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17th May 2020
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S. Pascal Baylon, C.

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Organ—Prelude and Fugue on a Theme of Vittoria

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The Vidi Aquam

Ant. I saw water * proceeding out of the temple, on the right side, alleluia; and all to whom that water came were saved, and they shall say: alleluia, alleluia. *Ps. 118, 1.* O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is gracious: because his mercy endureth for ever. *℣.* Glory be. I saw water.

℣. O Lord show thy mercy upon us, alleluia. *℟.* And grant us thy salvation, alleluia.

℣. O Lord, hear my prayer; *℟.* And let my cry come unto thee.

℣. The Lord be with you. *℟.* And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

GRACIOUSLY hear us, O Lord holy, Father almighty, everlasting God: and vouchsafe to send thy holy angel from heaven to guard and cherish, to protect and visit, and to defend all who dwell in this thy holy habitation. Through Christ our Lord. *℟.* Amen.

Then the Celebrant goes to the bench and vests for Mass.

Introit—*Is. 48, 20*

Please kneel and stand as the servers so do.

WITH a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard, alleluia: utter it even unto the end of the earth: the Lord hath delivered his people, alleluia, alleluia. *Ps. 66, 1.* O be joyful in God, all ye lands, sing praises unto the honour of his name: make his praise to be glorious. *℣.* Glory be. With a voice.

Kyrie Eleison

<i>Kýrie, eléison. iij. Christe, eléison. iij.</i>	<i>Lord, have mercy upon us. iij. Christ, have</i>
<i>Kýrie, eléison. iij.</i>	<i>mercy upon us. iij. Lord, have mercy upon us. iij.</i>

Gloria in excelsis

GLORY be to God on high. And in earth peace good will towards men. We praise thee. We bless thee. We worship thee. We glorify thee. We give thanks to thee for thy great glory. O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son Jesu Christ. O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father. That takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art Holy. Thou only art the Lord. Thou only, O Jesu Christ, with the Holy Ghost, **✠** art Most High in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

℣ The Lord be with you. ℞ And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

O GOD, from whom all good things do come, grant to us thy humble servants: that by thy inspiration we may think those things that be right; and by thy guiding may perform the same. Through. ℞ Amen.

Let us pray.

O GOD, who didst endue thy blessed Confessor Paschal with wondrous love toward the sacred mysteries of thy Body and Blood: mercifully grant; that, as he from this heavenly banquet received abundance of spiritual grace, so we may be found worthy likewise to receive the same.

ALMIGHTY God, despise not thy people who cry to thee in their affliction: but for the glory of thy name mercifully assist them in their tribulation. Through. ℞ Amen.

The Epistle

The Lesson from the Epistle of blessed James the Apostle.

James 1, 22–27

DEARLY beloved: Be ye doers of the Word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves. For if any be a hearer of the Word, and not a doer: he is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a glass: for he beholdeth himself, and goeth his way, and straightway forgetteth what manner of man he was. But whoso looketh into the perfect law of liberty, and continueth therein, he being not a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work: this man shall be blessed in his deed. If any man among you seem to be religious, and bridleth not his tongue, but deceiveth his own heart, this man's religion is vain. Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this: To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world.. ℞ Thanks be to God.

Alleluia, alleluia. ℣ Christ is risen, and hath shewed light unto us, whom he hath redeemed with his blood. Alleluia. ℣ *John 16, 28.* I came forth from the Father, and am come into the world: again I leave the world, and go to the Father. Alleluia.

The Holy Gospel

Please stand for the Gospel.

℣ The Lord be with you. ℞ And with thy spirit.

John 16, 23–30

℣ ✠ The Continuation of the Holy Gospel according to John. ℞ Glory be to thee, O Lord.

AT that time: Jesus said unto his disciples: Verily, verily, I say unto you: Whatsoever ye shall ask the Father in my name, he will give it you. Hitherto have ye asked nothing in my name: Ask, and ye shall receive, that your joy may be full. These things have I spoken unto you in proverbs. The time cometh when I shall no more speak unto you in proverbs, but I shall shew you plainly of the Father. At that day ye shall ask in my name: and I say not unto you, that I will pray the Father for you: for the Father himself loveth you, because ye have loved me, and have believed that I came out from God. I came forth from the Father, and am come into the world: again, I leave the world, and go to the

Father. His disciples said unto him: Lo, now speakest thou plainly, and speakest no proverb. Now are we sure that thou knowest all things, and needest not that any man should ask thee: by this we believe that thou camest forth from God. ℞ Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Homily—Fr Alton

Please be seated.

Nicene Creed

Please kneel for the Creed.

I BELIEVE in one God. The Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God. Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, light of light, very God of very God. Begotten not made, being of one substance with the Father: by whom all things were made. Who for us men, and for our salvation came down from heaven. *Here genuflect.* And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary: And was made man. *Here arise.* And was crucified also for us: under Pontius Pilate he suffered, and was buried. And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures. And ascended into heaven: and sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead: Whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, and giver of life: who proceedeth from the Father and the Son. Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified: who spake by the Prophets. And I believe one holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the resurrection of the dead. ✠ And the life of the world to come. Amen.

℣ The Lord be with you. ℞ And with thy spirit. ℣ Let us pray.

Offertory. Ps. 66, 8–9 & 20. O praise the Lord our God, ye people, and make the voice of his praise to be heard: who holdeth our soul in life, and suffereth not our feet to slip: praised be the Lord who hath not cast out my prayer, nor turned his mercy from me, alleluia, alleluia.

Orate Fratres

PRAY, brethren: that this my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable unto God the Father almighty. ℞ The Lord receive the sacrifice at thy hands, to the praise and glory of his name, both to our benefit, and that of all his holy Church.

Secrets

RECEIVE, O Lord, the prayers and oblations of thy faithful people: that through this observance of our bounden devotion we may attain unto heavenly glory. Through.

WE offer thee, O Lord, this our sacrifice of praise to the honour of thy Saints: whereby we trust to be delivered from all evils both in this life and in that which is to come.

MERCIFULLY accept, O Lord, these sacrifices, which thou hast ordained to be the propitiation of our sins, and the means whereby of thy loving mercy we are restored to salvation. Through.

Preface of Easter

Throughout all ages, world without end. *℟*. Amen.

℣. The Lord be with you. *℟*. And with thy spirit.

℣. Lift up your hearts. *℟*. We lift them up unto the Lord.

℣. Let us give thanks unto our Lord God. *℟*. It is meet and right so to do.

IT is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times indeed glorify thee, O Lord, but chiefly on this day when Christ our Passover is sacrificed. For he is the very Lamb, which hath taken away the sins of the world. Who by his death hath destroyed death, and by his rising again hath restored to us life. And therefore with Angels and Archangels, with Thrones and Dominations, and with all the company of the heavenly host, we sing the majesty of thy glory, evermore praising thee, and saying:

Sanctus & Benedictus

HOLY, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts. Heaven and earth are full of Thy Glory. Hosanna in the highest. ✠ Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Canon of the Mass

Throughout all ages, world without end. *℟*. Amen.

Our Father

Let us pray: Comanded by saving precepts, and taught by divine institution, we are bold to say:

OUR Father, which art in heaven: hallowed be thy Name: Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread: And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us: And lead us not into temptation. *℟*. But deliver us from e-vil.

The Pax

Throughout all ages, world without end. *℟*. Amen.

The peace of the Lord be alway with you. *℟*. And with thy spirit.

Agnus Dei

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi:
miserére nobis.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi:
miserére nobis.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi:
dona nobis pacem.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the
world: have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the
world: have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the
world: grant us thy peace.

Communion. Ps. 96, 1. O sing unto the Lord, alleluia: sing unto the Lord, and praise his name: be telling of his salvation from day to day, alleluia, alleluia.

℣ The Lord be with you. ℞ And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

GRANT unto us, O Lord, that we, who have been fulfilled with the grace and power of this heavenly table: may both desire those things which be right, and effectually obtain all things that we desire. Through. ℞ Amen.

Let us pray.

OLORD our God, who hast refreshed us with heavenly meat and drink, we humbly beseech thee: that we may be defended by the prayers of him in whose memory we have received the same.

WE beseech thee, O Lord, mercifully look upon our tribulation: and turn from us the fury of thine anger, which we most righteously deserve Through. ℞ Amen.

Dismissal

℣ The Lord be with you. ℞ And with thy spirit.

℣ Ite missa est. ℞ Deo gr̄atias.

Blessing

Please kneel for the Blessing.

May Almighty God bless you, the Father the Son, ✠ and the Holy Ghost. ℞ Amen.

The Last Gospel

Please stand for the Last Gospel.

℣ The Lord be with you. ℞ And with thy spirit.

John 1, 1-14

✠ The Beginning of the holy Gospel according to John. ℞ Glory be to thee, O Lord.

IN the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by Him: and without Him was not anything made that was made. In Him was life, and the life was the light of men: and the light shineth in darkness, and the darkness comprehended it not. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. The same came for a witness, to bear witness of the light, that all men through him might believe. He was not that light, but was sent to bear witness of that light. That was the true light, which lighteth every man that cometh into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. He came unto his own, and his own received him not. But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name: which were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God. *Here genuflect:* And the Word

was made flesh, *Here rise:* and dwelt among us: and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the Only-begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth. ☩ Thanks be to God.

Organ—Grand Choeur in D (alla Handel)

Alexandre Guilmant

Anniversaries

- 18 May Craig Maue, Birth
Richard Webster Meyers, Priest & Curate, RIP (1995)
20 May Sister Mary Kathleen, SHN, RIP (1954)
21 May Ellen Lathrop Hopkins, RIP (1954)

Kalendar

- 18 May S. Venantius, M.; *Lesser Litanies*
19 May S. Peter Celestine, P.C. *Lesser Litanies*; *S. Prudentiana, V.*
20 May S. Bernadine of Sienna, C.; *Vigil*; *Lesser Litanies*
21 May ASCENSION DAY
22 May S. Rita of Cassia, W.; *Of the Octave*
23 May Of the Octave
24 May Sunday Within the Octave; *Our Lady Help of Christians*; *Of the Octave*



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Sunday

Low Mass 8.00

Rosary 10.30

Sung Mass 11.00

Vespers & Benediction 3.00

Monday–Friday

Low Mass 12.10

Vespers & Novena 5.30

Saturday

Low Mass 10.00

Rosary 10.30

(1st Saturdays)

Vespers & Novena 3.00