

THE ORDER OF HOLY MASS

Ascension of the Lord



Christ Taking Leave of the Apostles
Duccio di Buoninsegna (1260–1318)



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Processional Hymn

Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise

1. Hail the day that sees him rise
2. There for him high tri-umph waits:
3. High - est heav'n its Lord re - ceives;
4. See! he lifts his hands a - bove.
5. Lord, though part - ed from our sight
6. There with you we shall re - main,

Al - le - lu - ia!

1. To his throne be - yond the skies;
2. Lift your heads, e - ter - nal gates;
3. Yet he loves the earth he leaves;
4. See! he shows the wounds of love.
5. Far be - yond the star - ry height,
6. Share the glo - ry of your reign,

Al - le - lu - ia!

1. Christ, the Lamb for sin - ners giv'n,
2. He has con-quered death and sin;
3. Though re - turn - ing to his throne,
4. Hark! his gra-cious lips be - stow,
5. Lift our hearts that we may rise
6. There your face un - cloud-ed view,

Al - le - lu - ia!

1. En - ters now the high - est heav'n!
 2. Take the King of glo - ry in.
 3. Still he calls the world his own.
 4. Bless - ings on his church be - low.
 5. One with you be - yond the skies:
 6. Find our heav'n of heav'ns in you.

Al - le - lu - ia!

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The Introductory Rites

Sign of the Cross & Greeting

Penitential Act

I confess to almighty God / and to you, my brothers and sisters, /
that I have greatly sinned / in my thoughts and in my words, /
in what I have done, / and in what I have failed to do; / **through my fault,**
through my fault, / through my most grievous fault; / therefore
I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, / all the Angels and Saints, / and you, my
brothers and sisters, / to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Kyrie

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Priest/Deacon/Cantor; All repeat

1, 3. Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son.
2. Chri - ste, e - lé - i - son.

Glory to God

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Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good
will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-dore you, we glo-ri-fy
you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry,
Lord God, heav-en-ly King, O God, al - might-y Fa - ther.
Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God, Lamb of

God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a - way the sins of the
world, have mer - cy on us; you take a - way the sins of the
world, re - ceive our prayer; you are seat - ed at the right hand of the
Fa - ther, have mer - cy on us. For you a - lone are the
Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a -
lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly
Spir - it, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

Collect

Gladden us with holy joys, almighty God,
and make us rejoice with devout thanksgiving,
for the Ascension of Christ your Son
is our exaltation,
and, where the Head has gone before in glory,
the Body is called to follow in hope.
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.

The Liturgy of the Word

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Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

God mounts his throne to shouts of
joy: a blare of trum - pets for the Lord.

All you peoples, clap your hands,
shout to God with cries of gladness,
For the LORD, the Most High, the
awesome,
is the great king over all the earth. *R.*

God mounts his throne amid shouts of
joy;
the LORD, amid trumpet blasts.

Sing praise to God, sing praise;
sing praise to our king, sing praise. *R.*

For king of all the earth is God;
sing hymns of praise.

God reigns over the nations,
God sits upon his holy throne. *R.*

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Gospel Acclamation

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Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Go and teach all nations, says the Lord;
I am with you always, until the end of the world.

Gospel Proclamation

Homily

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.

Universal Prayer

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn

A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing



1. A hymn of glo - ry let us sing! New
2. The ho - ly ap - os - tol - ic band Up -
3. To whom the shin - ing an - gels cry, "Why
4. "You see him now, as - cend - ing high Up
5. O Lord, our home - ward path - way bend, That



songs through - out the world shall ring: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
on the Mount of Ol - ives stand. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
stand and gaze up - on the sky?" Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
to the por - tals of the sky." Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
our un - wea - ried hearts as - cend, Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -



lu - ia! Christ, by a road be - fore un - trod, As -
lu - ia! And with his faith - ful fol - l'wers see Their
lu - ia! "This is the Sav - ior," thus they say. "This
lu - ia! "Here - af - ter Je - sus you shall see Re -
lu - ia! Where, seat - ed on your Fa - ther's throne, You



cends un - to the throne of God.
Lord as - cend in maj - es - ty.
is his glo - rious tri - umph day." Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
turn - ing in great maj - es - ty."
reign as King of kings a - lone.



lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Preface Dialogue and Preface

Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God,
the almighty Father.

**All: 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.**

Sanctus

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Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.



Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry.



Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is



he who comes in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Mystérium Fidei

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



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

Amen

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

The Communion Rite

The 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.

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

Agnus Dei

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Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world,
have mer - cy on us. grant us peace.

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.**

Communion Hymn

I Am the Bread of Life

Verses



1. I am the Bread of life. ___ You who come to me
2. The bread that ___ I will give ___ is my flesh for the
3. Un - less ___ you ___ eat ___ of the flesh of the
4. I am the Res - ur - rec - tion, ___ I ___
5. Yes, Lord, ___ we be - lieve ___ that ___ you ___



1. shall not ___ hun - ger; ___ and who be - lieve in me shall not
2. life of the world, ___ and if you eat ___ of this
3. Son of ___ Man ___ and ___ drink ___ of his
4. am the ___ life. ___ If you be - lieve ___ in ___
5. are the ___ Christ, ___ the ___ Son ___ of ___



1. thirst. ___ No one can come to me un -
2. bread, ___ you shall ___ live for ev - er,
3. blood, and drink ___ of his blood, you
4. me, ___ e - ven though you die, ___
5. God, ___ who ___ have ___ come in -

Refrain



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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. less the ___ Fa - ther beck - ons. 2. you shall ___ live for ev - er. 3. shall not have life with - in you. 4. you shall ___ live for ev - er. 5. to ___ the ___ world. ___ | } | And I will raise ___ you |
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up, _____ and I will raise _____ you up, _____ and I will

raise _____ you up _____ on the last _____ day.

Text: John 6:35, 44, 51, 53–54; 11:25–27; Suzanne Toolan, RSM, b. 1927.

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Recessional Hymn

Go Make of All Disciples

1. "Go make of all dis - ci - ples:" We hear the call, O
 2. "Go make of all dis - ci - ples:" Bap - tiz - ing in the
 3. "Go make of all dis - ci - ples:" We at your feet would
 4. "Go make of all dis - ci - ples:" We wel-come your com -

Lord, That comes from you, our Fa - ther, In
 name Of Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it— From
 stay Un - til each life's vo - ca - tion Ac -
 mand; "Lo, I am with you al - ways:" We

your e - ter - nal Word. In - spire our ways of
 age to age the same. We call each new dis -
 cents your ho - ly way. We cul - ti - vate the
 take your guid - ing hand. The task looms large be -

learn - ing Through earn - est, fer - vent prayer, And
 ci - ple To fol - low you, O Lord, Re -
 na - ture God plants in ev - 'ry heart, Re -
 fore us— We fol - low with - out fear. In