

The Fourth Sunday after Easter



28 April 2024

Vespers & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament 3.00

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AT VESPERS

Organ—

Pater noster. Ave Maria.

☩ ☩ Deus, in adiutorium meum intende.
℞ Dómine ad adiuvandum me festína.
Glória Patri, et Fílio, et Spirítui Sancto.
Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, et
in sæcula sæculórum. Amen. Allelúja.

Ant. Allelúja.

Psalmus 109

DIXIT Dóminus Dómino meo: * Sede a
dextris meis:

Donec ponam inimicos tuos, * scabellum
pedum tuórum.

Virgam virtútis tuæ emittet Dóminus ex
Sion: * dominare in médio inimicórum
tuórum.

Tecum princípium in die virtútis tuæ in
splendóribus sanctorum: * ex útero ante
lucíferum genui te.

Jurávit Dóminus, et non poenitébit eum: *
Tu es sacérdos in ætérnum secúndum
órdinem Melchisedech.

Dóminus a dextris tuis, * confrégit in die
iræ suæ reges.

Judicábit in natió nibus, implébit ruínas: *
conquassábit cápita in terra multórum.

De torrén te in via bibet: * proptérea
exaltábit caput.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper,
* et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

Our Father. Hail Mary.

☩ ☩ O God, make speed to save me. ℞ O
Lord, make haste to help me. Glory be to the
Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever
shall be, world without end. Amen. Alleluia.

Ant. Alleluia.

Psalm 110

THE Lord said unto my Lord, * Sit thou on
my right hand, until I make thine enemies
thy footstool.

The Lord shall send the rod of thy power out
of Sion: * be thou ruler, even in the midst
among thine enemies.

In the day of thy power shall the people offer
thee freewill offerings with an holy worship: * the
dew of thy birth is of the womb of the morning.

The Lord sware, and will not repent, * Thou
art a Priest for ever after the order of
Melchisedech.

The Lord upon thy right hand * shall wound
even kings in the day of his wrath.

He shall judge among the heathen; * he shall
fill the places with the dead bodies, and smite in
sunder the heads over divers countries.

He shall drink of the brook in the way; *
therefore shall he lift up his head.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and
to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever
shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Psalmus 110

CONFITEBOR tibi, Dómine, in toto corde meo: * in consílio justórum, et congregatióne.

Magna ópera Dómini: * exquisíta in omnes voluntátes ejus.

Conféssio et magnificéntia opus ejus: * et justítia ejus manet in sáculum sáculi.

Memóriam fecit mirabílium suórum, † miséricors et miserátor Dóminus: * escam dedit timéntibus se.

Memor erit in sáculum testaménti sui: * virtútem óperum suórum annuntiábit pópulo suo:

Ut det illis hereditátem géntium: * ópera mánuum ejus véritas, et judícium.

Fidélia ómnia mandáta ejus: † confirmáta in sáculum sáculi, * facta in veritate et æquitáte.

Redemptiónem misit pópulo suo: * mandávit in ætérnum testaméntum suum.

Sanctum, et terríbile nomen ejus: * iníitium sapiéntiæ timor Dómini.

Intelléctus bonus ómnibus faciéntibus eum: * laudátio ejus manet in sáculum sáculi.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, * et in sácula sæculórum. Amen.

Psalmus 111

BEATUS vir, qui timet Dóminum: * in mandátis ejus volet nimis.

Potens in terra erit semen ejus: * generátio rectórum benedicétur.

Psalm 111

IWILL give thanks unto the Lord with my whole heart, * secretly among the faithful, and in the congregation.

The works of the Lord are great, * sought out of all them that have pleasure therein.

His work is worthy to be praised, and had in honour, * and his righteousness endureth for ever.

The merciful and gracious Lord hath so done his marvellous works, * that they ought to be had in remembrance.

He hath given meat unto them that fear him; * he shall ever be mindful of his Covenant.

He hath shewed his people the power of his works, * that he may give them the heritage of the heathen.

The works of his hands are verity and judgement; * all his commandments are true.

They stand fast for ever and ever, * and are done in truth and equity.

He sent redemption unto his people; * he hath commanded his covenant for ever; holy and reverend is his Name.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; * a good understanding have all they that do thereafter; the praise of it endureth for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Psalm 112

BLESSED is the man that feareth the Lord; * he hath great delight in his commandments.

His seed shall be mighty upon earth; * the

Glória, et divítiaē in domo ejus: * et justítia ejus manet in sáculum sáculi.

Exórtum est in ténebris lumen rectis: * miséricors, et miserátor, et justus.

Jucúndus homo qui miserétur et cōmodat, † dispónet sermónes suos in judício: * quia in aetérnum non commovébitur.

In memória aetérna erit justus: * ab auditióne mala non timébit.

Parátum cor ejus speráre in Dómino, † confirmátum est cor ejus: * non commovébitur donec despiciat inimicos suos.

Dispérsit, dedit paupéribus: † justítia ejus manet in sáculum sáculi, * cornu ejus exaltábitur in glória.

Peccátor vidébit, et irascétur, † déntibus suis fremet et tabéscet: * desidérium peccatórum períbit.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, * et in sácula sáculórum. Amen.

Psalmus 112

LAUDATE, púeri, Dóminum: * laudáte nomen Dómini.

Sit nomen Dómini benedíctum, * ex hoc nunc, et usque in sáculum.

A solis ortu usque ad occásum, * laudábile nomen Dómini.

Excélsus super omnes gentes Dóminus, * et super cælos glória ejus.

Quis sicut Dóminus, Deus noster, qui in altis hábitat, * et humília réspicit in cælo et in terra?

generation of the faithful shall be blessed.

Riches and plenteousness shall be in his house; * and his righteousness endureth for ever.

Unto the godly there ariseth up light in the darkness; * he is merciful, loving, and righteous.

A good man is merciful, and lendeth; * and will guide his words with discretion.

For he shall never be moved: * and the righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance.

He will not be afraid of any evil tidings; * for his heart standeth fast, and believeth in the Lord.

His heart is established, and will not shrink, * until he see his desire upon his enemies.

He hath dispersed abroad, and given to the poor, * and his righteousness remaineth for ever; his horn shall be exalted with honour.

The ungodly shall see it, and it shall grieve him; * he shall gnash with his teeth, and consume away; the desire of the ungodly shall perish.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Psalm 113

PRAISE the Lord, ye servants; * O praise the Name of the Lord.

Blessed be the Name of the Lord * from this time forth for evermore.

The Lord's Name is praised * from the rising up of the sun unto the going down of the same.

The Lord is high above all heathen * and his glory above the heavens.

Who is like unto the Lord our God, that hath his dwelling so high, * and yet humbleth himself to behold the things that are in heaven and earth!

Súscitans a terra ínopem, * et de stércore érigens páuperem:

Ut cóllocet eum cum princípibus, * cum princípibus pópuli sui.

Qui habitáre facit stérilem in domo, * matrem filiórum lætántem.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sácula sæculórum. Amen.

Psalmus 113

IN éxitu Israël de Ægýpto, * domus Jacob de pópulo bárbaro:

Facta est Judæa sanctificátio ejus, * Israël potéstas ejus.

Mare vidit, et fugit: * Jordánis convérsus est retrórsum.

Montes exsultavérunt ut aríetes, * et colles sicut agni óvium.

Quid est tibi, mare, quod fugísti: * et tu, Jordánis, quia convérsus es retrórsum?

Montes, exsultástis sicut aríetes, * et colles sicut agni óvium.

A fácie Dómini mota est terra, * a fácie Dei Jacob.

Qui convértit petram in stagna aquárum, * et rupem in fontes aquárum.

Non nobis, Dómine, non nobis: * sed nómini tuo da glóriam.

Super misericórdia tua, et veritáte tua: * nequándo dicant gentes: Ubi est Deus eórum?

Deus autem noster in cælo: * ómnia quæcúmque vóluit, fecit.

He taketh up the simple out of the dust, * and lifteth the poor out of the mire;

That he may set him with the princes, * even with the princes of his people.

He maketh the barren woman to keep house, * and to be a joyful mother of children.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Psalms 114–115

WHEN Israel came out of Egypt, * and the house of Jacob from among the strange people,

Judah was his sanctuary, * and Israel his dominion.

The sea saw that, and fled; * Jordan was driven back.

The mountains skipped like rams, * and the little hills like young sheep.

What aileth thee, O thou sea, that thou fleddest? * and thou Jordan, that thou wast driven back?

Ye mountains, that ye skipped like rams? * and ye little hills, like young sheep?

Tremble, thou earth, at the presence of the Lord: * at the presence of the God of Jacob;

Who turned the hard rock into a standing water, * and the flint-stone into a springing well.

Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, † but unto thy Name give the praise; * for thy loving mercy, and for thy truth's sake.

Wherefore shall the heathen say, * Where is now their God?

Simulácula géntium argéntum, et aurum, *
ópera mánuum hóminum.

Os habent, et non loquéntur: * óculos
habent, et non vidébunt.

Aures habent, et non áudient: * nares
habent, et non odorábunt.

Manus habent, et non palpábunt: † pedes
habent, et non ambulábunt: * non clamábunt
in gútture suo.

Símiles illis fiant qui fáciunt ea: * et omnes
qui confidunt in eis.

Domus Israël sperávit in Dómino: *
adjútor eórum et protéctor eórum est,

Domus Aaron sperávit in Dómino: *
adjútor eórum et protéctor eórum est,

Qui timent Dóminum, speravérunt in
Dómino: * adjútor eórum et protéctor
eórum est.

Dóminus memor fuit nostri: * et benedíxit
nobis:

Benedíxit dómui Israël: * benedíxit dómui
Aaron.

Benedíxit ómnibus, qui timent Dóminum,
* pusíllis cum majóribus.

Adjíciat Dóminus super vos: * super vos, et
super filios vestros.

Benedícti vos a Dómino, * qui fecit cælum,
et terram.

Cælum cæli Dómino: * terram autem dedit
filiis hóminum.

Non mórtui laudábunt te, Dómine: * neque
omnes, qui descéndunt in inférnum.

Sed nos qui vívimus, benedícimus Dómino,
* ex hoc nunc et usque in sáculum.

As for our God, he is in heaven: * he hath
done whatsoever pleased him.

Their idols are silver and gold, * even the work
of men's hands.

They have mouths, and speak not; * eyes have
they, and see not.

They have ears, and hear not; * noses have
they, and smell not.

They have hands, and handle not; † feet have
they, and walk not; * neither speak they through
their throat.

They that make them are like unto them; *
and so are all such as put their trust in them.

But thou, house of Israel, trust thou in the
Lord; * he is their succour and defence.

Ye house of Aaron, put your trust in the Lord;
* he is their helper and defender.

Ye that fear the Lord, put your trust in the
Lord; * he is their helper and defender.

The Lord hath been mindful of us, and he
shall bless us; * even he shall bless the house of
Israel, he shall bless the house of Aaron.

He shall bless them that fear the Lord, * both
small and great.

The Lord shall increase you more and more, *
you and your children.

Ye are the blessed of the Lord, * who made
heaven and earth.

All the whole heavens are the Lord's; * the
earth hath he given to the children of men.

The dead praise not thee, O Lord, * neither all
they that go down into silence.

But we will praise the Lord, * from this time
forth for evermore. Praise the Lord.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper,
* et in sácula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Allelúja, allelúja, allelúja.

Capitulum **Jacobi 1, 17**

CARISSIMI: Omne datum óptimum, et
Comne donum perféctum desúrsum est,
descéndens a Patre lúminum, † apud quem
non est transmutátio, * nec vicissitúdinis
obumbrátio. ℞: Deo grátias.

Hymnus

AD cœnam Agni próvidi,
Et stolis albis cándidi,
Post tránsitum maris Rubri,
Christo canámus príncipi.

Cujus corpus sanctíssimum,
In ara crucis tórridum,
Cruóre ejus róseo
Gustándo vívimus Deo.

Protécti Paschæ véspere
A devastánte Ángelo,
Erépti de duríssimo
Pharaónis império.

Jam Pascha nostrum Christus est,
Qui immolátus agnus est:
Sinceritátis ázyna,
Caro ejus obláta est.

O vere digna hóstia,
Per quam fracta sunt tártara,
Redémpta plebs captiváta,
Reddíta vitæ præmia.

Consúrgit Christus túmulo,
Victor redit de bárathro,

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and
to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever
shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Ant. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Chapter **James 1, 17**

DEARLY beloved: Every good gift and every
perfect gift is from above, and cometh
down from the Father of lights, † with whom is
no variableness, * neither shadow of turning.
℞: Thanks be to God.

Hymn

THE Lamb's high banquet we await
In snow-white robes of royal state:
And now, the Red Sea's channel past,
To Christ our Prince we sing at last.

Upon the Altar of the Cross
His Body hath redeemed our loss:
And tasting of his roseate Blood,
Our life is hid with him in God.

That Paschal Eve God's arm was bared,
The devastating Angel spared:
By strength of hand our hosts went free
From Pharaoh's ruthless tyranny.

Now Christ, our Paschal Lamb, is slain,
The Lamb of God that knows no stain,
The true Oblation offered here,
Our own unleavened Bread sincere.

O thou, from whom hell's monarch flies,
O great, O very Sacrifice,
Thy captive people are set free,
And endless life restored in Thee.

For Christ, arising from the dead,
From conquered hell victorious sped,

Tyránumm trudenſ v́nculo,
Et Parad́sum réſerans.

Quáſumus, Auctor ómnium,
In hoc paſcháli gáudio,
Ab omni mortis ímpetu,
Tuum defénde pópulum.

Gloria tibi Dómine,
Qui surrex́ſti a mórtuis,
Cum Patre et Sancto Sṕritu,
In ſempitérna ſácula. Amen.

Ÿ Mane nob́ſcum, Dómine, allelúja.
Œ Quóniam adveſperáſcit, allelúja.

Ad Mag. Ant. Vado ad eum.

Canticum Beatæ Mariæ Virginis

MAGNIFICAT * ánima mea Dóminum.
Et exultávit sṕritus meus: * in
Deo, ſalutári meo.

Quia reſpéxit humilitátem ancíllæ ſuæ: *
ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes
generatiónes.

Quia fecit mihi magna, qui potens eſt: * et
ſanctum nomen ejuſ.

Et miſericórdia ejuſ, a progénie in
progénies: * tíméntibus eum.

Fecit poténtiam in bráchio ſuo: * diſpérsit
ſupérbos mente cordis ſui.

Depóſuit poténtes de ſede: * et exaltávit
húmiles.

Eſuriéntes implévit bonis: * et dívites
dimíſit inánes.

Suſcépit Iſraél púerum ſuum: * recordátus
miſericórdiæ ſuæ.

Sicut locútuſ eſt ad patres noſtros: *
Abraham, et ſémini ejuſ in ſácula.

And thruſt the tyrant down to chains,
And Paradíſe for man regains.

We pray Thee, King with glory decked,
In thiſ our Paſchal joy, protect
From all that death would fain effect
Thy ransomed flock, Thine own elect.

All praise be thine, O riſen Lord,
From death to endless life reſtored;
Whom with the Father we adore,
And Holy Ghost, for evermore. Amen.

Ÿ Abide with uſ, O Lord, alleluia. Œ For it iſ
toward evening, alleluia.

Ant. on Mag. I go my way.

Canticle of the Blessed Virgin Mary

MY ſoul doth magnify the Lord, * and my
ſpirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

For he hath regarded * the lowlineſſ of hiſ
handmaiden.

For behold, from henceforth * all generationſ
ſhall call me bleſſed.

For he that iſ mighty hath magnified me; *
and holy iſ hiſ Name.

And hiſ mercy iſ on them that fear him *
throughout all generationſ.

He hath ſhewed ſtrength with hiſ arm; * he
hath ſcattered the proud in the imagination of
their heartſ.

He hath put down the mighty from their ſeat,
* and hath exalted the humble and meek;

He hath filled the hungry with good thingſ; *
and the rich he hath ſent empty away.

He remembering hiſ mercy hath holpen hiſ
ſervant Iſrael; * aſ he promiſed to our forefatherſ,
Abraham and hiſ ſeed, for ever.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper,
* et in sácula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Vado ad eum qui misit me: sed quia
hæc locútus sum vobis, tristítia implévit cor
vestrum, allelúja.

℣ Dóminus vobíscum. ℞ Et cum spírítu tuo.

Orémus.

DEUS, qui fidélium mentes uníus éfficis
voluntátis: da pópulis tuis id amáre
quod præcipis, id desideráre quod promíttis;
ut inter mundánas varietátes ibi nostra fixa
sint corda, ubi vera sunt gáudia. Per
Dóminum. ℞ Amen.

For Peter, M.

Ant. Lux perpétua * lucébit Sanctis tuis,
Dómine, et ætérnitas téporum, allelúja.

℣ Sancti et justi in Dómino gaudéte,
allelúja. ℞ Vos elégit Deus in hereditátem
sibi, allelúja.

Orémus.

PRÆSTA, quásumus, omnípotens Deus:
ut beáti Petri Mártyris tui fidem
cóngrua devotióne sectémur; qui, pro
ejúsdem fidei dilatatióne, mártýrii palmam
mérúit obtinére.

For Paul of the Cross, C.

Ant. Hic vir despíciens mundum * et
terréna, triúmphans, divítias cælo cóndidit
ore, manu, allelúja.

℣ Justum dedúxit Dóminus per vias rectas,
allelúja. ℞ Et osténdit illi regnum Dei,
allelúja.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and
to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever
shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Ant. I go my way to him that sent me, but
because I have said these things unto you,
sorrow hath filled your heart, alleluia.

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

Let us pray.

OGOD, who makest the faithful to be of one
mind and will: grant unto thy people, that
they may love the thing which thou commandest,
and desire that which thou dost promise; that so
amid the sundry and manifold changes of the
world our hearts may there be fixed, where true
joys are to be found. Through. ℞ Amen.

Ant. Light perpetual * shall shine upon thy
Saints, O Lord, and an ageless eternity, alleluia.

℣ O ye holy and righteous, rejoice in the
Lord, alleluia. ℞ For God hath chosen you for
his inheritance, alleluia.

Let us pray.

GRANT, we beseech thee, almighty God: that
as blessed Peter, thy Martyr, in the preaching
of thy faith, was found worthy to gain the palm of
martyrdom; so we likewise may do thee worthy ser-
vice, and steadfastly follow the example of his faith.

Ant. This man despising the world, * and
triumphing over earthly things, hath laid up
treasure in heaven by word and deed, alleluia.

℣ The Lord guided the righteous in right paths,
alleluia. ℞ And shewed him the kingdom of God,
alleluia.

Orémus.

DOMINE Jesu Christe, qui, ad mysterium crucis prædicandum, sanctum Paulum singulâri caritate donasti, et per eum novam in Ecclesia familiam florêscere voluisti: ipsius nobis intercessione concède; ut, passionem tuam júgiter recolentes in terris, ejúsdem fructum cónsequi mereámur in cælis. Qui vivis et regnas cum Deo Patre. ℞. Amen.

℣. Dóminus vobíscum. ℞. Et cum spírítu tuo.

℣. Benedicámus Dómino. ℞. Deo grátias.

℣. ✠ Fidélium ánimæ per misericórdiam Dei requiêscant in pace. ℞. Amen.

Pater noster.

℣. ✠ Dóminus det nobis suam pacem. ℞. Et vitam ætérnam. Amen.

Marian Antiphon

Ant. Regína cæli, * lætâre, allelúja; Quia quem meruisti portâre, allelúja, Resurréxit, sicut dixit, allelúja: Ora pro nobis Deum, allelúja.

℣. Gaude et lætâre, Virgo María, allelúja. ℞. Quia surrêxit Dóminus vere, allelúja.

Orémus.

DEUS, qui per resurrectionem Filii tui, Dómini nostri Jesu Christi, mundum lætificâre dignátus es: præsta, quæsumus; ut, per ejus Genitricem Virginem Mariam, perpétuæ capiámus gáudia vitæ. Per eúndem Christum Dóminum nostrum. ℞. Amen.

℣. ✠ Divinum auxiliúmaneat semper nobíscum. ℞. Amen.

Let us pray.

OLORD Jesu Christ, who for the preaching of the mystery of the Cross didst endure Saint Paul with singular charity, and through him didst will that a new household should flourish: grant to us through his intercession; that we, continually recalling thy Passion on earth, may be found worthy to attain unto the benefits of the same in heaven: Who livest and reignest with God the Father. ℞. Amen.

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

℣. Let us bless the Lord. ℞. Thanks be to God.

℣. ✠ May the souls of the faithful, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. ℞. Amen.

Our Father.

℣. ✠ The Lord give us his peace. ℞. And life everlasting. Amen.

Ant. Joy to thee, * O Queen of Heaven, alleluia; He whom thou wast meet to bear, alleluia, As he promised, hath arisen, alleluia: Pour for us to God thy prayer, alleluia.

℣. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia. ℞. For the Lord hath arisen indeed, alleluia.

Let us pray.

OGOD, who by the resurrection of thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ hast vouchsafed to give joy to the whole world: grant, we beseech thee; that through the help of his Mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. ℞. Amen.

℣. ✠ May the divine assistance remain with us always. ℞. Amen.

The Novena Prayers

Hymn—Iste Confessor

ISTE Confessor Dómini sacrátus
Festa plebs cujus célebrat per orbem,
Hac die lætus méruit suprémus,
Laudis honóres.

Qui pius, prudens, húmilis, pudícus,
Sóbrius, castus fuit et quiétus:
Vita, dum præsens vegetávit ejus
Córporis artus.

Ad sacrum cujus túmulum fréquénter,
Membra languéntem modo sanitáti,
Quólibet morbo fúerint graváta,
Restituúntur.

Unde nunc noster chorus in honórem
Ípsius hymnum canit nunc libénter,
Ut piis ejus méritis juvémur
Omne per ævum.

Sit salus illi decus atque virtus,
Qui supra cœli résidens cacúmen,
Tótius mundi máchinam gubérnat,
Trinus et unus. Amen.

HE, whose confession God of old accepted,
Whom through the ages all now hold in
honour,
On this his feast day year by year receiveth
Merited honors.

God-fearing, watchful, pure of mind and body,
Holy and humble, thus did all men find him;
While, through his members, to the life immortal
Mortal life called him.

Thus to the weary, from the life enshrined,
Potent in virtue, flowed humane compassion;
Sick and sore laden, howsoever burdened,
There they found healing.

So now in chorus, giving God the glory,
Raise we our anthem gladly to his honour,
That in fair kinship we may all be sharers
Here and hereafter.

Honour and glory, power and salvation,
Be in the highest unto him who reigneth
Changeless in heaven over earthly changes,
Triune, eternal. Amen.

At Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament

O SALUTARIS Hóstia,
Quæ cæli pandis óstium

Bella premunt hostília,
Da róbur, fer auxiliúm.

Uni trinóque Dómino,
Sit sempitérna glória
Qui vitam sine término
Nobis donet in pátria. Amen.

O SAVING Victim! opening wide
The gate of heaven to man below,

Our foes press on from every side,
Thine aid supply, thy strength bestow.

All praise and thanks to thee ascend
For evermore, blest One in Three;
O grant us life that shall not end,
In our true native land with thee. Amen.

Devotions follow, which conclude: V. Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, R. Have mercy upon us. iij.

TANTUM ergo Sacraméntum
Venerémur cernui:

Et antíquum documéntum
Novo cedat ritui
Præstet fides suppleméntum
Sénsuum deféctui.

Genitóri Genitóque
Laus et jubilátio:
Salus, honor, virtus quoque
Sit et benedíctio:
Procedénti ab utróque
Compar sit laudátio. Amen.

V. Panem de cælo præstitisti eis allelúja.
R. Omne delectaméntum in se habéntem
allelúja.

Orémus.

DEUS, qui nobis sub Sacraménto
mirábili, passiónis tuæ memóriam
reliquísti: tríbuæ quæsumus, ita nos Córporis
et Sánguinis tui sacra mystéria venerári; ut
redemptiónis tuæ fructum in nobis júgiter
sentiamus: Qui vivis et regnas in sæcula
sæculórum. R. Amen.

THEREFORE we, before him bending,
This great Sacrament revere;

Types and shadows have their ending,
For the newer rite is here;
Faith, our outward sense befriending,
Makes our inward vision clear.

Glory let us give and blessing
To the Father and the Son,
Honour, thanks and praise addressing
While eternal ages run;
Ever too his love confessing
Who from both with Both is One. Amen.

V. Thou gavest them Bread from heaven,
alleluia. R. Containing within itself all sweetness,
alleluia.

Let us pray.

O GOD, who in a wonderful Sacrament hast
left unto us a memorial of thy passion:
grant us, we beseech thee, so to venerate the
sacred mysteries of thy Body and Blood; that we
may ever perceive within ourselves the fruit of thy
redemption: Who livest and reignest, world
without end. R. Amen.

The Divine Praises

Blessed be God.

Blessed be his holy Name.

Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God, and true Man.

Blessed be the Name of Jesus.

Blessed be his most Sacred Heart.

Blessed be his most Precious Blood.

Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.

Blessed be the Holy Ghost, the Comforter.

Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy.

Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception.

Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.

Blessed be the Name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.

Blessed be Saint Joseph, her most chaste spouse.

Blessed be God in his Angels and in his Saints.

May the Heart of Jesus, in the Most Blessed Sacrament, be praised, adored, and loved with grateful affection, at every moment, in all the tabernacles of the world, even to the end of time. Amen.

Ant. Adorémus in ætérnum * Sanctíssimum Sacraméntum. Allelúja.

Psalmus 116. Laudáte Dóminum, omnes Gentes: * laudáte eum, omnes pópuli:

Quóniam confirmáta est super nos misericórdia ejus: * et véritas Dómini manet in ætérnum.

Ant. Adorémus in ætérnum * Sanctíssimum Sacraméntum. Allelúja.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spiritúi Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, * et in sácula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Adorémus in ætérnum * Sanctíssimum Sacraméntum. Allelúja.

Ant. Let us forever adore * the Most Holy Sacrament. Alleluia.

Psalm 117. O praise the Lord, all ye heathen * praise him, all ye nations:

For his merciful kindness is ever more and more towards us * and the truth of the Lord endureth for ever.

Ant. Let us forever adore the Most Holy Sacrament. Alleluia.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be * world without end. Amen.

Ant. Let us forever adore the Most Holy Sacrament. Alleluia.

Parish Notes

Vespers is chanted in Latin at 3.00 on Sunday afternoons, preceded by a rehearsal at 2.15, please join us.

Thursday, 9 May, Ascension Day, Procession & Solemn Mass 7.00 p.m.

Anniversaries

- 28 April Oliver Ruth, Birth
Alonzo Parker Curtiss, Priest, RIP (1940)
Nelson Kellogg, Priest & Curate, RIP (1940)
Robert Wilson Verner, Benefactor, RIP (1953)
- 29 April John Bower-Marty, Birth
Lorna Mae Elliott, Birth
Sarah G. Sayles, RIP (1985)
- 1 May Mary Alice Lewis Neilson, Benefactress, RIP (1947)
Thomas Sprissler, Benefactor, RIP
- 3 May Emily Sprissler Landaur, Benefactress, RIP

Kalendar

- 29 April S. Peter, M.
30 April S. Catherine of Sienna, V.
1 May SS. PHILIP & JAMES, APP.
2 May S. Athanasius, B.C.D.
3 May INVENTION OF THE HOLY CROSS; *S. Alexander I, P, Eventius & Theodulus, Mm., & Juvenal, B.C.*
4 May S. Monica, W.
5 May Easter V; *S. Pius V, P.C.*

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The Ascension of the Lord



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Low Mass 8.00
Centering Prayer 9.30
Rosary 10.00
Terce 10.30
Solemn 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

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