



SAINT MICHAEL
AND
ALL ANGELS' CHURCH

THE FEAST OF THE DEDICATION
[THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST]

OCTOBER 5, 2025
10:00 A.M. RITE II

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Front Cover

“The Dedication of the Church of Monte Cassino”—Luca Giordano (1634–1705)

The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

Prelude Improvised Prelude on ‘Urbs beata Jerusalem’
viiith century chant— Organist

At the sound of the bell, the people stand

The Entrance of the Sanctuary Party and Procession

Celebrant Let us go forth in peace.
People In the Name of Christ. Amen.

Hymn #360

Words: *Latin, ca. 9th cent.*; tr. Maxwell Julius Blacker (1822—1888)

Music: Rouen, *melody from Vesperale, 1746*



1 On - ly - be - got - ten, Word of God e -
2 This is thy tem - ple; here thy pres - ence -
3 Here in our sick - ness heal - ing grace a -
*4 Hal - lowed this dwell - ing where the Lord a -
5 Lord, we be - seech thee, as we throng thy
6 God in three Per - sons, Fa - ther ev - er -



1 ter - nal, Lord of cre - a - tion, mer - ci - ful and
2 cham - ber; here may thy ser - vants, at the mys - tic
3 bound - eth, light in our blind - ness, in our toil re -
4 bid - eth, this is none o - ther than the gate of
5 tem - ple, by thy past bless - ings, by thy pres - ent
6 last - ing, Son co - e - ter - nal, ev - er - bless - ed



1 might - y, hear now thy ser - vants when their joy - ful
2 ban - quet, hum - bly a - dor - ing, take thy Bo - dy
3 fresh - ment: sin is for - giv - en, hope o'er fear pre -
4 hea - ven; strang - ers and pil - grims, seek - ing homes e -
5 boun - ty, fa - vor thy chil - dren, and with ten - der
6 Spi - rit, thine be the glo - ry, praise, and a - dor -



1 voic - es rise to thy pres - ence.
2 bro - ken, drink of thy chal - ice.
3 vail - eth, joy o - ver sor - row.
4 ter - nal, pass through its por - tals.
5 mer - cy, hear our pe - ti - tions.
6 a - tion, now and for ev - er.

Station at the Baptismal Font

Celebrant Let your priests be clothed with righteousness.

People And your people sing with joyfulness

Celebrant

Let us pray. Grant, O heavenly Father, that we who with joy commemorate the building of this earthly temple, may at length be found worthy, with all the redeemed, to worship you in that Jerusalem which is above; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

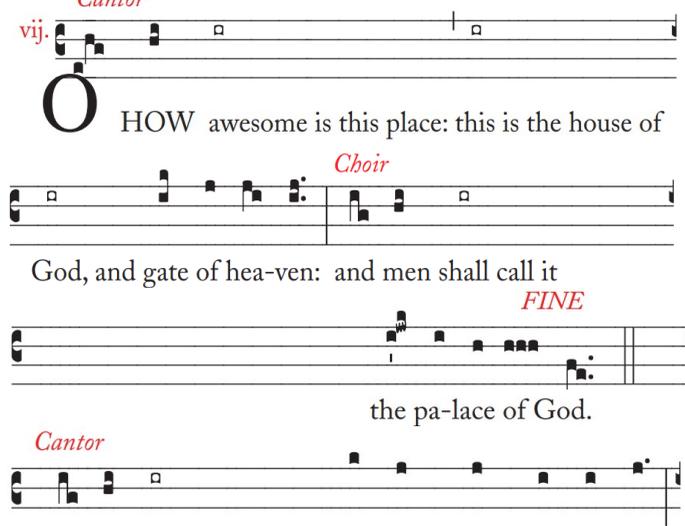
People Amen.

Introit

Genesis 28: 17, 22 Ps. 84:1 *Terribilis est*

The People are invited and encouraged to sing the parts assigned to the choir on this and the other Propers of the Mass

Cantor



O HOW awesome is this place: this is the house of

Choir

God, and gate of hea-ven: and men shall call it

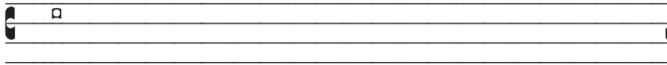
FINE

the pa-lace of God.

Cantor

Ps. O how amiable are thy dwell-ings, thou LORD of hosts:

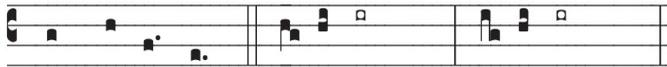
Choir



my soul hath a desire and longing to enter into the

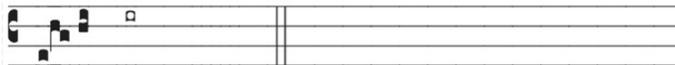
Cantor

Choir



courts of the LORD. Glo- ry be..., *(etc.)* As it was..., *(etc.)*

Full



O how awesome..., *(etc.)*

The Word of God

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Kyrie Eleison

S-91 Healey Willan (1880–1968)

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up -
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -
on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.



Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer-cy up - on us.

Gloria in excelsis

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Celebrant

All



1. Glo - ry be to God on high, and on earth peace,



good will towards men. 2. We praise thee, we bless thee,



we wor - ship thee, we glo - ri - fy thee, we give



thanks to thee for thy great glo - ry, 3. O Lord God, heaven - ly



King, God the Fa - ther Al - might - - - y. —



4. O Lord, the on - ly be - got - ten Son, Je - sus Christ;



5. O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, that



ta - kest a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -



on us. 6. Thou that ta - kest a - way the sins of the

world, re - ceive our prayer. 7. Thou that sit - test at the
right hand of God the Fa - ther, have mer - cy up - on us.
8. For thou on - ly art ho - ly; thou on - ly art the Lord; 9. thou
on - ly, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost, art most
high in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. —
A - - - - - men.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate the dedication of this house of prayer: We give you thanks for the fellowship of those who have worshiped in this place, and we pray that all who seek you here may find you, and be filled with your joy and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People Amen.

Lesson

1 Kings 8:22-30

Reader A reading from the First Book of the Kings

Solomon stood before the altar of the Lord in the presence of all the assembly of Israel, and spread out his hands to heaven. He said, “O Lord, God of Israel, there is no God like you in heaven above or on earth beneath, keeping covenant and steadfast love for your servants who walk before you with all their heart, the covenant that you kept for your servant my father David as you declared to him; you promised with your mouth and have this day fulfilled with your hand. Therefore, O Lord, God of Israel, keep for your servant my father David that which you promised him, saying, ‘There shall never fail you a successor before me to sit on the throne of Israel, if only your children look to their way, to walk before me as you have walked before me.’ Therefore, O God of Israel, let your word be confirmed, which you promised to your servant my father David. But will God indeed dwell on the earth? Even heaven and the highest heaven cannot contain you, much less this house that I have built! Regard your servant’s prayer and his plea, O Lord my God, heeding the cry and the prayer that your servant prays to you today; that your eyes may be open night and day toward this house, the place of which you said, ‘My name shall be there,’ that you may heed the prayer that your servant prays toward this place. Hear the plea of your servant and of your people Israel when they pray toward this place; O hear in heaven your dwelling place; heed and forgive.”

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God

Gradual

Psalm 84:1–6

The Cantor and men of the Choir chant the antiphon, and the people repeat it.



How dear to me is your dwell - ing, O Lord of hosts!

My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the Lord; *
my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

The sparrow has found her a house
and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young; *
by the side of your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.

Antiphon How dear to me is your dwelling, O Lord of hosts!

Happy are they who dwell in your house! *
they will always be praising you.
Happy are the people whose strength is in you! *
whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.

Antiphon How dear to me is your dwelling, O Lord of hosts!

Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a place of springs, *
for the early rains have covered it with pools of water.
They will climb from height to height, *
and the God of gods will reveal himself in Zion.

Antiphon How dear to me is your dwelling, O Lord of hosts!

Epistle

1 Peter 2:1-5, 9-10

Reader A reading from the First Letter of Blessed Peter the Apostle

Rid yourselves, therefore, of all malice, and all guile, insincerity, envy, and all slander. Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation—if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight, and like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

him, “Today salvation has come to this house, because he too is a son of Abraham. For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Hymn 518

Words: *Latin, ca. 7th cent.; tr. Hymns Ancient and Modern, 1861, after John Mason Neale (1818—1866), alt.*

Music: Westminster Abbey, *Henry Purcell (1659—1695), adapt.*

1 Christ is made the sure foun - da - tion, Christ the head and
2 All that ded - i - cat - ed ci - ty, dear - ly loved of
3 To this tem - ple, where we call thee, come, O Lord of
4 Here vouch - safe to all thy serv - ants what they ask of

cor - ner - stone, cho - sen of the Lord, and pre - cious,
God on high, in ex - ult - ant ju - bi - la - tion
Hosts, to - day; with thy wont - ed lov - ing - kind - ness
thee to gain; what they gain from thee, for ev - er

bind - ing all the Church in one; ho - ly Zi - on's
 pours per - pet - ual mel - o - dy; God the One in
 hear thy serv - ants as they pray, and thy full - est
 with the bless - ed to re - tain, and here - af - ter

help for ev - er, and her con - fi - dence a - lone.
 Three a - dor - ing in glad hymns e - ter - nal - ly.
 ben - e - dic - tion shed with - in its walls al - way.
 in thy glo - ry ev - er - more with thee to reign.

The Sermon *Father Fraser*

After the Sermon, there follows, all standing

The Nicene Creed

Celebrant

All

I be - lieve in one ——— God, the Fa - ther Al - might - y

STAND

of the Vir-gin Ma - ry, and was made man; and was cru - ci - fied
al - so for__ us un - der Pon - tius Pi - late; he suf - fered and was
bu - ried; and the third day he rose a - gain ac - cord - ing to
the Scrip - tures, and as - cend - ed in - to heav - en, and sit - teth
on the right hand of the Fa - ther; and he shall come a - gain, with glo - ry,
to judge both the quick and the dead; whose king - dom shall have no end.
And I be - lieve in the Ho - ly Ghost the Lord, and Giv - er of Life,
who pro - ce - deth from the Fa - ther and _____ the Son;

who with the Fa-ther and the Son to- geth- er is wor- shipped and
glo- ri- fi- ed; who spake by the pro- phets. And I be- lieve
one ho- ly Cath- o- lic and A- pos- tol- ic Church; I ac- know- ledge one Bap- tism
for the re- mis- sion of sins; and I look for the Re- sur- rec- tion of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. A - - - men.

The Litany of Thanksgiving for the Church

Celebrant

Let us thank God whom we worship here in the beauty of holiness.

Eternal God, the heaven of heavens cannot contain you, much less the walls of temples made with hands. Graciously receive our thanks for this place, and accept the work of our hands, offered to your honor and glory.

For the Church universal, of which these visible buildings are the symbol,
We thank you, Lord.

For your presence whenever two or three have gathered together in your Name,
We thank you, Lord.

For this place where we may be still and know that you are God,
We thank you, Lord.

For making us your children by adoption and grace, and refreshing us day by day with the
Bread of Life,
We thank you, Lord.

For the knowledge of your will and the grace to perform it,
We thank you, Lord.

For the fulfilling of our desires and petitions as you see best for us,
We thank you, Lord.

For the pardon of our sins, which restores us to the company of your faithful people,
We thank you, Lord.

For the blessing of our vows and the crowning of our years with your goodness,
We thank you, Lord.

For the faith of those who have gone before us and for our encouragement by their
perseverance,
We thank you, Lord.

For the fellowship of Blessed Mary, Ever Virgin; Blessed Michael and all the Angels, patrons
of this parish; and of all your Saints,
We thank you, Lord.

The Celebrant announces the parish's particular intercessions.

Celebrant Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the victory,
and the majesty;

People For everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

Celebrant Yours, O Lord, is the kingdom;

People And you are exalted as head over all. Amen.

The Peace

The People stand.

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

The Celebrant announces the Intention of the Mass.

Celebrant

Pray, brethren, that this, my Sacrifice and yours, may be acceptable to God the Father Almighty.

People

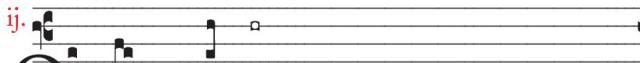
May the Lord receive this sacrifice at your hands to the praise and glory of his Name, both to our benefit and that of all His Holy Church.

Celebrant Amen.

Offertory

1 Chronicles 29:17,18 Dómine Deus

Cantor



O LORD God, in the uprightness of my heart I have

Choir



willingly of-fer-ed all these things; and now I have seen

Cantor



with joy thy people, which are pre-sent here: O LORD God

Choir



of Israel, keep for ever this i-ma-gi-na-tion, of the heart



of thy peo-ple. Al-le-lu-ia.

Hymn #520

Words: Latin ca. 7th century; tr. Hymns Ancient and Modern, 1861, after JM Neale (1818—1866)
Music: Oriel, Caspar Ett. (1788—1847)



1 Bless - ed ci - ty, heav - en - ly Sa - lem, vi - sion dear of peace and love,
2 from ce - les - tial realms de - scend - ing, brid - al glo - ry round thee shed,
3 Bright thy gates of pearl are shin - ing; they are o - pen ev - er more;
4 Man - ya blow and bit - ing sculp - ture pol - ished well those stones e - lect,
5 Laud and hon - or to the Fa - ther, laud and hon - or to the Son,



1 who of liv - ing stones art build - ed in the height of heaven a - bove,
2 meet for him whose love es - poused thee, to thy Lord shalt thou be led;
3 and by vir - tue of his mer - its thith - er faith - ful souls do soar,
4 in their pla - ces now com - pact - ed by the heav - en - ly Ar - chi - tect,
5 laud and hon - or to the Spi - rit, ev - er Three, and ev - er One,



1 and, with an - gel hosts en-cir - cled, as a bride dost earth-ward move;
 2 all thy streets and all thy bul-warks of pure gold are fa - shion - ed.
 3 who, for Christ's dear Name, in this world pain and tri - bu - la - tion bore.
 4 who there - with hath willed for ev - er that his pal - ace should be decked.
 5 con - sub - stan - tial, co - e - ter - nal, while un - end - ing a - ges run.

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant

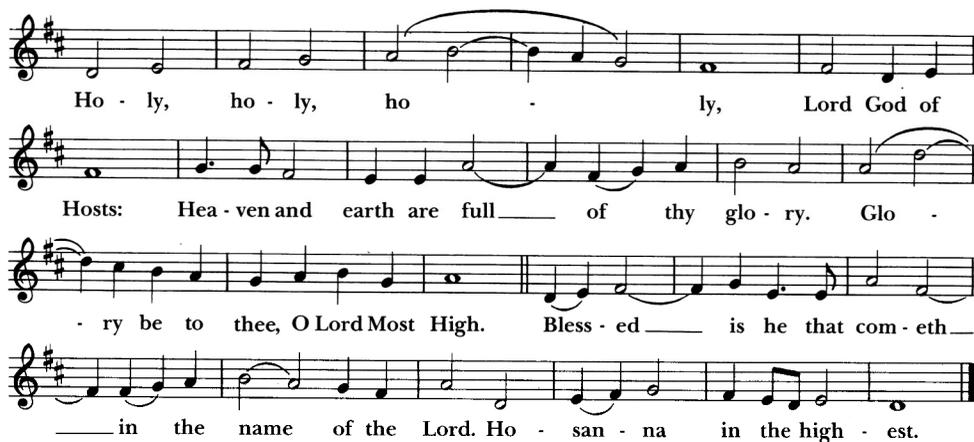
It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through Jesus Christ our great High Priest; in whom we are built up as living stones of a holy temple, that we might offer before you a sacrifice of praise and prayer which is holy and pleasing in your sight.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus & Benedictus

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of
Hosts: Hea - ven and earth are full of thy glo - ry. Glo -
ry be to thee, O Lord Most High. Bless - ed is he that com - eth
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The people kneel.

Celebrant

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

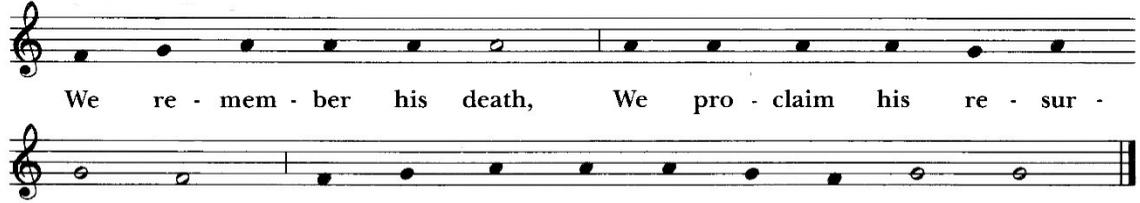
After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Celebrant



There - fore, ac - cord - ing to his com - mand, O Fa - ther,

People



We re - mem - ber his death, We pro - claim his re - sur -
rec - tion, We a - wait his com - ing in glo - ry.

The Celebrant continues

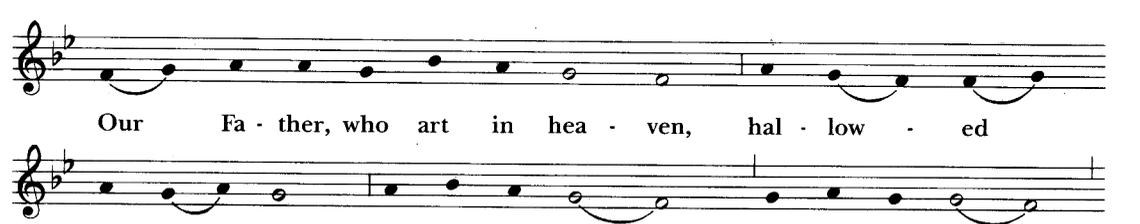
And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Blessed Mary, Ever Virgin, Blessed Michael and All Angels, patrons of this parish, Blessed Matthew, and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Celebrant *All*



Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed
be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,

on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our
dai - ly bread. and for - give us our tres - pas - ses,
as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead
us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us
from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,
and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

The Breaking of the Host

Celebrant

Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;

People

There - fore let us keep the feast.

Agnus Dei

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O Lamb of God, that ta - kest a -
way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -
on us. O Lamb of God, that
ta - kest a - way the sins of the world, have
mer - cy up - on us. O Lamb of
God, that ta - kest a - way the sins of the
world, grant us thy peace.

The Celebrant issues the following Invitation

The Gifts of God for the People of God. 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.

People

Lord, I am not worthy that you should come under my roof. But speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed.

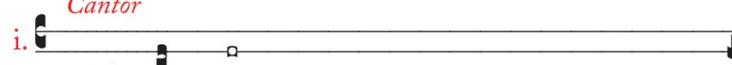
The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people

Communion

Saint Matthew 21:13 Domus mea

Cantor

i.



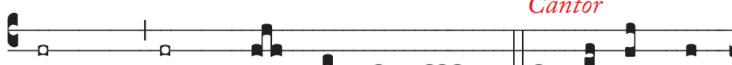
MY house shall be called of all nations the house of

Choir



prayer, saith the LORD: in it everyone that asketh

Cantor



receiveth, and he that seek-eth find-eth; and to him that

Choir



knock-eth, it shall be o- pen-ed.

Anthem *The Choir*

Behold, the tabernacle of God *William Henry Harris (1883 – 1973)*

Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men,
and the Spirit of God dwelleth within you:
for the temple of God is holy,
Which temple you are:
for the love of whom you do this day celebrate
the joys of the temple with a season of festivity.
Alleluia.

Sarum antiphon for the Dedication of a Church

Hymn

Words: *William Bullock, 1854;*

Music: *Quam Dilecta Henry L. Jenner 1861*

1 We love the place, O God, Where - in thine hon - or dwells;
2 We love the house of prayer, Where - in thy ser - vants meet;
3 We love the sa - cred font, Where - in the ho - ly Dove
4 We love thine al - tar, Lord, Its my - ster - ies re - vere;
5 We love thy ho - ly word, The lamp thou gav'st to guide
6 Then let us sing the love To us so free - ly giv'n,

1 The joy of thine a - bode All oth - er joy ex - cels.
 2 For thou, O Lord, art there Thy cho - sen ones to greet.
 3 Be - stows, as ev - er wont, His bless - ing from a - bove.
 4 For there, in faith a - dored, We find thy pre - sence near.
 5 All wand' - rers home, O Lord, Home to their Fa - ther's side.
 6 Un - til we sing a - bove The tri - umph song of heav'n.

After Communion, the Celebrant says
 Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Almighty and everliving God,
 we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food
 of the most precious Body and Blood
 of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;
 and for assuring us in these holy mysteries
 that we are living members of the Body of your Son,
 and heirs of your eternal kingdom.
 And now, Father, send us out
 to do the work you have given us to do,
 to love and serve you
 as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.
 To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,
 be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Celebrant

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the
 knowledge and love of God, and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God
 Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be amongst you and remain with you
 always.

People Amen.

Dismissal

Celebrant Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

Angelus

Celebrant *People*

1 The angel of the Lord brought tidings un - to Mary: And she conceived by the Ho-ly Ghost. (Hail Mary)

Celebrant

Hail Mary full of grace, the Lord is with thee: Blessed art thou among women and blessed is... Je-sus.

People

Holy Mary Mother of God, Pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. A - men.

Celebrant *People*

2 Behold the handmaid of the Lord: Be it unto me ac - cor - ding to thy word. (Hail Mary)

Celebrant *People*

3 And the Word was made flesh: And dwelt a - mong__ us. (Hail Mary)

Celebrant *People*

4 Pray for us o Holy Mother of God: That we may be made worthy of the pro-mis-es of Christ. (Collect)

Celebrant

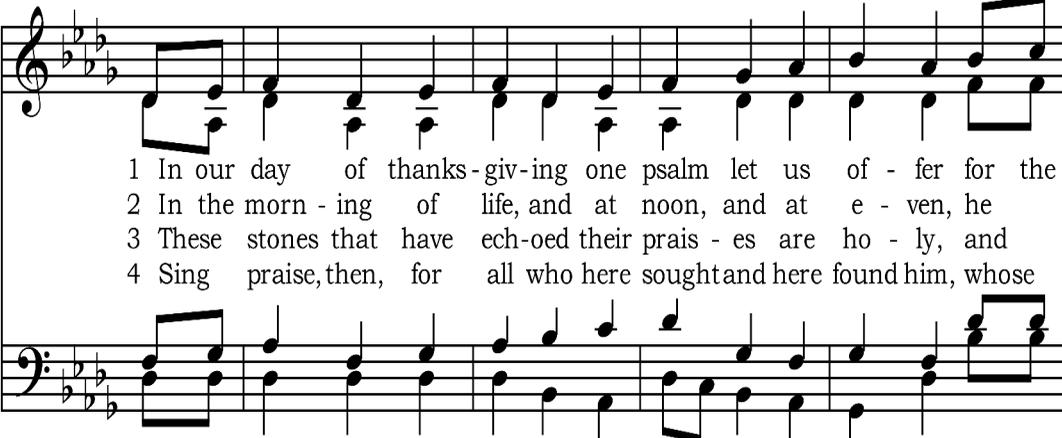
Pour forth thy grace into our hearts, we beseech thee, O Lord, that like as we have known the Incarnation of thy son, Jesus Christ by the message of an angel, so by his Cross and Passion we may be brought into the glory of his Resurrection through the same Christ, our Lord.

People Amen.

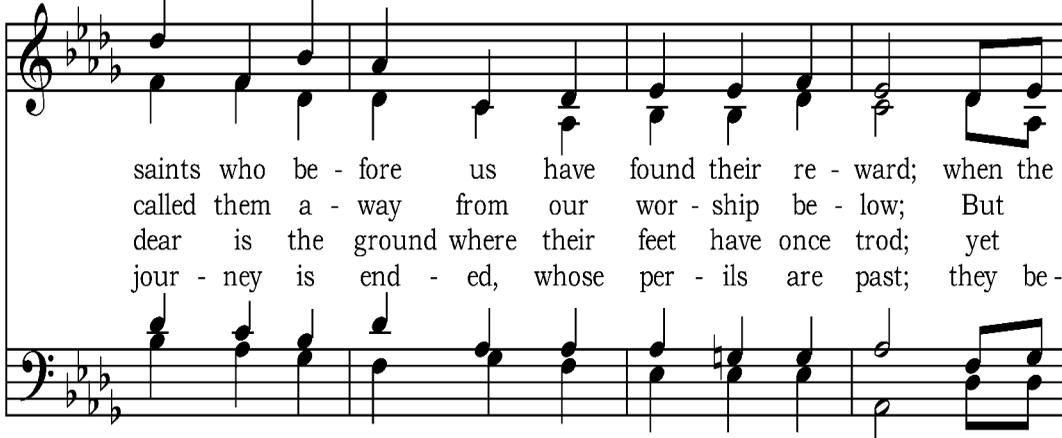
Hymn

Words: William Henry Draper (1855–1933)

Music: St. Catherine's Court Richard Strutt (1848–1927)



1 In our day of thanks-giv-ing one psalm let us of-fer for the
2 In the morn-ing of life, and at noon, and at e-ven, he
3 These stones that have ech-oed their prais-es are ho-ly, and
4 Sing praise, then, for all who here sought and here found him, whose



saints who be-fore us have found their re-ward; when the
called them a-way from our wor-ship be-low; But
dear is the ground where their feet have once trod; yet
jour-ney is end-ed, whose per-ils are past; they be-

sha - dow of death fell up - on them, we sor - rowed, but
 not till his love at the font, and the Al - tar had
 here they con - fessed they were strang - ers and pil - grims, and
 lieved in the light; and its glo - ry is round them where the

now we re - joice that they rest in the Lord.
 girt them with grace for the way they should go.
 still they were seek - ing the cit - y of God.
 clouds of earth's sor - rows are lift - ed at last.

5. In the presence of Jesus, the Saints are in glory,
 Who have known him and loved him and served him below;
 Their reward is with him to be happy for ever
 And to follow the Lamb wheresoe'er he may go.

6. Blessed Saints, in the presence of Jesus for ever,
 Be mindful of us who here struggle below;
 Intercede for your brethren, who linger in exile,
 That on them life eternal their God may bestow.

7. To the Father who made us be glory for ever,
To the Son who redeemed us be honour and praise;
To the Spirit, whose sevenfold power makes us holy,
Let the earth its thanksgivings eternally raise. Amen.

Postlude Carillon *Louis Vierne (1870—1937)*