

THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

November 26 - 27, 2022

Saint Bridget Catholic Church ♦ Richmond, Virginia



ORDER OF MASS THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

ENTRANCE CHANT *Sung by Cantor*

*To you, I lift up my soul, O my God.
In you I have trusted; let me not be put to shame,
nor let my enemies exult over me,
and let none who hope in you be put to shame.*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *All sing*

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el,
2. O come, O Wis - dom from on high,
And ran - som cap - tive Is - ra - el,
Who or - der all things might i - ly;
That mourns in the lone - ly ex - ile here
To us the path of knowl - edge show,
Un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
And teach us in her ways to go.
Re - jice! Re - jice! Em - man - u - el
Shall come to you, O Is - ra - el.

KYRIE *All sing*

Cantor, then all:

Storrington Mass

(Invocation) Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son.
(Invocation) Chri - ste, e - lé - i - son.
(Invocation) Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Readings: #991 ~ Lectionary: #1

FIRST READING: Isaiah 2:1-5

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 122 *Please sing Refrain as Cantor indicates.*



Let us go re - joic - ing to the house of the Lord.

SECOND READING: Romans 13:11-14

Please stand

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: *All sing*

Refrain



Al - le-lu - ia, al - le-lu - ia, al - le-lu - ia.



Al - le-lu - ia, al - le-lu - ia, al - le-lu - ia.

Verse sung by Cantor: Show us Lord, your love; and grant us your salvation.

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 24:37-44

HOMILY

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from Heaven, (*all Bow*) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the Prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. *Amen.*

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY HYMN

Creator of the Stars of Night

Verses



1. Cre - a - tor of the stars of night, Your
 2. In sor - row that the an - cient curse Should
 3. When this old world drew on toward night, You
 4. At your great Name, O Je - sus, now All
 5. Come in your ho - ly might, we pray, Re -
 6. To God the Fa - ther, God the Son, And



peo - ple's ev - er - last - ing light, O
 doom to death a u - ni - verse, You
 came; but not in splen - dor bright, Not
 knees must bend, all hearts must bow: All
 deem us for e - ter - nal day; De -
 God the Spir - it, Three in One, Praise,



Christ, Re - deem - er of us all, We
 came, O Sav - ior, to set free Your
 as a mon - arch, but the child Of
 things on earth with one ac - cord, Like
 fend us while we dwell be - low From
 hon - or, might, and glo - ry be From



pray you hear us when we call.
 own in glo - rious lib - er - ty.
 Mar - y, blame - less moth - er mild.
 those in heav'n, shall call you Lord.
 all as - saults of our dread foe.
 age to age e - ter - nal - ly.

*To next verse**

INVITATION TO PRAYER

Priest: Pray brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

All: *May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of His name, for our good, and the good of all His holy church.*

PREFACE DIALOGUE

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: *And with your spirit.*

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: *We lift them up to the Lord.*

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

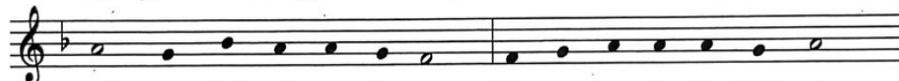
All: *It is right and just.*

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY *All sing*

The Roman Missal



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav - en and



earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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Holy, Holy, Holy continued

Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Ho - san - na in the high - est.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION *All sing*

A Community Mass

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

GREAT AMEN

Danish Amen

Priest: Through Him, and with Him, and in Him, O God, Almighty
Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is
Yours, forever and ever.

All sing

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

THE LORD'S PRAYER

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, but deliver us from evil.

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray from every evil, graciously grant
peace in our days, that by the help of your mercy, we may be
always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the
blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

All: For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are Yours, now and forever.

THE SIGN OF PEACE

Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And with your spirit.

LAMB OF GOD *All sing*

Holy Cross Mass

Cantor or Choir: Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world,
All: have mer - cy on us. *Last time* grant us peace.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold Him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: *Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word, and my soul shall be healed.*

COMMUNION ANTIPHON *Sung by Cantor*

The Lord will bestow his bounty, and our earth shall yield its increase.

HYMN *All sing*

Come to the Banquet

Refrain

Come to the ban - quet, come to the feast. Eat the Bread of
 life! Share in the sing - ing, share in the joy.
 Drink the Cup of love! love! Share the joy!

To verses *Last time*

Verses

1. Draw near and take the Bod - y of the
 2. Our great Re - deem - er, God's e - ter - nal
 3. Let us ap - proach with faith - ful hearts sin -
 4. With heav'n - ly bread Christ makes the hun - gry

Lord, and drink with faith the Blood for you out - poured.
 Son, has by his cross and blood the vic - t'ry won.
 cere and claim the prom - ise of sal - va - tion here.
 whole; his liv - ing wa - ter fills the thirst - ing soul.

Saved by his Bod - y, hal - lowed by his Blood, with
 He spent his life for great - est and for least. Praise
 Christ rules our hearts, and all his saints de - fends; he
 Be - fore your pres - ence, Lord, all peo - ple bow. In

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souls re - freshed we give our thanks to God.
 Christ the Pas - chal Vic - tim, Christ the Priest.
 gives be - liev - ers life that nev - er ends.
 this your feast of love be with us now.

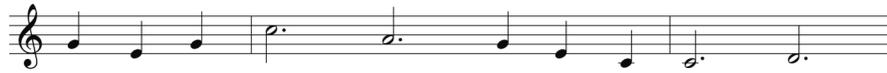
HYMN OF PRAISE

Praise and Thanksgiving

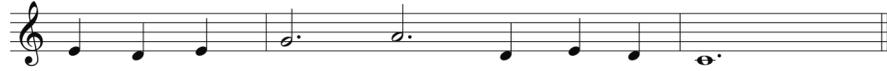
1. Praise and thanks - giv - ing, Fa - ther, we of - fer,
 2. Lord, bless the la - bor We bring to serve you,
 3. Fa - ther, pro - vid - ing Food for your chil - dren,
 4. Then will your bless - ing Reach ev - 'ry peo - ple,

For all things liv - ing You have made good:
 That with our neigh - bor We may be fed.
 By your wise guid - ing Teach us to share
 Free - ly con - fess - ing Your gra - cious hand.

Praise and Thanksgiving continued



Har - vest of sown fields, Fruits of the or - chard,
Sow - ing or till - ing, We would work with you,
One with an - oth - er, So that, re - joic - ing
Where you are reign - ing No one will hun - ger,



Hay from the mown fields, Blossom and wood.
Har - vest - ing, mill - ing, For dai - ly bread.
With us, all oth - ers, May know your care.
Your love sus - tain - ing, Fruit - ful the land.

THE CONCLUDING RITES

RECESSIONAL HYMN *All Sing*

Come, O Long-Expected Jesus



1. Come, O long - ex - pect - ed Je - sus, Born to set your
2. Born your peo - ple to de - liv - er, Born a child, and



peo - ple free; From our fears and sins re - lease us:
yet a king; Born to reign in us for - ev - er,



Christ, in you our rest shall be. Is - rael's strength and
Now your grac - ious king - dom bring. By your own e -



con - so - la - tion, Hope to all the earth im - part;
ter - nal Spir - it Rule in all our hearts a - lone;



Dear de - sire of ev - 'ry na - tion,
By your all - suf - fi - cient mer - it



En - ter ev - 'ry long - ing heart.
Raise us to your glo - rious throne.

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