

4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

DECEMBER 23, 2018

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.*



RESPONSORIAL PSALM (EXCLUSIVE OF 11:00AM): Psalm 80: Lord, Make Us Turn to You *Tate*

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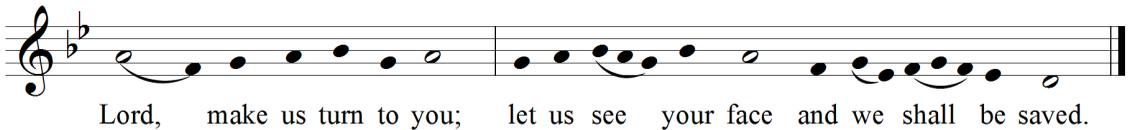


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11:00AM RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 89: Forever I Will Sing

Kelly

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Psalm 80:2ac and 3b, 15–16, 18–19

O shepherd of Israel, hear us,
enthroned on the cherubim, shine
forth.
Rouse up your might and come to
save us. *R/.*

God of hosts, turn again, we implore;
look down from heaven and see.
Visit this vine and protect it,
the vine your right hand has planted,

the son of man you have claimed
for yourself. *R/.*

May your hand be on the man at your
right hand,
the son of man you have confirmed
as your own.
And we shall never forsake you again;
give us life that we may call upon
your name. *R/.*

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

Ave Maria

Tomás Luis de Victoria (c. 1548-1611)

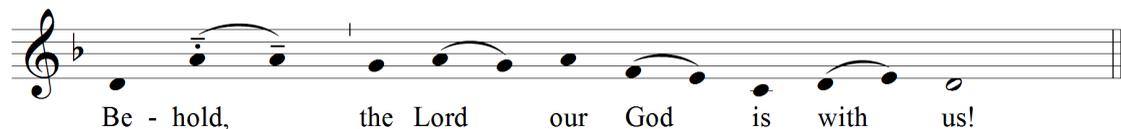
Ave Maria, gratia plena: Dominus tecum,
benedicta tu in mulieribus, et benedictus
fructus ventris tui, Jesus. Sancta Maria,
Mater Dei, ora pro nobis peccatoribus, nunc
et in hora mortis nostrae. Amen.

*Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with
thee, blessed art thou among women, and
blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy
Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners,
now and at the hour of our death. Amen*

11:00AM COMMUNION SONG: Behold, A Virgin Shall Conceive and Bear a Son/ Psalm 19 - Kelly

Choir: Behold, a Virgin shall conceive and bear a son; and his name will be called Emmanuel.

Congregational Refrain:



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11:00AM COMMUNION SONG: O Holy Mary

Alstott

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



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.
5. Exquisite was your sorrow, unequalled was the loss you suffered when your son was raised upon the cross.



All: 1. Tell out, my soul, the great - ness of the Lord!
Women: 2. Tell out, my soul, the great - ness of his name!
Men: 3. Tell out, my soul, the great - ness of his might!
All: 4. Tell out, my soul, the glo - ries of his word!



Un - num - bered bless - ings give my spir - it voice,
 Make known his might, the deeds his arm has done,
 Pow'rs and do - min - ions lay their glo - ry by;
 Firm is his prom - ise, and his mer - cy sure.



Ten - der to me the prom - ise of his word;
 His mer - cy sure, from age to age the same;
 Proud hearts and stub - born wills are put to flight,
 Tell out, my soul, the great - ness of the Lord



In God my Sav - ior shall my heart re - joice.
 His ho - ly name the Lord, the might - y One.
 The hun - gry fed, the hum - ble lift - ed high.
 To chil - dren's chil - dren and for ev - er - more!

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