

MUSIC AT THE  
SUNDAY 6pm  
MASS



FOURTH  
SUNDAY  
OF LENT  
*Lætare*

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

*All sing the* ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

*Psalm 24:15-16*



℟: **My eyes are al-ways on the Lord, for he rescues my feet from the snare.**

To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul. I trust you, let me not be disappointed; turn to me and have mercy for I am lonely and poor. ℟

Relieve the anguish of my heart and set me free from my distress. See my affliction and my toil and take all my sins away. ℟

See how many are my foes; how violent their hatred for me. Preserve my life and rescue me. Do not disappoint me, you are my refuge. ℟

May innocence and uprightness protect me: for my hope is in you, O Lord. Redeem Israel, O God, from all its distress. ℟

*All make the Sign of the Cross as the Celebrant says*

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

℟: **Amen.**

The Lord be with you.

℟: **And with your spirit.**

## PENITENTIAL ACT

Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

*After a brief silence all say*

**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,**

*All strike their breast thrice, saying*

**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.**

*The Celebrant gives the absolution, saying*

May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

℟: **Amen.**

*All sing the KYRIE*

Mass XVIII

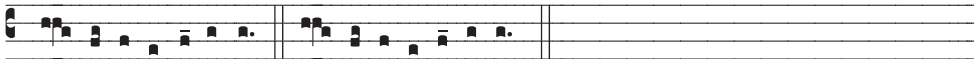
**K**   
Y- ri- e e- lé- i-son. **Ky- ri- e e- lé- i-son.**

*Lord, have mercy.*



Chri- ste e- lé- i-son. **Chri- ste e- lé- i- son.**

*Christ, have mercy.*



Ky- ri- e e- lé- i-son. **Ky- ri- e e- lé- i-son.**

*Lord, have mercy.*

COLLECT

℟: **Amen.**

# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

*Samuel 16:1,6-7,10-13*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalm 22* ☩. v.1



☩: The Lord is my shepherd; nothing shall I want.

SECOND READING

*Ephesians 5:8-14*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



☩: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

GOSPEL

*John 9:1-41*

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

**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,

*All bow during the following line:*

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

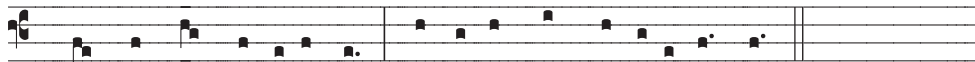
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom 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

# THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

All sing the OFFERTORY ANTIPHON

Psalm 134:3, 6



℟ **Praise the Lord, for he is kind; sing to his name, for he is gracious;**

Praise him, servants of the Lord, who stand in the house of the Lord For I know that the Lord is great, that our Lord is high above all gods. ℟

Lord, your name stands for ever, unforgotten from age to age, for the Lord does justice for his people; the Lord takes pity on his servants. ℟

Sons of Levi, bless the Lord! You who fear him, bless the Lord! From Zion may the Lord be blessed, he who dwells in Jerusalem! ℟

Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

℟ **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

℟ **Amen.**

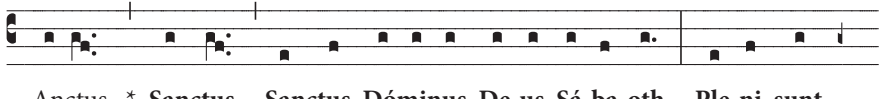
## THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

**T** HE Lord be with you. ℟ **And with your spi-rit.**

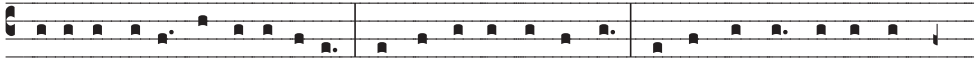
Lift up your hearts. ℟ **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. ℟ **It is right and just.**

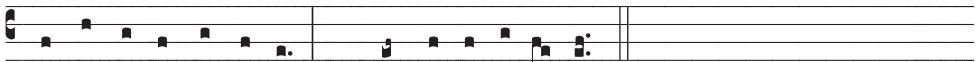
THE PREFACE

**S** 

Anctus, \* Sanctus, Sanctus Dóminus De-us Sá-ba-oth. Ple-ni sunt  
 Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and

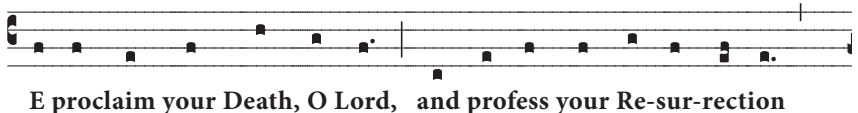


cæli et terra gló-ri-a tu-a. Ho-sán-na in ex-cél-sis. Be-ne-díc-tus qui ve-nit  
 earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes



in nó-mi-ne Dó-mi-ni. Ho-sán-na in ex-cél-sis.  
 in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

All sing the MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

**W** 

**E** proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Re-sur-rection

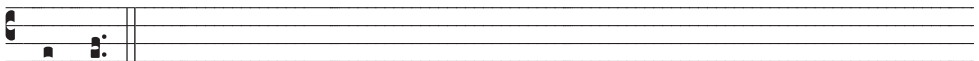


until you come a-gain.

When the Celebrant sings

Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, for ever and ever.

All respond



**A-men.**

## COMMUNION RITE

At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

*All sing*

**O** UR 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 dai-ly bread,  
and forgive us our trespasses, as we for-give those who trespass a-gainst us;  
and lead us not in-to temp-ta-tion, but de-liv-er us from e- vil.

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 Saviour, Jesus Christ.

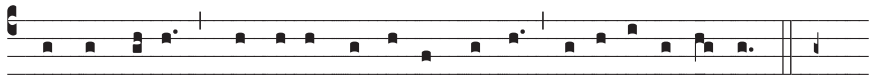
✠ For the kingdom, the power and the glo-ry are yours now and for ev-er.

Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.


✠ Amen.

The peace of the Lord be with you always.


✠ And with your spirit.



**A** - gnus De-i, \* **qui tollis pec-cá-ta mundi: mi-se-ré-re no-bis.**  
*Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.*



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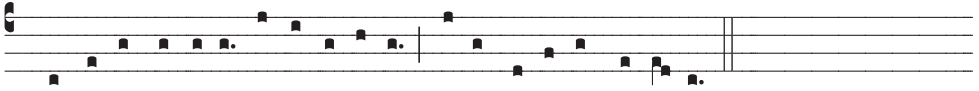


Agnus De-i, \* **qui tollis pec-cá-ta mundi: do-na no-bis pa-cem.**  
*Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.*

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

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

*Catholics who have made the proper spiritual and sacramental preparation may come forward in the procession to receive Holy Communion. The sacred host must be consumed in the presence of the communion minister.*



℟: **At-tén-de Dómine, et mi-se-ré-re, qui-a peccá-vi-mus ti-bi.**  
*Hear us, O Lord, and have mercy upon us, for we have sinned against you.*

The Lord made a paste with spittle, and anointed my eyes: I went, I washed, I saw and I believed in God. ℟:

The Lord is my light and my help; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; before whom shall I shrink? ℟:

There is one thing I ask of the Lord, for this I long, to live in the house of the Lord, all the days of my life, to savour the sweetness of the Lord, to behold his temple. ℟:

For there he keeps me safe in his tent in the day of evil. He hides me in the shelter of his tent, on a rock he sets me safe. ℟:

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

℟: **Amen.**

## THE CONCLUDING RITES

The Lord be with you.

℟: **And with your spirit.**

May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

℟: **Amen.**

Go forth, the Mass is ended.

℟: **Thanks be to God.**