

# THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PAUL

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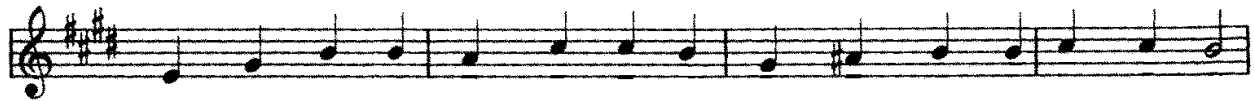


Welcome to the Cathedral of Saint Paul. The order of Mass can be found on page 3 in the Sunday's Word booklets.

## ENTRANCE HYMN

HARK! A THRILLING VOICE IS SOUNDING

MERTON



1 Hark! a thrill-ing voice is sound-ing: "Christ is nigh," it seems to say;  
2 Wak-ened by the sol-emn warn-ing, from earth's bond-age let us rise;  
3 Lo! the Lamb, so long ex-pect-ed, comes with par-don down from heaven;  
4 so when next he comes with glo-ry, and the world is wrapped in fear,  
5 Hon-or, glo-ry, might, and bless-ing to the Fa-ther and the Son,



1 "Cast a-way the works of dark-ness, O ye chil-dren of the day."  
2 Christ, our sun, all sloth dis-pel-ling, shines up-on the morn-ing skies.  
3 let us haste, with tears of sor-row, one and all to be for-given;  
4 may he with his mer-cy shield us, and with words of love draw near.  
5 with the ev-er-last-ing Spi-rit while un-end-ing a-ges run.

## ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (11:00AM) *Populus Sion*

CF. ISAIAH 30; PSALM 80:2

Pópulus Sion, ecce, Dóminus véniet ad salvándas gentes: et audítam fáciét Dóminus glóriam vocis suæ in lætítia cordis vestri. *℟ Qui regis Israë́l, inténde: qui dedúcis, velut ovem, Ioseph.* / People of Zion, behold, the Lord will come to save the nations, and the Lord will make the glory of His voice heard in the joy of your heart. *℟ O Shepherd of Israel, harken, You who lead Joseph like a flock.*

## KYRIE

MASS XVII



**K** Y-ri- e \* e- lé- i-son. *ij.* Chrí ste e- lé- i-son. *ij.* Ký-ri- e



e- lé- i-son. Ký-ri- e \* e- lé- i-son.

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (5:00PM & 8:30AM)

PSALM 126:1-2AB, 2CD-3, 4-5, 6

VII  
**T**he Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.

GRADUAL (11:00AM) *Ex Sion*

PSALM 50:2-3, 5

*Ex Sion species decóris eius: Deus manífeste véniet. ☩ Congregáte illi sanctos eius, qui ordinavérunt testaméntum eius super sacrificia. / From Sion, perfect in beauty, God shines forth. ☩ Gather His faithful ones before Him, those who have made a covenant with Him by sacrifice.*

ALLELUIA

VIII  
**A**L-le-lú-ia.

Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths: all flesh shall see the salvation of God.

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON (5:00PM & 8:30AM) *Deus tu convertens*

PSALM 85:7

*Please join in the refrain below after the cantor introduction and between psalm verses.*

III  
**Y**OU will turn to us, O God, and re-store our life.

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON (11:00AM) *Deus tu convertens*

PSALM 85:7-9

*Deus, tu convértens vivificábis nos, et plebs tua lætábitur in te: osténde nobis, Dómine, misericórdiam tuam, et salutáre tuum da nobis. / You will turn to us, O God, and give us life; Your people shall rejoice in You. Show us, O Lord, Your mercy, and grant us Your salvation.*

SANCTUS

MASS XVII

V  
**S**an-ctus, \* Sán-ctus, Sán-ctus Dóminus Dé-us Sá-ba-oth. Plé-ni sunt cae-li  
et tér-ra gló-ri-a tú-a. Ho-sán-na in excél-sis. Bene-díc-tus qui vé-nit in nó-

mi-ne Dómi-ni. Ho- sán- na in ex- cé- sis.

MYSTERIUM FIDEI

We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res-ur-rec-tion un-til you come a-gain.

AMEN (8:30AM)

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

AGNUS DEI

MASS XVII

**A** - gnus Dé- i, \* qui tól- lis peccá- ta mún di: mi- se- ré- re nó- bis.

A gnus Dé- i, \* qui tól- lis peccá- ta mún di: mi- se- ré- re nó- bis. A- gnus

Dé- i, \* qui tól- lis peccá- ta mún di: dóna nó- bis pá- cem.

**HOLY COMMUNION**

We invite all Catholics who are properly disposed (i.e., in the state of grace and having fasted for one hour before communion) to come forward in the usual way to receive Holy Communion.

All others, including our non-Catholic guests, may remain in their pews and join us in prayer. Alternatively, to participate in the communion procession and receive a blessing, come forward in the line and cross your arms over your chest as you approach the minister. Thank you.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON (ALL MASSES) *Ierusalem, surge*

BARUCH 4:36

*Please join in singing the refrain below after the cantor introduction and between verses of Psalm 147.*

2. Be- hold the joy which comes to you from God.

POSTCOMMUNION (11:00AM)

ALMA REDEMPTORIS MATER

FRANCISCO GUERRERO

O loving Mother of our Redeemer, gate of heaven, star of the sea, Hasten to aid thy fallen people who strive to rise once more. Thou who brought forth thy holy Creator, all creation wond'ring, Yet remainest ever Virgin, taking from Gabriel's lips that joyful "Ave!": be merciful to us sinners.

CLOSING (8:30AM)

Alma Redemptoris Mater (Simple Tone)

**A** L - ma \* Redemptó - ris Ma - ter, quæ pérv - a caeli porta manes, Et stella ma - ris, succúrre  
 cadén ti súrgere qui curat pópulo : Tu quæ genu - ísti, natúra mi - rán - te, tu - um sanctum Geni - tó -  
 rem : Virgo pri - us ac posté - ri - us, Gabri - é - lis ab ore sumens illud Ave, peccatórum mi - seré - re.

CLOSING (5:00PM & 11:00AM)

ON JORDAN'S BANK THE BAPTIST'S CRY

WINCHESTER NEW

1. On Jor - dan's bank the Bap - tist's cry An -  
 2. Then cleansed be ev - ery heart from sin; Make  
 3. For you are our sal - va - tion, Lord, Our  
 4. To heal the sick stretch out your hand, And  
 5. All praise the Son e - ter - nal - ly, Whose  
 noun - ces that the Lord is nigh; A - wake and hear - en,  
 straight the way of God with - in, And let each heart pre -  
 ref - uge, and our great re - ward; With - out your grace we  
 bid the fall - en sin - ner stand; Shine forth, and let your  
 ad - vent sets his peo - ple free; Whom with the Fa - ther  
 for he brings Glad ti - dings of the King of kings.  
 pare a home Where such a might - y guest may come.  
 waste a - way Like flowers that with - er and de - cay.  
 light re - store Earth's own true love - li - ness once more.  
 we a - dore And Spir - it blest for ev - er - more.

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