

COMMUNION RITE

LORD'S PRAYER

DOXOLOGY

AGNUS DEI

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 ANTIPHON

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

COMMUNION PROCESSION

My Soul in Stillness Waits

For you, O Lord, my soul in still - ness
 waits, tru - ly my hope is in you.

Text: Psalm 95 and "O" Antiphons; Marty Huagen, b.1950
 Tune: Marty Huagen, b.1950
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(Schola)

All Earth is Hopeful
 David M. Cherwien (b.1957)

All earth is hopeful, the Savior comes at last!
 Furrows lie open for God's creative task:
 this, the labor of people who struggle to see
 how God's truth and justice set everybody free.

People of Israel, you heard the prophet tell:
 "A virgin mother will bear Emmanuel";
 she conceived him "God with us," our brother,
 whose birth restores hope and courage to children of this earth.

Mountains and valleys will have to be prepared;
 new highways opened new protocols declared.
 Almost here! God is nearing, in beauty and grace!
 All clear every gateway, in haste, come out in haste!

We shall we Jesus a baby in a crib.
 This same Lord Jesus so soon will come to live in our world;
 come be present, in neighbors we see
 O Jesus be with us, and ever set us free.

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

CONCLUDING RITES

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

RECESSIONAL HYMN

People, Look East

1. Peo ple, look East, The time is near Of the
 2. An - gels an - nounce with shouts of mirth Him who
 crown - ing of the year. Make your house fair as you are
 brings new life to earth. Set ev - 'ry peak and val - ley
 a - ble, Trim the hearth and set the ta - ble. Peo - ple look
 hum - ming With the word, the Lord is com - ing. Peo - ple look
 East and sing to - day: Love the Guest is on the way.
 East and sing to - day; Love the Lord is on the way.

Text: Eleanor Farjeon, 1881-1965, © David Higham Assoc. Ltd.
 Tune: BESANÇON 87 98 87; French traditional

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 on the support from our parishioners and friends.
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THE Cathedral of St. Joseph

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

20 DECEMBER 2020

Welcome to the Cathedral of Saint Joseph!

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 of everyone, we ask that you please wear a mask that covers both your nose
 and mouth at all times while in the Cathedral. When approaching for Holy
 Communion, please form a single line in the middle of the center aisle
 and remain six feet apart from others, observing the markings on the floor.*

THE ORDER OF MASS

INTRODUCTORY RITES

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el,
 2. O come, Thou Key of Dav - id, come,
 And ran - som cap - tive Is - ra - el,
 And o - pen wide our heav'n - ly home;
 That mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here
 Make safe the way that leads on high,
 Un - til the Son of God a - pear.
 And close the path to mis - er - y.
 Re - joice! Re - joice! Em - man - u - el
 Shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el.

Text: *Veni, veni, Emmanuel*; Latin 9th C.; tr. by John M. Neale, 1818-1866, alt.
 Tune: VENI VENI EMMANUEL, LM with refrain; Mode I, 15th C. French; adapt by Thomas Helmore, 1811-1890

GREETING

PENITENTIAL ACT

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 as they say:)

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.

Cantor: Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. *Assembly:* Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.
Chri - ste e - lei - son. Chri - ste e - lei - son.
Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.

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COLLECT

LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING I

2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8-12, 14, 16

PSALM RESPONSE

Psalm 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29

For ev - er I will sing the good - ness of the Lord.

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READING II

Romans 16:25-27

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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

Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord.
May it be done to me according to your word.

Music: Colin Mawby, © 1970

GOSPEL

Luke 1:26-38

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 at these two lines.)

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

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

SANCTUS

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

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MYSTERY OF FAITH

We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your
Res - ur - rec - tion, un - til you come a - gain.

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GREAT AMEN

A - men, A - men, A - - men.

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