

ST IGNATIUS
& ST LUKE'S
14 June 2020



THE HYMNS OF CORPUS CHRISTI

St. Thomas Aquinas wrote the liturgy for Corpus Christi when Pope Urban IV added the Solemnity to the universal Church's liturgical calendar in 1264. Besides the sequence *Lauda Sion Salvatorem* which is chanted before the proclamation of the Gospel, St. Thomas wrote hymns for the entire Office of that feast.

St. Thomas wrote a hymn for Vespers: *Pange Lingua* (Sing, tongue, the mystery of the glorious Body), from which we have the *Tantum Ergo* verses sung at Benediction. The English Catholic convert Father Edward Caswell translated those verses:

Down in adoration falling,
Lo! the sacred Host we hail,
Lo! o'er ancient forms departing
Newer rites of grace prevail;
Faith for all defects supplying,
Where the feeble senses fail.

To the everlasting Father
And the Son Who reigns on high,
With the Holy Ghost proceeding
Forth from Each eternally,
Be salvation, honor, blessing,
Might, and endless majesty. Amen.

His hymn for Matins, *Sacris Solemniis* (Sacred Solemnity), includes the great *Panis Angelicus* (Bread of Angels) meditation:

*Panis angelicus fit panis hominum;
Dat panis caelicus figuris terminum;
O res mirabilis: manducat Dominum
Pauper, servus et humilis.*

*Te, trina Deitas unaque, poscimus:
Sic nos tu visita, sicut te colimus;
Per tuas semitas duc nos quo tendimus,
Ad lucem quam inhabitas. Amen.*

Lo! Angels' Bread is made the Bread of men today:
The living Bread from heav'n with figures doth away:
O wondrous boon indeed! Though poor and lowly, may
The servant on his Master feed.

Thee, therefore, we implore, O Godhead, One in Three,
So may'st Thou visit us as now we worship Thee;
And lead us on Thy way, that we at last may see
The light wherein Thou dwellest aye. Amen.

From the third hymn, for Lauds, *Verbum Supernum Prodiens* (Word Descending from Above), we take the other Benediction hymn, *O Salutaris Hostia* (O Saving Victim), also translated by Caswell:

O saving Victim, op'ning wide
The gate of heav'n to man below!
Our foes press on from ev'ry side:
Thine aid supply, Thy strength bestow.

To Thy great name be endless praise,
Immortal Godhead, One in Three!
O grant us endless length of days
In our true native land, with Thee. Amen.

Finally, St. Thomas Aquinas wrote a hymn of Eucharistic thanksgiving, *Adore Te Devote* (Devoutly I Adore Thee), which in the translation by the Jesuit poet Gerard Manley Hopkins expresses the mystery and wonder of our reception of Jesus in Holy Communion:

Godhead here in hiding Whom I do adore
Masked by these bare shadows, Shape and nothing more,
See, Lord, at Thy service Low lies here a heart
Lost, all lost in wonder At the God Thou art.

Seeing, touching, tasting Are in Thee deceived;
How says trusty hearing? That shall be believed;
What God's Son has told me, Take for truth I do;
Truth Himself speaks truly Or there's nothing true.

On the cross Thy Godhead Made no sign to men;
Here Thy very manhood Steals from human ken:
Both are my confession, Both are my belief;
And I pray the prayer Of the dying thief.

I am not like Thomas, Wounds I cannot see,
But I plainly call Thee Lord and God as he;
This faith each day deeper Be my holding of,
Daily make me harder Hope and dearer love.

O thou our reminder of Christ crucified,
Living Bread, the life of us for whom he died,
Lend this life to me then: feed and feast my mind,
There be thou the sweetness man was meant to find.

Bring the tender tale true of the Pelican;
Bathe me, Jesu Lord, in what thy bosom ran—
Blood whereof a single drop has power to win
All the world forgiveness of its world of sin.

Jesu, whom I look at shrouded here below,
I beseech thee send me what I thirst for so,
Some day to gaze on thee face to face in light
And be blest for ever with thy glory's sight. Amen.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

All who are suffering or sick and all caregivers who minister to the sick: John Hogan, Deirdre McQuade, Danny Hart, Amy Howard, Mary Morehead and family, Curtis Bailey, Leondre Massey, Sister Constance Ward, George Cochran, Mark Anthony Turner, Rachel Fisher, Patricia Ransom, Jacqueline Chancio, Beverly A. Woods, Kerianna Prather, Victoria P.; M.M., R.M., K.M., C.M., C.A., E.D., E.G., W.B., J.M., H.G., and J.G.

Please call or email the office to add a name to the prayer list. Before calling, please be sure you have spoken to the person [or a member of his family] about adding the name—we do not want to inadvertently disregard someone's desire for privacy.

Names of those who are sick or suffering will be kept on the list for one month; to keep a name on the list for longer, you must email the parish office.

MASS READINGS THIS WEEK

14 June MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Deuteronomy 8: 2-3, 14b-16a; Psalm 147: 12-15, 19-20;
1 Corinthians 10: 16-17; John 6: 51-58

15 June *Feria*

1 Kings 21: 1-16; Psalm 5: 2-7; Matthew 5: 38-42

16 June *Feria*

1 Kings 21: 17-29; Psalm 51: 3-6b, 11, 16; Matthew 5: 43-48

17 June *Feria*

2 Kings 2: 1, 6-14; Psalm 31: 20-21, 24; Matthew 6: 1-6, 16-18

18 June *Feria*

Sirach 48: 1-14; Psalm 97: 1-7; Mark 6: 7-15

19 June MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Deuteronomy 7: 6-11; Psalm 103: 1-4, 8, 10;
1 John 4: 7-16; Matthew 11: 25-30

20 June *Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

2 Chronicles 24: 17-25; Psalm 89: 4-5, 29-34; Luke 2: 41-51

21 June *Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Jeremiah 20: 10-13; Psalm 69: 8-10, 17, 33-35;

Romans 5: 12-15; Matthew 10: 26-33

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, 13 June

Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Dr. Matthew Slattery + [Jane Slattery]

Sunday, 14 June

MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST [*Corpus Christi*]
Pro populo

Monday, 15 June

Feria
Edward Guinivan and companions

Tuesday, 16 June

Richard of Chichester, Bishop
John Byrd + [Tim Frank]

Wednesday, 17 June

Feria
Joseph Lawrence + [Jane and Steve Lawrence]

Thursday, 18 June

Feria
Diana Gowen + [Heather and Mark Arbeen]

Friday, 19 June

MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS
John J. McGinness +

Saturday, 20 June

Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary
James Donovan [Jane Slattery]

Sunday, 21 June

Second Sunday after Trinity
Pro populo

Fr. Vidal will be saying private masses daily until the coronavirus protocols permit public celebration once more. Mass intentions will therefore be covered.

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