Second Sunday in Lent

February 28, 2021 Evening Mass

5:00 pm

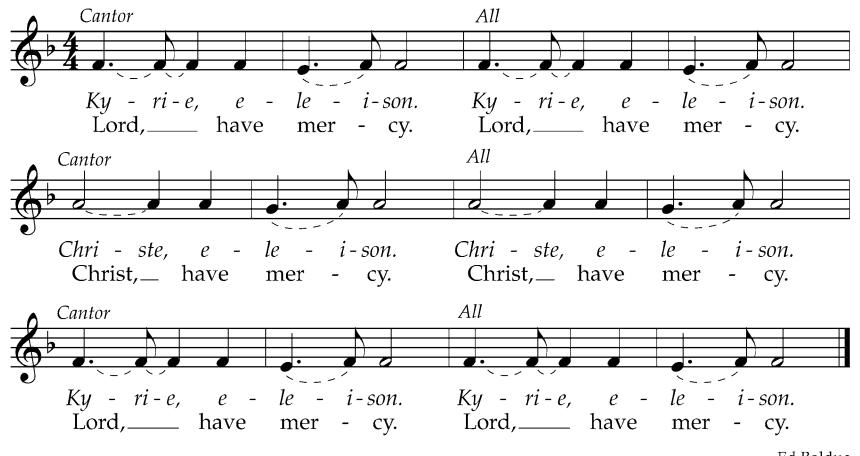


Processional Hymn: God So Loved the World



Introductory Rites

Kyrie



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Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament

Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

God put Abraham to the test. He called to him, "Abraham!" "Here I am!" he replied. Then God said: "Take your son Isaac, your only one, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah. There you shall offer him up as a holocaust on a height that I will point out to you."

When they came to the place of which God had told him, Abraham built an altar there and arranged the wood on it. Then he reached out and took the knife to slaughter his son. But the LORD's messenger called to him from heaven, "Abraham, Abraham!" "Here I am!" he answered. "Do not lay your hand on the boy," said the messenger. "Do not do the least thing to him. I know now how devoted you are to God, since you did not withhold from me your own beloved son." As Abraham looked about, he spied a ram caught by its horns in the thicket.

So he went and took the ram and offered it up as a holocaust in place of his son.

Again the LORD's messenger called to Abraham from heaven and said: "I swear by myself, declares the LORD, that because you acted as you did in not withholding from me your beloved son, I will bless you abundantly and make your descendants as countless as the stars of the sky and the sands of the seashore; your descendants shall take possession of the gates of their enemies, and in your descendants all the nations of the earth shall find blessing—all this because you obeyed my command."

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 116 I Will Walk

PS 116: 1-2, 3, 8-9 (Adapt. M.S.)



- I love the LORD because he has heard my voice in supplication,
 He inclined his ear to me the day I called for help.
- The cords of death encompassed me; the snares of evil seized upon me;
 I fell into distress and sorrow, And I called upon the name of the LORD.
- For he has freed my soul from death, my eyes from tears, my feet from stumbling.
 And I shall walk before the LORD in the land of the living.

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New Testament Rom 8:31b-34

Brothers and sisters: If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but handed him over for us all, how will he not also give us everything else along with him?

Who will bring a charge against God's chosen ones? It is God who acquits us, who will condemn? Christ Jesus it is who died—or, rather, was raised— who also is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us.

Lenten Gospel Acclamation



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Grospel Mk 9:2-10

Jesus took Peter, James, and John and led them up a high mountain apart by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them. Then Elijah appeared to them along with Moses, and they were conversing with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus in reply, "Rabbi, it is good that we are here! Let us make three tents: one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." He hardly knew what to say, they were so terrified. Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them.

As they were coming down from the mountain, he charged them not to relate what they had seen to anyone, except when the Son of Man

had risen from the dead.

So they kept the matter to themselves, questioning what rising from the dead meant.



Nicene Creed

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,

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.

Prayer of the Faithful

Response:

"Lord, hear our prayer."

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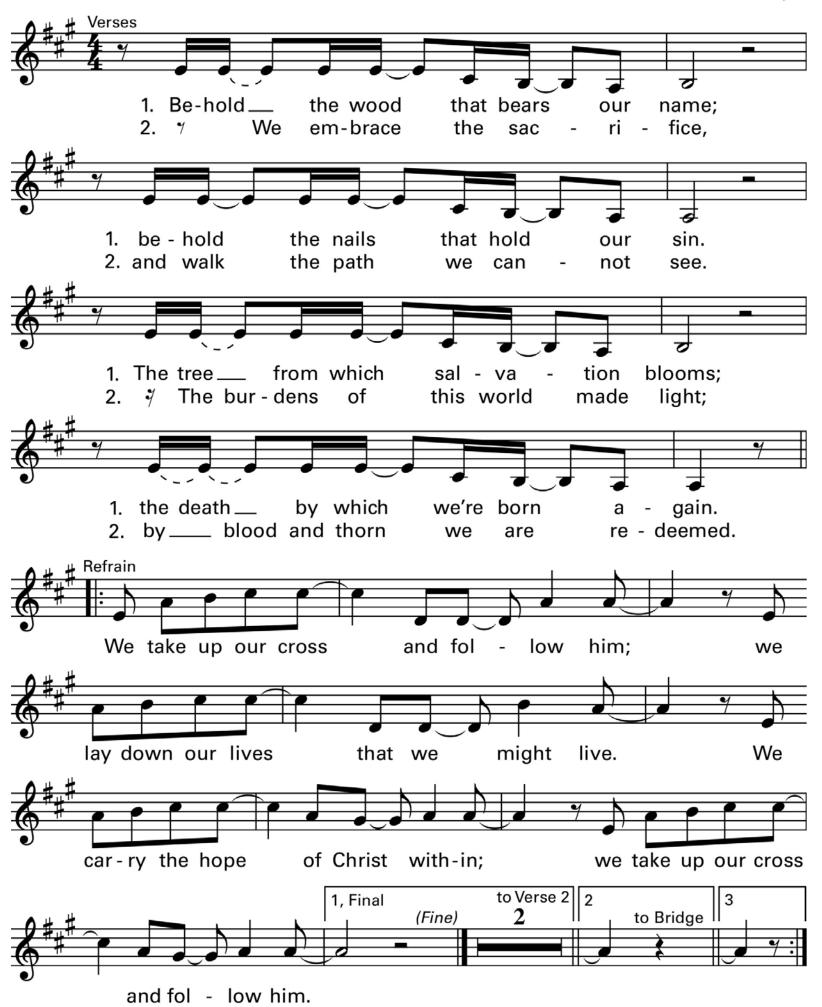
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Offertory Hymn: Take Up Our Cross

Curtis Stephan, Sarah Hart and Marc Byrd



Bridge

Lift him high, lift him high; let his name be glorified. Lift him high, lift him high; let his name be glorified. (to Refrain)

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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Prayer Over the Gifts

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his Holy Church.

The Eucharistic Prayer

Preface Dialogue

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

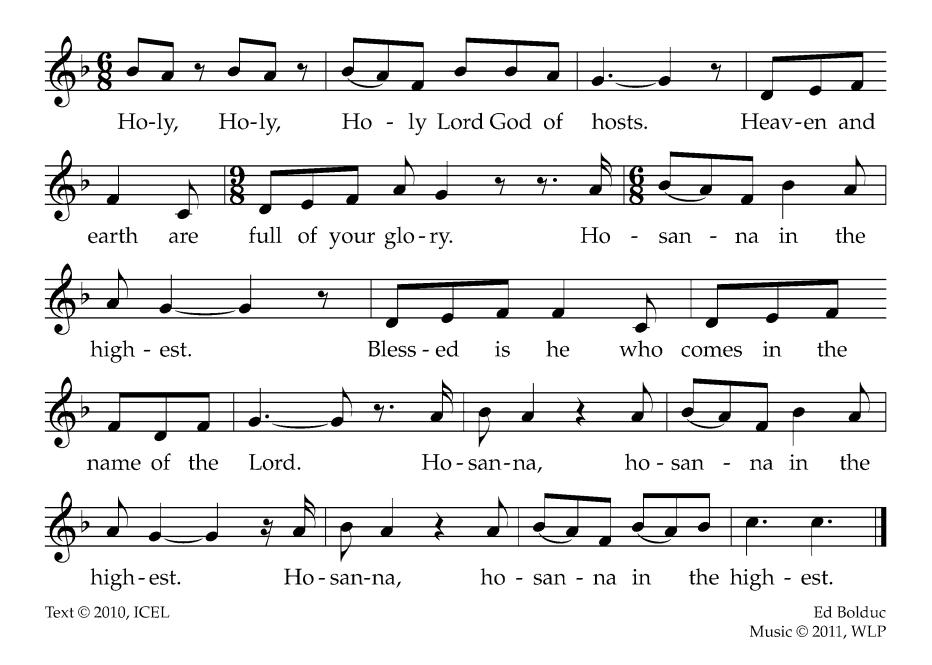
Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

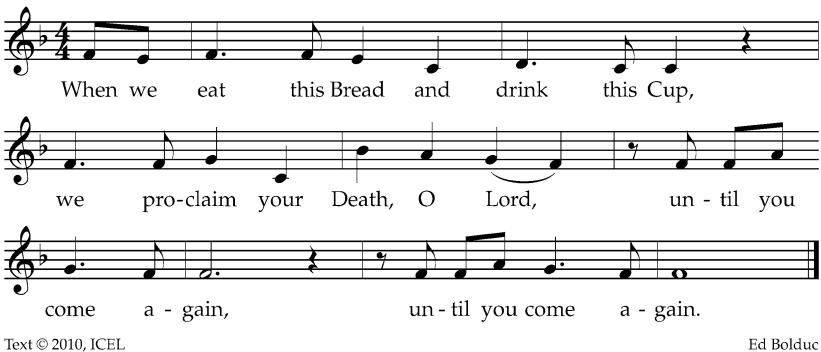
Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

It is right and just.

Holy



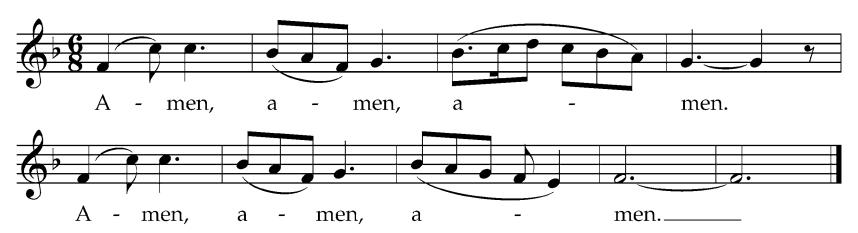
When We Eat this Bread



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Amen



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Lord's Prayer

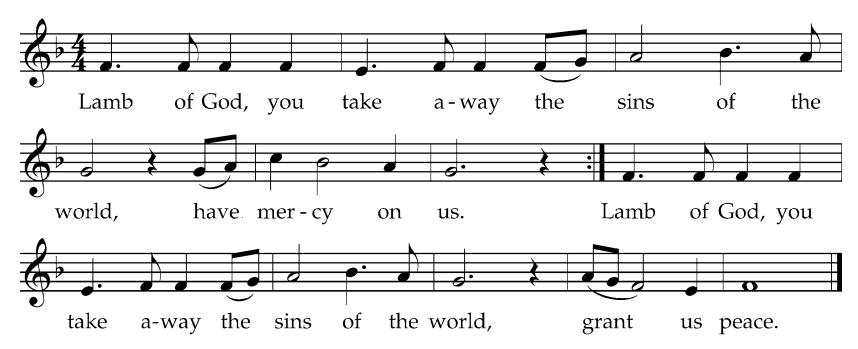
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and forever.

Sign of Peace

Lamb of God



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Communion Rite

PRIEST: Behold the Lamb of God,

behold him who takes away the sins of the world.

Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

ALL: Lord, I am not worthy
that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word
and my soul shall be healed.

An Act of Spiritual Communion

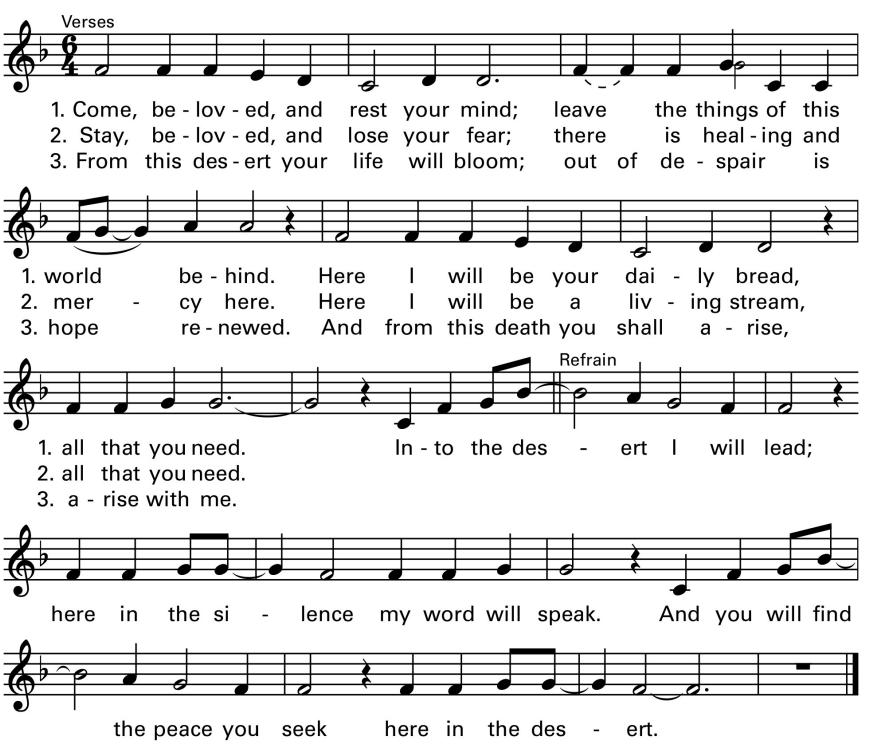
My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Communion Hymn Into the Desert

Curtis Stephan and Sarah Hart



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The Concluding Rites and Final Blessing

Recessional Hymn: A Rightful Place

Steve Angrisano so that all might Let us live our lives see that our less till they rest hearts are rest in thee. Let us build king truth grace your dom in and that all might know they have a right-ful place. Beau - ty an - cient and ev - er gath - er 2. To your pres-ence we came in 1. break-ing through our deaf-ness SO hear spir - it, 2. truth to be one in in and name; Shat - ter-ing the dark-ness of night, new dawn is ris a 2. strength-ened by the bod - y of Christ, the tak - ing up to Refrain the world. ing to bring your light all to 2. call now to share with all your light the world.

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