



04/05 December 2021

Second Sunday of Advent

3 bells signal our call to worship.

Music for Gathering: "Maranatha"

by Gerard Chuisano ©OCP Publications

Refrain

Ma - ra - na - tha, we long for your peace.
 Ma - ra - na - tha, we long for your mer - cy. Ma - ra - na -
 tha, we long for your com - ing, O God.

Verses

1. In your im - age you have fash - ioned us,	in the
2. In our weak - ness we have turned from you,	turned from
3. In your love — you have sent your Son,	your sal -
4. We a - wait your day of glo - ry,	Christ —

1. gar - den you made — us;	you have giv - en us your
2. light to the dark - ness,	ev - er long - ing for sal -
3. va - tion for ev - 'ry-one;	Word in - car - nate, God's com -
4. Je - sus, re - turn for us.	Gen - tle King, — Just De -

to Refrain

1. breath of life, voice to praise your name,	voice to praise your name.
2. va - tion, O — Lord of light,	O — Lord of light.
3. pas - sion, hope for hu - man - kind,	hope for hu - man - kind.
4. liv - er - er, you will bring us home,	you will bring us home.

Penitential Act from *Missa Pacem*

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REFRAIN (Cantor, then ALL):

Cantor, then all:

(Invocation) Lord, have mer - cy.
Christ, have mer - cy.
Lord, have mer - cy.

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Liturgy of the Word

A reading from the prophet Baruch (5:1-9)

Responsorial Psalm: "Psalm 126 – The Lord Has Done Great Things"

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The Lord has done great things for
us; we are filled with joy.

When the LORD brought back the
captives of Zion,
we were like men dreaming.
Then our mouth was filled with
laughter,
and our tongue with rejoicing. *℟.*

Then they said among the nations,
"The LORD has done great things for
them."

The LORD has done great things for us;
we are glad indeed. *℟.*

Restore our fortunes, O LORD,
like the torrents in the southern
desert.

Those who sow in tears
shall reap rejoicing. *℟.*

Although they go forth weeping,
carrying the seed to be sown,
they shall come back rejoicing,
carrying their sheaves. *℟.*

A reading from the first letter of Paul to the Philippians (1:4-6, 8-11)

Gospel Acclamation: from *Missa Pacem*

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Refrain

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

Verse: Prepare the ways of the Lord, make straight his paths;
all flesh shall see the salvation of God.

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke (3:1-6)

HOMILY

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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,

[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.

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Gifts: "A Voice Cries Out"

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Refrain

A voice cries out in the wil - der - ness: "Pre - pare a
way for the Lord!" A voice cries out in the wil - der -
ness: "Make straight a high - way for God!"

Verses 2, 4

2. Ev - 'ry val - ley is made a plain, ev - 'ry moun - tain is
4. Zi - on, shout from the moun - tain top, lift up your voice, O Je -
2. lev - eled; the glo - ry of God — shall then be re -
4. ru - sa - lem, and say to the peo - ple of God's — own

to Refrain

2. vealed, and the na - tions will sing in praise.
4. land, "Be - hold, be - hold your God!"

Eucharistic Acclamations from *Missa Pacem*

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HOLY:

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of
hosts. Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name, who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION:

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

AMEN:

A - men, a - men, a - men.
A - men, a - men, a - men.

Music for the Sign of Peace: "Come and Fill"

Ostinato Refrain

Con - fi - te - mi - ni Do - mi - no
Come and fill our hearts with your peace.

quo - ni - am bo - nus. Con - fi - te - mi - ni
You a - lone, O Lord, are ho - ly. Come and fill our hearts

Do - mi - no, Al - le - lu - ia!
with your peace, Al - le - lu - ia!

LAMB of GOD from Missa Pacem:

Cantor or choir: *All:*
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the
Prince of Peace,
God of Love,
Bread of Life,

Repeat as needed
world, have mer - cy on us.

Last time *Cantor or choir:*
us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the


All:
world, have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you

take a - way the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Music for the Communion Procession: “Come, Emmanuel”

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Verse Response




Come, O come, Em - man - u - el.

Refrain



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



come to you, O Is - ra - el.

Recessional: Instrumental

Celebrate the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception

Wednesday, December 8th

Noon Mass without Music

7:00 Mass with Music

We will not be having an Advent Penance Service.

Father Billy suggests attending the

“Confess-athon” at the Cathedral on Monday, December 20th,

or seeing him during the week:

Saturdays @ 4:00 PM,

30 minutes before weekday Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday Masses,

one hour before the 7:00 PM Thursday Mass,

or by appointment.

Many Hands needed for Christmas Liturgies!

We will need readers, greeters, gift bearers, servers, sacristans, and musicians for our Christmas Eve and Christmas Day liturgies.

Mary Ellen will send an email invitation via MSP but would also welcome your sign up at the piano after Sunday liturgies!