
**THE PARISH OF ST. VINCENT FERRER
AND ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA**

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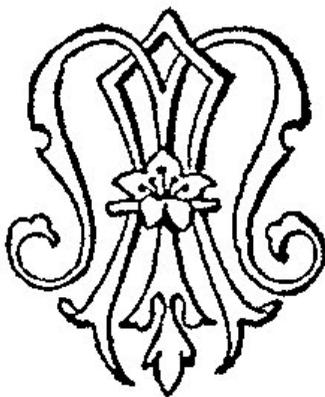
MORNING PRAYER

Saturday of Week III

and

VOTIVE MASS OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

No. 13: The Commending of the Blessed Virgin Mary



**Saturday of the Third Week of Lent
March 13, 2021**





MORNING PRAYER

*The Prior knocks to begin the Liturgy.
All stand and face the altar.*

OPENING VERSICLE

℟ God, come to my assistance.
℞ Lord, make haste to help me.
℟ Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
℞ as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. [Alleluia.]

OFFICE HYMN

Hail, holy Queen enthroned above, O Maria.
Hail, Queen of mercy and of love, O Maria.
*Triumph, all ye cherubim;
Sing with us, ye seraphim.
Heaven and earth resound the hymn:
Salve, salve, salve Regina.*

Our life, our sweetness, here below, O Maria!
Our hope in sorrow and in woe, O Maria!
*Triumph, all ye cherubim;
Sing with us, ye seraphim.
Heaven and earth resound the hymn:
Salve, salve, salve Regina.*

O gentle, loving, holy one, O Maria.
The God of light became your Son, O Maria.
*Triumph, all ye cherubim;
Sing with us, ye seraphim.
Heaven and earth resound the hymn:
Salve, salve, salve Regina.*

Text: *Salve Regina*, attr. Hermanus Contractus (1013-1054)
Tune: SALVE REGINA CAELITUM; German melody, Hildesheim, 1736





PSALMONDY

Antiphon I: Lord, you are near to us, and all your ways are true.

Psalm 119:145-152

A meditation on God's law.

Loving God means keeping his commandments (1 John 5:3).

I call with all my heart; Lord, hear me, *
I will keep your commands.
I call upon you, save me *
and I will do your will.

I rise before dawn and cry for help, *
I hope in your word.
My eyes watch through the night *
to ponder your promise.

In your love hear my voice, O Lord; *
give me life by your decrees.
Those who harm me unjustly draw near: *
they are far from your law.

But you, O Lord, are close: *
your commands are truth.
Long have I known that your will *
is established for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, *
and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, *
and will be for ever. Amen

Antiphon II: Wisdom of God, be with me, always at work in me.

Canticle: Wisdom 9:1-6, 9-11

Lord, give me wisdom.

I will inspire you with wisdom which your adversaries will be unable to resist (Luke 21:15).

God of my fathers, Lord of mercy, *
you who have made all things by your word
and in your wisdom have established man *
to rule the creatures produced by you,
to govern the world in holiness and justice, *
and to render judgment in integrity of heart:

Give me Wisdom, the attendant at your throne, *
and reject me not from among your children;
for I am your servant, the son of your handmaid, †
a man weak and short-lived *
and lacking in comprehension of judgment and of laws.

Indeed, though one be perfect among the sons of men, †
if Wisdom, who comes from you, be not with him, *
he shall be held in no esteem.

Now with you is Wisdom, who knows your works *
and was present when you made the world;
who understands what is pleasing in your eyes *
and what is conformable with your commands.

Send her forth from your holy heavens *
and from your glorious throne dispatch her
that she may be with me and work with me, *
that I may know what is your pleasure.

For she knows and understands all things, †
and will guide me discreetly in my affairs *
and safeguard me by her glory.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, *
and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, *
and will be for ever. Amen.

Antiphon III The Lord remains faithful to his promise for ever.

Psalm 117

Praise for God's loving compassion.

I affirm that...the Gentile peoples are to praise God because of his mercy (Romans 15:8-9).

O praise the Lord, all you nations, *
acclaim him all you peoples!

Strong is his love for us; *
he is faithful for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, *
and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, *
and will be for ever. Amen.





COLLECT

All-holy Father, you chose the Easter Mystery as the way of our salvation; grant that we, whom Jesus entrusted from the Cross to his Virgin Mother, may be numbered among your adopted children. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING *Hosiah 6:1-6*

Come, let us return to the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM *Psalms 51 (52):3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab*

Response: It is mercy I desire, and not sacrifice.

VERSE BEFORE THE GOSPEL *Psalms 95 (96):8*

If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

GOSPEL *Luke 18:9-14*

Everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted.

HOMILY





LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Lord, receive the gifts we joyfully present, that they may become the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, who on the Cross entrusted all his followers in the person of John to the Virgin Mother as her children, and entrusted her to them as living signs of his own love for her. He lives and reigns for ever and ever as the way of our salvation; grant that we, whom Jesus entrusted from the Cross to his Virgin Mother, may be numbered among your adopted children. Through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

PREFACE AND SANCTUS

MYSTERY OF FAITH

AMEN

COMMUNION RITE

PATER NOSTER

SIGN OF PEACE

AGNUS DEI

Roman Missal Mass

COMMUNION ANTIPHON *II Timothy 2:10*

I endure all for the sake of the elect, so that they too may achieve salvation in Christ Jesus with eternal glory.

GOSPEL CANTICLE (BENEDICTUS) *Luke 1:68:79*
The Messiah and his forerunner

Antiphon: The tax collector stood far away and would not even raise his eyes to heaven.
He struck his breast and prayed: God, have mercy on me, a sinner.

Blessed + be the Lord, the God of Israel; *
he has come to his people and set them free.

He has raised up for us a mighty savior, *
born of the house of his servant David.

Through his holy prophets he promised of old †
that he would save us from our enemies, *
from the hands of all who hate us.

He promised to show mercy to our fathers *
and to remember his holy covenant.

This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham: †
to set us free from the hands of our enemies, *

free to worship him without fear,
holy and righteous in his sight *
all the days of our life.

You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High; *
for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way,
to give his people knowledge of salvation *
by the forgiveness of their sins.

In the tender compassion of our God *
the dawn from on high shall break upon us,
to shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death, *
and to guide our feet into the way of peace..

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, *
and to the Holy Spirit:

as it was in the beginning, is now, *
and will be for ever. Amen.

Repeat Antiphon



POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord God, let this sacred table increase our filial love, for here we are nourished by the Body and Blood of Christ, who when dying on the Cross delivered his spirit into your hands and entrusted us to his Virgin Mother as her children. Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

CONCLUDING RITES

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

MARIAN ANTIPHON

Chant, mode v

Cantor: *All:*

Sal-ve, Re-gi-na, * ma-ter mi-se-ri-cor-di-ae: Vi-ta dul-ce-do,
 et spes nos-tra, sal-ve. Ad-te cla-ma-mus,
 ex-su-les, fi-li-i He-vae. Ad-te su-spi-ra-mus,
 ge-men-tes et flen-tes in hac la-cri-ma-rum va-le.
 E-ia er-go, Ad-vo-ca-ta no-stra, il-los tu-os mi-se-ri-cor-des
 o-cu-los ad nos con-ver-te. Et Je-sum, be-ne-di-ctum fru-ctum
 ven-tris tu-i, no-bis post hoc ex-si-li-um o-sten-de.
 O cle-mens: O pi-a:
 O dul-cis Vir-go Ma-ri-a.

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy; our life, our sweetness, and our hope, hail. To you do we cry, poor banished children of Eve; to you do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, our advocate, your eyes of mercy upon us; and Jesus, the blessed fruit of your womb, show unto us after this our exile. O clement, O pious, O sweet Virgin Mary.

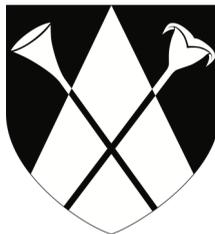
NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH *Prayer of the Good Provider*

Hail, dear Spouse of the Virgin Mother Mary.
Hail, watchful Guardian and faithful Protector of her child.
Joseph, best of Teachers.
Hail, Protector of the poor and frail.
Hear me, kind St. Joseph.
Hear me who most needs your love
and who knows you will not turn away from me
in the hour of my great need.

Amen.

℣ St. Joseph, pray for me.

℟ **Now and at the hour of my death. Amen.**



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