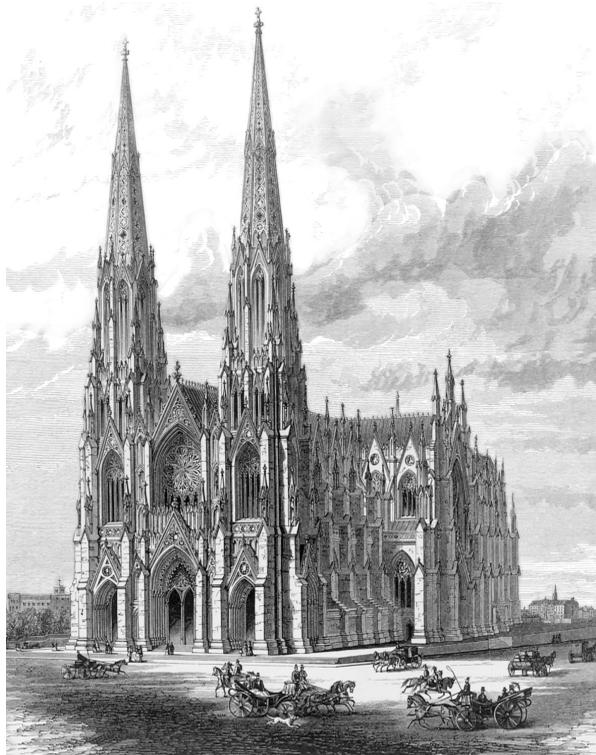


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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

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THE ORDER OF MASS

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

ENTRANCE HYMN

“For the Beauty of the Earth”

DIX



1. For the beau - ty of the earth, For the
 2. For the beau - ty of each hour Of the
 3. For the joy of hu - man love, Broth - er,
 4. For thy Church, that ev - er - more Lift - eth
 5. For thy - self, best Gift Di - vine! To our



1. glo - ry of the skies, For the love which
 2. day and of the night, Hill and vate, and
 3. sis - ter, par - ent, child, Friends on earth and
 4. ho - ly hands a - bove, Of - fring up on
 5. race so free - ly giv'n; For that great, great



1. from our birth O - ver and a - round us lies:
 2. tree and flower, Sun and moon, and stars of light:
 3. friends a - bove; For all gen - tle thoughts and mild:
 4. ev - 'ry shore Her pure sac - ri - fice of love:
 5. love of shine, Peace on earth and joy in heav'n:



Lord of all, to thee we raise This our hymn of grate - ful praise.

KYRIE

adapt. Litany of the Saints



Cantor: Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. All: Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Cantor: Chri - ste - e - le - i - son.



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THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Baruch 4:5-12, 27-29

Fear not, my people!
Remember, Israel,
You were sold to the nations
not for your destruction;
It was because you angered God
that you were handed over to your foes.
For you provoked your Maker
with sacrifices to demons, to no-gods;
You forsook the Eternal God who nourished you,
and you grieved Jerusalem who fostered you.
She indeed saw coming upon you
the anger of God; and she said:
“Hear, you neighbors of Zion!
God has brought great mourning upon me,
For I have seen the captivity
that the Eternal God has brought
upon my sons and daughters.
With joy I fostered them;
but with mourning and lament I let them go.
Let no one gloat over me, a widow,
bereft of many:
For the sins of my children I am left desolate,
because they turned from the law of God.
Fear not, my children; call out to God!
He who brought this upon you will remember you.
As your hearts have been disposed to stray from God,
turn now ten times the more to seek him;
For he who has brought disaster upon you
will, in saving you, bring you back enduring joy.”

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 69:33-35, 36-37

℟ (34) **The Lord listens to the poor.**

“See, you lowly ones, and be glad;
you who seek God, may your hearts revive!
For the LORD hears the poor,
and his own who are in bonds he spurns not.
Let the heavens and the earth praise him,
the seas and whatever moves in them!” ℟

For God will save Zion
and rebuild the cities of Judah.
They shall dwell in the land and own it,
and the descendants of his servants shall inherit it,
and those who love his name shall inhabit it. ℟

ACCLAMATION BEFORE THE GOSPEL

Jennifer Pascual



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

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Bless the LORD, all you angels,
you ministers, who do his will.

GOSPEL

Matthew 18:1-5, 10

The disciples approached Jesus and said,
“Who is the greatest in the Kingdom of heaven?”
He called a child over, placed it in their midst, and said,
“Amen, I say to you, unless you turn and become like children,
you will not enter the Kingdom of heaven.
Whoever humbles himself like this child
is the greatest in the Kingdom of heaven.
And whoever receives one child such as this in my name receives me.
“See that you do not despise one of these little ones,
for I say to you that their angels in heaven
always look upon the face of my heavenly Father.”

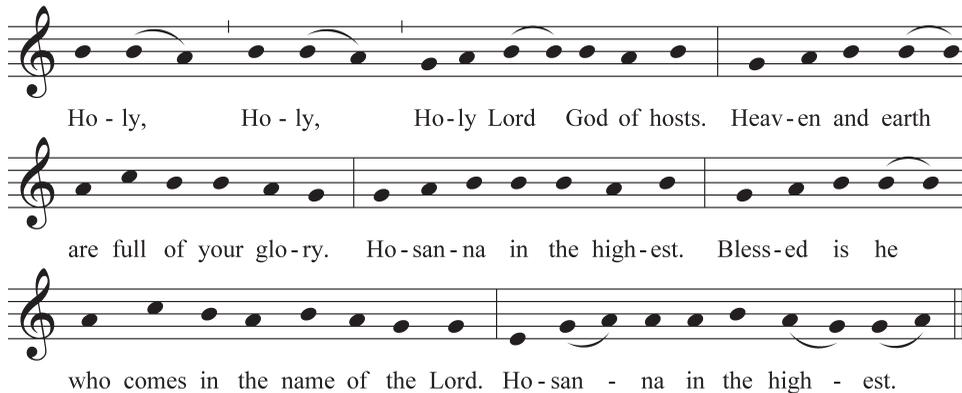
The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

THE PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

SANCTUS

Roman Missal

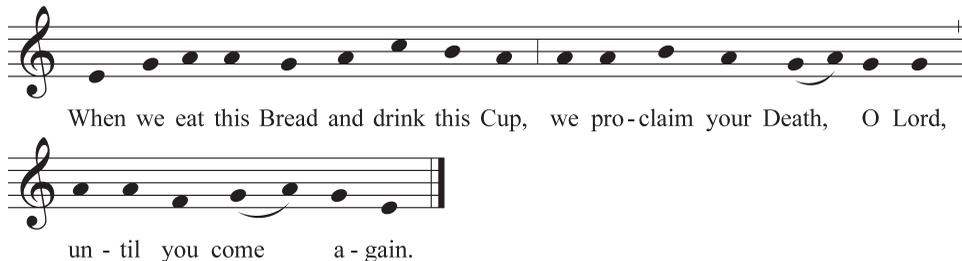


Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav - en and earth
are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he
who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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MYSTERY OF FAITH

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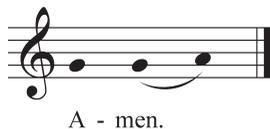


When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro - claim your Death, O Lord,
un - til you come a - gain.

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GREAT AMEN

Roman Missal



A - men.

THE COMMUNION RITE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

Roman Missal



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, Grant us peace.

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COMMUNION

The reception of Holy Communion is the most sacred act for Catholics. We believe that we are then receiving the Body and Blood of Christ. Catholics who are properly prepared should approach the ministers of Holy Communion.

We ask non-Catholics not to receive. They are encouraged, however, to come forward with arms crossed over their heart to receive a blessing.

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

**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.**

H Y M N

“O Living Bread from Heaven”

AURELIA



1. O liv - ing bread from heav - en, How well you fed your guest!
2. Lord Je - sus, here you led me With - in your ho - liest place,
3. You gave me all I want - ed, This food can death de - stroy;
4. Lord, grant me that, thus strength - ened With heav'n - ly food, while here



1. The gifts that you have giv - en Have filled my heart with rest.
2. And here your - self have fed me With treas - ures of your grace;
3. And you have free - ly grant - ed The cup of end - less joy.
4. My course on earth is length - ened, I serve with ho - ly fear,



1. O won - drous food of bless - ing, O cup that heals our woes,
2. And you have free - ly giv - en What earth could nev - er buy,
3. O Lord, I do not mer - it The fa - vor you have shown,
4. And when you call my spir - it To leave this world be - low,



1. My heart, this gift pos - sess - ing, With prais - es o - ver - flows!
2. The bread of life from heav - en, That I may nev - er die.
3. And all my soul and spir - it Bow down be - fore your throne.
4. I en - ter through your mer - it, Where joys un - min - gled flow.

THE CONCLUDING RITES

RECESSIONAL HYMN

“For the Fruits of His Creation”

AR HYD Y NOS



1. For the fruits of His Cre - a - tion, Thanks be to God.
2. In the just re - ward of la - bor, God's will be done.
3. For the har - vests of the Spir - it, Thanks be to God.



For the gifts of ev - 'ry na - tion, Thanks be to God.
In the help we give our neigh - bor, God's will be done.
For the good we all in - her - it, Thanks be to God.



For the plow - ing, sow - ing, reap - ing, Si - lent
In our world - wide task of car - ing For the
For the won - ders that as - tound us, For the



growth while we are sleep - ing, Fu - ture needs in
hun - gry and de - spair - ing, In the har - vests
truths that still con - found us, Most of all, that



earth's safe - keep - ing, Thanks be to God.
we are shar - ing, God's will be done.
love has found us, Thanks be to God.

GUIDELINES FOR THE RECEPTION OF COMMUNION FOR CATHOLICS

As Catholics, we fully participate in the celebration of the Eucharist when we receive Holy Communion. We are encouraged to receive Communion devoutly and frequently. In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, participants should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour. A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of the Lord without prior sacramental confession except for a grave reason where there is no opportunity for confession. In this case, the person is to be mindful of the obligation to make an act of perfect contrition, including the intention of confessing as soon as possible (*Code of Canon Law*, canon 916). A frequent reception of the Sacrament of Penance is encouraged for all.

FOR OUR FELLOW CHRISTIANS

We welcome our fellow Christians to this celebration of the Eucharist as our brothers and sisters. We pray that our common baptism and the action of the Holy Spirit in this Eucharist will draw us closer to one another and begin to dispel the sad divisions which separate us. We pray that these will lessen and finally disappear, in keeping with Christ's prayer for us "that they may all be one" (John 17:21).

Because Catholics believe that the celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life, and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet fully united are ordinarily not admitted to Holy Communion. Eucharistic sharing in exceptional circumstances by other Christians requires permission according to the directives of the diocesan bishop and the provisions of canon law (canon 844 §4). Members of Orthodox Churches, the Assyrian Church of the East, and the Polish National Catholic Church are urged to respect the discipline of their own Churches. According to Roman Catholic Discipline, the *Code of Canon Law* does not object to the reception of Communion by Christians of these Churches (canon 844 §3).

FOR THOSE NOT RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

All who are not receiving Holy Communion are encouraged to express in their hearts a prayerful desire for unity with the Lord Jesus and with one another.

FOR NON-CHRISTIANS

We also welcome to this celebration those who do not share our faith in Jesus Christ. While we cannot admit them to Holy Communion, we ask them to offer their prayers for the peace and the unity of the human family.

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