

# CHURCH of the IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

† The Ascension of the Lord • Thursday May 26, 2022 †



## INTRODUCTORY RITES

### PRAYER for the DECEASED

*Lector:* Eternal rest grant  
unto them, O Lord

*All:* And let perpetual light shine upon them. May their  
souls and the souls of all the faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN: *HAIL THE DAY THAT SEES HIM RISE*

LLANFAIR

1. Hail the day that sees him rise Al - le - lu - ia! To his throne a - bove the skies;  
2. There for him high tri-umph waits; Al - le - lu - ia! Lift your heads, e - ter - nal gates;  
3. High - est heav'n its Lord re - ceives, Al - le - lu - ia! Yet he loves the earth he leaves:

Al - le - lu - ia! Christ, a - while to mor - tals - given, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Al - le - lu - ia! He has con- quered death and sin; Al - le - lu - ia!  
Al - le - lu - ia! Though re - turn - ing to his throne, Al - le - lu - ia!

Re - as - cends his na - tive - heav'n Al - le - lu - ia!  
Still he calls the world his own. Al - le - lu - ia!  
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### GREETING

### PENITENTIAL RITE

### GLORIA

MASS of CHRIST the SAVIOR

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

We praise you, we bless you, we  
adore you, we glorify you, we  
give you thanks for your great  
glory, Lord God heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father. *℟*

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, lamb  
of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the  
world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the  
world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right  
hand, the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. *℟*

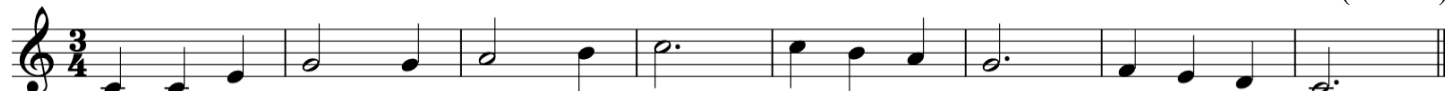
For you alone are the Holy One, you  
alone are the Lord, you alone are the  
Most High, Jesus Christ, with the  
Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the  
Father. Amen. *℟*



## THE LITURGY of the WORD

### FIRST READING

ACTS OF THE APOSTLES 1:1-11



God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

1. All peoples, clap your hands, cry to God with shouts of joy! For the Lord Most High we must fear, great King over all the earth. *℟*

2. God goes up with shouts of joy; the Lord goes up with trumpet blast. Sing praise for God, sing praise for God, sing praise to our King. *℟*


3. God is King of all the earth. Sing praise with all your skill. God is King over the nations; he reigns on his holy throne. *℟*

## SECOND READING

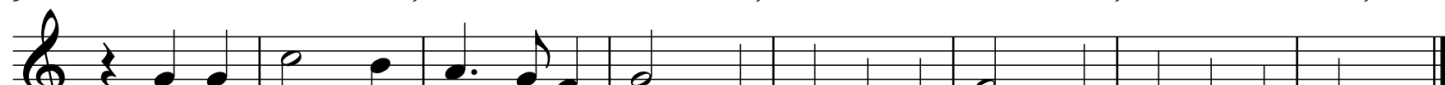
LETTER OF SAINT PAUL TO THE EPHESIANS 1:17-23

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

MASS of the RESURRECTION



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



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Verse: Go and teach all nations, says the Lord; I am with you always, until the end of the world. (Mt 28:19a, 20b)

## THE GOSPEL of the LORD

LUKE 24:46-53

## HOMILY

## PROFESSION of FAITH

THE NICENE CREED

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, (**bow**) 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

*℟*: Risen Lord, hear our prayer

## THE LITURGY of the EUCHARIST

PRESENTATION HYMN: *WE WALK BY FAITH*

MARTY HAUGEN (B. 1950)



1. We walk by faith and not by sight: No gra - cious words we hear  
2. We may not touch his hands and side, Nor fol - low where he trod;  
3. Help then, O Lord, our un - be - lief, And may our faith a bound;  
4. That when our life of faith is done In realms of clear - er light

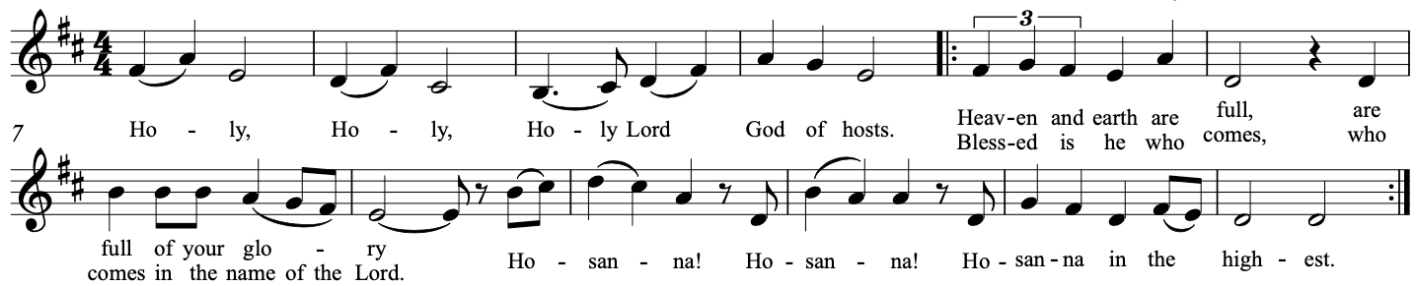


Of him who spoke as non e're spoke, But we be - lieve him near.  
Yet in his prom - ise we re - joice And cry "My Lord and God!"  
To call on you when you are near, And seek where you are found:  
We may be - hold you as you are In full and end - less sight.

## THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

### SANCTUS

MASS of CHRIST the SAVIOR



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

### MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

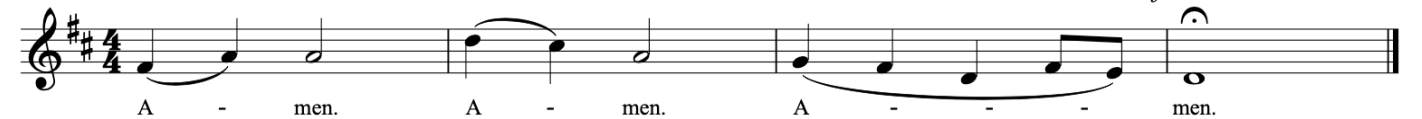
MASS of CHRIST the SAVIOR



When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

### AMEN

MASS of CHRIST the SAVIOR



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

## COMMUNION RITE

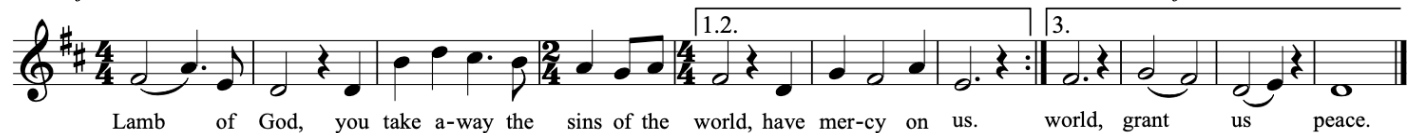
### THE LORD'S PRAYER

### THE SIGN of PEACE

### THE BREAKING of the BREAD

### LAMB of GOD

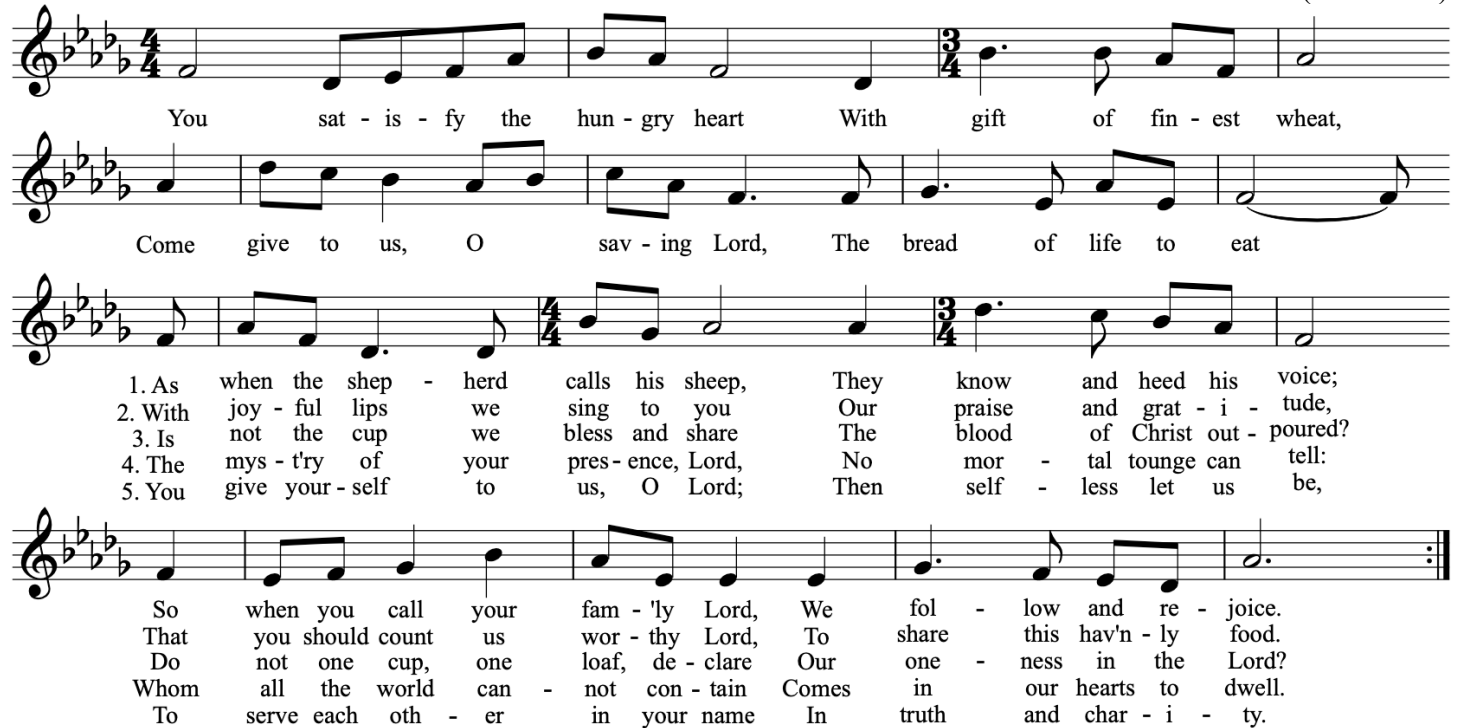
MASS of CHRIST the SAVIOR



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us. world, grant us peace.

## COMMUNION HYMN: GIFT OF FINEST WHEAT

ROBERT E. KREUTZ (1922-1996)



You sat - is - fy the hun - gry heart With gift of fin - est wheat,  
Come give to us, O sav - ing Lord, The bread of life to eat

1. As when the shep - herd calls his sheep, They know and heed his voice;  
2. With joy - ful lips we sing to you Our praise and grat - i - tude,  
3. Is not the cup we bless and share The blood of Christ out - poured?  
4. The mys - t'ry of your pres - ence, Lord, No mor - tal tounge can tell:  
5. You give your - self to us, O Lord; Then self - less let us be,

So when you call your fam - 'ly Lord, We fol - low and re - joice.  
That you should count us wor - thy Lord, To share this hav'n - ly food.  
Do not one cup, one loaf, de - clare Our one - ness in the Lord?  
Whom all the world can - not con - tain Comes in our hearts to dwell.  
To serve each oth - er in your name In truth and char - i - ty.



## CONCLUDING RITES

### BLESSING *and* DISMISSAL

#### CLOSING HYMN: *CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS*

DIADEMATA



1. Crown him with man-y crowns, The Lamb up - on his throne; All king-doms of the earth re-sound in praise of Him a-lone.
2. Crown him with Lord of life, Who tri-umphed o'er the grace, Who on the third day did a-rise And hope to sin-ners gave
3. Crown him the Lord of heav'n, Where an-gels sing a-bove; Crown him the King, to whom is giv'n The won-drous name of Love



A - wake, my soul, and sing Of him who died for thee, And hail him as thy ris-en King For all e - ter - ni - ty.  
His glo - ry now we sing, Who died and rose on high, Who came e - ter - nal life to bring, Who lives, no more to die.  
Crown him with man - y crowns, As thrones be - fore him fall. Through - out the earth his praise re-sounds For he is Lord of all.



In thanksgiving for all those at our liturgy who Preside at our prayer, welcome God's people, proclaim God's word, lead and inspire us in song, serve at our liturgy, prepare our liturgy and worship space, minister the Holy Eucharist, and for all who pray and celebrate with us this day.

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