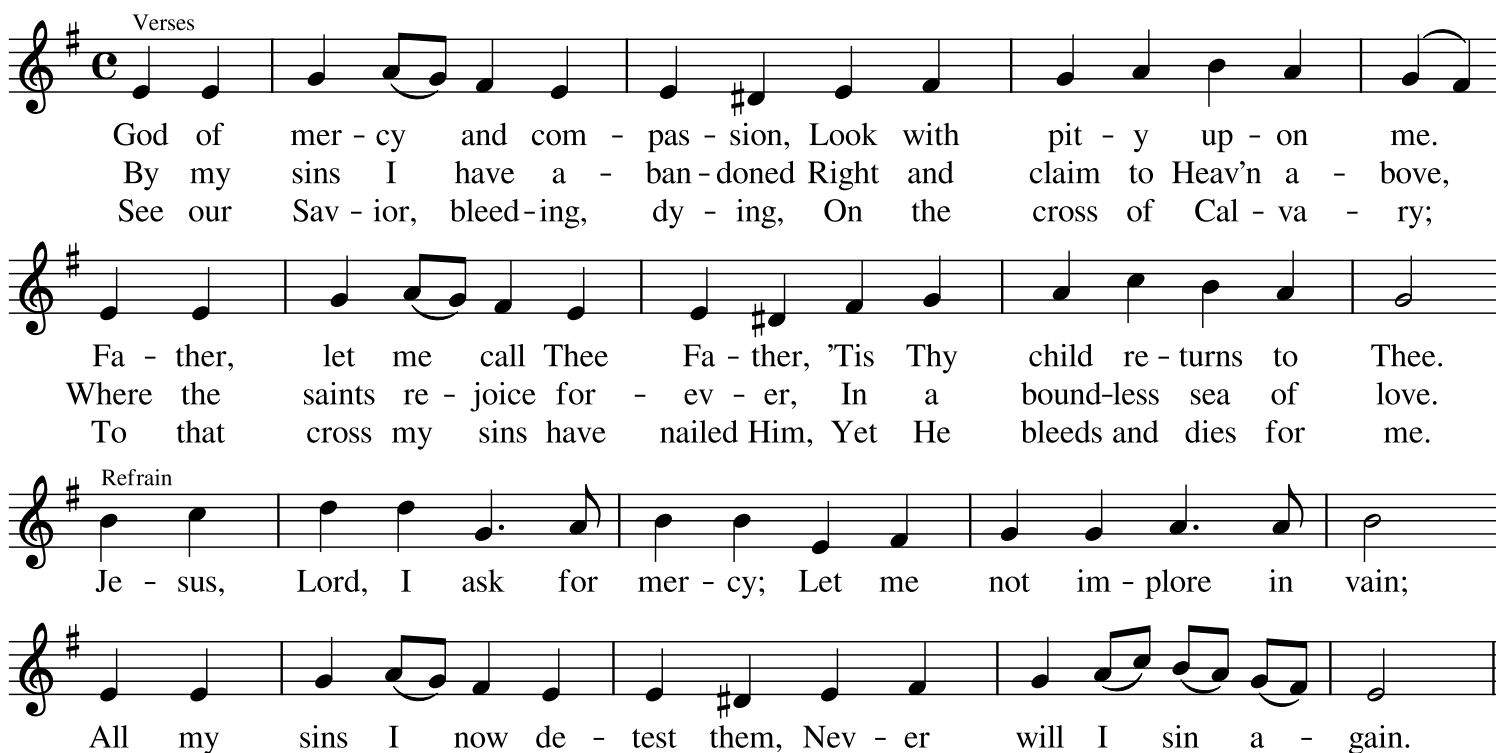


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COMMUNION HYMN

GOD OF MERCY AND COMPASSION



Led by the Spir - it of our God, we go to fast and pray
 Led by the Spir - it, we con - front temp - ta - tion face to face,
 Led by the spir - it, now draw near the wa - ters of re - birth

With Christ in - to the wil - der - ness; we join his pas - chal way.
 And know full well we must re - ly on God's re - deem - ing grace.
 With hearts that long to wor - ship God in spir - it and in truth.

"Rend not your gar - ments, rend your hearts. Turn back your lives to me."
 On bread a - lone we can - not live, but nour - ished by the Word
 "Who - ev - er drinks the drink I give shall nev - er thirst a - gain."

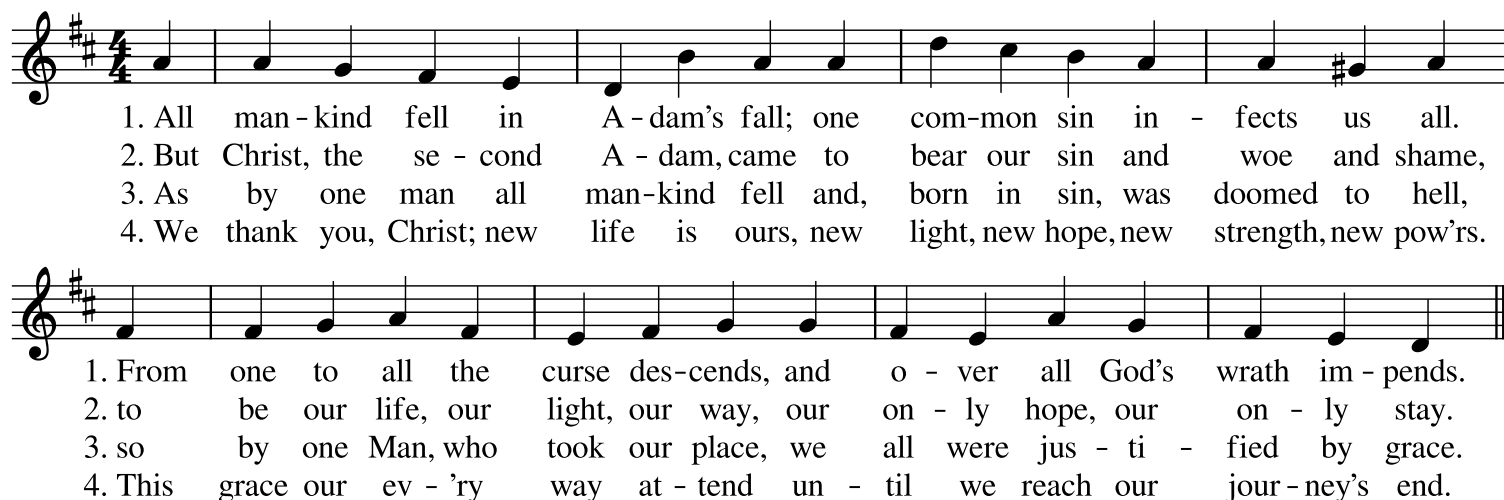
Thus says our kind and gra - cious God, whose reign is lib - er - ty.
 We seek the will of God to do: this is our drink and food.
 Thus says the Lord who died for us, our Sav - ior, kin and friend.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Heavenly Father, You have created us for a definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for each of us in this life, and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make my parish, my home and my heart fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations to the priesthood of Jesus Christ. May our young men respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among them a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. We make our prayer for priestly vocations to You, Father, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us. Saint Joseph, Patron of our Archdiocese, pray for us. Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

ALL MANKIND FELL IN ADAM'S FALL



1. All man - kind fell in A - dam's fall; one com - mon sin in - fects us all.
 2. But Christ, the se - cond A - dam, came to bear our sin and woe and shame,
 3. As by one man all man - kind fell and, born in sin, was doomed to hell,
 4. We thank you, Christ; new life is ours, new light, new hope, new strength, new pow'rs.

1. From one to all the curse des - cends, and o - ver all God's wrath im - pends.
 2. to be our life, our light, our way, our on - ly hope, our on - ly stay.
 3. so by one Man, who took our place, we all were jus - ti - fied by grace.
 4. This grace our ev - 'ry way at - tend un - til we reach our jour - ney's end.

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II SUNDAY OF LENT

FEBRUARY 25TH 2024

PRELUDE CHANT

PARCE DOMINE

Audi benigne conditor,
nostras preces cum fletibus,
in hoc sacro jejunio,
fusas quadragenario.

Scrutator alme cordium,
infirmi tu scis virium,
ad te reversis exhibe
remissionis gratiam.

Multum quidem peccavimus,
sed pace confitentibus,
ad nominis laudem tui,
confer medelam languidis.

Concede nostrum conteri,
corpus per abstinentiam,
culpa ut relinquat parvulum,
jejuna corda criminum.

Praesta beata Trinitas,
concede simplex unitas,
ut fructuosa sint tuis,
jejuniorum munera.

O merciful Creator, hear us;
In tender pity bow Thine ear:
Accept the tearful prayer we raise
In this our fast of forty days.

Each heart is manifest to Thee;
Thou knowest our infirmity:
Repentant now we seek Thy face;
Impart to us Thy pardoning grace.

Our sins are manifold and sore,
But spare Thou them who sin deplore;
For Thine own Name's sake make whole
The fainting and the weary soul.

Grant us to mortify each sense
By means of outward abstinence,
That so from every stain of sin
The soul may keep her fast within.

Blest Three in One, Blest Unity
Almighty God, we pray to Thee,
That Thou wouldst now bless
Our fast with fruits of righteousness.

INTROITUS

REMINISCERE MISERATIONUM

Remember your compassion, O Lord, and your merciful love, for they are from of old.
Let not our enemies exult over us. Redeem us, O God of Israel, from all our distress.

ENTRANCE HYMN

LORD, WHO THROUGHOUT THESE FORTY DAYS



1. Lord, who through-out these for - ty days, For us did fast and pray,
2. As you with Sa - tan did con - tend, And did the vic - t'ry win,
3. As you did hun - ger bear and thirst, So teach us, gra - cious Lord,
4. And through these days of pen - i - tence, And through your Pas - sion - tide,
5. A - bide with us that when this life Of suf - fer - ing is past,



1. Teach us with you to mourn our sins, And close by you to stay.
2. O give us strength in you to fight, In you to con - quer sin.
3. To die to self, and al - ways live By your most ho - ly word.
4. For - ev - er - more, in life and death, O Lord, with us a - bide.
5. An Eas - ter of un - end - ing joy We may at - tain at last!

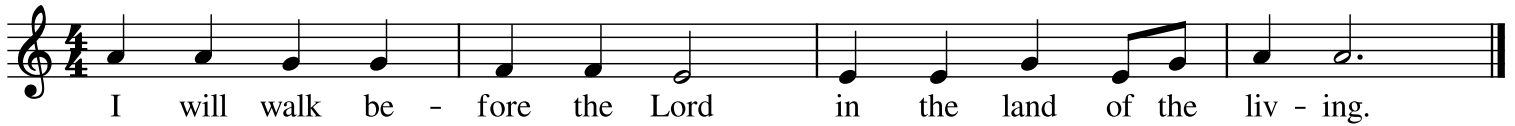
LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

GENESIS 22:1-2, 9A, 10-13, 15-18

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19

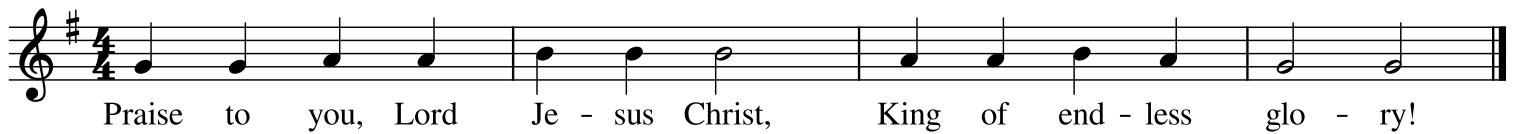


SECOND READING

ROMANS 8:31B-34

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

CF. MATTHEW 17:15



GOSPEL

MARK 9:2-12

HOMILY

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

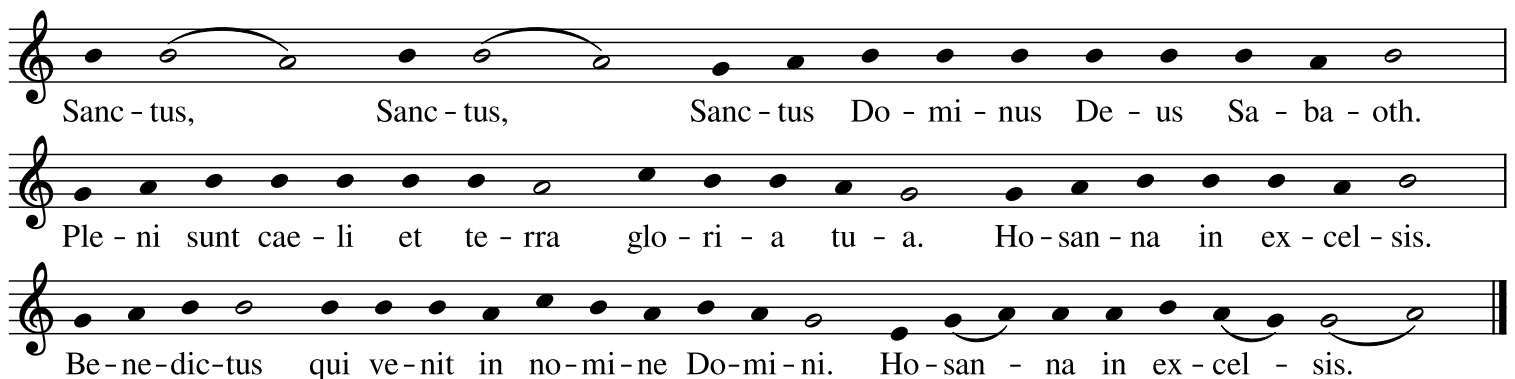
HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

'Tis GOOD, LORD, TO BE HERE



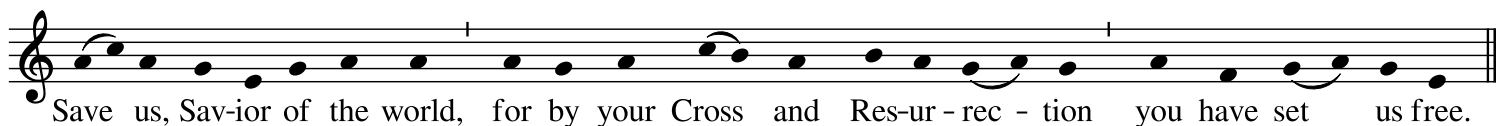
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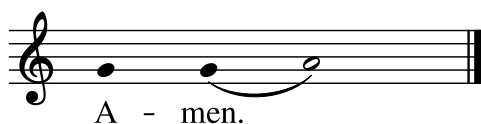
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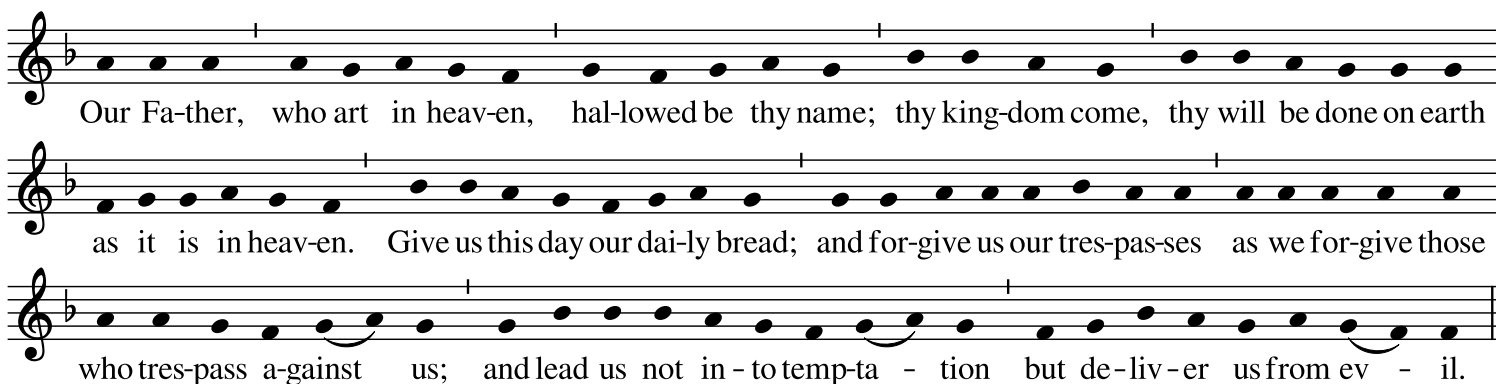


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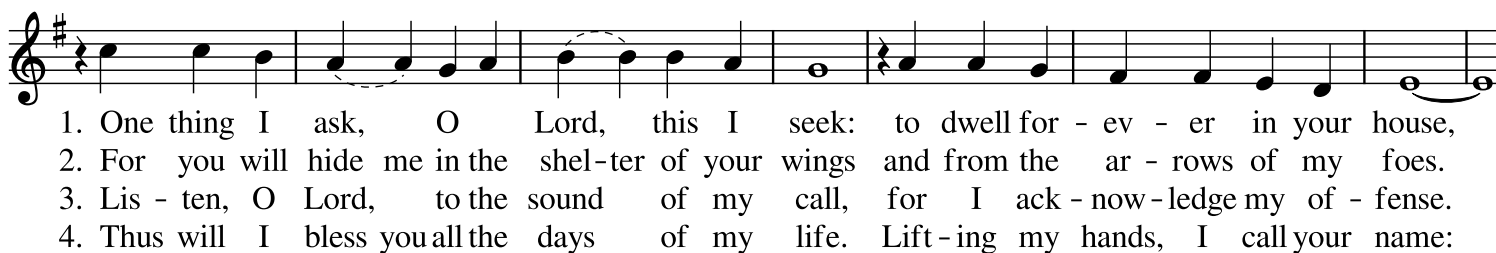
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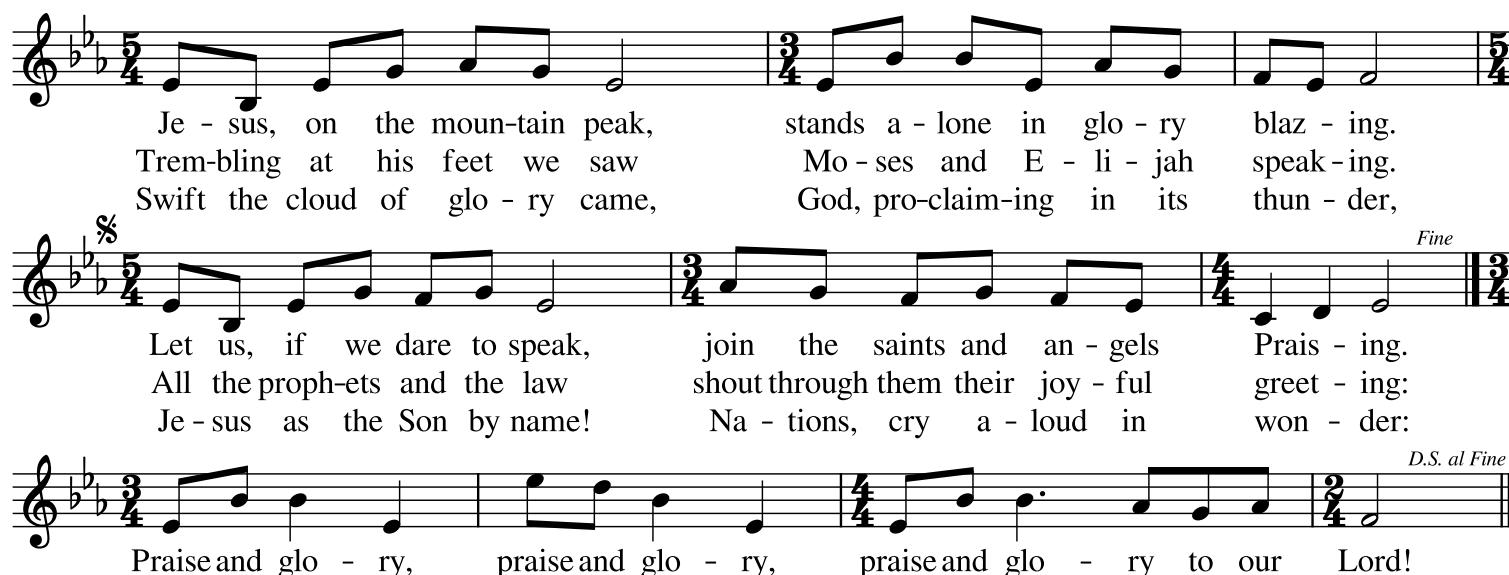
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COMMUNION HYMN

SAVE YOUR PEOPLE





Je - sus, on the moun-tain peak, stands a - lone in glo - ry blaz - ing.
 Trem-bling at his feet we saw Mo - ses and E - li - jah speak - ing.
 Swift the cloud of glo - ry came, God, pro-claim-ing in its thun - der,

Let us, if we dare to speak, join the saints and an - gels Prais - ing.
 All the proph-ets and the law shout through them their joy - ful greet - ing:
 Je - sus as the Son by name! Na - tions, cry a - loud in won - der:

Praise and glo - ry, praise and glo - ry, praise and glo - ry to our Lord!

FINAL BLESSING

DISMISSAL

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Heavenly Father, You have created us for a definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for each of us in this life, and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make my parish, my home and my heart fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations to the priesthood of Jesus Christ. May our young men respond to Your call with courage and zeal. Stir among them a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. We make our prayer for priestly vocations to You, Father, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us. Saint Joseph, Patron of our Archdiocese, pray for us. Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

ABRAHAM, WHEN SEVERELY TRIED



1. A - bra-ham, when sev - ere - ly tried, His faith by his o - be - dience showed;
 2. His son the fa - ther of - fered up. Son of his age, his on - ly son;
 3. Oh, for a faith like his, that we The bright ex - am - ple may pur - sue;
 4. Je - sus, ac - cept our sac - ri - fice; All things for thee we count but loss:
 5. For what to thee, O Lord, we give, A hun-dred-fold we here ob - tain;

1. He with the harsh com - mand com - plies, And gave his I - saac back to God.
 2. Ob - ject of all his joy and hope. And less be-loved than God a - lone.
 3. May glad - ly give up all to thee, To whom our more than all is due.
 4. Lo! at thy word our i - dol dies; Dies on the al - tar of thy cross.
 5. And soon with thee shall all re - ceive, And loss shall be e - ter - nal gain.

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III SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 3RD 2024

THE MOST REVEREND CHRISTOPHER J. COYNE, COADJUTOR ARCHBISHOP OF HARTFORD, CELEBRANT

PRELUDE CHORAL ANTHEM

FATHER, HEAR US



1. Now are the days of hum-blest prayer, When cons-cien - ces to God lie bare,
2. Now is the sea - son, wise - ly long, Of sad - der thought and grav - er song,
3. The feast of pe-nance! Oh so bright, With true con - ver - sion's heav'n - ly light,
4. Full long in sin's dark ways we went, Yet now our steps are heav'n-ward bent,
5. All glo-ry to re - deem-ing grace, Dis - dain-ing not our e - vil case,



1. And mer - cy most de - lights to spare.
 2. When ail - ing souls grow well and strong.
 3. Like sun - rise af - ter storm - y night!
 4. And grace is plen - ti - ful in Lent.
 5. But show - ing us our Sav - ior's face!
- } Oh heark-en when we cry, Chas-tise us



with Thy fear; Yet, Fa-ther! in the mul - ti - tude Of Thy com - pas-sions, hear!

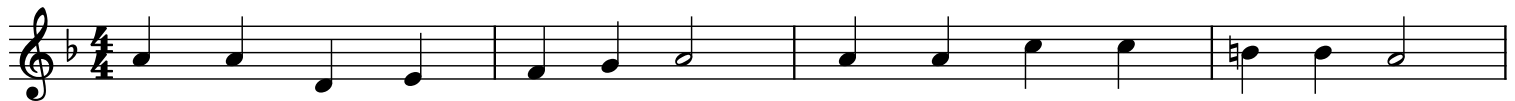
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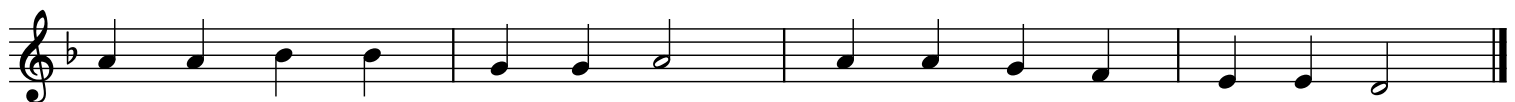
My eyes are always on the Lord, for he rescues my feet from the snare.
Turn to me and have mercy on me, for I am alone and poor.

ENTRANCE HYMN

FORTY DAYS AND FORTY NIGHTS



1. For - ty days and for - ty nights You were fast - ing in the wild;
2. Shall not we your sor - row share And from world - ly joys ab - stain,
3. Then if Sa - tan on us press, Flesh or spir - it to as - sail,
4. Keep, O keep us, Sav - ior dear, Ev - er con - stant by your side;



1. For - ty days and for - ty nights Tempt - ed, and yet un - de - filed.
2. Fast - ing with un - ceas - ing prayer, Strong with you to suf - fer pain?
3. Vic - tor in the wil - der - ness, Grant we may not faint nor fail!
4. That with you we may ap - pear At th'e - ter - nal Eas - tert - ide.

REPENTENTIAL RITE

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

EXODUS 20:1-17

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 19:8, 9, 10, 11



1. Your words are spir-it and life, O Lord: rich-er than gold, strong-er than death. life ev-er - last - ing.

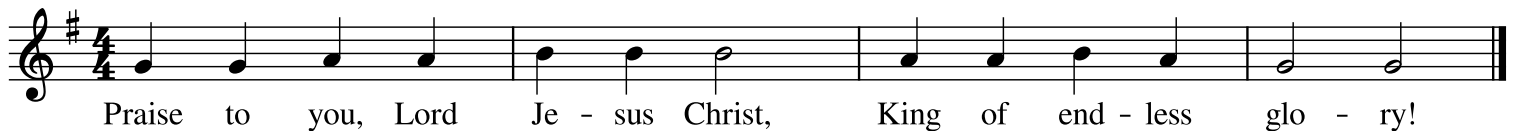
2. life ev-er - last - ing.

SECOND READING

I CORINTHIANS 1:22-25

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

JOHN 3:16



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

GOSPEL

JOHN 2:13-25

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

BEYOND THE DAYS



Refrain

Be - yond the days of hope and mys-t'ry we see a light of faith re - newed, and in our long-ing we thirst for

Verses

guid-ance to walk with you day by day. 1. For - ty days and nights, you guide the steps of our
2. Not on bread a - lone are we to walk on this
3. In your hands, O God, we feel the touch of your
4. On our Lent - en path we see the dawn of a

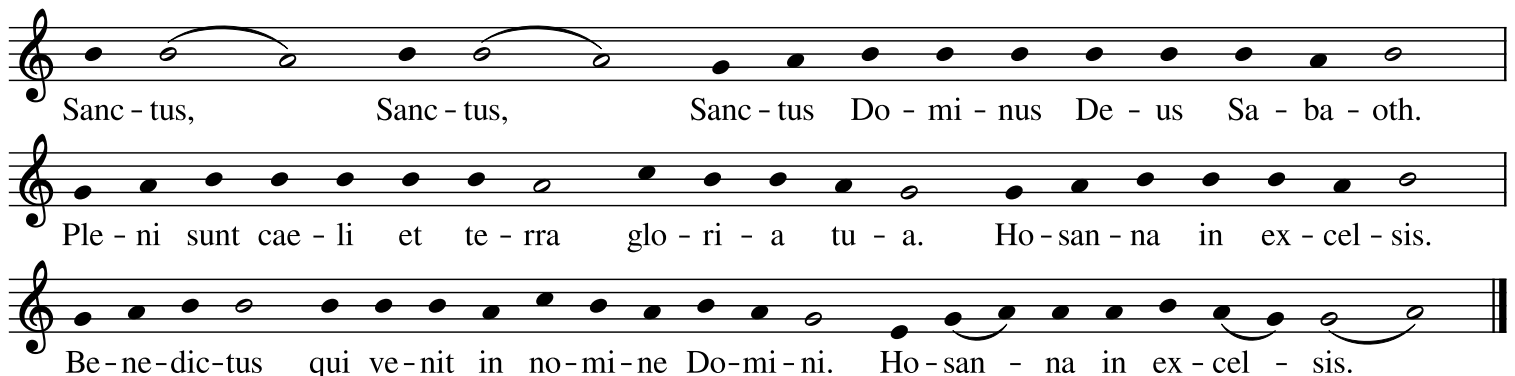
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to Refrain

1. jour-ney. May your pre - sence be felt in the whis - per of your voice.
2. jour-ney. Speak the words that give life to the yearn-ings of our hearts.
3. guid-ance. Keep us safe in your care: may your gen - tle-ness be there.
4. new day. Be our vi - sion of hope; be the pro - mise of our lives.

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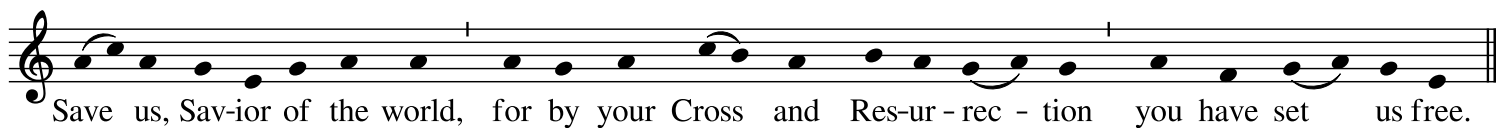
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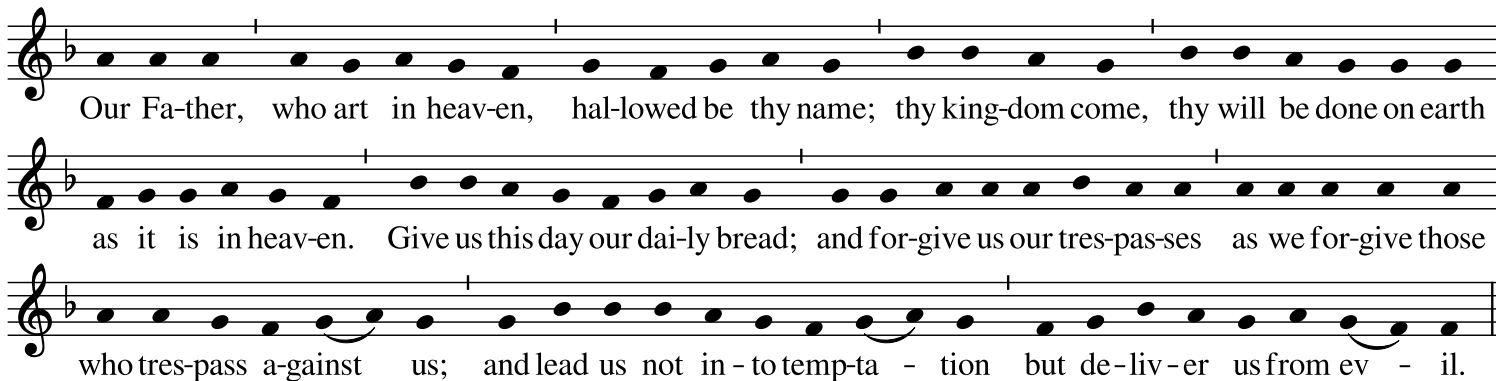
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AMEN

CHANT MASS

THE LORD'S PRAYER



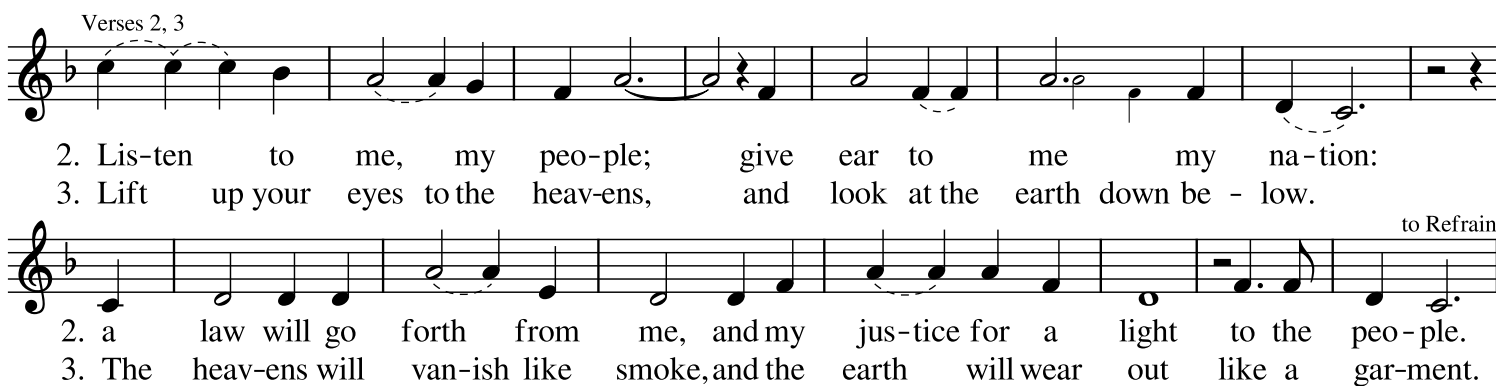
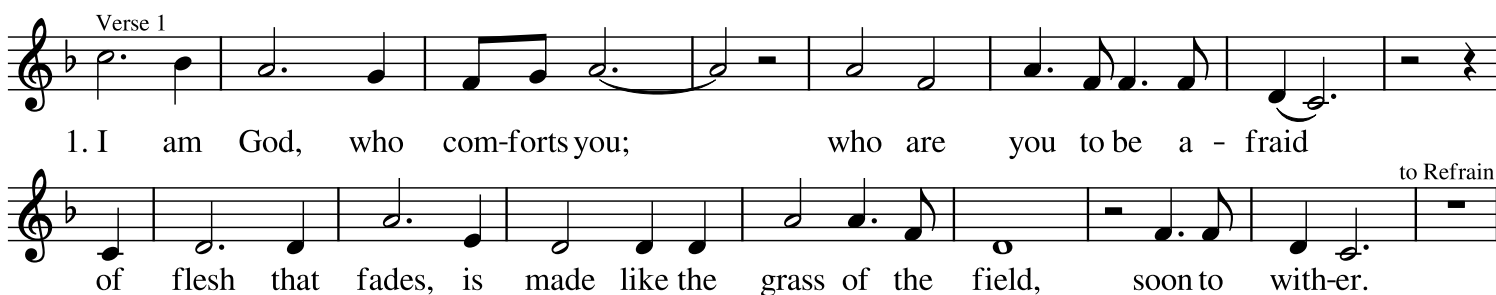
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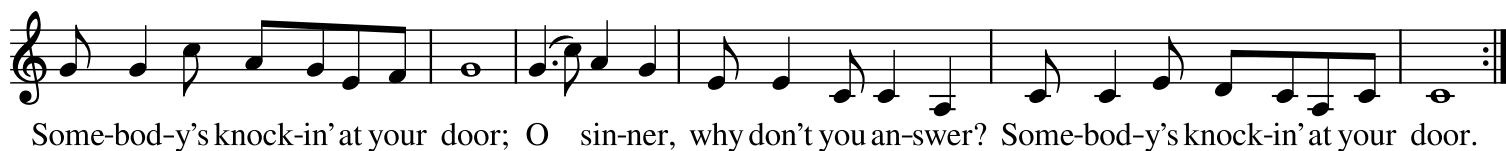
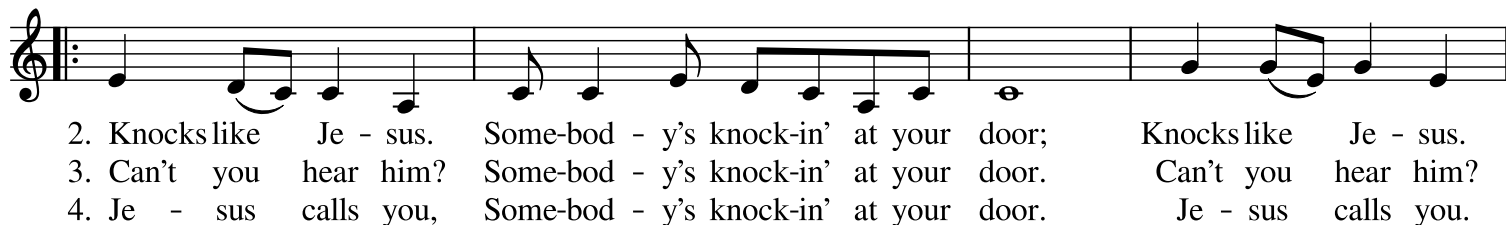
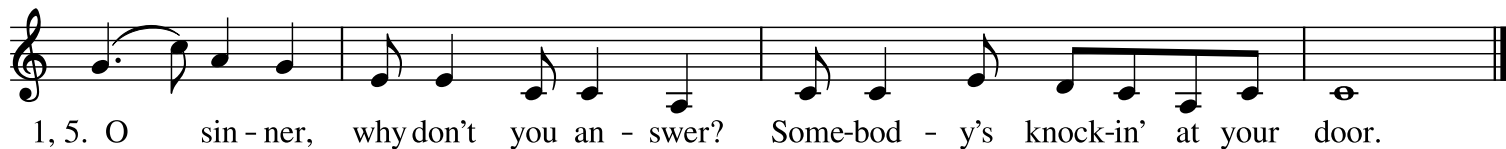
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COMMUNION HYMN

TURN TO ME



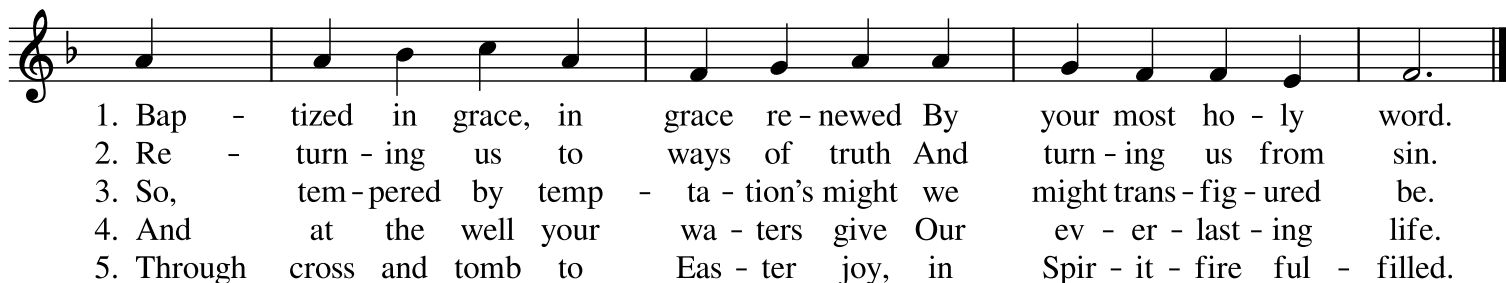
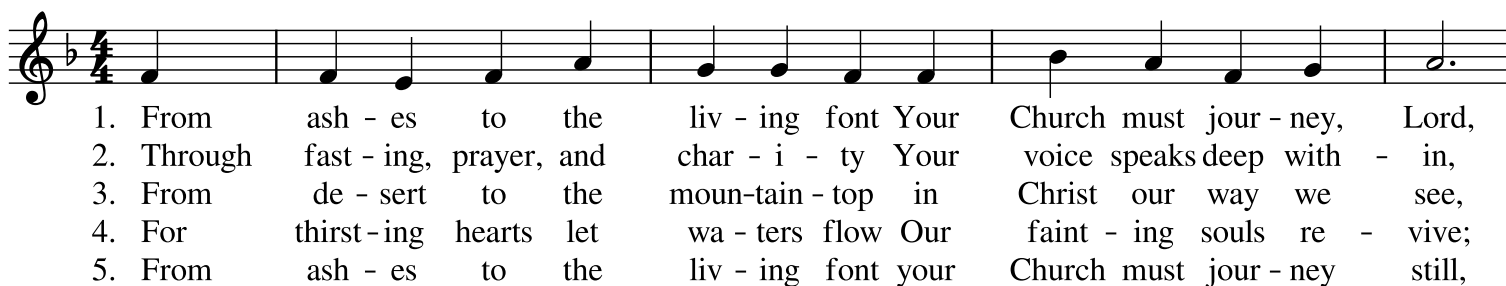


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IV SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 10TH 2024 — LAETARE SUNDAY

PRELUDE

I CALL TO YOU, LORD JESUS CHRIST, BWV 639, J. S. BACH (1685-1750)

INTROITUS

LAETARE JERUSALEM

Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her. Be joyful, all who were in mourning;
exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast.

ENTRANCE HYMN

COME, YE SINNERS, POOR AND PEEVY

Verses

Come, ye sin - ners, poor and need - y, weak and wound - ed, sick and sore;
Come, ye thirst - y, come and wel - come, God's free boun - ty glo - ri - fy;
Come, ye wea - ry, heav - y la - den, lost and ru - ined by the fall;

Je - sus read - y stands to save you, full of pit - y, love, and pow'r.
true be - lief and true re - pen - tance, ev - 'ry grace that brings you nigh.
if you tar - ry till you're bet - ter, you will nev - er come at all.

Refrain

I will rise and go to Je - sus! He'll em - brace me in his arms.

In the arms of my dear Sav - ior, Oh, there are ten thou - sand charms.

REPENTIAL RITE

KYRIE ELEISON

Ky - ri - e E - le - i - son. Chris - te E - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e E - le - i - son.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

2 CHRONICLES 36:14-16, 19-23

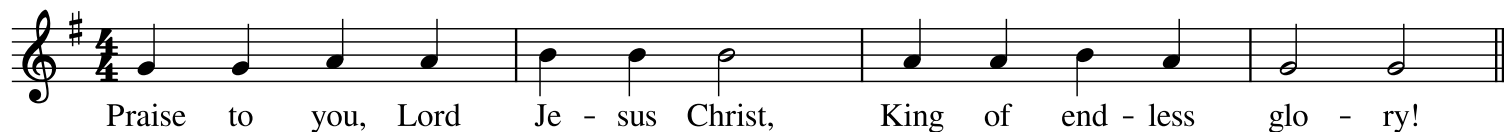
RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6

Let my tongue be si - lenced, if I ev - er for - get you!

SECOND READING

EPHESIANS 2:4-10



GOSPEL

JOHN 3:14-21

HOMILY

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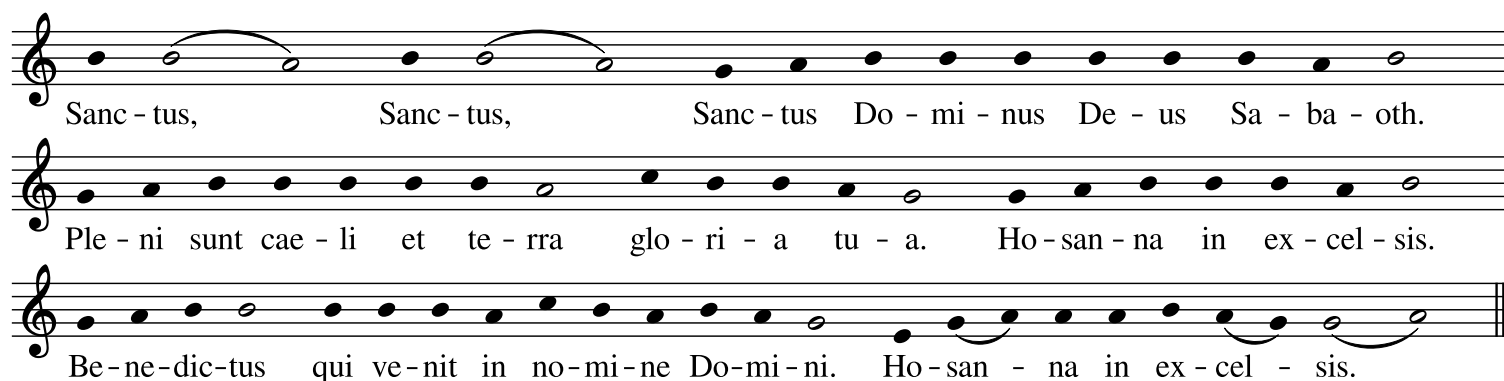
HYMN DURING THE PREPARATION OF GIFTS

AMAZING GRACE



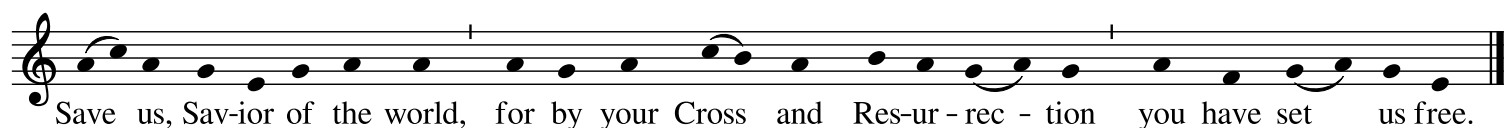
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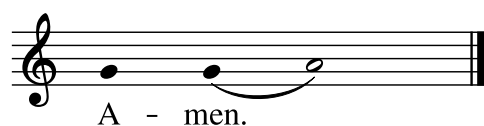
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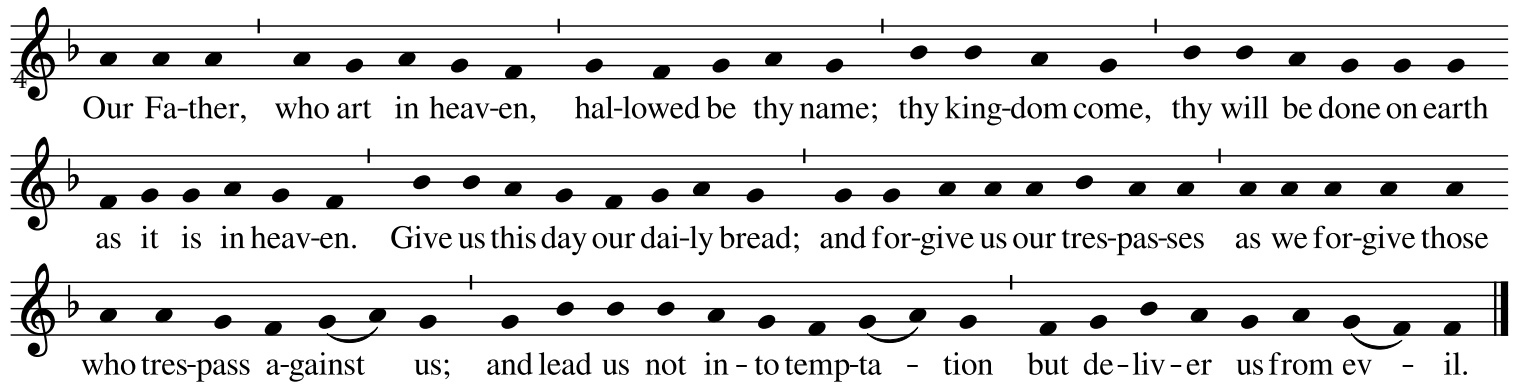


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THE LORD'S PRAYER



Our Fa-ther, who art in heav-en, hal-lowed be thy name; thy king-dom come, thy will be done on earth
as it is in heav-en. Give us this day our dai-ly bread; and for-give us our tres-pas-ses as we for-give those
who tres-pass a-gainst us; and lead us not in-to temp-ta - tion but de-liv-er us from ev - il.

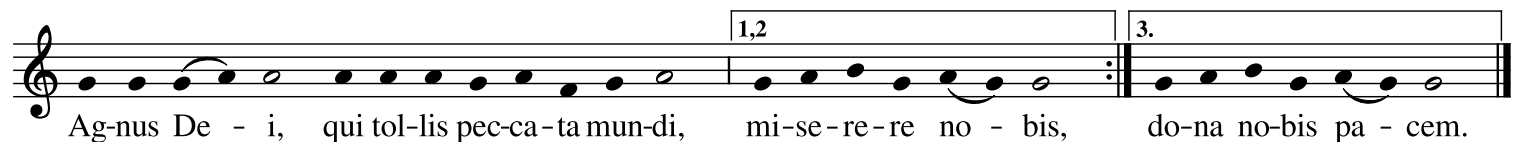
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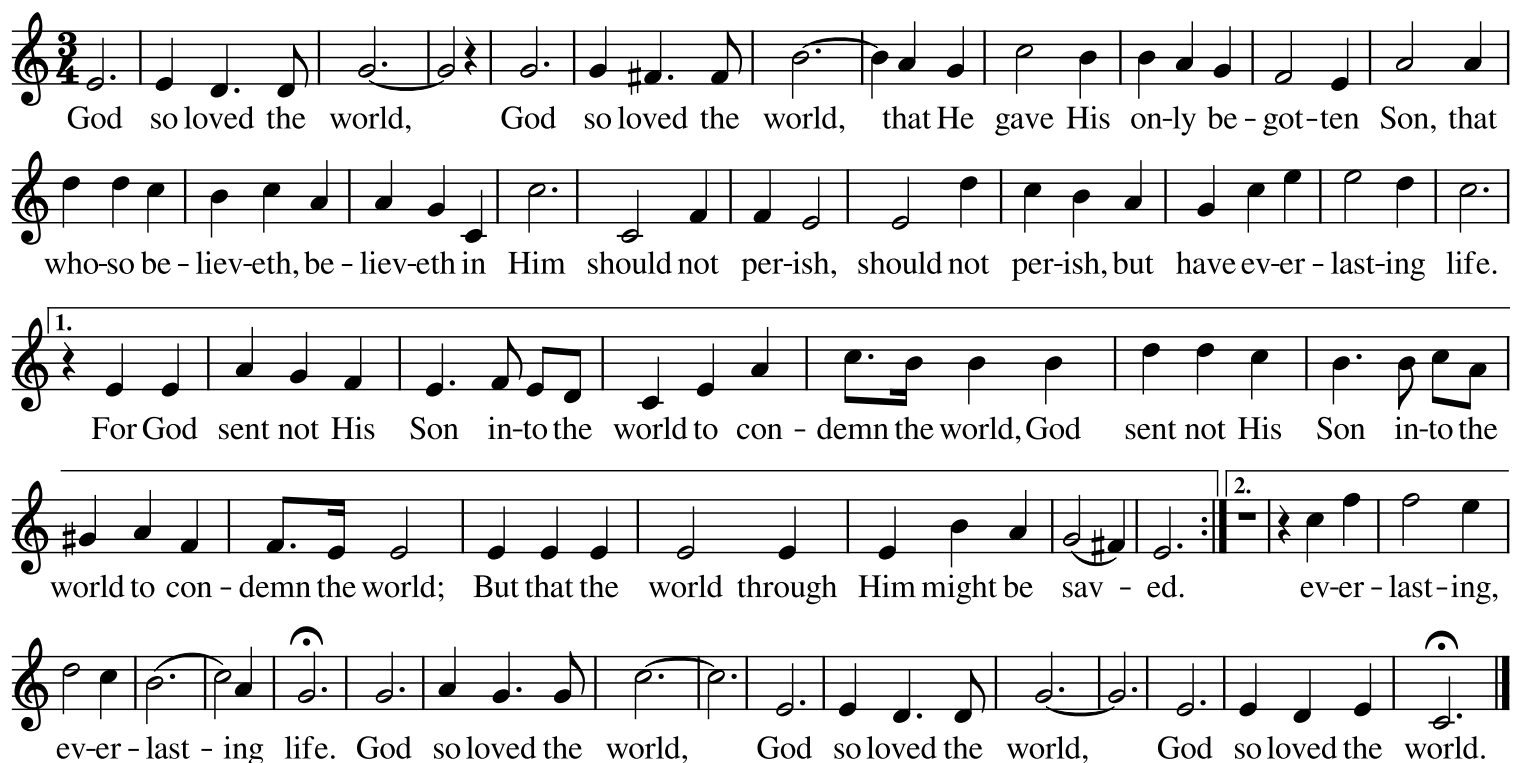
COMMUNION ANTIPHON

JERUSALEM, BUILT AS A CITY

Jerusalem, built as a city bonded as one together. It is there that the tribes go up,
the tribes of the Lord, to praise the name of the Lord.

COMMUNION HYMN

GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD



God so loved the world, God so loved the world, that He gave His on-ly be - got-ten Son, that
who-so be - liev-eth, be - liev-eth in Him should not per-ish, should not per-ish, but have ev-er - last-ing life.
For God sent not His Son in-to the world to con - demn the world, God sent not His Son in-to the
world to con - demn the world; But that the world through Him might be sav - ed. ev-er - last-ing,
ev-er - last - ing life. God so loved the world, God so loved the world, God so loved the world.

MEDITATION

I WANT TO WALK AS A CHILD OF THE LIGHT

Verses



I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to fol - low Je - sus.
 I want to see the bright-ness of God. I want to look at Je - sus.
 I'm look-ing for the com - ing of Christ. I want to be with Je - sus.

God set the stars to give light to the world. The star of my life is Je - sus.
 Clear sun of right-eous-ness shine on my path, And show me the way to the Fa - ther.
 When we have run with pa - tience the race, We shall know the joy of Je - sus.

Refrain



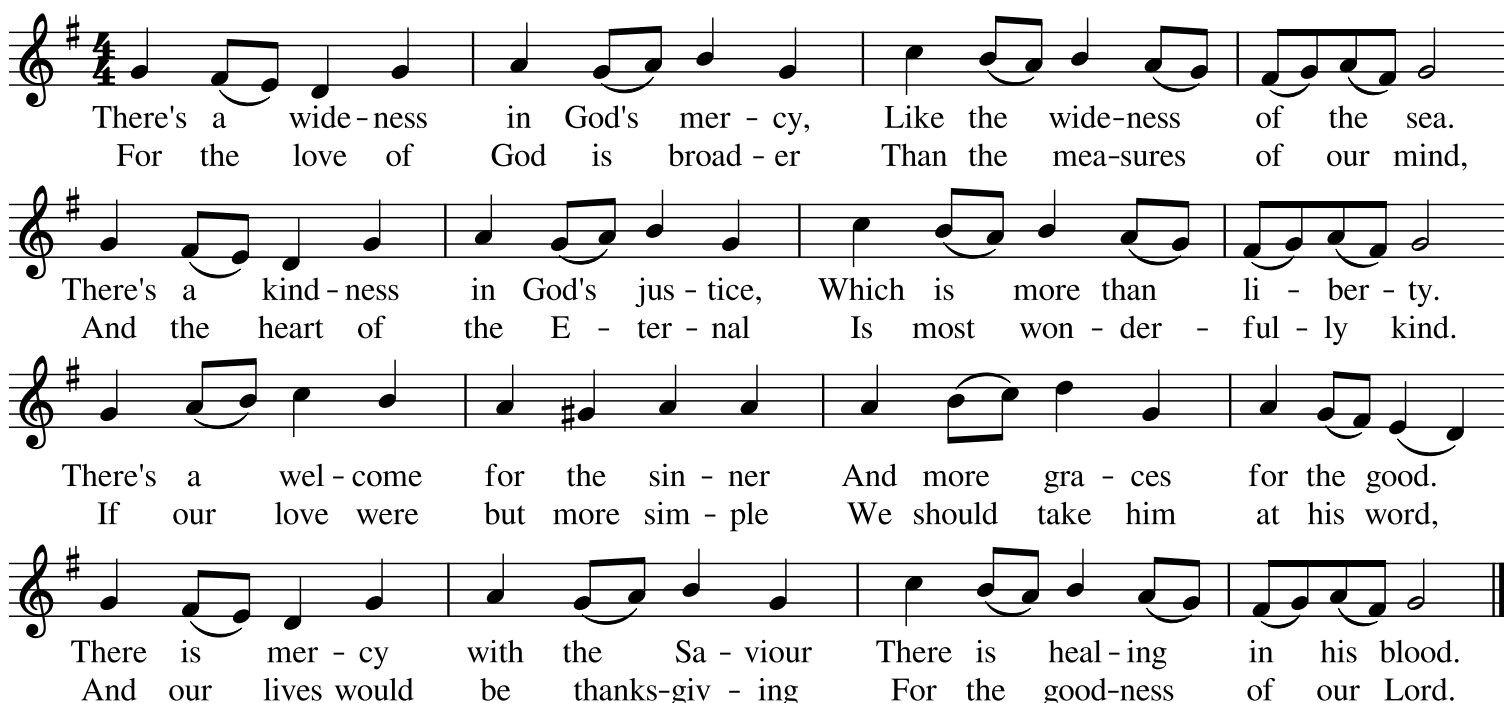
In him there is no dark-ness at all. The night and the day are both a - like.
 The Lamb is the light of the cit - y of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

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RECESSIONAL HYMN

THERE'S A WIDENESS IN GOD'S MERCY



There's a wide-ness in God's mer - cy, Like the wide-ness of the sea.
 For the love of God is broad - er Than the mea-sures of our mind,

There's a kind-ness in God's jus - tice, Which is more than li - ber - ty.
 And the heart of the E - ter - nal Is most won - der - ful - ly kind.

There's a wel - come for the sin - ner And more gra - ces for the good.
 If our love were but more sim - ple We should take him at his word,

There is mer - cy with the Sa - viour There is heal - ing in his blood.
 And our lives would be thanks-giv - ing For the good-ness of our Lord.

SAINT JOHN BOSCO PARISH OF BRANFORD

V SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 17TH 2024 — SAINT PATRICK'S DAY

PRELUDE CHANT

DE PROFUNDIS CLAMAVI AD TE, DOMINE

De profundis clamavi ad te, Domine;
Domine, exaudi orationem meam.

Fiant aures tuae intendentes
in orationem servitui.

Si iniquitates observaveris,
Domine, Domine, quis sustinebit?

Out of the depths I call to you, Lord;
Lord, hear my prayer.

May your ears be attentive
to my cry for mercy.

If you, Lord, mark iniquities,
Lord, who can stand?

INTROITUS

IUDICA ME, DEUS

Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless.
From the deceitful and cunning rescue me, for you, O God, are my strength.

ENTRANCE HYMN

THOU LOVING MAKER OF MANKIND



1. Thou lov - ing Mak - er of man-kind, Be - fore Thy throne we pray and weep;
2. Much we have sinned, but we con - fess Our guilt and all our faults de - plore:
3. And grant us, while by fasts we strive This mor - tal bod - y to con - trol,
4. Great Judge of hearts, Thou dost dis - cern Our ills, and all our weak - ness know;



1. En - a - ble us with grace di - vine, This sa - cred Lent a - right to keep!
2. And, for the glo - ry of Thy Name, Our faint - ing souls to health re - store.
3. To fast from all the food of sin, And so to pur - i - fy the soul.
4. A - gain to Thee with tears we turn, A - gain to us Thy mer - cy show.

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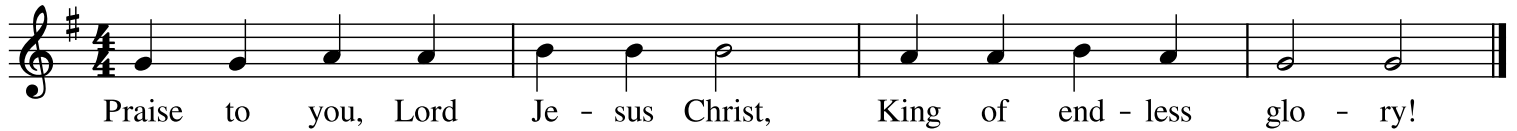
JEREMIAH 31:31-34

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15



Cre - ate a clean heart, a clean heart for me, O Lord.



GOSPEL

JOHN 12:20-33

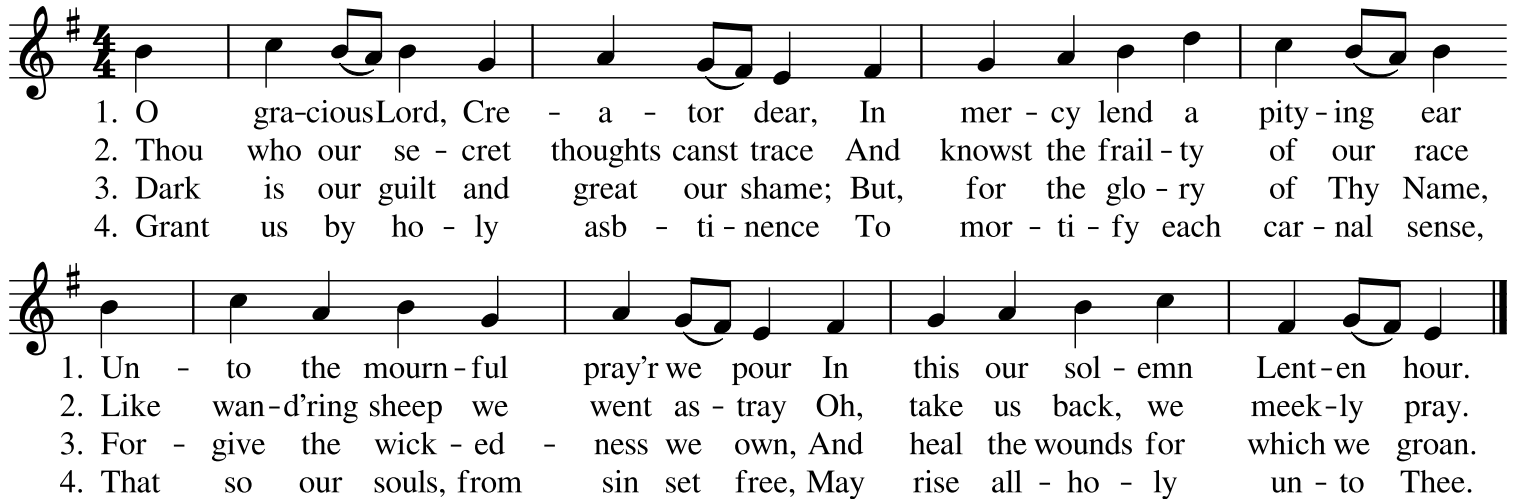
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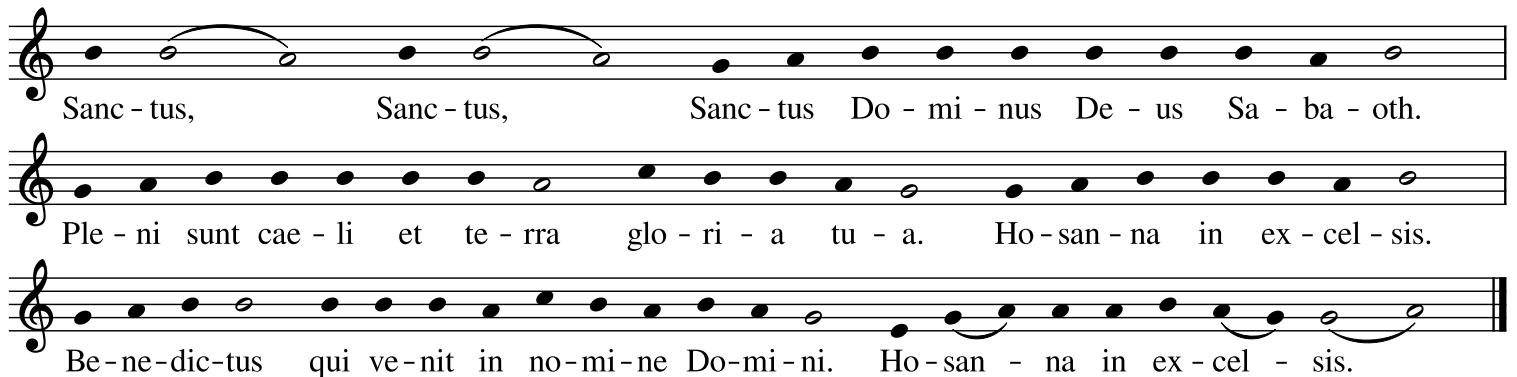
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O GRACIOUS LORD, CREATOR DEAR

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

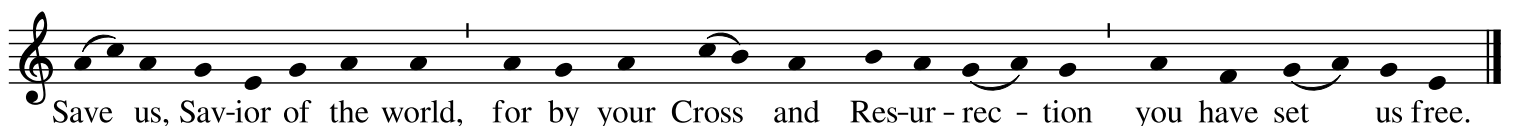
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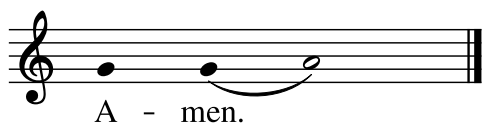
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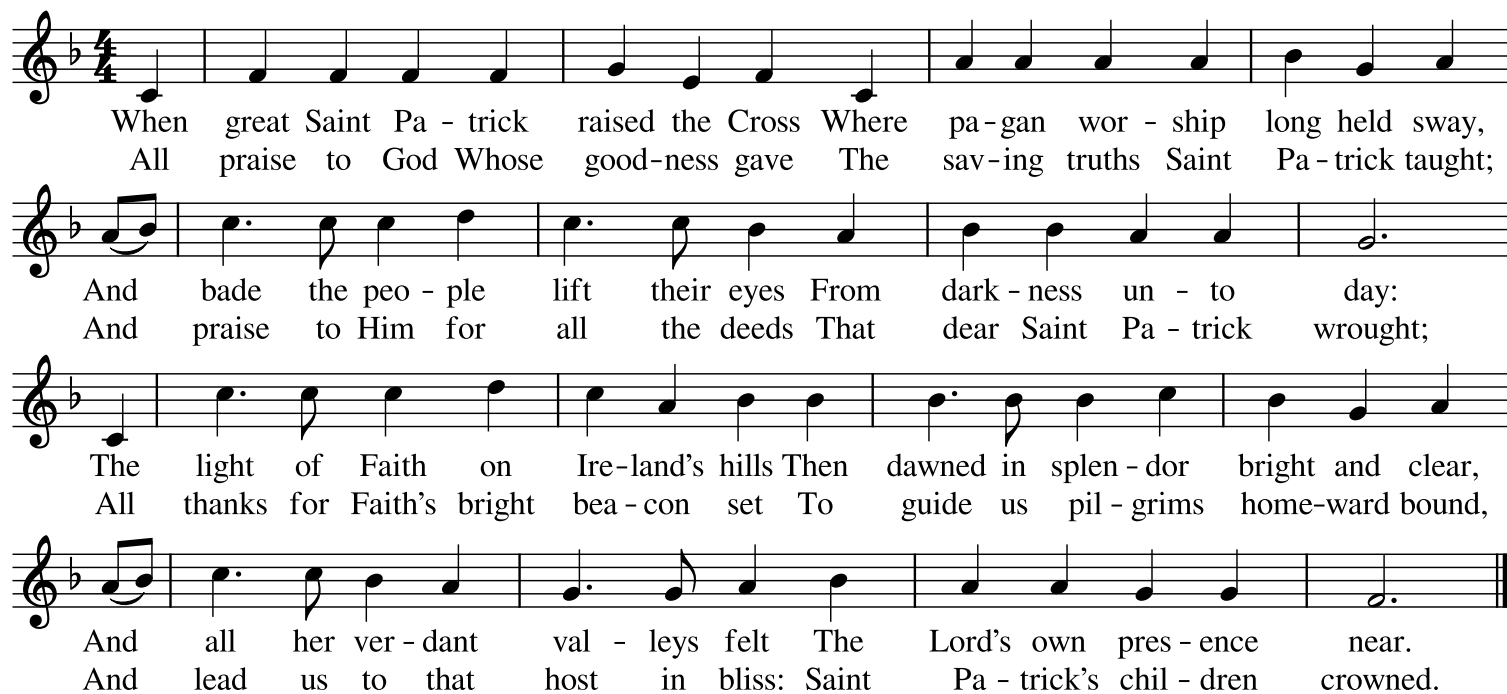
COMMUNION ANTIPHON

AMEN, AMEN, I SAY TO YOU

COMMUNION HYMN

OUR FATHER, WE HAVE WANDERED

Our Fa-ther, we have wan-dered and hid-den from your face, in fool-ish-ness have
And now at length dis - cern - ing the e - vil that we do, be - hold us Lord, re -
O Lord of all the liv - ing, both ban-ished and res - tored, com - pas-sion-ate, for -
squan - dered your le - ga - cy of grace. But now, in ex - ile dwel - ling, we
turn - ing with hope and trust to you. In haste you come to meet us and
giv - ing and ev - er car - ing Lord, grant now that our trans - gres - sing, our
rise with fear and shame, as dis - tant but com - pel - ling, we hear you call our name.
home re-joic-ing bring. In glad-ness there to greet us with calf and robe and ring.
faith-less-ness may cease. Stretch out your hand in bles-sing in par-don and in peace.



When great Saint Pa - trick raised the Cross Where pa - gan wor - ship long held sway,
 All praise to God Whose good-ness gave The sav-ing truths Saint Pa - trick taught;
 And bade the peo - ple lift their eyes From dark - ness un - to day:
 And praise to Him for all the deeds That dear Saint Pa - trick wrought;
 The light of Faith on Ire-land's hills Then dawned in splen - dor bright and clear,
 All thanks for Faith's bright bea - con set To guide us pil - grims home-ward bound,
 And all her ver - dant val - leys felt The Lord's own pres - ence near.
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RECESSIONAL HYMN

FROM THE DEPTHS WE CRY TO THEE



From the depths we cry to thee, God of sov - 'reign ma - jes - ty!
 Gra - cious God, our hearts re - new; Strength-en us thy will to do.
 Lord, ac - cept our Len - ten fast And for - give our sin - ful past,
 Hear our prayers and hymns of praise; Bless our Lent of for - ty days.
 Wash us, make us pure with - in; Cleanse us from the stain of sin.
 That we may par - take with thee In the Eas - ter mys - ter - y.

HOLY WEEK MASS SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY	7:30am St Mary — 9am St Therese — 10:30am St Mary & LIVESTREAM
HOLY THURSDAY	7pm at St Mary & LIVESTREAM
GOOD FRIDAY	3pm at St Therese
EASTER VIGIL	7pm at St Mary & LIVESTREAM
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