

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

ORDER OF WORSHIP

DECEMBER 23 & 24, 2023

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Please silence all audible alarms.

Cry Room is open!

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	5:30 PM	Parishioners of St. Joseph
Sunday	8:00 AM	Hilda and David Clark +
	10:30 AM	Margarita Abata +
	12:15 PM	Robert Bradshaw +

Prelude

Introit

Rorate cæli desuper

Cf. Isaiah 45: 8

Drop down dew from above, you heavens,
and let the clouds rain down the Just One;
let the earth be opened and bring forth a Savior.

Introductory Rites

Processional Hymn

Lift Up Your Heads

TRURO

1. Lift up your heads, ye might - y gates;
2. O blest the land, the cit - y blest,
3. Fling wide the por - tals of your heart;
4. So come, my Sov - 'reign; en - ter in!

1. Be - hold the King of glo - ry waits!
2. Where Christ the rul - er is con - fessed!
3. Make it a tem - ple, set a - part
4. Let new and no - bler life be - gin;

1. The King of kings is draw - ing near;
2. O hap - py hearts and hap - py homes
3. From earth - ly use for heav'n's em - ploy,
4. Thy Ho - ly Spir - it guide us on,

1. The Sav - ior of the world is here.
2. To whom this King of tri - umph comes!
3. A - dorned with prayer and love and joy.
4. Un - til the glo - rious crown be won.

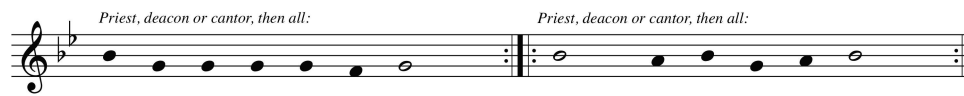
Greeting

Penitential Act

Kyrie

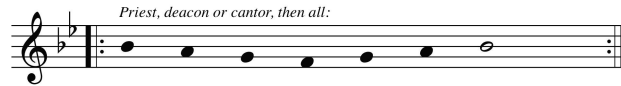
Proulx

Priest, deacon or cantor, then all:



Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son. Chri - ste, e - lé - i - son.

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Collect

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29



For ev - er I will sing — the good-ness of the Lord.

Second Reading

Romans 16:25-27

Gospel Acclamation

MOYNE



Al - le - lú - ia, al - le - lú - ia, al - le - lú - ia.

Gospel

Luke 1:26-38

Homily

Profession of Faith

Universal Prayer



Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory Proper

Ave Maria

Luke 1:28, 42

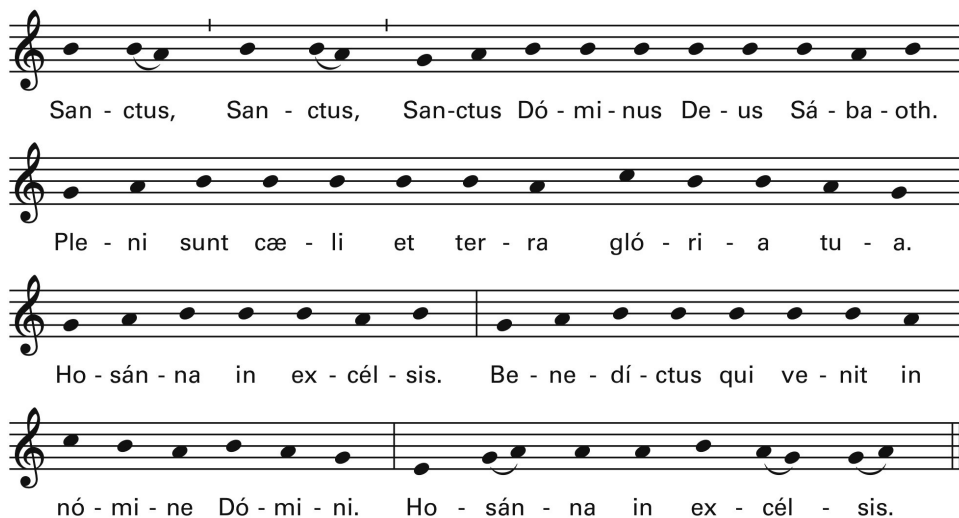
Hail, Mary, full of grace; the LORD is with you;
blessed are you among women,
and blessed is the fruit of your womb.

Prayer over the Offerings

Preface Dialogue

Sanctus

ICEL

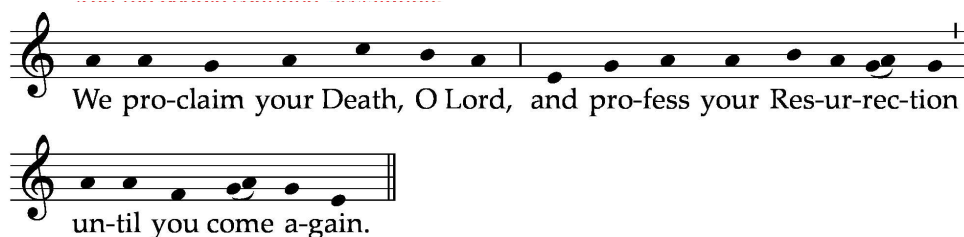


San - ctus, San - ctus, San-ctus Dó - mi - nus De - us Sá - ba - oth.
Ple - ni sunt cæ - li et ter - ra gló - ri - a tu - a.
Ho - sán - na in ex - cél - sis. Be - ne - dí - ctus qui ve - nit in
nó - mi - ne Dó - mi - ni. Ho - sán - na in ex - cél - sis.

Eucharistic Prayer

The Mystery of Faith

ICEL



We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res-ur-rec-tion
un-til you come a-gain.

Great Amen

SANCTUS VIII



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

Lord's Prayer

Rite of Peace

Agnus Dei

MISSA DE ANGELIS



A-gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: mi - se - ré - re no - bis.



A-gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: mi - se - ré - re no - bis.



A - gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: do - na no - bis pa - cem.

Invitation to Communion

Communion Proper

Ecce, virgo concipiet

Isaiah 7:14

Behold, a Virgin shall conceive and bear a son;
and his name will be called Emmanuel.

Communion Hymn

Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

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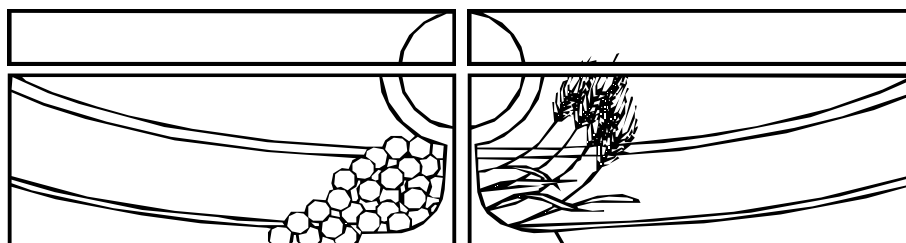


1. Come, thou long - ex - pect - ed Je - sus, Born to set thy peo - ple free;
2. Is - rael's strength and con - so - la - tion, Hope of all the earth thou art.
3. Born thy peo - ple to de - liv - er, Born a child, and yet a king,
4. By thine own e - ter - nal Spir - it Rule in all our hearts a - lone;



1. From our fears and sins re - lease us; Let us find our rest in thee.
2. Dear de - sire of ev - 'ry na - tion, Joy of ev - 'ry long - ing heart.
3. Born to reign in us for - ev - er, Now thy gra - cious king - dom bring.
4. By thine all - suf - fi - cient mer - it Raise us to thy glo - rious throne.

Prayer after Communion



Concluding Rite

Prayer over the People

Blessing

Dismissal

Recessional Hymn

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

VENI EMMANUEL



7. O come, De - sire of na - tions, bind In one the
1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, And ran - som



7. hearts of all man - kind; Bid thou our sad di -
1. cap - tive Is - ra - el, That mourns in lone - ly



7. vi - sions cease, And be thy - self our King of peace.
1. ex - ile here Un - til the Son of God ap - pear.



Re - joice! Re - joice! Em - man - u - el



Shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el.

Postlude

Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our protection against the wickedness
and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray.

And do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host,
by the power of God, cast into hell Satan,

and all the evil spirits,
who prowl through the world
seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.

Sunday: 10:30 AM

Live Stream: www.tinyurl.com/stjosephcolumbia-youtube

Broadcast: 90.9 FM (WZJO)

Hearing Loop

Hearing loop available at “T” setting for hearing aid dependent users.