

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in the battle, be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray: and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

THERE'S A WIDENESS IN GOD'S MERCY



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Third Sunday of Lent

March 20TH 2022

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

My eyes are always on the Lord, for he rescues my feet from the snare. Turn to me and have mercy on me, for I am alone and poor. cf. Psalm 25:15-16

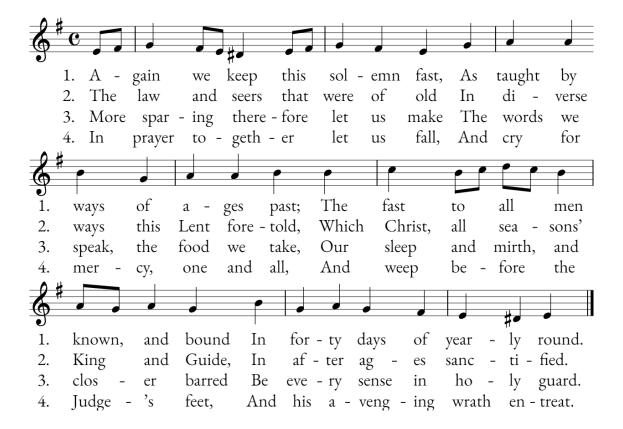
Welcome to St. Nicholas!

Please help us to preserve the sanctity of this time and space by maintaining a reverent **silence** before and after the liturgy.



AGAIN WE KEEP THIS SOLEMN FAST





GREETING R: And with your Spirit.

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, (while striking ones chest 3x) 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

R: Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

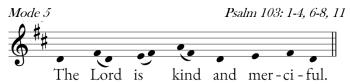


LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Exodus 3: 1-8a, 13-15

"..I am who am."

Responsorial:



Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10: 1-6, 10-12 "...whoever thinks he is standing secure should take care not to fall."

Please Stand

GOSPEL



Repent, says the Lord; the kingdom of heaven is at hand. Matthew 4: 17

Luke 13: 1-9

"..if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!"

Please Sit

Stand

HOMILY

THE PROFESSION OF FAITH

Niceno-Constantinopolitan 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,

(bow) 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.

UNIVERSAL PRAYER

R: Lord, hear our prayer.



LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Altar

I HEARD THE VOICE OF JESUS SAY

- 1. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
 "Come unto me and rest;
 Lay down, O weary one, lay down
 Your head upon my breast."
 I came to Jesus as I was,
 So weary, worn, and sad;
 I found in him a resting place,
 And he has made me glad.
 - 2. I heard the voice of Jesus say,

 "Behold, I freely give

 The living water; thirsty one,
 Stoop down and drink, and live."
 I came to Jesus, and I drank
 Of that lifegiving stream;
 My thirst was quenched, my soul revived
 And now I live in him.
- 3. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
 "I am this dark world's light;
 Look unto me, thy morn shall rise,
 And all your day be bright."
 I looked to Jesus, and I found
 In him my Star, my Sun;
 And in that light of life I'll walk
 Till trav'ling days are done.



PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

SANCTUS

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER



Priest: The Mystery of Faith

All: Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.



GREAT AMEN

THE LORD'S PRAYER + SIGN OF PEACE

AGNUS DEI

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

At the Conclusion of Lamb of God please kneel

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise. cf. Psalm 84: 4-5

COMMUNION HYMN:

DRAW NEAR AND TAKE THE BODY OF THE LORD



