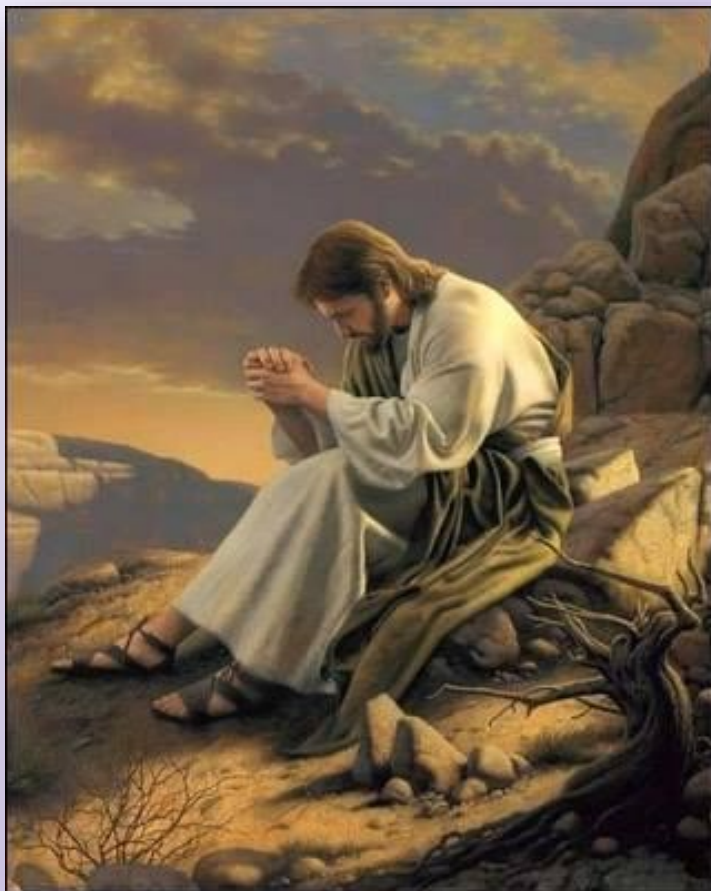


Church of the Assumption of the BVM



1st Sunday of Lent
~ February 18, 2024 ~

Prelude ~ *Song for Lent* - James Aylward (b. 1938)

The Introductory Rites

Entrance Chant ~ *Saints of God* - Litany of the Saints



As we start our journey of Lent, we call upon the saints who have gone before us to give us strength in our Lenten observances.



Greeting

Penitential Rite



1. Lord Jesus, you bring us **peace**.
2. Christ Jesus, you are the light of the **world**.
3. Lord Jesus, your spirit dwells in **us**.

Collect

The Liturgy of the Word

Scripture ~ *Genesis 9*

Responsorial Psalm ~ *Psalm 25*



1. O Lord make me know your ways. Teach me your paths. Guide me in your truth and teach me; for you are the God of my salvation.
2. Remember your compassion O Lord, and your merciful love for they are from of old. In your merciful love remember me, because of your goodness, O Lord.
3. Good and upright is the Lord; he shows the way to sinners. He guides the humble in right judgment; to the humble he teaches his way.

Scripture ~ *1 Peter 3*

Gospel Acclamation ~ *Corpus Christi Mass*



Gospel ~ *Mark 1:12-15*

Homily

The Apostles' Creed

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

(all 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;

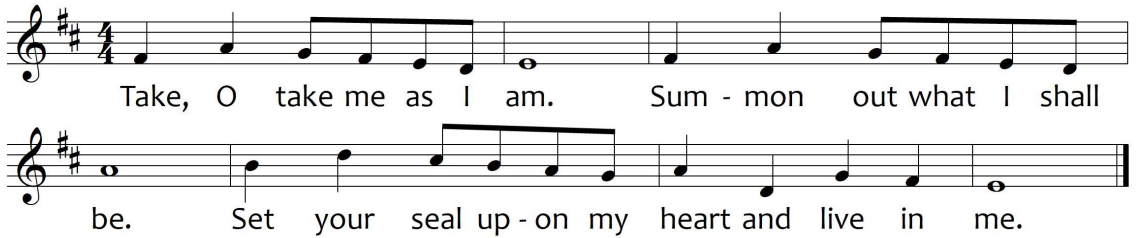
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.

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

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory Chant ~ *Take, O Take Me As I Am* - John Bell



1. Marked with ashes we have come, we, the world so troublesome,
we, the members; Christ, our sum. But you, O Lord:
2. Clay and breath of God are we, Eden garden round that tree,
Eve and Ad-am, you and me. But you, O Lord:
3. Now we pray by day and night, keep the fast to clear our sight,
share our goods to set things right. But you, O Lord:
4. Strong and weak, be here at home. Bold or shy, here laugh, here groan.
Gospel weighs too much alone. But you, O Lord:
5. May God's Spirit fill our praise, Guide our thoughts and change our ways.
God in Christ has come to stay, with us today.
6. Lose your shyness, find your tongue; Tell the world what God has done:
God in Christ has come to stay, with us today.
7. When believers break the bread, When a hungry child is fed:
God in Christ has come to stay, with us today.
8. When a stranger's not alone, Where the homeless find a home,
God in Christ has come to stay, with us today.
9. May God's Spirit fill our praise, Guide our thoughts and change our ways,
God in Christ has come to stay, with us today.

Eucharistic Acclamations ~ Sanctus - Mass of Christ the Light

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. Bless'd is He who comes in the name of the
Lord most high. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

The musical notation is in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of four staves. The first staff contains the lyrics 'Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of hosts.' The second and third staves contain 'Heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry, ho - san-na in the high-est. Bless'd is He who comes in the name of the'. The fourth staff contains 'Lord most high. Ho-san-na in the high - est.' with a long note on 'high' and a slur over the final 'est'.

The Mystery of Faith

When we eat this bread, when we drink this cup, we pro-claim your
death O Lord, un - til you come a-gain, un - til you come a-gain, O Lord.

The musical notation is in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of two staves. The first staff contains the lyrics 'When we eat this bread, when we drink this cup, we pro-claim your'. The second staff contains 'death O Lord, un - til you come a-gain, un - til you come a-gain, O Lord.' with a long note on 'un - til' and a slur over the final 'O Lord'.

The Great Amen

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

The musical notation is in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of one staff. The lyrics are 'A-men, a - men, a - men, a - men.' with a long note on 'a - men' and a slur over the final 'a - men'.

The Fraction Rite ~ Mass of Christ the Light

repeat twice

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

final ending

do-na no-bis pa-cem, do-na no-bis pa-cem, do-na no-bis pa - - - cem.

The Assembly kneels after singing the Lamb of God.

Communion Chant ~ Be Still and Know I Am God

Be still and know I am God. Be still and know I am God.

Be still and know. Be still and know. I am God.



Hymn of Praise ~ Jerusalem, My Destiny - Rory Cooney

I have fixed my eyes on your hills, Je-ru - sa-lem, my
des-ti-ny! Though I can-not see the end for me, I can-not turn a-
way. We have set our hearts for the way; this jour-ney is our
des-ti-ny. Let no-one walk a-lone. The jour-ney makes us one.
Oth - er spir - its, less - er gods, have court-ed me with
lies. Here a-mong you I have found a truth which bids me rise.

Prayer After Communion

The Concluding Rites

Announcements

Blessing

Dismissal ~ Aria - George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)



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