

MUSIC AT THE SUNDAY 6pm MASS



THE ASCENSION SUNDAY OF THE LORD

Mass is sung by the students and Schola of the Good Shepherd Seminary.

All sing the PROCESSIONAL HYMN



1. Lord, en - throned in heav'n - ly splen - dour, first - be - got - ten
2. Pas - chal Lamb, your of - f'ring fin - ished once for all when
3. Great High Priest of our pro - fess - ion through the veil you
4. Life - im - part - ing heav'n - ly man - na, strick - en rock with



1. from the dead, you a - lone our strong de - fend - er,
2. you were slain, in its full - ness un - dim - in - ished
3. en - tered in; by your might - y in - ter - cess - ion
4. stream - ing side, heav'n and earth with loud ho - san - na



1. lift - ing up your peo - ple's head: Al - le - lu - ia,
2. shall for e - ver - more re - main, Al - le - lu - ia,
3. grace and mer - cy you can win: Al - le - lu - ia,
4. wor - ship you, the Lamb who died. Al - le - lu - ia,



1. al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Je - sus, true and
2. al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, cleans - ing souls from
3. al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, on - ly sac - ri -
4. al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, ri - sen, as - cend - ed,



1. liv - ing bread. Je - sus true and liv - ing bread.
2. e - v'ry stain. Cleans - ing souls from e - v'ry stain.
3. fice for sin. On - ly sac - ri - fice for sin.
4. glo - ri - fied! Ris'n, as - cend - ed, glo - ri - fied!

Text: George Hugh Bourne 1840-1925 (alt.)
Music: BRYN CALFARIA 87.87.47 extended

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

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 I

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.

All sing the GLORIA

COLLECT

℟: **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Acts 1:1-11

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 46:2-3,6-9 ☩. v.6



☩. God mounts his throne to shouts of joy; a blare of trum-pets for the Lord.

SECOND READING

Ephesians 1:17-23

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



GOSPEL

Matthew 28:16-20

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

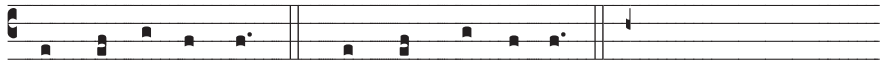
Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

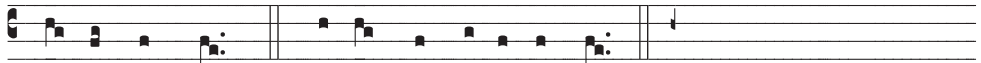
℟ **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

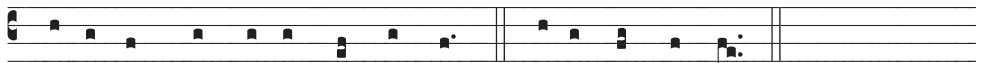
PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

℟ **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.**

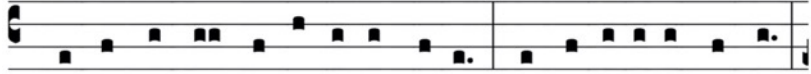
 Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. ℟ **It is right and just.**

THE PREFACE

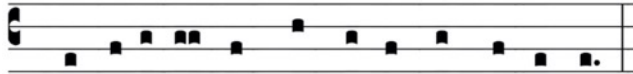
All sing the SANCTUS



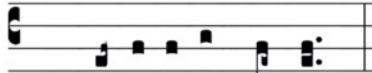
HO - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of hosts,



Hea-ven and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-sán-na in the high-est.



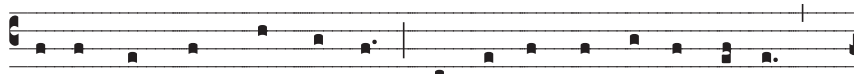
Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.



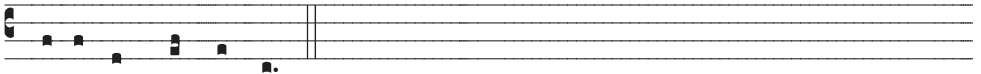
Ho-sán-na in the high-est.

All sing the MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

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

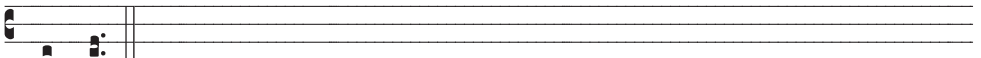


until you come a-gain.

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



R **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.


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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.


For Amen.

The peace of the Lord be with you always.


For And with your spirit.



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



Agnus De- i * **qui tol-lis pec-cá- ta mun-di: mi-se-ré- re no- bis.**
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.



Agnus De- i * **qui tol-lis pec-cá- ta mun-di: 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.

The Schola sings the COMMUNION MOTET

Mt 28:18, 19; ̎ Ps 77

DATA est mihi omnis potestas in caelo et in terra, alleluia: euntes, docete, omnes gentes, baptizantes eos in nomine Patris, et Filii, et Spiritus Sancti, alleluia, alleluia.

All pow'r is given to me in heaven and in earth; going therefore, teach ye all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Ascension of the Lord

Rejoice! the Lord is King

1. Re - joi - ce! the Lord is King; your
2. Je - sus the Sa - viour reigns, the
3. His king - dom can - not fail; he
4. He sits at God's right hand till
5. Re - joi - ce in glo - rious hope; Je -

1. Lord and King a - dore; let all give thanks and
2. God of truth and love; when he had purged our
3. rules o'er earth and heav'n; the keys of death and -
4. all his foes sub - mit, and bow to his com -
5. sus the judge shall come, and take his ser - vants

1. sing, and tri - umph ev - er - more;
2. stains, he took his seat a - bove:
3. hell are to our Je - sus giv'n;
4. mand and fall be - neath his feet:
5. up to their e - ter - nal home:

Refrain
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; re -
joice, a - gain I say, re - joi - ce!

Text: based on Philippians 4:4, Charles Wesley 1707-1788 alt
Tune: DARWALL'S 148th 66.66.44.44; John Darwall 1731-1789

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.**

Liturgical law requires that solo organ music is not played during Lenten services.