

MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

JANUARY 1, 2017

11:00AM PRELUDE: Alma Redemptoris Mater

Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina (c. 1525-1594)

Alma Redemptoris Mater, quæ pervia
cæli porta manes, et stella maris,
succurre cadenti, surgere qui curat,
populo; Tu quæ genuisti, natura
mirante, tuum sanctum Genitorem
Virgo prius ac posterius, Gabrielis ab
ore sumens illud Ave, peccatorum
miserere.

*Loving Mother of the Redeemer, you
remain the gateway to heaven and star
of the sea. Rise up to help the falling,
and care for your people. You who gave
wondrous birth to your Creator, Virgin
first and last, by the "Ave" from
Gabriel's mouth, have mercy on us
sinners.*

GATHERING SONG (EXCLUSIVE OF 9:00AM): We Sing of Holy Mary

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1. O God, your Church is sing - ing in praise to you, Most High.
2. We sing with ho - ly Ma - ry in spir - it, heart and voice.



Our thank - ful bless - ings ring - ing: you, Lord, we mag - ni - fy.
Your Word in - car - nate bear - ing, in you our souls re - joice!



The whole cre - a - tion gath - ers with Ma - ry full of grace,
You chose her for your moth - er and named her "fa - vored one"



With proph - ets, saints, and mar - tyrs who see you face to face.
For Christ, our Lord and broth - er, your own be - lov - ed Son.



She crowns their song un - dy - ing a - round the Lamb en - throned,
Grace us to live her sto - ry to serve you as we ought;



The Bride and Spir - it cry - ing "Lord Je - sus, quick - ly come!"
To sing, in end - less glo - ry, our own Mag - nif - i - cat!

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(SATURDAY) 4:00PM, 9:00AM RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Psalm 67: May God Bless Us in His Mercy

Alonso

Refrain:



May God bless us in his mer-cy. May God bless us in his mer-cy.

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7:30AM & 1:00PM RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 67: May God Bless Us in His Mercy

Alstott

Refrain:



May God bless us in his mer - cy.

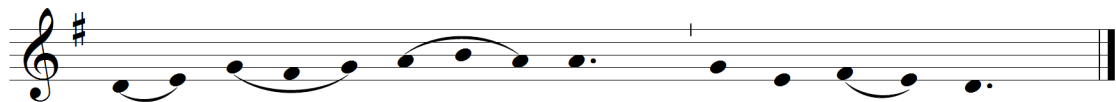
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11:00AM RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 67: May God Bless Us in His Mercy

Kelly

Refrain:



May God bless us in his mer - cy.

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11:00AM PREPARATION OF GIFTS (CHORAL ANTHEM):

Como Estrella en Claro Cielo

Chávez-Melo, arr. Proulx

Como Estrella en claro cielo
De fulgente resplandor,
Escogida fue María
Por designio del Señor.
Es cual rosa que florece
Entre cardos de un jardín;
Es doncella, virgen pura,
Del linaje de David.

*As a star on cloudless evenings
Will with greater brilliance shine,
So resplendent was the maiden
Chosen for the Lord's design:
Fairest rose in all earth's garden,
Blooming on a thorny vine,
Virgin mother, pure of spirit,
Sprung from David's royal line.*

Fue un ángel quien le diera
Bellas nuevas de salud,
Ya mediados de una noche
Dios al mundo envió la luz.
Es su fruto engendrado,
Del Creador, supremo don;
Es Jesús, Verbo Encarnado,
Del humano, redención.

*When the angel spoke to Mary,
His good news brought great delight:
He foretold the Light's appearance
When but half-spent was the night.
It was God's only begotten,
The Creator's gift supreme:
Jesus Christ, the Word incarnate,
Sent to comfort and redeem.*

De la paja al madero
Fue asu hijo siempre fiel
Y entre lágrimas y risas
Consagró su vida a Él.
Hoy celebro su alegría,
Hoy celebro su dolor,
Madre tierna y abnegada
Del bandito Salvador.

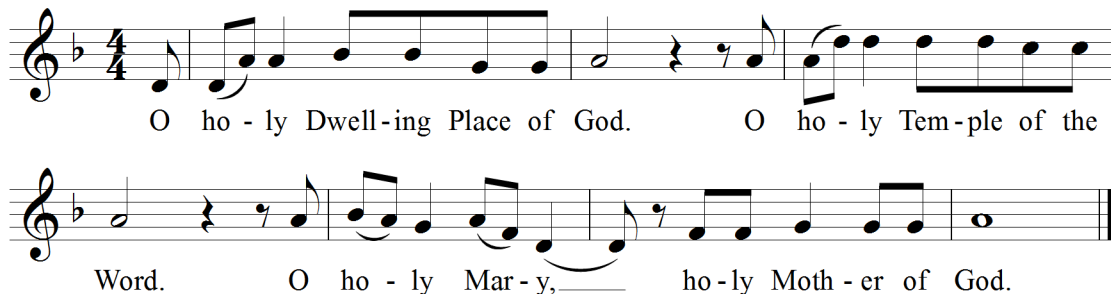
*From the stable to the hillside
Mary's faith would never dim:
In her tears and in her laughter
She had pledged her life to Him.
As we celebrate her gladness,
We recall her deepest pain,
Tender and unselfish mother
Of the world's most precious Gain.*

Gloria al Padre y al Hijo,
Y al Espíritu en verdad,
Como era al principio,
Es ahora y será
Mi alabanza a Dios se eleva
Como incienso en el altar;
Yo también, como María,
Canto mi Magnificat.

*To the Father, Son, and Spirit,
Glory, honor, thanks, and praise,
As it was in the beginning
And shall be for endless days.
Let our prayers rise up like incense
To the Triune God adored,
Joining with the song of Mary
As we magnify the Lord.*



Refrain: *(sung twice at beginning, by cantor and then all)*



O ho - ly Dwell - ing Place of God. O ho - ly Tem - ple of the
Word. O ho - ly Mar - y, ho - ly Moth - er of God.

Verses: *(sung by cantor)*

1. O radiant star of heaven, illumining the night; reflection of the Son, our source of life and light.
2. O blest beyond all others, of ev'ry land and race, possessing in your soul the fullness of God's grace.
3. From heav'n the angel Gabriel announced the ancient plan and humbly you accepted to bear the God-made-man.
4. With joy beyond all measure you cared for God's own son and pondered in your heart the new age now begun.

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