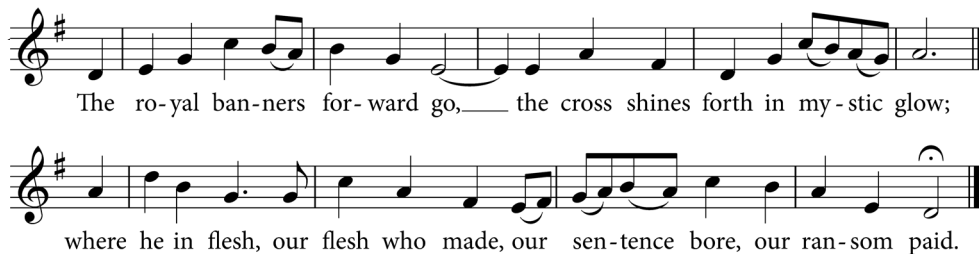


**MUSIC AT THE  
SUNDAY 9.00am  
MASS**



**THE EXALTATION  
OF THE  
HOLY CROSS**



**Where deep for us the spear was dyed,  
Life's torrent rushing from his side,  
To wash us in that precious flood,  
Where mingled water flowed, and blood.**

**O Tree of beauty, Tree of light,  
O Tree with royal purple dight,  
Elect on whose triumphal breast  
Those holy limbs should find their rest!**

**O Cross, our one reliance, hail!  
So may thy power with us prevail  
To give new virtue to the saint,  
And pardon to the penitent.**

**To thee, eternal Three in One,  
Let homage meet by all be done:  
Whom by thy Cross thou dost restore,  
Preserve and govern evermore.**



*Gonfalon Royal  
Percy Buck (1871-1947)*

*Latin 5<sup>th</sup> Century  
tr. John Mason Neale (1818-66)*

## 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 repeat each line of the KYRIE, after it has been sung by the Cantor.*



*Celebrant*

*All*

Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will.

We\_ praise you, we\_ bless you, we a - dore you, we glo-ri - fy you,

we give you thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord God, hea-ven-ly King, O God,

al-migh-ty Fa-ther. Lord Je - sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son, Lord God,

Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a-way the sins of the world,

have mer-cy on us; you take a-way the sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer;

you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther, have mer-cy on us.

For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,

you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi rit

in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - - men.

COLLECT

℟: Amen.

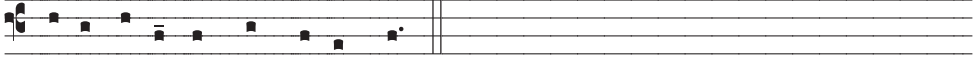
# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

*Numbers 21:4-9*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalms 77(78):1-2, 34-38* *℟. v.7*

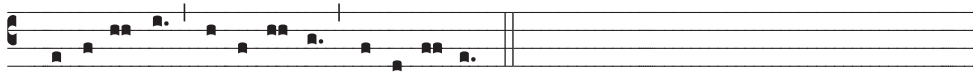


*℟.* Never forget the deeds of the Lord.

SECOND READING

*Philippians 2:6-11*

ALLELUIA



*℟.* Al-le-lú-ia, al-le-lú-ia, al-le-lú-ia.

GOSPEL

*John 3:13-17*

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:*

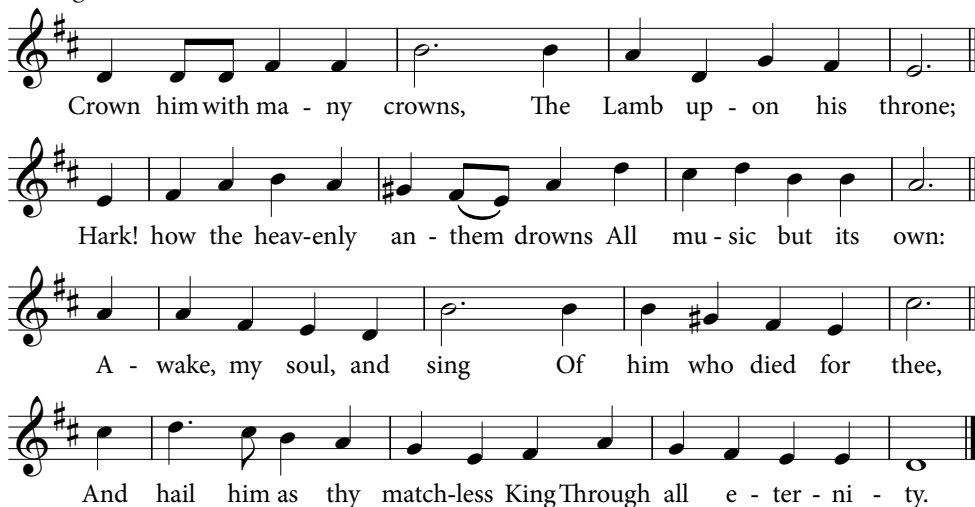
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

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 HYMN



Crown him with ma - ny crowns, The Lamb up - on his throne;  
Hark! how the heav-enly an - them drowns All mu - sic but its own:  
A - wake, my soul, and sing Of him who died for thee,  
And hail him as thy match-less King Through all e - ter - ni - ty.

2

Crown him the Virgin's Son,  
The God incarnate born,  
Whose arm those crimson trophies won  
Which now his brow adorn:  
Fruit of the mystic Rose,  
As of that Rose the Stem;  
The Root whence mercy ever flows,  
The Babe of Bethlehem.

3

Crown him the Lord of love!  
Behold his hands and side,  
Rich wounds yet visible above  
In beauty glorified:  
No angel in the sky  
Can fully bear that sight,  
But downward bends his burning eye  
At mysteries so bright.

4

Crown him the Lord of peace,  
Whose power a sceptre sways  
From pole to pole, that wars may cease,  
Absorbed in prayer and praise:  
His reign shall know no end,  
And round his piercèd feet  
Fair flowers of Paradise extend  
Their fragrance ever sweet.

5

Crown him the Lord of years,  
The Potentate of time,  
Creator of the rolling spheres,  
Ineffably sublime.  
Glassed in a sea of light,  
Where everlasting waves  
Reflect his throne—the Infinite!  
Who lives—and loves—and saves.

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**

*Mass of Perpetual Help*

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.\_\_\_\_

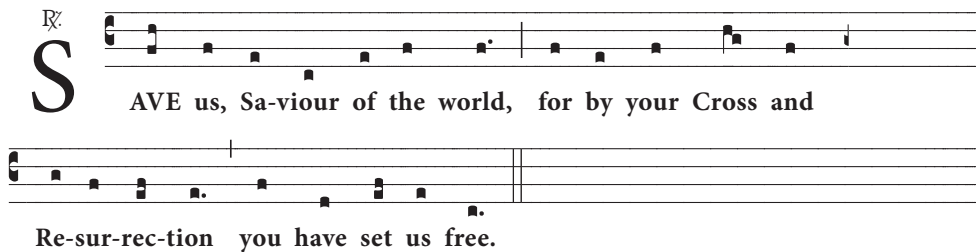
Heav'n and earth, heav'n and earth are full\_\_\_\_ of\_\_\_\_ your glo - ry. Ho-

san - na, ho-san - na in\_\_\_\_ the high - est.

Bless-ed is he, bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.\_\_\_\_



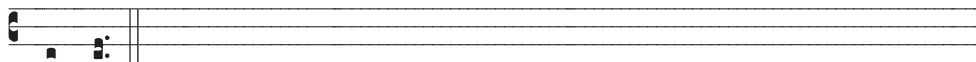
*All sing the* MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



*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:

**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.

**R:** 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.

**R:** Amen.

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

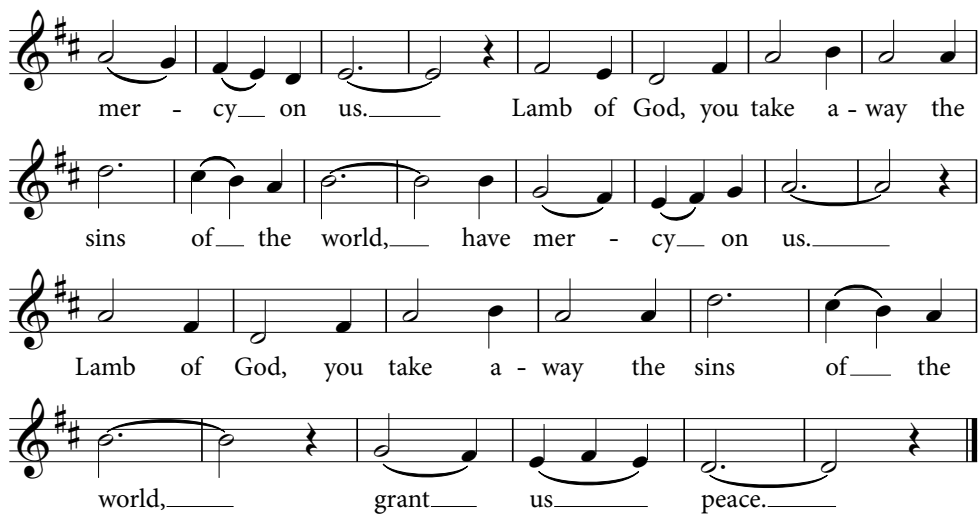
**R:** And with your spirit.

*All sing the AGNUS DEI*

*Mass of Perpetual Help*

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world, have





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.**

*All sing the COMMUNION ANTIPHON*

*Jn 12:32*



℟: **When I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw ev'ryone to myself.**

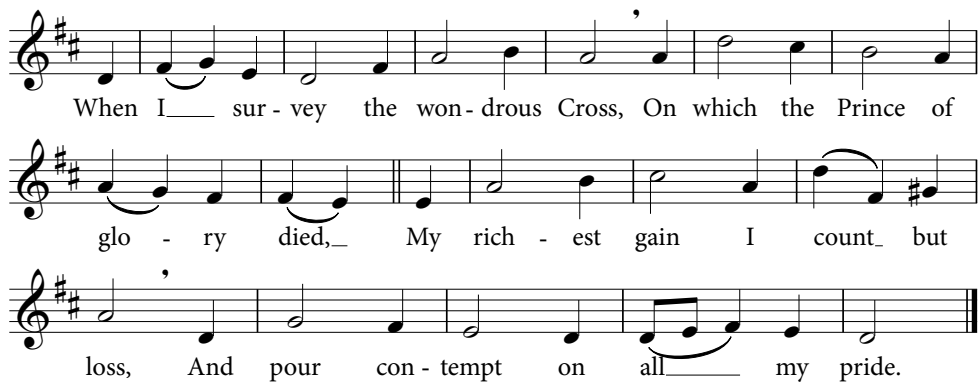
I love you, LORD, my strength; O LORD, my rock, my fortress, my saviour; my God, my rock where I take refuge; my shield, my saving strength, my stronghold. ℟

He saved me from my powerful foe, from my enemies, whose strength I could not match. My feet he makes swift as the deer's; he has made me stand firm on the heights. ℟

You gave me your saving shield; with your right hand, you gave me support; You lengthened my steps beneath me; and my feet have never slipped. ℟

I pursued and overtook my foes, never turning back till they were slain. I struck them so they could not rise; they fell beneath my feet. ℟

*All sing the* COMMUNION HYMN



**Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast  
Save in the death of Christ my God;  
All the vain things that charm me most,  
I sacrifice them to his Blood.**

**See from his head, his hands, his feet,  
Sorrow and love flow mingled down;  
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,  
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?**

**Were the whole realm of nature mine,  
That were a present far too small;  
Love so amazing, so divine,  
Demands my soul, my life, my all.**

*Rockingham*

*Adapted by Edward Miller (1731–1807)*

*Harmony after Samuel Webbe (c. 1770–1843)*

*Isaac Watts (1674–1748)*

## THE CONCLUDING RITES

The Lord be with you.

R: **And with your spirit.**

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

R: **Amen.**

Go forth, the Mass is ended.

R: **Thanks be to God.**



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