

The Catholic
Community of **St. John &
Blessed Sacrament**



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GATHERING SONG

MARY'S SONG

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1. My soul pro - claims the Lord my God. My spir - it ____
2. All na - tions ____ now will share my joy; For gifts God ____
3. For those who ____ fear the Ho - ly One, God's mer - cy ____
4. God fills the ____ hun - gry with good things, And sends the ____
5. Then let all ____ na - tions praise our God, The Fa - ther ____



1. sings God's praise, ____ Who looks ____ on ____ me, and
2. has out - poured. ____ This low - ly ____ one has
3. will not die. ____ Whose strong ____ right ____ arm puts
4. rich a - way; ____ The prom - ise ____ made to
5. and the Son, ____ The Spir - it ____ blest, who



1. lifts ____ me ____ up, That glad - ness ____ fills my days. ____
2. been ____ made ____ great. I mag - ni - fy the Lord. ____
3. down ____ the ____ proud, And lifts the ____ low - ly high. ____
4. A - bra - ham Is filled to ____ end - less day. ____
5. lives ____ in ____ us, While end - less ____ a - ges run. ____

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GLORY TO GOD

Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace to
peo - ple of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a -
dore you, we glo - ri - fy you, we give you thanks for
your great glo - ry, Lord God, heav - en - ly King, O
God, al - might - y Fa - ther. Lord Je - sus Christ,
On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther,
you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on
us; you take a - way the sins of the world, re - ceive our
prayer; you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther,
have mer - cy on us. For you a - lone are the
Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the
Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it, in the
glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

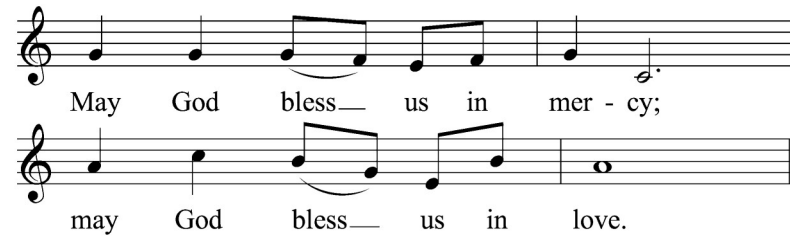
FIRST READING

Numbers 6:22-27

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 67

May God Bless Us in Mercy



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SECOND READING

Galatians 4:4-7

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



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GOSPEL

Luke 2:16-21

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

UNIVERSAL PRAYERS

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

INFANT HOLY, INFANT LOWLY

W ZLOBIE LEZY



1. In - fant ho - ly, in - fant low - ly, For his bed a
2. Flocks were sleep-ing, shep - herds keep - ing Vig - il till the
3. As we jour - ney to the sta - ble Like the wise-men
4. Wake our spir - its from their slum - ber; Send the dark-ness



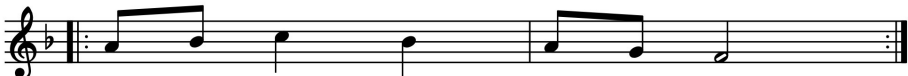
1. cat - tle stall; Ox - en low - ing, lit - tle know - ing
2. morn-ing new. Saw the glo - ry, heard the sto - ry,
3. long a - go, We are hop - ing to dis - cov - er
4. on its way. Fill our hearts with joy and won - der



1. Christ the babe is Lord of all. Swift are wing - ing,
2. Tid - ings of a gos - pel true. Thus re - joic - ing,
3. What these pil - grims came to know. All are wel - come
4. On this bless - ed Christ - mas day. Songs of an - gels



1. an - gels sing - ing, No - els ring - ing, tid - ings bring - ing:
2. free from sor - row, Prais - es voic - ing greet the mor - row:
3. at this man - ger, King and shep-herd, friend and strang - er.
4. all a - round us; Grace and bless - ing now sur - round us.



1. Christ the babe is Lord of all.
2. Christ the babe was born for you.
3. Christ the babe is Lord of all.
4. Christ be with us as we go.

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PREFACE ACCLAMATION

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.

Heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na,

ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high-est.

Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high-est.

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

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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GREAT AMEN

A - men. A - men. A - men.

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LAMB OF GOD

Cantor All

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have

Cantor All

mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the

sins of the world, grant us peace.

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COMMUNION HYMN

Let Us Be Bread

Refrain

Let us be bread, blessed by the Lord, bro-ken and shared,

life for the world. Let us be wine, love free-ly poured.

Let us be one in the Lord.

Verse 1

1. I am the bread of life, bro-ken for all.

Eat now and hun-ger no more.

D.C.

Verse 2

2. You are my friends if you keep my com-mands,

no long-er ser-vants but friends.

D.C.

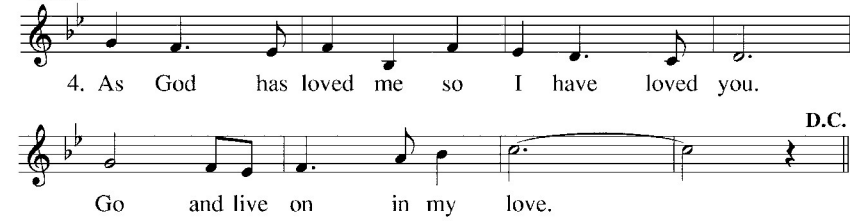
Verse 3

3. See how my peo-ple have noth-ing to eat.

Give them the bread that is you.

D.C.

Verse 4



4. As God has loved me so I have loved you.

Go and live on in my love. **D.C.**

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SONG FOR THE JOURNEY

Let There Be Peace on Earth



Let there be peace on earth, and let it be - gin with me.

Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be. With

God as our Fa-ther, fam - 'ly all are we.

Let us walk with each oth - er in per-fect har-mo - ny.

Let peace be - gin with me; let this be the mo-ment now.

With ev - 'ry step I take, let this be my sol-emn vow; To

take each mo-ment, and live each mo-ment in peace e - ter-nal - ly!

Let there be peace on earth, and let it be - gin with me.

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