



THE CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

In the City and Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany, New York

Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit
Albany Diocesan Red Mass

January 8, 2021

Welcome back to the Cathedral! With Saint Peter, who witnessed the glory of Christ at His transfiguration on Mount Tabor, we can say with joy, “Lord it is good that we are here!”

We appreciate your patience navigating new logistical procedures together. Please always be prudent regarding your attendance at Mass: if you feel sick, please stay home—the obligation to attend Mass remains suspended. The wearing of a mask is required in the Cathedral as a safety precaution for you and your neighbors. Restrooms are closed, except for emergency use. If you should have need to use a restroom, please be prepared to follow sanitization instructions provided for the restrooms. Congregational singing is permitted; singing gently, as though whispering, may prove to be more comfortable at this time.

If you are disposed to receive Holy Communion and feel safe to do so, please refer to page 8 for guidelines. Specially trained ushers are on hand to escort you throughout the Cathedral, as well as to answer any questions you may have.

PRELUDE

Nun bitten wir den Heiligen Geist, BuxWV 208
 (“Now we pray to the Holy Spirit”)

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1637–1707)

INTRODUCTORY RITE

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

♩. The love of God has been poured in - to our hearts, al - le - lu - ia;

by His Spi - rit which dwells in us, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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THE SIGN OF THE CROSS AND THE GREETING

☩. ✠ In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

℟. **Amen.**

☩. Peace be with you.

℟. **And with your spirit.**

PENITENTIAL ACT

☩. Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

℟. **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]

**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.

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

℟. **Amen.**

KYRIE ELEISON

Choir first, then all repeat *Choir first, then all repeat*

Ký - ri - e e - lé - i - son. Chri- ste e - lé - i - son.
(Lord, have mercy.) *(Christ, have mercy.)*

Choir or Cantor *All*

Ký-ri - e e - lé - i - son. Ký-ri - e e - lé - i - son.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Text: *Roman Missal*
Music: *Gregorian Missal, Mass XVI, mode III*

COLLECT

The Celebrant prays the collect.

℟. **Amen.**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

[Please be seated.]

FIRST READING

1 John 5:5–13

The Spirit is the One Who testifies, and the Spirit is truth.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 147:12–13, 14–15, 19–20



1. O Jerusalem, glorify the LORD!
O Sion, praise your God!
He has strengthened the bars of your gates;
He has blessed your children within you. R.
2. He established peace on your borders;
He gives you your fill of finest wheat.
He sends out His word to the earth,
and swiftly runs His command. R.

3. He reveals His word to Jacob;
to Israel, His decrees and judgments.
He has not dealt thus with other nations;
He has not taught them His judgments. R.

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ALLELUIA [Please stand.]



Gospel verse. Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the Kingdom
and cured every disease among the people. R.

Text: *The Roman Missal*
Music: *Gregorian Missal*, plainsong mode VI

[Before the Gospel]

℣. The Lord be with you.

℟. **And with your spirit.**

℣. A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke.

℟. **Glory to You, O Lord.**

The leprosy left him immediately.

[After the Gospel]

℣. The Gospel of the Lord.

℟. **Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ.**

[All remain standing until Bishop Scharfenberger has revered the book of the Gospels.]

HOMILY *[Please be seated.]*

The Most Reverend Edward B. Scharfenberger, D.D.
Bishop of Albany, New York

UNIVERSAL PRAYER

Cantor *All*

(Intention) Let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

[Please be seated.]

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

INVITATION TO PRAYER *[Please stand.]*

℣. Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours, may be acceptable to God the Almighty Father.

℟. **May the Lord accept this 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 GIFTS

The Celebrant prays the prayer over the gifts.

℟. **Amen.**

PREFACE DIALOGUE

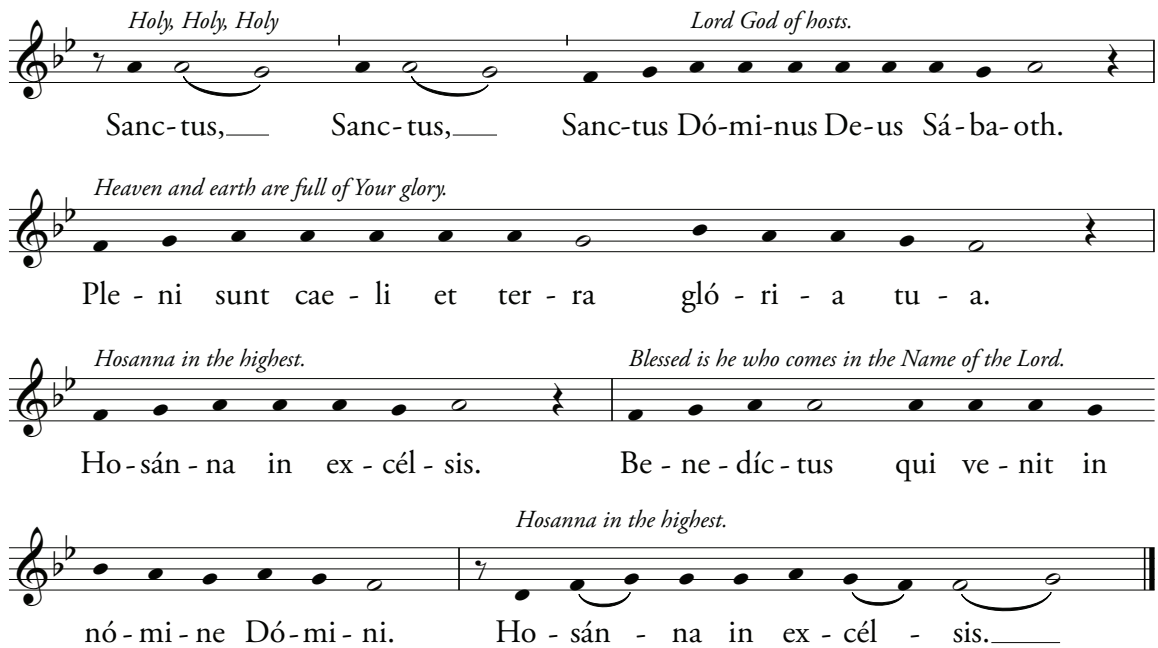


♩. The Lord___ be with you. R̃. **And with___ your spi - rit.**

♩. Lift___ up___ your hearts.. R̃. **We lift___ them up to the Lord.---**

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

SANCTUS ET BENEDICTUS



Holy, Holy, Holy *Lord God of hosts.*
Sanc-tus,___ Sanc-tus,___ Sanc-tus Dó-mi-nus De-us Sá-ba-oth.

Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.
Ple - ni sunt cae - li et ter - ra gló - ri - a tu - a.

Hosanna in the highest. *Blessed is he who comes in the Name of the Lord.*
Ho - sán - na in ex - cél - sis. Be - ne - díc - tus qui ve - nit in

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

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Music: *Gregorian Missal*, Mass XVIII

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER *[Please kneel.]*

MYSTERY OF FAITH

The mystery of faith.

℣. Mys - te - ri - um fi - de - i.

We proclaim Your death, O Lord,

℣. Mor - tem tu - am an - nun - ti - a - mus, Dó - mi - ne, et tu - am

and profess Your Resurrection, until You come again.

re - sur - rec - ti - ó - nem con - fi - té - mur, do - nec vé - ni - as.

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AMEN

℣. For ev - er and ev - er. ℣. **A - men.**

—OR—

℣. For ev - er and ev - er. ℣. **A - men.**

THE OUR FATHER *[Please stand.]*

All

℣. Our Fa - ther, Who art in heav - en, hal - lowed be Thy Name;

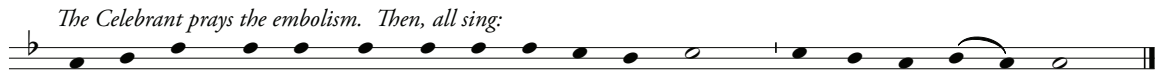
Thy king - dom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heav - en.

Give us this day our dai - ly bread; and for - give us our tres - pass - es

as we forgive those who tres - pass a - gainst us; and lead us not in - to

temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us from e - vil.

[continued]



R. For the king-dom, the power and the glo-ry are Yours, now and for ev - er.

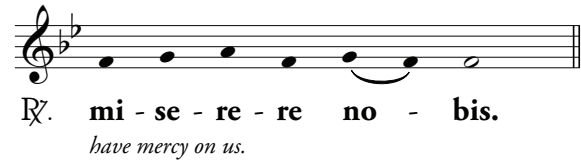
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SIGN OF PEACE

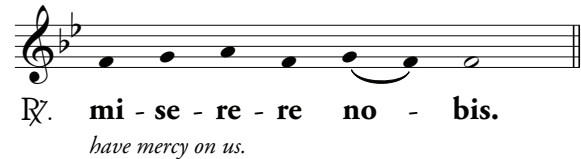
∞. The peace of the Lord be with you always.
 R. **And with your spirit.**

AGNUS DEI

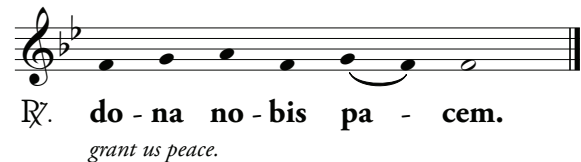
∞. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi:
Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world:



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INVITATION TO COMMUNION *[Please kneel.]*

∞. Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
 Blessed are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb.
 R. **Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,
 but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Holy Spirit will teach you, alleluia; everything that I told you, alleluia.

¶ Verses. ¹Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your merciful love. ²Cleanse me with hyssop, and I shall be pure; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. ³Let me hear rejoicing and gladness, that the bones You have crushed may exult. ⁴Create a pure heart for me, O God; renew a steadfast spirit within me.

Spiritus Sanctus docébit vos, allelúia: quaecúmque dixero vobis, allelúia, allelúia.

¶ Verses. ¹*Miserére mei, Deus, secúndum misericórdiam tuam.* ²*Aspérges me hyssópo, et mundábor, lavábis me, et super nivem dealbábor.* ³*Audíre me fácies gáudium et letítiam, et exultábunt ossa, quæ contrivísti.* ⁴*Cor mundum crea in me, Deus, et spíritum firmum innova in viscéribus meis.*

Text: Antiphon, John 14:26; verses Psalm 51:3a, 9, 10, 12
Music: *Gregorian Missal*, Mode VIII

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION *[Please stand.]*

The Celebrant prays the prayer after communion.

℟. **Amen.**

CONCLUDING RITES

FINAL BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

℣. The Lord be with you.

℟. **And with your spirit.**

℣. [Blessed be the Name of the Lord.]

℟. [**Now and forever.**]

℣. [Our help is in the Name of the Lord.]

℟. [**Who made heaven and earth.**]

℣. ✠ May almighty God bless you.

℟. **Amen.**

PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Saint Michael the Archangel,

defend us in battle;

be our defense against the wickedness

and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;

and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God,

cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits

who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

PRELUDE

Fanfare

William Mathias
(1934–1992)