

## Divine Worship

**INTROIT** *Jubilate Deo* [Psalm 66: 1, 2]

O be joyful in God, all ye lands, alleluia; sing praises unto the honour of his Name, alleluia: make his praise to be exceeding glorious. Alleluia. Alleluia. Ps. Say unto God, O how wonderful art thou in thy works, O Lord: through the greatness of thy power.

**COLLECT** Almighty God, who hast given thine only Son to be unto us both a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: give us grace that we may always most thankfully receive his inestimable benefit; and also daily endeavour ourselves to follow the blessed steps of his most holy life; through the same Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

**APPOINTED PSALM** Psalm 4: 1, 3, 7-9 *Cum invocarem*

HEAR me when I call, O God of my | right-eous | ness: \* thou hast set me at liberty when I was in trouble; have mercy upon me, and | heark-en | unto · my | prayer.

3 Know this also, that the Lord hath chosen to himself the man | that is | godly; \* when I call upon the Lord | he will | hear\_ | me.

7 Lord, | lift thou | up \* the light of thy | coun- te- | nance up- | on us.

8 Thou hast put gladness | in my | heart; \* yea, more than when their corn and | wine and | oil in- | crease.

9 I will lay me down in peace, and | take my | rest; \* for it is thou, Lord, only, that | makest me | dwell in | safety.

**ALLELUIA** *Oportebat* [Luke 24: 26]

Alleluia, alleluia. Ought not Christ to have suffered these things: and so to have entered into his glory? Alleluia.

**OFFERTORY** *Lauda anima mea* [Psalm 146: 1]

Praise the Lord, O my soul; while I live, will I praise the Lord: yea, as long as I have any being, I will sing praises unto my God. Alleluia.

**COMMUNION** *Cantate Domino* [Psalm 96: 1, 2]

O sing unto the Lord, alleluia: sing unto the Lord, and praise his Name; be telling of his salvation from day to day. Alleluia.

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**FIRST READING** *Acts 3: 13-15, 17-19*

In those days, Peter said to the people: "The God of Abraham and of Isaac and of Jacob, the God of our fathers, glorified his servant Jesus, whom you delivered up and denied in the presence of Pilate, when he had decided to release him. But you denied the Holy and Righteous One, and asked for a murderer to be granted to you, and killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And now, brethren, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. But what God foretold by the mouth of all the prophets, that his Christ should suffer, he thus fulfilled. Repent therefore, and turn again, that your sins may be blotted out.

**SECOND READING** *1 John 2: 1-5*

My little children, I am writing this to you so that you may not sin; but if any one does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the expiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world. And by this we may be sure that we know him, if we keep his commandments. He who says "I know him" but disobeys his commandments is a liar, and the truth is not in him; but whoever keeps his word, in him truly love for God is perfected.

**GOSPEL** *Luke 24: 35-48*

At that time, the two disciples told what had happened on the road, and how he was known to them in the breaking of the bread. As they were saying this, Jesus himself stood among them, and said to them, "Peace to you." But they were startled and frightened, and supposed that they saw a spirit. And he said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do questionings rise in your hearts? See my hands and my feet, that it is I myself; handle me, and see; for a spirit has not flesh

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and bones as you see that I have." And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. And while they still disbelieved for joy, and wondered, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate before them. Then he said to them, "These are my words which I spoke to you, while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the law of Moses and the prophets and the psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be preached in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things."



## **Roman Missal**

**INTROIT** Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise, alleluia. Ƶ. Say to God, "How tremendous are your deeds! Let all on earth worship and sing praise to you, sing praise to your name!"

**COLLECT** May your people exult for ever, O God, in renewed youthfulness of spirit, so that, rejoicing now in the restored glory of our adoption, we may look forward in confident hope to the rejoicing of the day of resurrection. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM** *Psalm 4:1, 3, 6, 8*

**℟. Lift up the light of your countenance upon us, O Lord.**

Answer me when I call, O God of my right!

You have given me room when I was in distress.

Be gracious to me, and hear my prayer. **℟.**

But know that the LORD has set apart the godly for himself;  
the LORD hears when I call to him. **℟.**

There are many who say, "O that we might see some good!

Lift up the light of thy countenance upon us, O LORD!" **℟.**

In peace I will both lie down and sleep;

for you alone, O LORD, make me dwell in safety. **℟.**

VERSE BEFORE THE GOSPEL

℟. Alleluia, alleluia.

Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us; make our hearts burn while you speak to us.

℟. Alleluia, alleluia.

**OFFERTORY** Praise the Lord, O my soul; I will praise the Lord all my life; I will sing praise to my God while I live, alleluia, alleluia. Ƶ. Who keeps faith forever, secures justice for the oppress'd, gives food to the hungry. The Lord sets captives free.

**COMMUNION VERSE** The Christ had to suffer and on the third day rise from the dead; in his name repentance and remission of sins must be preached to all the nations, alleluia.