

◀ Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord ▶
April 2, 2023



St. Clare of Assisi Parish ~ O'Fallon Illinois

COVER ART

Entry into Jerusalem

from “Stories of the Passion”

Duccio di Buoninsegna (1255-1318)

PRELUDE: Basse et Dessus de Trompette Louis-Nicolas Clérambault (1676-1749)

10:30 - He Was Despised *from* "Messiah" G. F. Handel (1685-1759)

He was despised and rejected of men,
a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief.
He gave His back to the smiters,
and His cheeks to them that plucked off His hair:
He hid not His face from shame and spitting.

- *Isaiah 50:3, 6*

The Commemoration of the Lord's Entrance into Jerusalem

5:00, 8:30- ANTIPHON

Matthew 21:9

Roman Missal

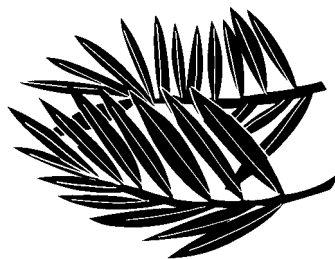
10:30 - MOTET

Tomás Luis de Victoria (1548-1611)

Hosanna to the Son of David;
blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord,
the King of Israel. Hosanna in the highest.

SIGN OF THE CROSS & GREETING

BLESSING OF THE PALM BRANCHES



GOSPEL

Matthew 21:1-11

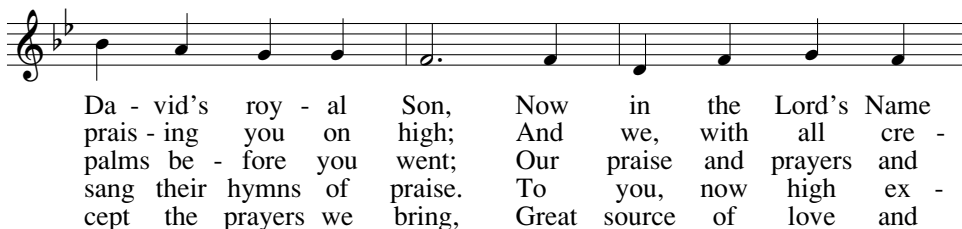
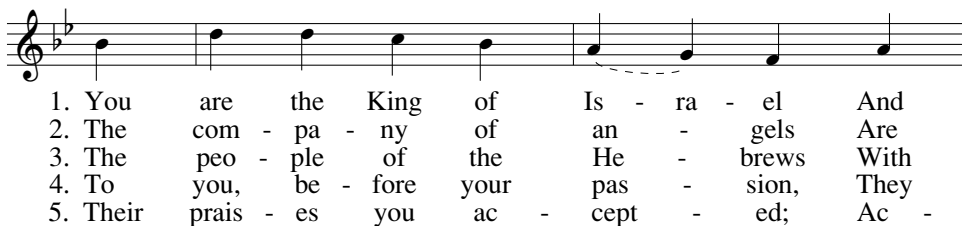
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord

PROCESSION

Refrain



Verses



Text: *Gloria, laus et honor*; Theodulph of Orleans, c.760–821; tr. by John M. Neale, 1818–1866, alt.
 Tune: ST. THEODULPH, 7 6 7 6 D; Melchior Teschner, 1584–1635

Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING

Isaiah 50:4-7

*My face I did not shield from buffets and spitting,
knowing that I shall not be put to shame.*

The Lord God has given me a well-trained tongue,
that I might know how to speak to the weary a word that will rouse them.
Morning after morning he opens my ear that I may hear;
and I have not rebelled, have not turned back.
I gave my back to those who beat me,
my cheeks to those who plucked my beard;
my face I did not shield from buffets and spitting.
The Lord God is my help, therefore I am not disgraced;
I have set my face like flint, knowing that I shall not be put to shame.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 22

Luke Mayernik



All who see me deride me;
they curl their lips, they toss their
heads:
“He trusted in the LORD, let him save him;
let him release him, for in him he
delights.” R.

For dogs have surrounded me;
a band of the wicked besets me.
They tear holes in my hands and my feet;
I can count every one of my bones. R.

They divide my clothing among them,
they cast lots for my robe.
But you, O LORD, do not stay afar off;
my strength, make haste to help me! R.

I will tell of your name to my kin,
and praise you in the midst of the
assembly;
“You who fear the LORD, give him praise;
all descendants of Jacob, give him
glory;
revere him, all you descendants of
Israel. R.

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Christ humbled himself. Because of this God greatly exalted him.

Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God,
did not regard equality with God something to be grasped.
Rather, he emptied himself, taking the form of a slave,
coming in human likeness; and found human in appearance,
he humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death,
even death on a cross.

Because of this, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name
which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus
every knee should bend, of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue confess that
Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Stephen Eros



Glo - ry to you, Word of God, Lord Je-sus Christ!

Christ became obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

Because of this, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him

the name which is above every name. - Philippians 2: 8-9

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GOSPEL

Matthew 26:14 - 27:66

The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

HOMILY

Fr. Jim Deiters

APOSTLES' CREED

*"...especially during Lent and Easter time, the baptismal Symbol of the Roman Church,
known as the Apostles' Creed, may be used." – Roman Missal*

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ,
his only Son, our Lord,

making a profound bow

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day

he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand
of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come
to judge the living and the dead.

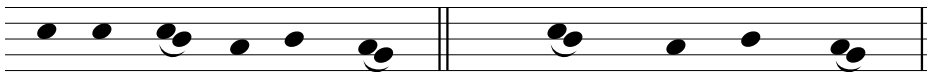
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.

Amen.

UNIVERSAL PRAYER

Cantor

All



Let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

Liturgy of the Eucharist

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON

Psalm 69: 21

Adam Bartlett

My heart has awaited reproach and affliction,
and I looked for one who would grieve with me, but there was none.
I sought for one who would console me, and I found none.

5:00 - ANTHEM

O Come and Mourn

Joreen Kelly

O come and mourn with me awhile.	His mother cannot touch his face,
O come and stand by Mary's side.	she stands in helplessness beside.
O come, together let us mourn,	Her heart is martyred with her son's,
for Jesus, our love, is crucified	for Jesus, her love, is crucified.

A broken heart, a fount of tears,
ask and it shall not be denied.
A broken heart love's cradle is,
for Jesus, our love, is crucified.

10:30 - ANTHEMS

Behold the Lamb of God	G. F. Handel (1685-1759)
Surely he has borne our griefs	
<i>from "Messiah"</i>	

Behold the Lamb of God that taketh away the sins of the world.

- *John 1:29b*

Surely He hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows!

He was wounded for our transgressions,

He was bruised for our iniquities;

the chastisement of our peace was upon Him. - *Isaiah 53:4-5*

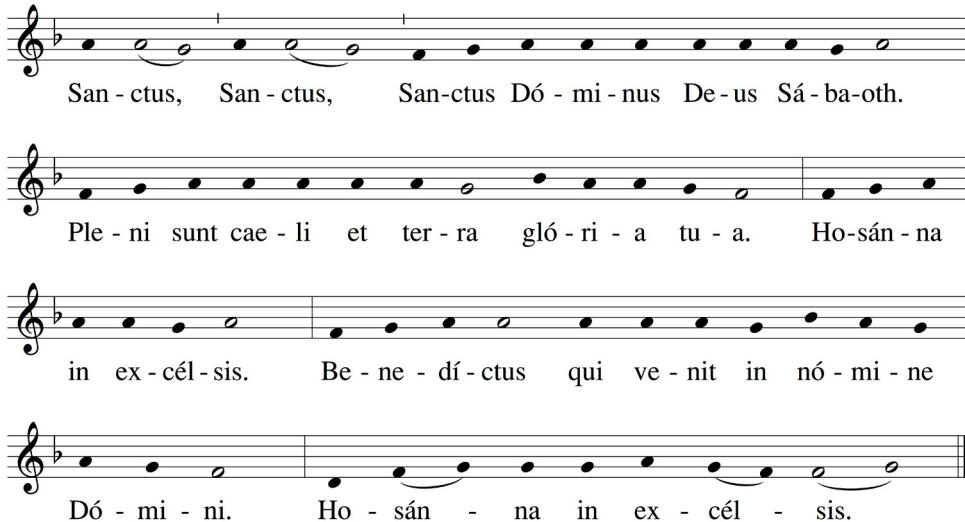
PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

These acclamations may be sung without organ accompaniment,

IN WHICH CASE THE ASSEMBLY SHOULD STILL SING WITH FULL VOICE.

The choir is present to encourage and sustain the assembly's singing; not replace it.

SANCTUS



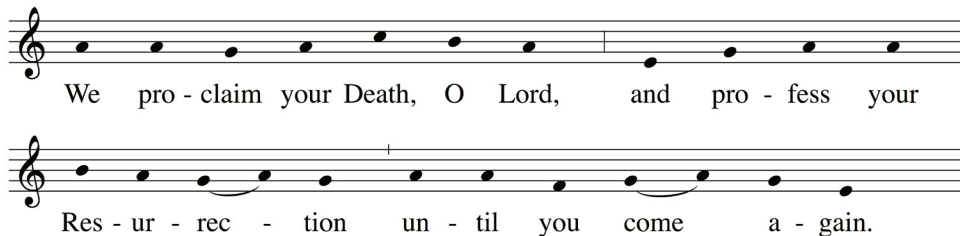
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Ple - ni sunt cae - li et ter - ra gló - ri - a tu - a. Ho-sán - na

in ex - cé - l - sis. Be - ne - dí - ctus qui ve - nit in nó - mi - ne

Dó - mi - ni. Ho - sán - na in ex - cé - l - sis.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your

Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come a - gain.

GREAT AMEN



Assembly:

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

Communion Rite

LAMB OF GOD

Mass XVIII

Gregorian Chant

Cantor: *All:*



A-gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: mi - se - ré - re no - bis.



A-gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: mi - se - ré - re no - bis.



A - gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: do - na no - bis pa - cem.

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5:00 - ANTHEM

Crucem Tuam

Taizé

We adore your cross, O Lord,
We praise and glorify you for your resurrection.

10:30 - ANTHEM

Pietà

Tom Kendzia

Pietà is the Italian word for "pity." A stirring musical reflection on Michelangelo's famous sculpture of the same name—image on page 10—this scene is also the 13th Station of the Cross.

The refrain "Come and See" is sung from Mary's perspective, while the verses are our sorrowful and repentant response to seeing Mary holding the body of Jesus.

Come and see what I have done: I've given my only Son.

He lived for you; and he died for you. Come and see.

Lamb of God, Lamb of God, have mercy on us; forgive us Lord.

Creator of love, source of all life, have mercy on us; forgive us Lord.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Concluding Rites

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

RECESSIONAL HYMN Faithful Cross the Saints Rely On

Picardy

1. Faith - ful Cross the Saints re - ly on, No - ble tree be -
 2. Loft - y tim - ber, smooth your rough - ness, Flex your boughs for
 3. Nobl - est tree of all cre - at - ed, Rich - ly jew - eled
 4. Wis - dom, pow'r, and ad - o - ra - tion To the bless - ed

yond com - pare! Nev - er was there such a ____
 blos - som - ing; Let your fi - bers lose their ____
 and em - bossed: Post by Lamb's blood con - se -
 Trin - i - ty For re - demp - tion and sal -

sci - on, Nev - er leaf or flow'r so ____ rare.
 tough - ness, Gen - tly let your ten - drills ____ cling;
 crat - ed; Spar that saves the tem - pest - tossed;
 va - tion Through the Pas - chal Mys - ter - y,

Sweet the tim - ber, sweet the i - ron,
 Lay a - side your na - tive gruff - ness,
 Scaf - fold - beam which, el - e - vat - ed,
 Now, in ev - 'ry gen - er - a - tion,

Sweet the bur - den that they ____ bear!
 Clasp the bod - y of your ____ King!
 Car - ries what the world has ____ cost!
 And for all e - ter - ni - ty.

PLEASE EXIT THE CHURCH NAVE

SILENTLY AND REVERENTLY.