

MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

JANUARY 1, 2021

INTRODUCTORY RITE

GATHERING SONG: *We Sing of Holy Mary*

THAXTED/Hommerding



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!

Refrain 1: 1st time: Cantor/Choir, All repeat; thereafter: All

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

Cantor/Choir: We praise you, we bless you,

Refrain 2: All

Glo-ry in the high-est.

Cantor/Choir: we adore you, **(Refrain 2)**

Cantor/Choir: we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, **(Refrain 2)**

Cantor/Choir: heavenly King, **(Refrain 2)**

Cantor/Choir: O God, almighty Father. **(Refrain 1)**

Cantor/Choir: 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

Refrain 3: All

have mer-cy on us;

Cantor/Choir: you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer,

All

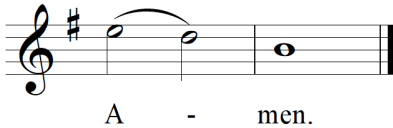
re - ceive our prayer;

Cantor/Choir: you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. **(Refrain 3)**

Cantor/Choir: Glory to God, glory in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. **(Refrain 1)**

Cantor/Choir: 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 glory of God the Father. **(Refrain 1)**

1st time: Cantor/Choir, All repeat



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LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING:

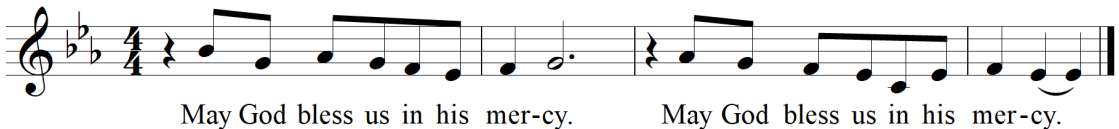
Numbers 6:22-27

They shall invoke my name upon the Israelites, and I will bless them.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: *Psalm 105: The Lord Remembers His Covenant*

Alonso

Refrain:



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Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8

O God, be gracious and bless us
and let your face shed its light upon us.
So will your ways be known upon earth
and all nations learn your salvation. *R/.*

Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you.
May God still give us his blessing
that all the ends of the earth may
revere him. *R/.*

Let the nations be glad and shout for joy,
with uprightness you rule the peoples;
you guide the nations on earth. *R/.*

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SECOND READING:

Galatians 4:4-7

God sent his Son, born of a woman.

Refrain:

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

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GOSPEL READING:

Luke 2:16-21

They found Mary and Joseph and the infant. When the eight days were completed, he was named Jesus.

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**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,

(All 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.

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS: *Te Rogamos, Óyenos/Lord, Hear Our Prayer*

Kolar

Refrain:

Te - ro - ga - mos, o - ye - nos. Lord, hear our prayer.

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LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF GIFTS

Instrumental

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY: *A Community Mass*

Proulx

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav'n and
 earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the
 Lord Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION: *A Community Mass*

Proulx

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

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GREAT AMEN: *A Community Mass*

Proulx

A - men, a - men, a - - - men.

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COMMUNION RITE

LAMB OF GOD: *Mass of the Angels and Saints*

Janco

Cantor/Choir: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

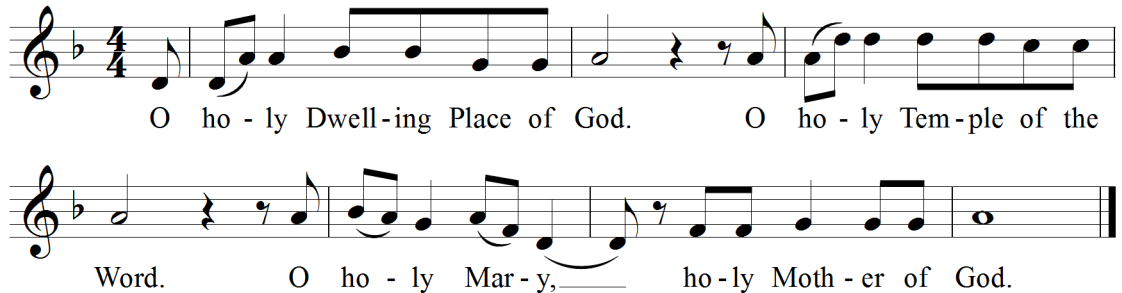
have mer - cy on us. *All:* Have mer - cy on us.

Cantor/Choir: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,

All: Grant us peace. Grant us peace.

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

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CONCLUDING RITE

SENDING FORTH: *Angels We Have Heard on High*

GLORIA



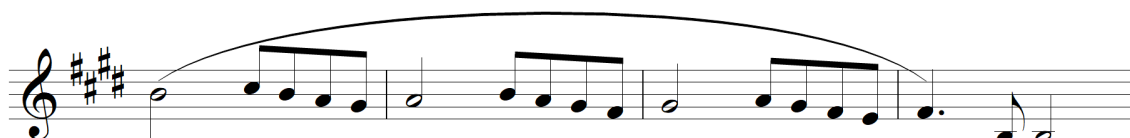
1. An - gels we have heard on high Sweet - ly sing - ing
2. Shep - herds, why this ju - bi - lee? Why your joy - ous
3. Come to Beth - le - hem and see Him whose birth the



1. o'er the plains, And the moun - tains in re - ply
2. strains pro - long? Say what may the tid - ings be,
3. an - gels sing; Come a - dore, on bend - ed knee,



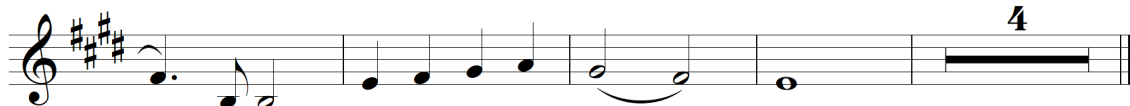
1. Ech - o back their joy - ous strains.
2. Which in - spire your heav'n - ly song.
3. Christ, the Lord, the new - born King.



1.-3. Glo - - - - - ri - a



in ex-cel-sis De - o! Glo - - - - -



- ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!

Text: *Les anges dan nos campagnes*; French carol, c. 18th C.; from *Crown of Jesus Music*, London 1862

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