The Sunday called Septuagesima

Sunday 16 February 2025

9:00 a.m. Low Mass | 11:00 a.m. Sung Mass



"GO YE ALSO INTO THE VINEYARD"



S. Bartholomew's Anglican Church, Regent Park The Ancient Faith for the Contemporary World

Welcome to S. Bart's, Regent Park!

CELEBRANT & PREACHER
The Rev'd Abraham Thomas

CANTOR

Katherine Hill, BMus, MA

SUNG BY

The Choir of S. Bartholomew's

PARISH ORGANIST Fr David Smith

Sung Mass

NOTE TO 9 O'CLOCK WORSHIPPERS: PLEASE TURN TO THE INTROIT ON PAGE 3.

THE EARLY MASS IS SAID RATHER THAN SUNG.

PLEASE STAND WHEN THE BELL RINGS. THE PEOPLE REMAIN STANDING UNTIL THE INTROIT.

Prelude Variation 4, *Goldberg Variations BWV* 988

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

DEVOTIONS BEFORE MASS

Asperges





 \forall O Lord, show thy mercy up - on us.

Ry And grant us thy salva - tion.

♥ O Lord, hear our prayer.

Ry And let our cry come un - to thee.

Ry And with thy spi - - rit.

Let us pray.

RACIOUSLY hear us, O Lord, holy Father Almighty, everlasting God: and vouchsafe to send thy holy Angel from heaven; to guard and cherish, to protect and visit, and to defend all who dwell in this thy holy habitation. Through Christ our Lord.

R' Amen.

English Hymnal Nº 64

Maker of the earth, to thee alone

Dunfermline

Maker of the earth, to thee alone Perpetual rest belongs; And the bright choirs around thy throne May pour their endless songs.

But we, — ah holy now no more! Are doomed to toil and pain; Yet exiles on an alien shore May sing their country's strain.

Father, whose promise binds thee still To heal the suppliant throng, Grant us to mourn the deeds of ill That banish us so long;

And, while we mourn, in faith to rest Upon thy love and care, Till thou restore us with the blest The song of heaven to share.

O God the Father, God the Son, And God the Holy Ghost, To thee be praise, great Three in One, From thy created host. Amen.

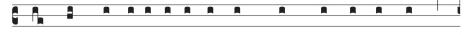
THE MASS OF THE CATECHUMENS

THE ENTRANCE RITES

Introit — *Circumdederunt* (PLEASE KNEEL)

Psalm 18

CANTOR: The sorrows of death came about me; the pains of hell gat hold upon me: *



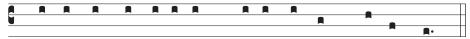
ALL: And in my tribu-lation I made my prayer unto the Lord,



and he regarded my suppli-cation out of his ho-ly tem-



CANTOR: I will love thee, O Lord, my strength: *

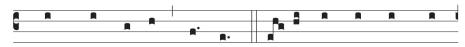


ALL: The Lord is my stony rock, my fortress and my Sa-viour.

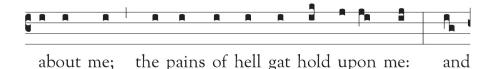
CANTOR: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; *



ALL: As it was in the beginning, is now and ev-er shall be, ANTIPHON

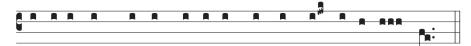


world with-out end. A-men The sor-rows of death came





in my tribu-lation I made my prayer unto the Lord, and



he regarded my suppli-cation out of his ho-ly tem-ple.

CELEBRANT: Our Father,

Who art in heaven,

Hallowed be thy Name,

Thy kingdom come,

Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread;

And forgive us our trespasses,

As we forgive them that trespass against us;

And lead us not into temptation,

But deliver us from evil. Amen.

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

R⁄ Amen.

The Summary of the Law

CELEBRANT: Our Lord Jesus Christ said:

Hear O Israel, The Lord our God is one Lord; and thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength.

This is the first and great commandment And the second is like unto it:

Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.

On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

ALL: Lord, have mercy upon us, and write both these thy laws in our hearts, we beseech thee.

Kyrie Eleison Missa in C—Charles Gounod (CHOIR) (1890)

Kyrie eleison. Lord, have mercy. Christe eleison. Christ, have mercy. Kyrie eleison. Lord, have mercy.

The Collect

- R⁄ And with thy spirit.

Let us pray. (PLEASE KNEEL)

ORD, we beseech thee favourably to hear the prayers of thy people; that we, who are justly punished for our offences, may be mercifully delivered by thy goodness, for the glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Saviour, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end.

Ry Amen.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The Epistle: 1 Corinthians 9:24 (PLEASE BE SEATED)

The Epistle is written in the ninth chapter of the First Epistle of Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians, beginning at the twenty-fourth verse.

NOW ye not that they which run in a race run all, but one receiveth the prize? So run that ye may obtain. And every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things: now they do it to obtain a corruptible crown, but we an incorruptible. I therefore so run, not as uncertainly; so fight I, not as one that beateth the air: but I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection, lest that by any means, when I have preached to others, I myself should be a castaway.

Here endeth the Epistle.

Gradual — *Adjutor in opportunitatibus*

Psalm 9

CANTOR: The Lord will be a refuge in the time of trouble; and thy that know thy Name will put their rust in thee: *



ALL: For thou, Lord, hast never failed them that seek thee.

CANTOR: For the poor shall not always be forgotten; the patient abiding of the meek shall not perish for ever: *

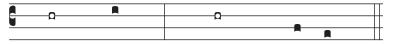


ALL: Up, Lord, and let not man have the upper hand.

Tract — De profundis

Psalm 130

(9 A.M.—READ BY THE CELEBRANT)



CANTOR: Out of the deep have I called unto thee O Lord: * Lord, hear my voice.

ALL: O let thine ears consider **well**: * the voice of **my** com^plaint.

CANTOR: If thou, Lord, wilt be extreme to mark what is done amiss: * O Lord, who may abide it?

ALL: For there is mercy with **thee**: * therefore shalt thou be **fear**-ed.

The Holy Gospel: S. Matthew 20:1 (PLEASE STAND)

R' And with thy spirit.

The Holy Gospel is written in the twentieth chapter of the Gospel according to S. Matthew, beginning at the first verse.

Ry Glory be to thee, O Lord.

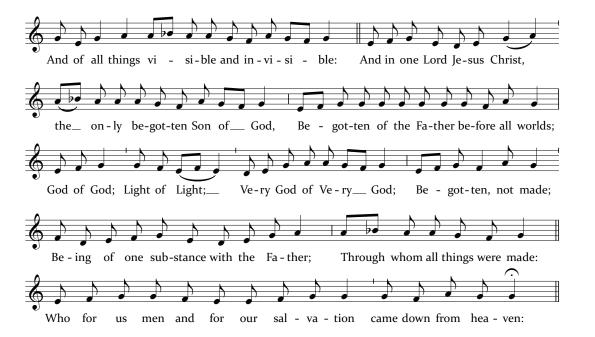
ND Jesus spake unto them another parable, saying, The Akingdom of heaven is like unto a man that is an householder, which went out early in the morning to hire labourers into his vineyard. And when he had agreed with the labourers for a penny a day, he sent them into his vineyard. And he went out about the third hour, and saw others standing idle in the marketplace, and said unto them, Go ye also into the vineyard, and whatsoever is right I will give you. And they went their way. Again he went out about the sixth and ninth hour, and did likewise. And about the eleventh hour he went out, and found others standing idle, and saith unto them, Why stand ye here all the day idle? They say unto him, Because no man hath hired us. He saith unto them, Go ye also into the vineyard, and whatsoever is right, that shall ye receive. So when even was come, the lord of the vineyard saith unto his steward, Call the labourers, and give them their hire, beginning from the last unto the first. And when they came that were hired about the eleventh hour, they received every man a penny. But when the first came, they supposed that they should have received more; and they likewise received every man a penny. And when they had received it, they murmured against the good-man of the house, saying, These last have worked but one hour, and thou hast made them equal unto us, which have borne the burden and heat of the day. But he answered one of them, and said, Friend, I do thee no wrong; didst not thou agree with me for a penny? Take that thine is, and go thy way; I will give unto this last even as unto thee. Is it not lawful for me to do what I will with mine own? Is thine eye evil, because I am good? So the last shall be first, and the first last: for many be called, but few chosen.

Ry Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Creed (PLEASE STAND) (SAID AT 9 A.M.)

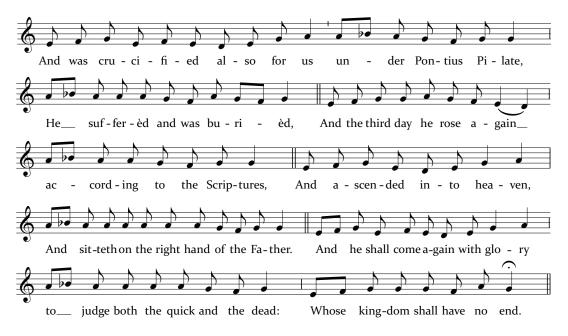
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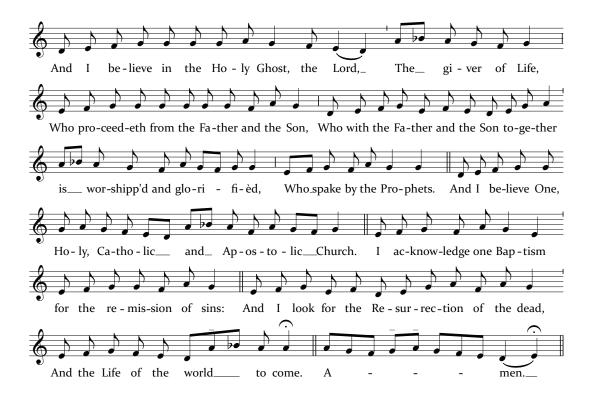




ALL KNEEL AS THE CHOIR SINGS:

AND WAS INCARNATE BY THE HOLY GHOST OF THE VIRGIN MARY, AND WAS MADE MAN:





The Prone (Bidding of the Bedes, Feasts & Fasts, Parish Announcements)

Sermon: The Rev'd Abraham Thomas (11 A.M. ONLY)

PLEASE STAND AS THE CELEBRANT RETURNS TO THE ALTAR AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE SERMON.

THE MASS OF THE FAITHFUL (LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST)

OFFERTORY

- ▼ The Lord be with you.
- And with thy spirit.

 Let us pray. (PLEASE KNEEL)

Offertory Antiphon — Bonum est confiteri

Psalm 92

CANTOR: It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord: *



ALL:

And to sing praises unto thy Name, O Most High-est.

English Hymnal Nº 645

Saviour, blessed Saviour

Nous Allons

Saviour, blessèd Saviour, Listen while we sing, Hearts and voices raising Praises to our King. All we have we offer, All we hope to be, Body, soul, and spirit, All we yield to thee.

Nearer, ever nearer, Christ, we draw to thee, Deep in adoration Bending low the knee. Thou for our redemption Cam'st on earth to die; Thou, that we might follow, Hast gone up on high.

Great and ever greater Are thy mercies here; True and everlasting Are the glories there; Where no pain, nor sorrow, Toil, nor care is known, Where the Angel-legions Circle round thy throne.

Clearer still and clearer Dawns the light from heaven, In our sadness bringing News of sins forgiven; Life has lost its shadows, Pure the light within; Thou hast shed thy radiance On a world of sin.

Brighter still and brighter Glows the western sun, Shedding all its gladness O'er our work that's done; Time will soon be over, Toil and sorrow past; May we, blessèd Saviour, Find a rest at last.

Onward, ever onward, Journeying o'er the road Worn by Saints before us, Journeying on to God;

Leaving all behind us, May we hasten on, Backward never looking Till the prize is won.

Higher then and higher Bear the ransomed soul, Earthly toils forgotten, Saviour, to its goal; Where in joys unthought of Saints with Angels sing. Never weary raising Praises to their King.

Orate Fratres (CELEBRANT) (PLEASE KNEEL)

CELEBRANT: Pray, brethren, that this my sacrifice, and yours,

may be acceptable to God the Father Almighty.

PEOPLE: The Lord receive this Sacrifice at thy hands,

to the praise and glory of his Name, both to our benefit,

and that of all his holy Church.

Secret (Prayer over the Gifts)

WE beseech thee, O Lord, graciously to accept these our prayers and oblations: that we being cleansed by these heavenly mysteries, may obtain of thy great mercy the fulfillment of all our desires. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end.

Ry Amen.

Prayer for the Catholic Church (CELEBRANT) (PLEASE REMAIN KNEELING)

Let us pray for Christ's holy Catholic Church.

Ataught us to make prayers and supplications, and to give thanks, for all men: We humbly beseech thee most mercifully to accept our alms and oblations, and to receive these our prayers, which we offer unto thy Divine Majesty; beseeching thee to inspire continually the

universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord: And grant that all they that do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

WE beseech thee also to lead all nations in the way of righteousness; and so to guide and direct their governors and rulers, that thy people may enjoy the blessings of freedom and peace: And grant unto thy servant CHARLES our King, and to all that are put in authority under him, that they may truly and impartially administer justice, to the maintenance of thy true religion and virtue.

GIVE grace, O heavenly Father, to all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, and specially to thy servant Andrew our Bishop, that they may both by their life and doctrine set forth thy true and living Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments: Prosper, we pray thee, all those who proclaim the Gospel of thy kingdom among the nations: And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, † and specially to this congregation here present, that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word; truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

AND we most humbly beseech thee of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succour all them, who in this transitory life are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially those for whom our prayers are desired. †

WE remember before thee, O Lord, all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear: † and we bless thy holy Name for all who in life and death have glorified thee; beseeching thee to give us grace that, rejoicing in their fellowship, we may follow their good examples, and with them be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

RANT this, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end.

† HERE THE CELEBRANT REMEMBERS THOSE FOR WHOM HE IS SPECIALLY BOUND TO PRAY, WHO HAVE NOT BEEN MENTIONED IN THE BIDDING OF THE BEDES. YOU MAY REMEMBER THOSE FOR WHOM YOU ARE OFFERING HOLY MASS, OR ANY PERSONS OR CLAIMS FOR WHICH YOU WISH TO PRAY.

Confession and Absolution

YE that do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways: Draw near with faith, and take this holy Sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to Almighty God, meekly kneeling upon your knees.

Almighty God,

ALL: Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men: We acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness. Which we from time to time most grievously have committed, By thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CELEBRANT: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him:

★ pardon and deliver you from all your sins; confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Have mercy upon you;

R' Amen.

Hear what comfortable words our Saviour Christ saith unto all that truly turn to him.

Come unto me all that labour and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you. S. Matthew 11:28

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, to the end that all that believe in him should not perish, but have eternal life. *S. John 3:16*

Hear also what Saint Paul saith.

This is a true saying, and worthy of all men to be received, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

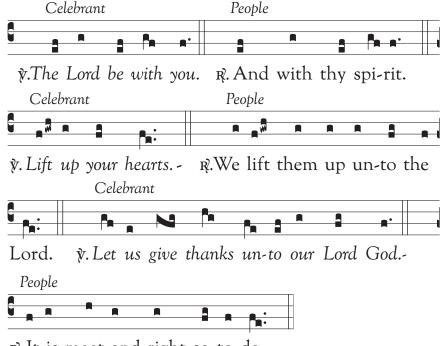
1 *Timothy* 1:15

Hear also what Saint John saith.

If any man sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the propitiation for our sins. *1 S. John 2:1,2*

CONSECRATION AND OBLATION

Sursum Corda and Preface



R. It is meet and right so to do.

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places give thanks unto thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God, Creator and Preserver of all things.

THEREFORE with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee and saying:

Sanctus and Benedictus (CHOIR)

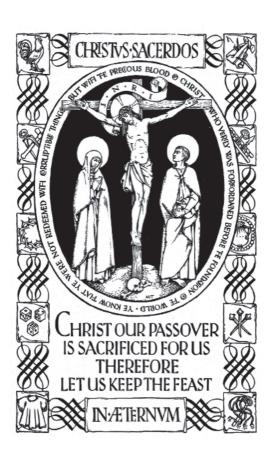
Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus, Dominus Deus Sabaoth.
Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua.
Hosanna in excelsis.

₩ Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.
Hosanna in excelsis.

Missa in C—Charles Gounod (1890)

HOLY, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts, Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

₩ BLESSED is he that cometh in the Name of the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.



CANON OF THE MASS

(CELEBRANT)

BLESSING and glory and thanksgiving be unto thee Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of thy tender mercy didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the Cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memorial of that his precious death, until his coming again.

HEAR us, O merciful Father, we most humbly beseech thee; and grant that we receiving these thy creatures of bread and wine, according to thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood;

WHO, in the same night that he was betrayed, took Bread; and, when he had given thanks, he brake it; and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat;

This is My Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise after supper he took the Cup; and, when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all, of this;

FOR THIS IS MY BLOOD OF THE NEW COVENANT,
WHICH IS SHED FOR YOU AND FOR MANY
FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS:
Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it,
in remembrance of me."

WHEREFORE, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, we thy humble servants, with all thy holy Church, remembering the precious death of thy beloved Son, his mighty resurrection, and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again in glory, do make before thee, in this sacrament of the holy Bread of eternal life and the Cup of everlasting salvation, the memorial which he hath commanded;

And we entirely desire thy fatherly goodness mercifully to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, most humbly beseeching thee to grant, that by the merits and death of thy Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in his blood, we and all thy whole Church may obtain remission of our sins, and all other benefits of his passion; And we pray that by the power of thy Holy Spirit, all we who are partakers of this holy Communion may be fulfilled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; through Jesus Christ our Lord, by whom and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end.

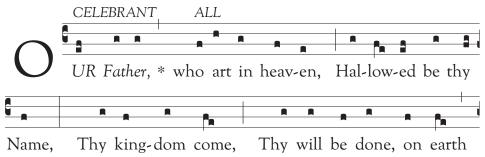
R' Amen.

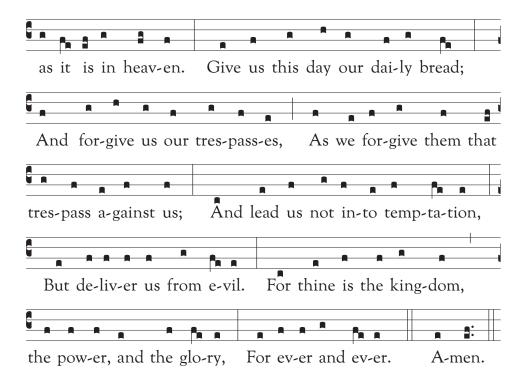
COMMUNION OF THE FAITHFUL

Pater Noster (SAID AT 9 A.M.)

CELEBRANT: Let us pray.

As our Saviour Christ hath commanded and taught us, we are bold to say,





Fraction and Pax (SAID AT 9 A.M.)



The peace of the Lord be always with you. R.And with thy spirit.-

The Prayer of Humble Access

CELEBRANT: We do not presume

ALL: to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord,

Trusting in our own righteousness,

But in thy manifold and great mercies.

We are not worthy

So much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table.

But thou art the same Lord,

Whose property is always to have mercy: Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, So to eat the Flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, And to drink his Blood, That our sinful bodies may be made clean by his Body, And our souls washed through his most precious Blood, And that we may evermore dwell in him, And he in us. Amen.

Agnus Dei

Missa in C—Charles Gounod (1890)

(CHOIR) Agnus Dei, O Lamb of God.

qui tollis peccata mundi, that takest away the sin of the world, miserere nobis. have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God. Agnus Dei,

qui tollis peccata mundi, that takest away the sin of the world,

miserere nobis. grant us thy peace. Agnus Dei, O Lamb of God.

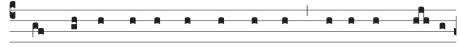
qui tollis peccata mundi, that takest away the sin of the world, dona nobis pacem.

grant us thy peace.

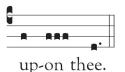
Communion Antiphon — *Illumina*

Psalm 31

Show thy servant the light of thy countenance, CANTOR: and save me for thy mercies' sake:



Let me not be confounded, O Lord, for I have call-èd ALL:



THE CELEBRANT TURNS TO SHOW THE BLESSED SACRAMENT. THE PEOPLE LOOK UP AND MAKE THE SIGN OF THE CROSS.

CELEBRANT: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him that taketh away the sin of the world.

ALL SAY TOGETHER THREE TIMES, STRIKING THE BREAST AT EACH BEGINNING:

ALL: Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldest come under my roof, but speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed.

ALL CHRISTIANS WHO HAVE BEEN BAPTISED WITH WATER IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER, AND OF THE SON, AND OF THE HOLY GHOST, AND ARE COMMUNICANT MEMBERS OF THEIR OWN CHURCHES, ARE WELCOME TO RECEIVE THE HOLY COMMUNION.

THE SACRED HOST WILL BE PLACED UPON YOUR TONGUE OR IN THE PALM OF YOUR RIGHT HAND. IF YOU WISH TO RECEIVE A BLESSING, PLEASE FOLD YOUR ARMS ACROSS YOUR CHEST TO SIGNIFY THIS TO THE PRIEST.

SHOULD YOU BE UNABLE TO MANAGE STEPS, HOLY COMMUNION CAN BE ADMINISTERED AT YOUR PEW. PLEASE ASK ONE OF THE SIDESMEN, WHO WILL BE HAPPY TO ASSIST YOU.

THE FIRST PRAYER-BOOK EXHORTATION ENCOURAGES US TO RECEIVE THE SACRAMENT IN FAITH AND REPENTANCE, 'DISCERNING THE LORD'S BODY.'

English Hymnal Nº 321

O Food of men wayfaring

Meinen Thaten

(PLEASE REMAIN KNEELING OR SEATED)

O Food of men wayfaring,

The Bread of Angels sharing,
O Manna from on high!
We hunger; Lord, supply us,
Nor thy delights deny us,
Whose hearts to thee draw nigh.

O Stream of love past telling, O purest Fountain, welling From out the Saviour's side! We faint with thirst; revive us, Of thine abundance give us, And all we need provide.

O Jesu, by thee bidden,
We here adore thee, hidden
'Neath forms of bread and wine.
Grant when the veil is riven,
We may behold, in heaven,
Thy countenance divine.

Communion Motet (CHOIR) (AT 11 A.M. ONLY)
Out of the deep (PLEASE BE SEATED)

Heinrich Schütz, and Johann Walther (ca. 1610)

Out of the deep I cry to thee: Lord, hear me, I implore thee. Bend down thy gracious ear to me, My prayer let come before thee. If thou rememb'rest each misdeed If each should have its rightful meed,* Who may abide thy presence?

* REWARD

Thy love and grace alone avail
To blot out my transgression;
The best and holiest deeds must fail
To break sin's dread oppression.
Before thee none can boasting stand,
But all must fear thy strict demand
And live alone by mercy.

Though great our sins and sore our woes, His grace much more aboundeth; His helping love no limit knows, Our utmost need it soundeth. Our Shepherd good and true is he, Who will at last his Israel free From all their sin and sorrow.

THANKSGIVING

Post-Communion Thanksgiving

Let us pray. (PLEASE KNEEL)

Athee that thou dost graciously feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; assuring us thereby of thy favour and goodness towards us; and that we are living members of his mystical body, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of thy everlasting kingdom. And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee. And although we are unworthy, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offences; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end.

Ry Amen.

Post-Communion Collect

- ▼ The Lord be with you.
- Ry And with thy spirit.

Let us pray. (PLEASE KNEEL)

STRENGTHEN, O Lord, we pray thee, with these gifts the wills of thy faithful people: that we receiving the same may seek them more earnestly, and seeking the same may obtain them everlastingly. Through Jesus Christ our Lord,

who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end.

Ry Amen.

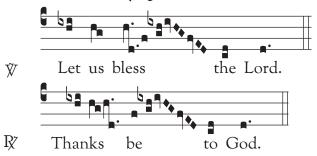
Blessing (CELEBRANT)

THE peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you and remain with you always.

R' Amen.

Dismissal

- ▼ The Lord be with you.
- Ry And with thy spirit.



The Last Gospel: S. John 1:1 (PLEASE REMAIN STANDING)

- Ry And with thy spirit.
 - ★ The beginning of the Holy Gospel according to John.
- Ry Glory be to thee, O Lord.

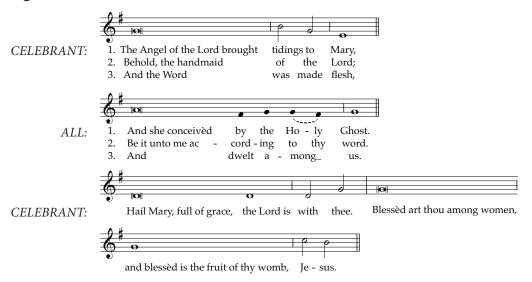
In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made through him: and without him was not any

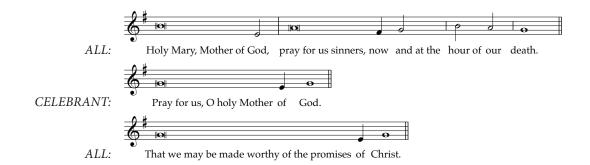
thing made that was made: in him was life, and the life was the light of men: and the light shineth in darkness, and the darkness comprehended it not. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. The same came for a witness, to bear witness of the light, that all men through him might believe. He was not that light, but was sent to bear witness of that light. That was the true light, which lighteth every man that cometh into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made through him, and the world knew him not. He came unto his own, and his own received him not. But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his Name: which were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God. (ALL KNEEL) AND THE WORD WAS MADE FLESH (ALL RISE), and dwelt among us, and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the Only-begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.

R' Thanks be to God.

DEVOTIONS AFTER MASS

Angelus





Let us pray:

We beseech thee, O Lord, pour thy grace into our hearts; that as we have known the Incarnation of thy Son Jesus Christ by the message of an angel, so by his Cross ★ and Passion, we may be brought unto the glory of his Resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord.



Postlude Improvisation

ALL:

