THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT SAINT BENEDICT PARISH, CHICAGO

INTROIT

Drop Down Dew from Above (10am Only)

Drop down dew from above, you heavens, and let the clouds rain down the Just One; Let the earth be opened, and bring forth a Saviour.

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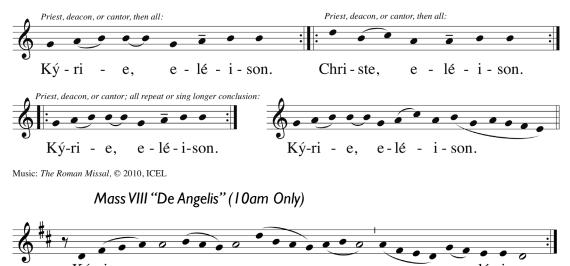
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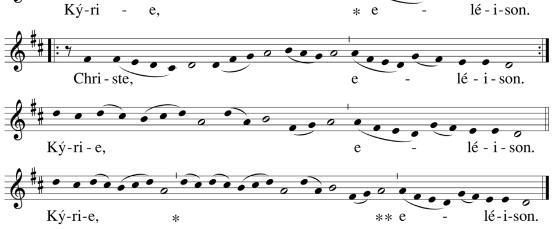
PENITENTIAL ACT

All: I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, 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.

Priest: May almighty God... everylasting life.

KYRIE The Roman Missal





Music: Vatican Edition VIII; acc. by Richard Proulx

LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING I Mi 5:1-4a

Thus says the LORD: You, Bethlehem-Ephrathah too small to be among the clans of Judah, from you shall come forth for me one who is to be ruler in Israel; whose origin is from of old, from ancient times. Therefore the Lord will give them up, until the time when she who is to give birth has borne, and the rest of his kindred shall return to the children of Israel. He shall stand firm and shepherd his flock by the strength of the LORD, in the majestic name of the LORD, his God; and they shall remain, for now his greatness shall reach to the ends of the earth; he shall be peace.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19



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READING II Heb 10:5-10

Brothers and sisters: When Christ came into the world, he said: "Sacrifice and offering you did not desire, but a body you prepared for me; in holocausts and sin offerings you took no delight. Then I said, 'As is written of me in the scroll, behold, I come to do your will, O God." First he says, "Sacrifices and offerings, holocausts and sin offerings, you neither desired nor delighted in." These are offered according to the law. Then he says, :Behold, I come to do your will." He takes away the first to establish the second. By this "will," we have been consecrated through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



GOSPEL READING

Lk 1:39-45

Mary set out and traveled to the hill country in haste to a town of Judah, where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the infant leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out in a loud voice and said, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. And how does this happen to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? For at the moment the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the infant in my womb leaped for joy. Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled."

HOMILY

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. and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

UNIVERSAL PRAYER

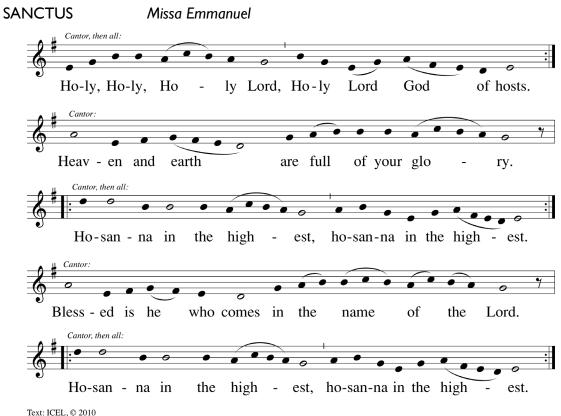
LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY

Ave Maria

Ave Maria, gratia plena, Dominus tecum. Benedicta tu in mulieribus, et benedictus fructus ventris tui, lesus. Sancta Maria, Mater Dei, ora pro nobis peccatoribus, nunc et in hora mortis nostrae.Amen. Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and in the hour of our death. Amen.

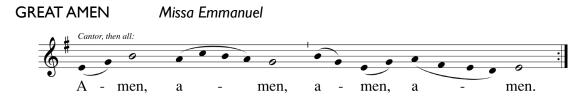




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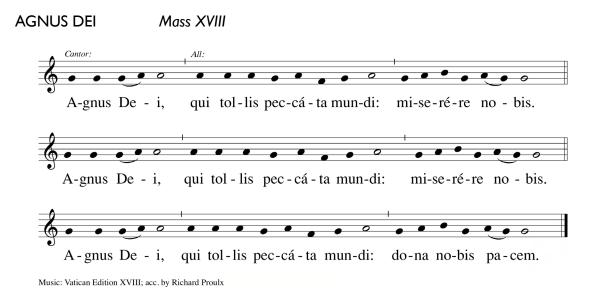
MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION Missa Emmanuel Cantor, then all: 0 pro - claim your Lord, We Death, Ο and pro - fess your • 0 0 0 Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a-gain.

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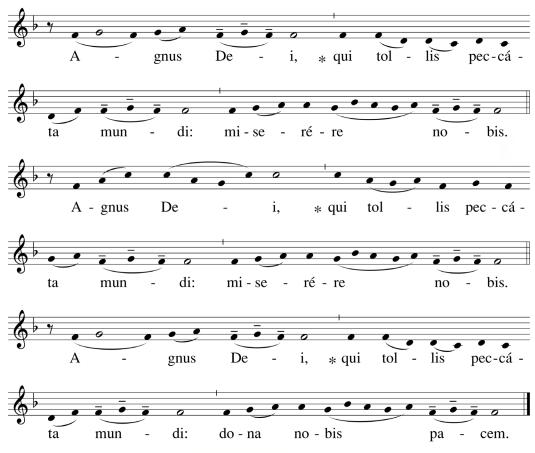
THE LORD'S PRAYER



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



Mass VIII "De Angelis" (10am Only)



Music: Vatican Edition VIII; acc. by Richard Proulx

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Priest: Behold... supper of the Lamb.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON Behold, A Virgin Shall Conceive (10am Only)

Behold, a Virgin shall conceive and bear a son; and his name will be called Emmanuel.

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COMMUNION CHANT

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Text: Veni, veni Emmanuel; Latin 9th C.; tr. by John M. Neale, 1818–1866, alt.

Tune: VENI EMMANUEL, LM with refrain; Mode I, 15th C. French; adapt. by Thomas Helmore, 1811–1890; acc. by Richard Proulx, 1937–2010

CONCLUDING RITE

CLOSING PRAYER

FINAL BLESSING & DISMISSAL

PRAYER OF SAINT BENEDICT

Gracious and Holy Father, Grant us the intellect to understand you, Reason to discern you, Diligence to seek you, Wisdom to find you, A spirit to know you, A heart to meditate upon you. May our ears hear you, May our eyes behold you, And may our tongues proclaim you. Grant us grace that our way of life may be pleasing to you, That we have patience to wait for you, And perseverance to look for you. Grant us a perfect end... Your holy presence, A blessed resurrection and life everlasting. We ask this through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.



SAINT KATERI PRAYER

O Saint Kateri, Lily of the Mohawks, Your love for Jesus, so strong, so steadfast, pray that we may become like you.

Your short and painful life showed us your strength and humility. Pray that we may become forever humble like you.

Like the bright and shining stars at night, we pray that your light may forever shine down upon us, giving light, hope, peacefulness and serenity in our darkest moments.

Fill our hearts, Saint Kateri Tekakwitha with your same love for Jesus and pray that we may have the strength and courage to become one like you in Heaven. Through Christ our Lord.Amen.

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