

MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD



CONVENTUAL EUCHARIST

OPENING SONG

Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming

1. Lo, how a Rose e'er bloom-ing from ten-der stem hath
2. I - sai - ah 'twas fore - told it, this Rose I have in
3. O Flow'r, whose fra-grance ten-der with sweet-ness fills the

sprung! Of Jes-se's lin-eage com-ing, as those of old have
mind, with Mar-y we be-hold it, the Vir-gin Moth-er
air, dis-pel in glo-rious splen-dor the dark-ness ev-'ry -

sung. It came a flow-er bright, a-mid the
kind. To show God's love a-right, she bore to
where. True man, yet ver-y God, from sin and

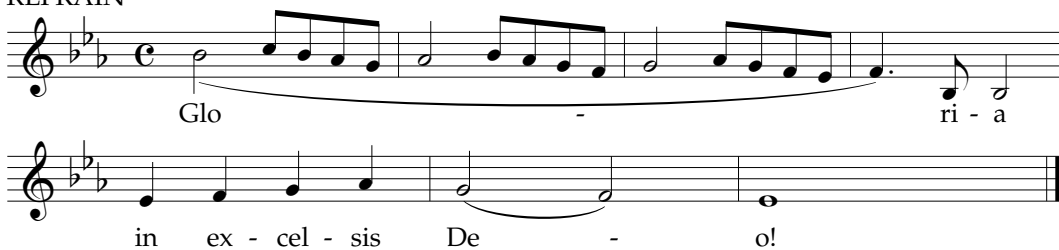
cold of win-ter, when half spent was the night.
us a Sav-ior, when half spent was the night.
death now save us, and share our ev-'ry load.

Text: based on Isaiah 11:1; Trad. German Carol, 15th cent.; tr. Theodore Baker, 1851-1934.

Music: ES IST EIN' ROS' ENTSPRUNGEN, 76 76 6 76; *Alte Catholische Geistliche Kirchengesänge*, Cologne, 1599.

GLORIA

REFRAIN



VERSES



Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. **R/.**

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy *on* us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy *on* us. **R/.**

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. *A - men.* **R/.**

FIRST READING

Números 6:22-27

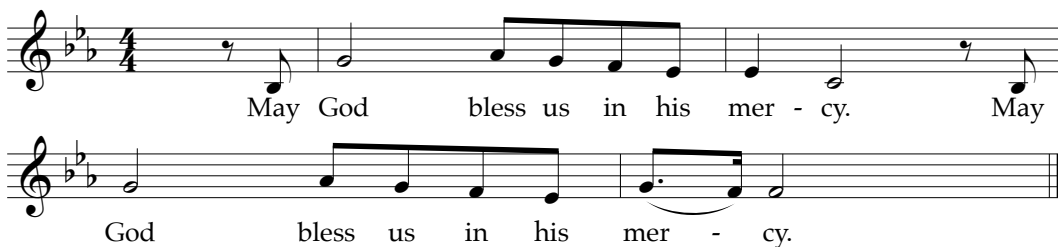
En aquel tiempo, el Señor habló a Moisés y le dijo: “Di a Aarón y a sus hijos: ‘De esta manera bendecirán a los israelitas: El Señor te bendiga y te proteja, haga resplandecer su rostro sobre ti y te conceda su favor. Que el Señor te mire con benevolencia y te conceda la paz.’ Así invocarán mi nombre sobre los israelitas y yo los bendeciré.”

The Word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 67: May God Bless Us in His Mercy

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SECOND READING

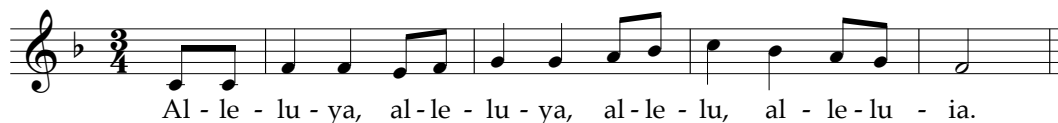
Galatians 4:4-7

Brothers and sisters: When the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, to ransom those under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons. As proof that you are sons, God sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying out, “Abba, Father!” So you are no longer a slave but a son, and if a son then also an heir, through God.

Palabra de Dios. *Te Alabamos Señor.*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Christmas Alleluia



Music: W ZLOBIE LEZY; Polish Carol.

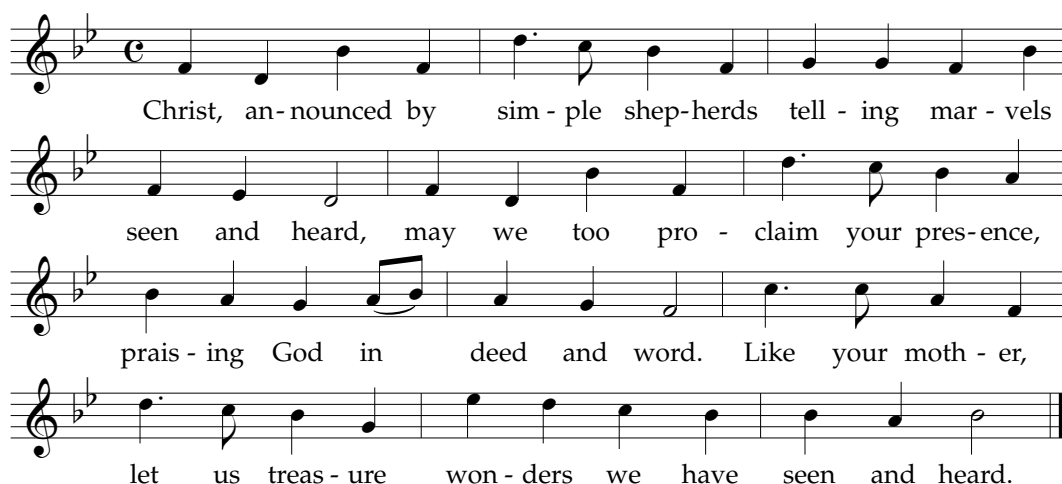
The Lord be with you. *And with your spirit.*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke. *Praise to you, O Lord.*

En aquel tiempo, los pastores fueron a toda prisa hacia Belén y encontraron a María, a José y al niño, recostado en el pesebre. Después de verlo, contaron lo que se les había dicho de aquel niño, y cuantos los oían quedaban maravillados. María, por su parte, guardaba todas estas cosas y las meditaba en su corazón. Los pastores se volvieron a sus campos, alabando y glorificando a Dios por todo cuanto habían visto y oído, según lo que se les había anunciado. Cumplidos los ocho días, circuncidaron al niño y le pusieron el nombre de Jesús, aquel mismo que había dicho el ángel, antes de que el niño fuera concebido.

Let us respond to the Gospel in Song.

GOSPEL RESPONSE



Christ, an-nounced by sim-ple shep-herds tell-ing mar-vels
seen and heard, may we too pro-claim your pres-ence,
prais-ing God in deed and word. Like your moth-er,
let us treas-ure won-ders we have seen and heard.

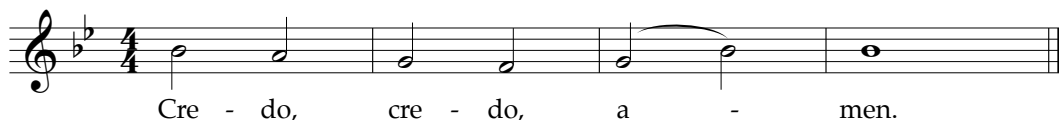
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Music: REGENT SQUARE, 87 87 87; Henry T. Smart, 1813-1879.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

Credo



Cre - do, cre - do, a - men.

PREPARATION OF THE OFFERINGS

Silent Night



1. Si - lent night! Ho - ly night! All is calm,
2. Si - lent night! Ho - ly night! Shep - herds quake
3. Si - lent night! Ho - ly night! Son of God,
all is bright round yon Vir - gin Moth - er and child!
at the sight. Glo - ries stream from heav - en a - far.
love's pure light, ra - diant beams from thy ho - ly face
Ho - ly In - fant so ten - der and mild, sleep in heav - en - ly
Heav'n - ly hosts sing "Al - le - lu - ia! Christ the Sav - ior is
with the dawn of re - deem - ing grace, Je - sus, Lord, at thy
peace, sleep in heav - en - ly peace.
born, Christ the Sav - ior is born."
birth, Je - sus, Lord, at thy birth.

Text: Joseph Mohr, 1792-1849. English tr. by John F. Young, 1820-1885.
Music: STILLE NACHT; Franz X. Gruber, 1787-1863.

EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS

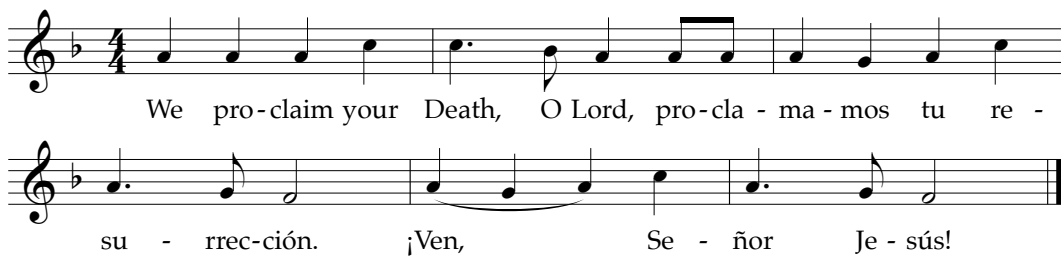
Holy



San-to, San - to, San-to es el Se-ñor, Dios del u - ni - ver - so.
Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Ben -
di - to el que vie - ne en nom - bre del Se-ñor. Ho -
san - na, ho - san - na en el cie - lo.

Music: IN DULCI JUBILO

Memorial Acclamation



We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, pro-cla - ma - mos tu re -
su - rrec-ción. ¡Ven, Se - ñor Je - sús!

Music: GLORIA

Amen



A - men, a - men. A - men, a - men. A - =>



Music: ADESTE FIDELIS; John F. Wade.

FRACTION RITE

Lamb of God

Cor - de - ro de Dios, que qui - tas el pe - ca - do del
mun - do, ten pie - dad de no - so - tros.
Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Cor -
de - ro de Dios, que qui - tas el pe - ca - do del
mun - do, da - nos la paz, da - nos la paz.

Music: MUELLER

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Jesus Christ, the Same Today, Yesterday and Evermore

ANTÍFONA / ANTIPHON

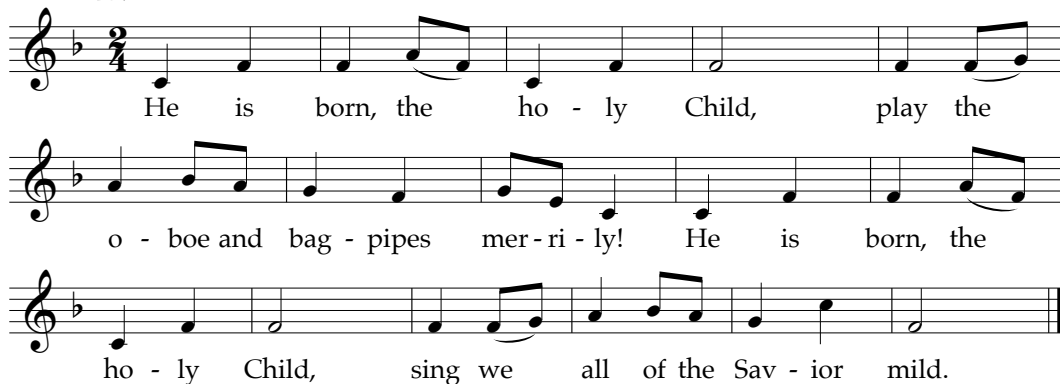
Je-su-cris - to, el mis-mo hoy, yes-ter-day and ev-er-more.—

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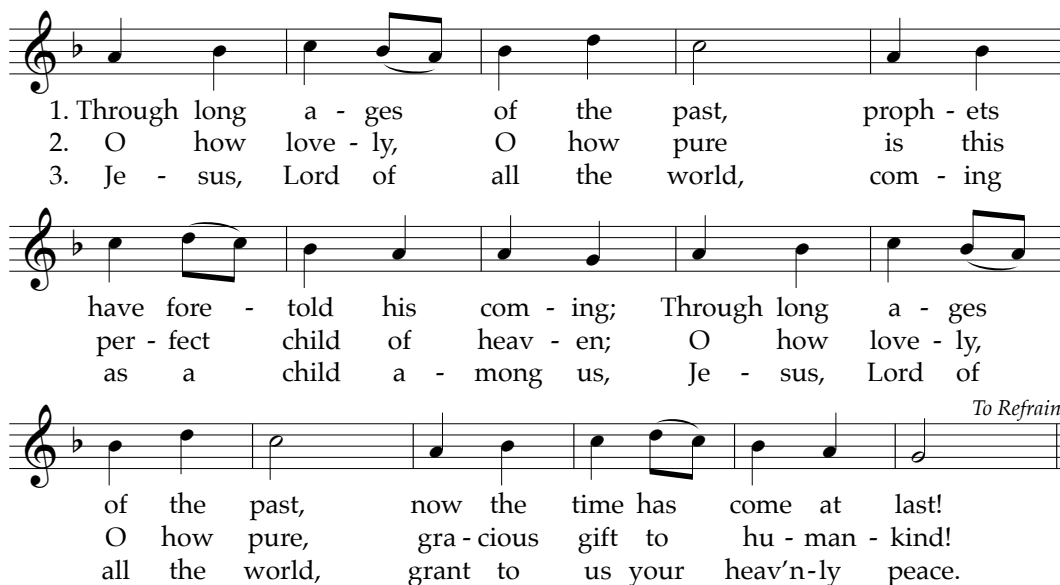
He Is Born

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He is born, the ho - ly Child, play the
o - boe and bag - pipes mer - ri - ly! He is born, the
ho - ly Child, sing we all of the Sav - ior mild.

VERSES



1. Through long a - ges of the past, proph - ets
2. O how love - ly, O how pure is this
3. Je - sus, Lord of all the world, com - ing

have fore - told his com - ing; Through long a - ges
per - fect child of heav - en; O how love - ly,
as a child a - mong us, Je - sus, Lord of

of the past, now the time has come at last!
O how pure, gra - cious gift to hu - man - kind!
all the world, grant to us your heav'n - ly peace.

Text: Trad. French Carol; tr. anon.

Music: IL EST NÉ, 77 77; Trad. French Carol, 18th cent.