

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Entrance Song

SING TO THE MOUNTAINS

Bob Dufford, SJ

Refrain

Sing to the moun-tains, sing to the sea. Raise your voic - es,
 lift your hearts. This is the day the Lord has made. Let all the
 earth re - joice. Last time Let all the earth re - joice.

Verse 1

1. I will give thanks to you, my Lord. You have
 1. an - swered my plea. You have saved my
 1. soul from death. You are my strength and my song. to Refrain

Verse 2

2. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord. Heav -
 2. en and earth are full of your glo - ry. to Refrain

Verse 3

3. This is the day that the Lord has made. Let us be glad and re - joice.
 3. Death has lost and all is life. Sing of the glo - ry of God. to Refrain

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Greeting

Penitential Act

Gloria

Heritage Mass

Collect

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Acts 9:26-31

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 22

Psalm 22: I Will Praise You, Lord

Refrain



Verses

1. My vows I will pay before those who fear God.
The poor shall eat and shall have their fill.
Those who seek the Lord shall praise the Lord.
May their hearts live for ever and ever!
2. All the earth shall remember and return to the Lord,
all families of the nations shall bow down in awe.
They shall bow down in awe, all the mighty of the earth,
all who must die and go down to the dust.
3. My soul shall live for God and my children too shall serve.
They shall tell of the Lord to generations yet to come;
declare to those unborn, the faithfulness of God.
These things the Lord has done.

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Second Reading

1 John 3:18-24

Gospel Acclamation

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Festival Alleluia

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Gospel

John 15:1-8

Homily

Universal Prayer

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts

I Am the Vine

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I am the vine, you are the branch-es. Re - main in
me, you shall be fruit - ful. Love for the world,
hope for the hope - less.

Verses

1. If you love, then you must root your - self
2. If you give, then you must give your - self
in me; For the branch will
to me; For the well will
fail and die with-out the tree.
soon run dry with-out the sea. **D.C.**

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Prayer over the Gifts

Holy, Holy

Heritage Mass

Mystery of Faith When we eat this bread....

Amen

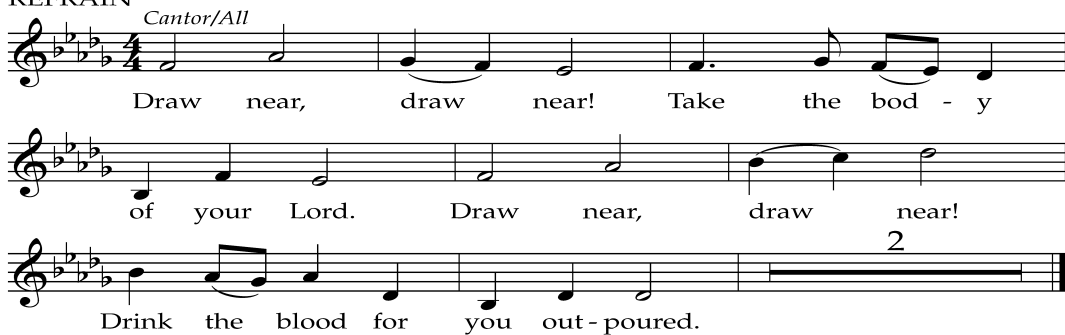
Sign of Peace

Lamb of God

Communion Song:

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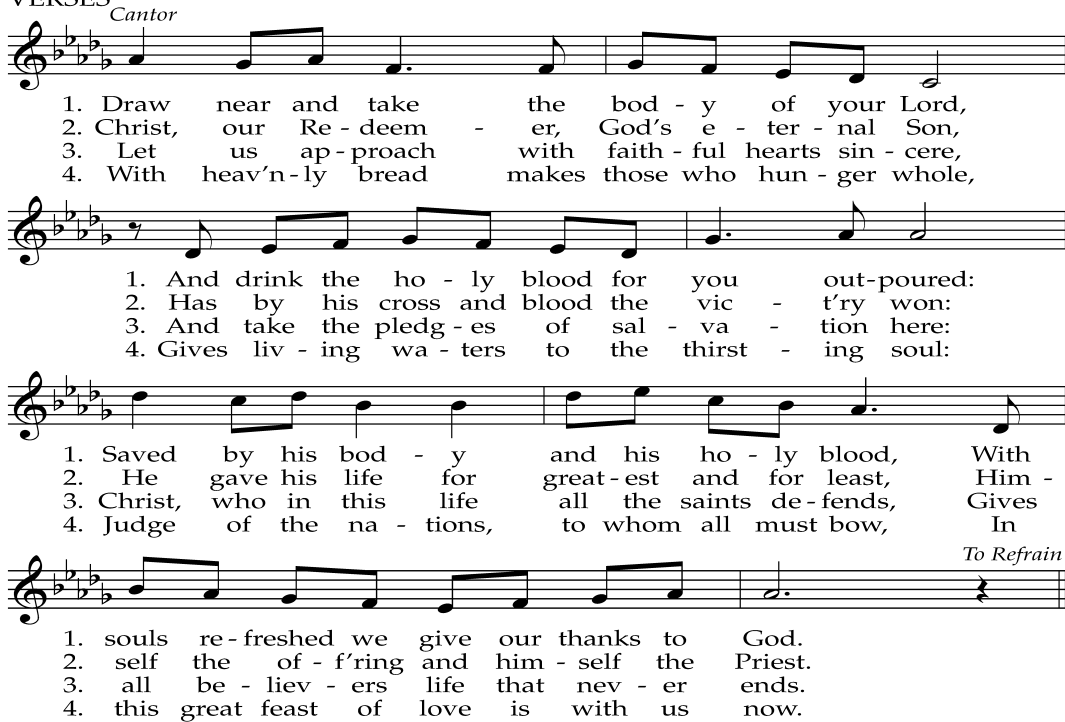
Cantor/All



Draw near, draw near! Take the bod - y
of your Lord. Draw near, draw near!
Drink the blood for you out-poured.

VERSES

Cantor



1. Draw near and take the bod - y of your Lord,
2. Christ, our Re - deem - er, God's e - ter - nal Son,
3. Let us ap - proach with faith - ful hearts sin - cere,
4. With heav'n - ly bread makes those who hun - ger whole,
1. And drink the ho - ly blood for you out-poured:
2. Has by his cross and blood the vic - t'ry won:
3. And take the pledg - es of sal - va - tion here:
4. Gives liv - ing wa - ters to the thirst - ing soul:
1. Saved by his bod - y and his ho - ly blood, With
2. He gave his life for great - est and for least, Gives -
3. Christ, who in this life all the saints de - fends, Gives
4. Judge of the na - tions, to whom all must bow, In
To Refrain
1. souls re - freshed we give our thanks to God.
2. self the of - f'ring and him - self the Priest.
3. all be - liev - ers life that nev - er ends.
4. this great feast of love is with us now.

Sancti, venite, Christi corpus sumite
7th cent. hymn, tr. by John M. Neale, 1818-1866, alt.

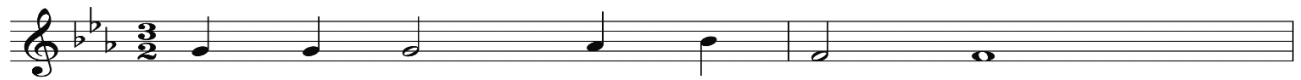
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Prayer after Communion

Blessing and Dismissal Thanks Be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Recessional Song

We Shall Rise Again



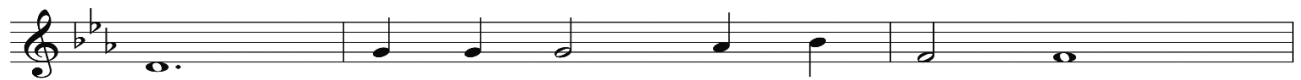
1. Come to me, all you wea - ry,
2. Though we walk through the dark - ness,
3. We de - pend on God's mer - cy,
4. Do not fear death's do - min - ion,
5. At the door there to greet us,



with your bur - dens and pain. Take my yoke on your
e - vil we do not fear. You are walk - ing be -
mer - cy which nev - er fades. We re - mem - ber our
look be - yond earth and grave. See the bright - ness of
mar - tyrs, an - gels, and saints, And our fam - 'ly and



shoul - ders and learn from
side us with your rod and your
cov - e - nant and the prom - ise Je - sus
Je - sus shin - ing out to light our
loved ones, ev - 'ry - one freed from their



me: I am gen - tle and hum - ble,
staff. On - ly good - ness and kind - ness
made: If we die with Christ Je - sus,
way. Lov - ing Fa - ther and Spir - it,
chains. We shall feel their ac - cep - tance,



and your soul will find rest, For my yoke is
fol - low us all our lives. We shall dwell in the
we shall live with him, And if we are
lov - ing Je - sus the Son, All God's peo - ple to -
and the joy of new life. We shall join in the



eas - y and my bur - den is light.
Lord's house for so man - y years to come!
faith - ful, we shall reign with him!
geth - er, we shall live on as one!
gath - er - ing, re - u - nit - ed in God's love!

We shall rise a-gain on the last day with the

faith - ful, rich and poor. Com - ing

to the house of Lord Je - sus, we will find an o - pen

door there, we will find an o - pen door.

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