

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Entrance Song

Here I Am, Lord

Verses



1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my
 2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my
 3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the



peo - ple cry. All who dwell in dark and sin
 peo - ple's pain. I have wept for love of them.
 poor and lame. I will set a feast for them.



My hand will save. I who made the
 They turn a - way. I will break their
 My hand will save. Fin - est bread I



stars of night, I will make their dark - ness bright.
 hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love a - lone.
 will pro - vide Till their hearts be sat - is - fied.



Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?
 I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?
 I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you



call - ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you



lead me. I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.

Greeting

Penitential Act

Gloria

CHRISTMAS GLORIA

GLORIA,
French carol
Setting by Daniel W. Laginya

Glo -

ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o,

glo -

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Collect

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 55:1-11

Responsorial Psalm:

Psalm 72

You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation.

Second Reading

1 John 5:1-9

Gospel Acclamation

CHRISTMASTIME ALLELUIA

James J. Chepponis
based on ADESTE FIDELES

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

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp) and 6/8 time. The first staff contains the melody for the first two phrases: 'Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,'. The second staff contains the melody for the next two phrases: 'Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!'. The notes are simple, using quarter and eighth notes with rests, and the lyrics are placed directly below the corresponding notes.

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Gospel

Matthew 2:1-12

Homily

The Creed

Universal Prayer

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts

Baptized in Water



1. Bap-tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Cleansed by the
2. Bap-tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Dead in the
3. Bap-tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Marked with the



blood of Christ our King: Heirs of sal - va - tion, Trust-ing his
tomb with Christ our King: One with his ris - ing, Freed and for -
sign of Christ our King: Born of one Fa - ther, We are his



prom - ise, Faith - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.
giv - en, Thank-ful - ly now God's praise we sing.
chil - dren, Joy - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.

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Prayer Over the Offerings

Eucharistic Prayer Acclamations

HOLY

Heritage Mass
Owen Alstott

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav'n and earth are
full of your glo - ry. Ho - san-na! Ho-san-na in the high - est.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

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The Mystery of Faith

WHEN WE EAT THIS BREAD

Heritage Mass
Owen Alstott

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-claim your
Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

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Amen

AMEN

Heritage Mass
Owen Alstott

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

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Lamb of God

LAMB OF GOD

Heritage Mass
Owen Alstott

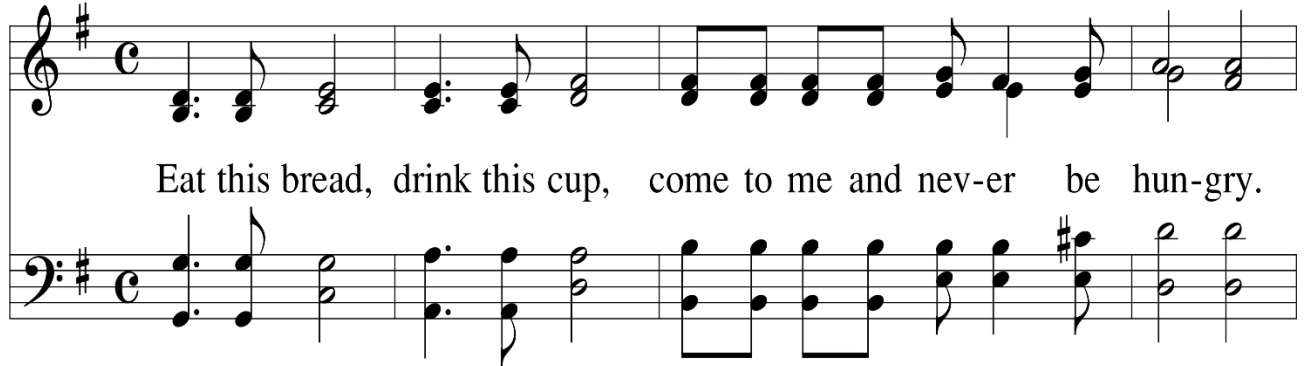
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the
world, have mer-cy on us. world, grant us peace.

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Communion Song

Eat This Bread

Refrain



Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and nev-er be hun-gry.



Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in me and you will not thirst.

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Tune: Jacques Berthier, 1923-1994

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Prayer After Communion

Blessing and Dismissal

Recessional Song

City of God

Verses 1, 2



1. A-wake from your slum-ber! A - rise from your
2. We are sons of the morn-ing; we are daugh-ters of



sleep! A new day is dawn - ing
day. The One who has loved us




for all those who weep. The peo - ple in
has bright-ened our way. The Lord of all



dark - ness have seen a great light. The Lord of our
kind - ness has called us to be a light for his



long - ing has con-quired the night.
peo - ple to set their hearts free.

Refrain 



Let us build the cit-y of God. May our tears be



turned in - to danc - ing! For the Lord, our light and our



love, has turned the night in - to day!

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