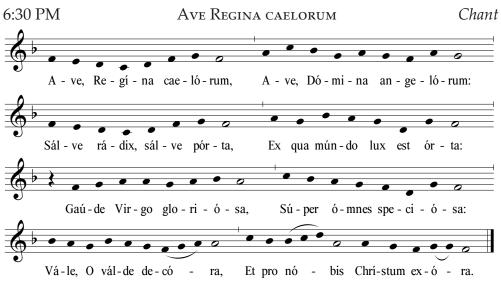
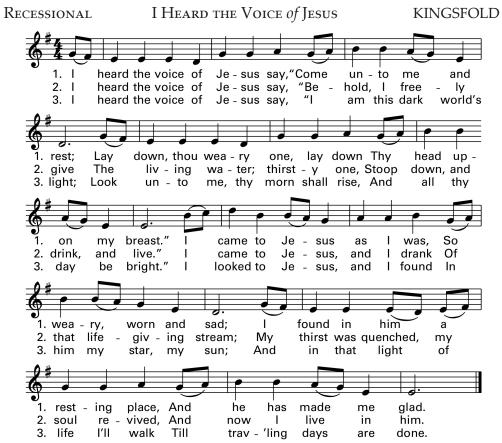
CONCLUDING RITES

GREETING, BLESSING AND DISMISSAL





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LENT 2025

The holy season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday and concludes on Holy Thursday with the celebration of the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper. Lent is a preparation for the celebration of Easter. The Lenten liturgy disposes both catechumens and the faithful to celebrate the Paschal Mystery, the death and resurrection of the Lord Jesus. For catechumens, this takes place through the several stages of Christian initiation. For the faithful, this takes place through reminders of their own baptism and through penitential practices. Please check the Parish Bulletin and the Parish Website for additional information for our Parish observance of Lent.

ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT AND FASTING DURING LENT

The Bishops of the United States prescribe, as minimal obligation, that all persons who are fourteen years of age and older are bound to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday, on all the Fridays of Lent, and Good Friday. Further, all persons eighteen years of age and older, up to and including their fifty-ninth birthday, are bound to fast by limiting themselves to a single full meal on Ash Wednesday and on Good Friday, while the other two meals on those days are to be light. Keeping a voluntary fast throughout Lent is encouraged on the part of all.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The description and schedule of the Lenten Rites for the Elect (catechumens) and Candidates for the Easter Sacraments will be announced in the Parish Bulletin all throughout Lent. These rites will take place at the Saturday evening 5:15 PM Anticipated Mass for Sunday, and at the Sunday 11:00 AM Solemn Mass.

THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE AND RECONCILIATION

The opportunity for the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation will be available:

- ❖ On Sundays at 9:00 AM (Basilica), 12:00 Noon in Spanish (Chapel) and 5:30 PM (Basilica).
- ❖ On Weekdays at 11:30 AM (Basilica) and on Saturdays at 4:15 PM (Basilica).

THE WAY OF THE CROSS will take place each Friday of Lent in the Chapel immediately following the 12:05 PM Mass. *El Vía Crucis*, the Way of the Cross in Spanish, will take place each Sunday of Lent in the Basilica following the 12:30 PM Mass.

OPERATION RICE BOWL

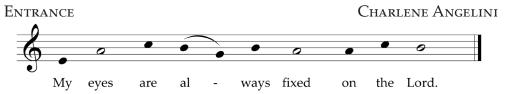
By eating one simple meal weekly and placing your savings into the *Rice Bowl*, you will be joining in solidarity with all who have so little to live on, and helping to reach out to assist them throughout the world and here in the Archdiocese. *Rice bowls* are available in the vestibules. Your donations can be dropped off during Holy Week and the first weeks of Easter in the collection basket at Mass or to the Parish Office.

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Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul

THIRD SUNDAY of LENT MARCH 23, 2025

Introductory Rites



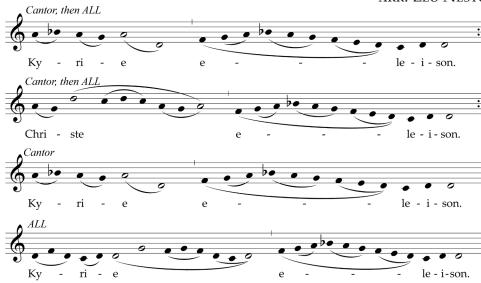
Sign of the Cross and Greeting

PENITENTIAL ACT

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Kyrie

Missa Orbis Factor ARR. LEO NESTOR



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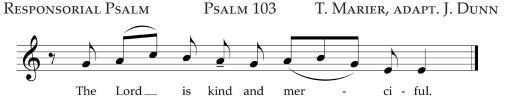
Liturgy of the Word

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FIRST READING

Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15

"I AM" sent me to you.



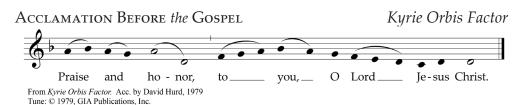
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SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 10:1-6:10-12

The life of the people with Moses in the desert was written down as a warning to us.



Repent, says the Lord; the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

GOSPEL READING

Luke 13:1-9

If you do not repent, you will all perish as they did.

Homily

Profession of Faith

Apostles' Creed

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Universal Prayer

RICHARD GIBALA



LITURGY of THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of Gifts

OFFERTORY

JANET GORBITZ Spanish Propers Project

Refrain sung in Spanish, English translation The ordinances of the Lord are right, bringing joy to all hearts, sweeter than honey or the honeycomb. Therefore your servant will observe them.

11:00 AM

Attende Domine Arr. John Osterhagen Cathedral Basilica Choir

English translation, sung in Latin

Hear us, O Lord, have mercy upon us: for we have sinned against thee. To thee, Redeemer, on thy throne of glory:

lift we our weeping eyes in holy pleadings: listen, O Jesu, to our supplications.

Hear us, O Lord, have mercy upon us: for we have sinned against thee. O thou chief cornerstone, right hand of the Father: way of salvation, gate of life celestial: cleanse thou our sinful souls from all defilement.

Hear us, O Lord, have mercy upon us: for we have sinned against thee. God, we implore thee, in thy glory seated: bow down and hearken to thy weeping children: pity and pardon all our grievous trespasses.

Hear us, O Lord, have mercy upon us: for we have sinned against thee. Sins oft committed, now we lay before thee: with true contrition, now no more we veil them: grant us, Redeemer, loving absolution.

Hear us, O Lord, have mercy upon us: for we have sinned against thee. Innocent captive, taken unresisting:

falsely accused, and for us sinners sentenced, save us, we pray thee, Jesu, our Redeemer.

Hear us, O Lord, have mercy upon us: for we have sinned against thee.

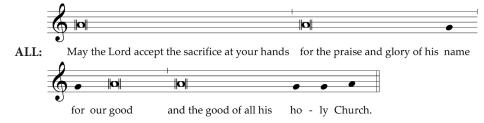


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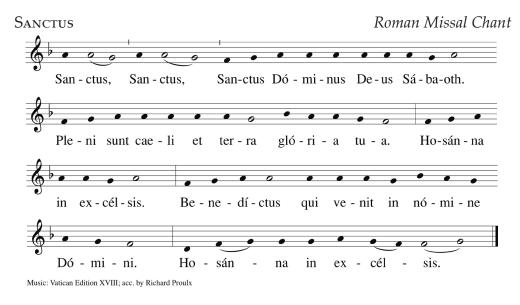
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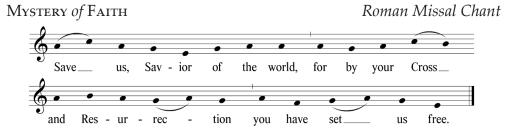
Priest: Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.



Prayer over the Offerings

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER





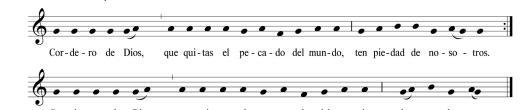


COMMUNION RITE

Agnus Dei / Cordero de Dios

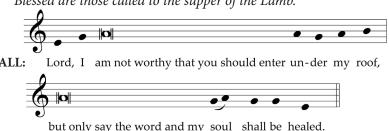
LORD'S PRAYER

RITE of PEACE



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.

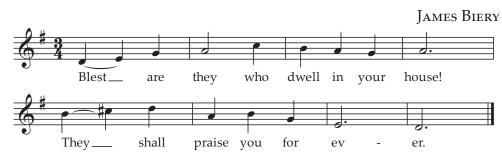


11:00 AM

Cathedral Basilica Choir

English translation, sung in Latin

The sparrow has found herself a home, and the turtle dove a nest in which to lay her young: at altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God! Blessed are they who dwell in your house, they shall praise you for ever and ever.



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Hymn of Praise 11:00 AM

Ave verum Cathedral Basilica Choir

PHILIP W. J. STOPFORD (b. 1977)

Roman Missal Chant

Chant

English translation, sung in Latin Hail, true Body, born of the Virgin Mary, that truly suffered, sacrificed on the cross for man; You whose pierced side flowed with a wave of blood, let us foretaste of you in the trial of our death. O sweet! O merciful! O Jesus son of Mary, have mercy upon me. Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION