

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.

HAIL THE DAY THAT SEES HIM RISE

Please Stand



- 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!



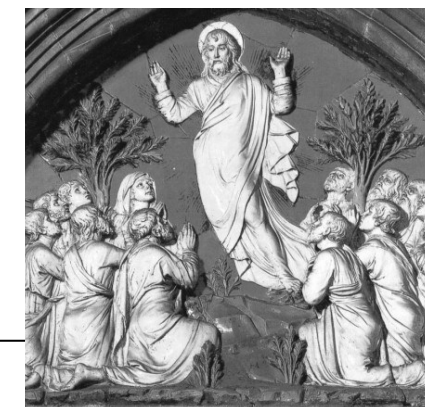
- 1. En - ters now the high - est heav'n!
 - 2. Take the King of glo - ry in.
 - 3. Still he calls the world his own.
 - 4. Bless-ings on his church be - low.
 - 5. One with you be - yond the skies:
 - 6. Find our heav'n of heav'ns in you.
- Al - le - lu - ia!

The Ascension of The Lord

May 16TH 2021

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

You kingdoms of the earth, sing to God; praise the Lord, who ascends above the highest heavens; his majesty and might are in the skies, alleluia. Psalm 68: 33, 35



Welcome to St. Nicholas!

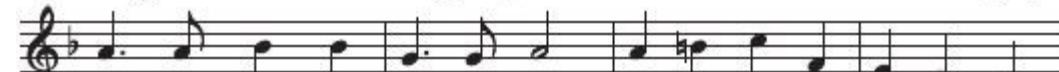
Please help us to preserve the sanctity of this time and space by maintaining a reverent **silence** before and after the liturgy.

HAIL, REDEEMER, KING DIVINE

Please Stand



- 1. Hail, re-deem-er, king di - vine! Priest and lamb, the throne is thine;
- 2. King of ev - er - last-ing might! Be to us e - ter - nal light,



- 1. King whose reign shall nev - er cease, Prince of ev - er - last-ing peace.
- 2. Till in peace each na - tion rings With thy prais-es, king of kings.



Refrain
An - gels, saints and na - tions sing: "Praised be Je - sus Christ, our king;



Lord of earth and sky and sea, King of love on Cal - va - ry."

GREETING *℟*: 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: Acts 1: 1-11

"but to wait for the promise of the Father.."

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

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

Second Reading: Ephesians 4: 1-7, 11-13 “..striving to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace..”

Please Stand

GOSPEL

R: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Go and teach all nations, says the Lord;
I am with you always, until the end of the world. Mt 28: 19a, 20b

Mark 16: 15-20

“Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel...”

Please Sit

HOMILY

Please Stand

THE PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. Niceno-Constantinopolitan Creed
 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.

Please Sit

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Altar

GLORY TO THE LAMB

1. Glory, glory, glory to the Lamb. Glory, glory, glory to the Lamb.
2. Chorus
For He is glorious and worthy to be praised, the Lamb upon the throne; And unto Him we lift our voice in praise, The Lamb upon the throne.
3. Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lamb. Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lamb.
4. Holy, holy, holy is the Lamb. Holy, holy, holy is the Lamb.

Please Stand

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

Please Stand

GREAT AMEN

AGNUS DEI

Please Kneel

At the Conclusion of Lamb of God please kneel

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:
Christ, offering a single sacrifice for sins,
is seated for ever at God's right hand, alleluia. cf. Hebrews 10: 12

COMMUNION HYMN:

WORTHY IS THE LAMB

Wor-thy is the Lamb that was slain to re - ceive
hon-or and glo - ry. Wor-thy are the ones who be - lieve
to re - ceive the good-ness of God.

Verses

1. Wor - thy are you, O Pas - chal Lamb. Sal -
2. Wor - thy are you, O Bread of Life.
3. Wor - thy are you, O Ris - en Christ.

1. Wis - dom and strength be - long now to you. You
2. va - tion and joy be - long now to us. By
3. Won - ders and signs, re - veal - ing your might. Your

1. laid down your life and died up-on the cross: we've be -
2. con - quer - ing death and ris - ing to new life, we've be -
3. pow - er and glo - ry shine up-on our lives: we've be -

1. come a peo - ple of hope.
2. come a peo - ple of praise.
3. come your light for the world.

After Receiving
communion,
Please
Kneel
or sit