

Please Stand

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

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.

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

THE LORD IS MY LIGHT

1. The Lord is my light, my help, my sal-
 2. There is one thing I ask of the Lord that I
 3. I know I will live to see the Lord's

1. va-tion. Why should I fear? With God I fear
 2. long for: all of my days with God to be
 3. good-ness; now, in this life, I'm sure I will

1. no one. God pro- tects me all my
 2. dwell-ing, gaz- ing with awe at the beau- ty of
 3. see it. Trust in the Lord, be strong and be

1. life. With the Lord what should I dread?
 2. God, and in won- der look on God's house.
 3. brave; wait in hope for God, our sal- va- tion.

Refrain
 The Lord is my light, the Lord is my
 help, the Lord is my sal- va- tion.

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

After the Lord was baptized, the heavens were opened, and the Spirit descended upon him like a dove, and the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased. cf. Mt 3:16-17

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.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

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- Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee: Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty, God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.
- Holy, Holy, Holy! All the saints adore thee, Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, Which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.
- Holy, Holy, Holy! Though the darkness hide thee, Though the eye made blind by sin thy glory may not see, Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee, Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.
- Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! All thy works shall praise thy Name, in earth, and sky, and sea; Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty, God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

GREETING **R:** And with your Spirit.

PENITENTIAL ACT

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Please Sit

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 55: 1-11

"Seek the LORD while he may be found.."

Responsorial: Isaiah 12: 2-3, 4bcd, 5-6

R. You will draw wa-ter joy-ful-ly
 from the springs of sal-va-tion.

Second Reading: 1 John 5: 1-9

“For the love of God is this, that we keep his commandments.”

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GOSPEL

℟: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

John saw Jesus approaching him, and said: Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. cf. John 1: 29

Mark 1: 7-11

“One mightier than I is coming after me”

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HOMILY

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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

℟: Lord, hear our prayer.

Please Sit

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Altar

1. O let all who thirst, let them come to the water. And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord: without money, without price. Why should you pay the price, except for the Lord?

2. And let all who seek, let them come to the water. And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord: without money, without strife. Why should you spend your life, except for the Lord?

COME TO THE WATER

3. And let all who toil, let them come to the water. And let all who are weary, let them come to the Lord: all who labor, without rest. How can your soul find rest, except for the Lord?

4. And let all the poor, let them come to the water. Bring the ones who are laden, bring them all to the Lord: bring the children without might. Easy the load and light: come to the Lord.

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PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

SANCTUS

Holy, Holy, Holy...

Please Kneel

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

Priest: The Mystery of Faith

All: When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death or Lord, until you come again

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GREAT AMEN

AGNUS DEI

Please Kneel

At the Conclusion of Lamb of God please kneel

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:
Behold the One of whom John said: I have seen and testified that this is the Son of God. John 1: 32, 34

COMMUNION HYMN:

BEHOLD THE LAMB

After Receiving communion,
Please Kneel or sit



1. Those who were in the dark are thank-ful for the
2. Peace-ful now, those whose hearts are blessed with un-der-
3. Gen-tle one, Child of God, join with us at this
4. Lord of all, give us light. De-liv-er us from



sun-light; We who live, we who die are
stand-ing Of the wheat, of the wine u-
ta-ble. Bless our lives; nour-ish all who
e-vil. Make us one; be our shield. Make



grate-ful for this gift, thank-ful for God's love.
nit-ed with God's word and the love we share.
hung-er for this feast; shel-ter them with peace.
still the winds that blow; cra-dle us with love.



Be-hold, be-hold the Lamb of God. All who eat,



all who drink shall live; and all, all who dwell in



God, shall come to know God's glo-ry!