

SILENT NIGHT HOLY NIGHT



Celebration of the Nativity of the Lord

St. Thomas of Villanova Parish
2021



PRELUDE

INTRODUCTORY RITE

ENTRANCE - O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL



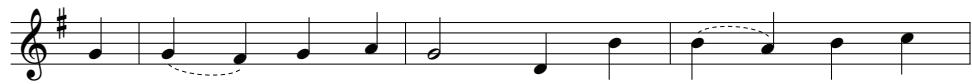
1. O come, all ye faith-ful, joy-ful and tri-um-phant, O
2. ☩ God of God, Light of Light,
1. *Ve - nid, fie - les to - dos, a Be - lén mar - che - mos De*
2. *El que es Hi - jo e - ter - no del e - ter - no Pa - dre, Y*
1. Ad - é - ste fi - dé - les, laé - ti, tri - um - phán - tes, Ve -
2. ☩ De - um de De - o, Lu - men de Lú - mi-ne



come ye, O come ye to Beth - le - hem;
Lo! He comes forth from the Vir - gin's womb.
go - zo triun - fan - tes, y lle - nos de a - mor; Y al
Dios ver - da - de - ro que al mun - do cre - ó, Al
ní - te, ve - ní - te in Béth - le - hem.
Ge - stant pu - él - lae ví - sce - ra.



Come and be - hold him, born the King of an - gels;
Our ver - y God, be - got - ten not cre - a - ted,
Rey de los cie - los con - tem - plar po - dre - mos;
se - no vir - gí - neo vi - no de u - na ma - dre;
Na - tum vi - dé - te, Re - gem an - ge - ló - rum.
De - um ve - rum, Gé - ni - tum, non fa - ctum.



O come, let us a - dore him, O come, let us a -
Ve - nid, a - do - re - mos, ve - nid, a - do -
Ve - ní - te a - do - ré - mus, ve - ní - te a - do -



dore him, O come, let us a - dore him, Christ, the Lord!
re - mos, ve - nid, a - do - re - mos a Cris - to el Se - ñor.
ré - mus, ve - ní - te a - do - ré - mus Dó - mi - num.

3. Sing, choirs of angels,
sing in exultation,
Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above!
Glory to God, all
glory in the highest;

4. Yea, Lord, we greet thee,
born this happy morning,
Jesus, to thee be all glory giv'n;
Word of the Father,
now in flesh appearing;

GREETING

PENITENTIAL ACT

COLLECT

LITURGY OF THE WORD:

READING 1

Is 9:1-6

THE PEOPLE WHO WALKED IN DARKNESS
HAVE SEEN A GREAT LIGHT;
UPON THOSE WHO DWELT IN THE LAND OF GLOOM
A LIGHT HAS SHONE.
YOU HAVE BROUGHT THEM ABUNDANT JOY
AND GREAT REJOICING,
AS THEY REJOICE BEFORE YOU AS AT THE HARVEST,
AS PEOPLE MAKE MERRY WHEN DIVIDING SPOILS.
FOR THE YOKE THAT BURDENED THEM,
THE POLE ON THEIR SHOULDER,
AND THE ROD OF THEIR TASKMASTER
YOU HAVE SMASHED, AS ON THE DAY OF MIDIAN.
FOR EVERY BOOT THAT TRAMPED IN BATTLE,
EVERY CLOAK ROLLED IN BLOOD,
WILL BE BURNED AS FUEL FOR FLAMES.
FOR A CHILD IS BORN TO US, A SON IS GIVEN US;
UPON HIS SHOULDER DOMINION RESTS.
THEY NAME HIM ~~WONDER-COUNSELOR, GOD-HERO,~~
~~FATHER-FOREVER, PRINCE OF PEACE.~~
HIS DOMINION IS VAST
AND FOREVER PEACEFUL,
FROM DAVID'S THRONE, AND OVER HIS KINGDOM,
WHICH HE CONFIRMS AND SUSTAINS
BY JUDGMENT AND JUSTICE,
BOTH NOW AND FOREVER.
THE ZEAL OF THE LORD OF HOSTS WILL DO THIS!

RESPONSORIAL PSALM CHRISTMAS EVE

4 & 6 PM PSALM 89

FOREVER I WILL SING

Refrain

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

10:30 PM PSALM 96

TODAY IS BORN

Refrain

To - day is born our Sav-ior, Christ the Lord. To -
 day is born our Sav-ior, Christ the Lord.

CHRISTMAS DAY PSALM 98

ALL THE ENDS OF THE EARTH

All the ends of the earth have
 Harmony
 All the ends of
 1
 seen sal - va - tion.
 1
 earth have seen sal - va - tion.
 2
 seen the sav - ing pow - er of God, the
 2
 earth have seen the pow - er of God, the

READING 2

Ti 2:11-14

BELOVED:

THE GRACE OF GOD HAS APPEARED, SAVING ALL
AND TRAINING US TO REJECT GODLESS WAYS AND WORLDLY DESIRES
AND TO LIVE TEMPERATELY, JUSTLY, AND DEVOUTLY IN THIS AGE,
AS WE AWAIT THE BLESSED HOPE,
THE APPEARANCE OF THE GLORY OF OUR GREAT GOD
AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST,
WHO GAVE HIMSELF FOR US TO DELIVER US FROM ALL LAWLESSNESS
AND TO CLEANSE FOR HIMSELF A PEOPLE AS HIS OWN,
EAGER TO DO WHAT IS GOOD.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

James Chepponis

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

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

GOSPEL

LK 2:1-14

IN THOSE DAYS A DECREE WENT OUT FROM CAESAR AUGUSTUS
THAT THE WHOLE WORLD SHOULD BE ENROLLED.
THIS WAS THE FIRST ENROLLMENT,
WHEN QUIRINIUS WAS GOVERNOR OF SYRIA.
SO ALL WENT TO BE ENROLLED, EACH TO HIS OWN TOWN.
AND JOSEPH TOO WENT UP FROM GALILEE FROM THE TOWN OF NAZARETH
TO JUDEA, TO THE CITY OF DAVID THAT IS CALLED BETHLEHEM,
BECAUSE HE WAS OF THE HOUSE AND FAMILY OF DAVID,
TO BE ENROLLED WITH MARY, HIS BETROTHED, WHO WAS WITH CHILD.
WHILE THEY WERE THERE,
THE TIME CAME FOR HER TO HAVE HER CHILD,
AND SHE GAVE BIRTH TO HER FIRSTBORN SON.
SHE WRAPPED HIM IN SWADDLING CLOTHES AND LAID HIM IN A MANGER,
BECAUSE THERE WAS NO ROOM FOR THEM IN THE INN.

NOW THERE WERE SHEPHERDS IN THAT REGION LIVING IN THE FIELDS
AND KEEPING THE NIGHT WATCH OVER THEIR FLOCK.
THE ANGEL OF THE LORD APPEARED TO THEM
AND THE GLORY OF THE LORD SHONE AROUND THEM,
AND THEY WERE STRUCK WITH GREAT FEAR.
THE ANGEL SAID TO THEM,
“DO NOT BE AFRAID;
FOR BEHOLD, I PROCLAIM TO YOU GOOD NEWS OF GREAT JOY
THAT WILL BE FOR ALL THE PEOPLE.
FOR TODAY IN THE CITY OF DAVID
A SAVIOR HAS BEEN BORN FOR YOU WHO IS CHRIST AND LORD.
AND THIS WILL BE A SIGN FOR YOU:
YOU WILL FIND AN INFANT WRAPPED IN SWADDLING CLOTHES
AND LYING IN A MANGER.”
AND SUDDENLY THERE WAS A MULTITUDE OF THE HEAVENLY HOST WITH THE ANGEL,
PRAISING GOD AND SAYING:
“GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST
AND ON EARTH PEACE TO THOSE ON WHOM HIS FAVOR RESTS.”

HOMILY

PETITION RESPONSE

PREPARATION

HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING



1. Hark! The her - ald an - gels sing, "Glo - ry to the
2. Christ, by high - est heav'n a - dored; Christ, the ev - er -
3. Hail the heav'n - born Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of



new - born King! Peace on earth and mer - cy mild,
last - ing Lord! Late in time be - hold him come,
Right-eous-ness! Light and life to all he brings,



God and sin - ners rec - on-ciled!" Joy - ful, all you
Off - spring of the Vir - gin's womb. Veiled in flesh the
Ris'n with heal - ing in his wings. Mild he lays his



na - tions, rise; Join the tri - umph of the skies;
God-head see; Hail the in - car - nate De - i - ty,
glo - ry by, Born that we no more may die,



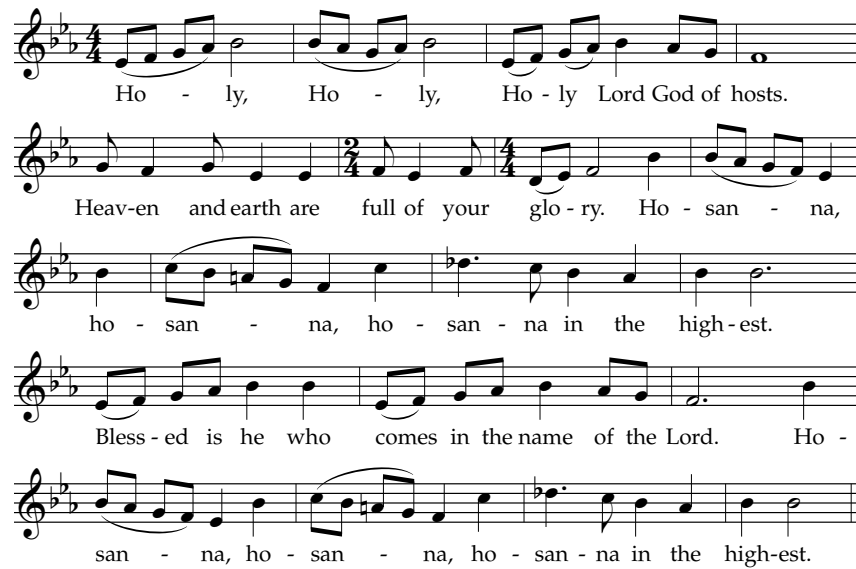
With the an-gel - ic host pro-claim, "Christ is born in Beth - le-hem!"
Pleased as man with us to dwell, Je - sus, our Em-man - u - el.
Born to raise each child of earth, Born to give us sec - ond birth.



Hark! The her-ald an-gels sing, "Glo-ry to the new-born King!"

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS AND PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR
PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS
EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

PREFACE HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.

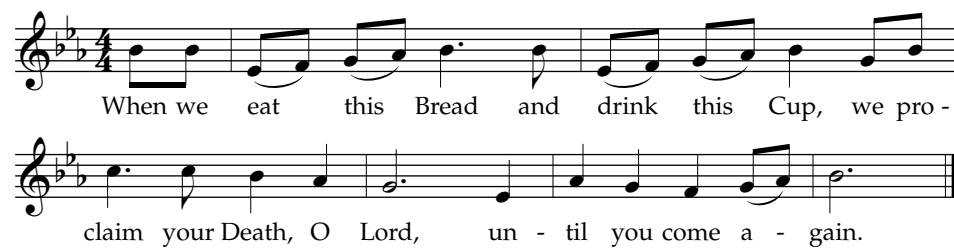
Heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na,

ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

MYSTERY OF FAITH



When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro -

claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

AMEN



THE LORD'S PRAYER

SIGN OF PEACE

LAMB OF GOD

Cantor *All*

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have

Cantor *All*

mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the

sins of the world, grant us peace.

COMMUNION

AWAY IN A MANGER



1. A - way in a man - ger, no crib for a bed,
2. The cat - tle are low - ing; the ba - by a - wakes,
3. Be near me, Lord Je - sus; I ask you to stay



The lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid down his sweet head.
 But lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no cry - ing he makes.
 Close by me for - ev - er, and love me, I pray.



The stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay,
 I love you, Lord Je - sus! Look down from the sky
 Bless all the dear chil - dren in your ten - der care,



The lit - tle Lord Je - sus, a - sleep on the hay.
 And stay by my cra - dle till morn - ing is nigh.
 And fit us for heav - en, to live with you there.

ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD



1. An - gels we have heard on high Sweet - ly sing - ing
2. Shep - herds, why this ju - bi - lee? Why your joy - ous
3. Come to Beth - le - hem and see Him whose birth the
4. See him in a man - ger laid Whom the choirs of



o'er the plains, And the moun - tains in re - ply
 strains pro - long? Say what may the tid - ings be
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 an - gels praise; Mar - y, Jo - seph, lend your aid,



Ech - o back their joy - ous strains.
 Which in - spire your heav'n - ly song.
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 While our hearts in love we raise.



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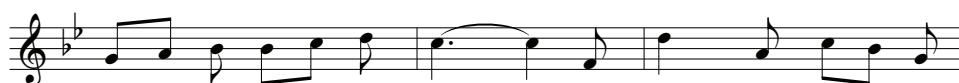


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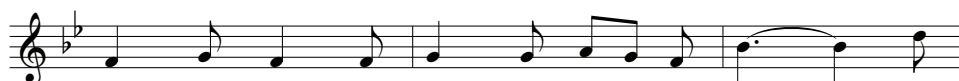
IT CAME UPON THE MIDNIGHT CLEAR



1. It came up - on the mid - night clear, That
 2. Still through the clo - ven skies they come With
 3. Yet with the woes of sin and strife The
 4. For lo! The days are has - t'ning on, By



glo - rious song of old, From an - gels bend - ing
 peace - ful wings un - furled, And still their heav'n - ly
 world has suf - fered long; Be - neath the heav'n - ly
 proph - ets seen of old, When with the ev - er -



near the earth To touch their harps of gold: "Peace
 mu - sic floats O'er all the wea - ry world. A -
 hymn have rolled Two thou - sand years of wrong; And
 cir - cling years Shall come the time fore - told, When



on the earth, good will to all, From
 bove its sad and low - ly plains They
 war - ring hu - man - kind hears not The
 peace shall o - ver all the earth Its



heav'n's all - gra - cious King." The world in sol - emn
 bend on hov - 'ring wing, And ev - er o'er its
 tid - ings which they bring; O hush the noise and
 an - cient splen - dors fling, And all the world give



still - ness lay, To hear the an - gels sing.
 Ba - bel sounds The bless - ed an - gels sing.
 cease your strife And hear the an - gels sing.
 back the song Which now the an - gels sing.

MEDITATION

SILENT NIGHT

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

CONCLUDING RITES

DISMISSAL

RECESSIONAL

JOY TO THE WORLD



1. Joy to the world, the Lord is come! Let
2. Joy to the earth, the Sav - ior reigns! Let
3. No more let sin and sor - row grow, Nor
4. He rules the world with truth and grace, And



earth re - ceive her king; Let ev - 'ry
us our songs em - ploy; While fields and
thorns in - fest the ground; He comes to
makes the na - tions prove The glo - ries



heart pre - pare him room And heav'n and na - ture
floods, rocks, hills and plains Re - peat the sound - ing
make his bless - ings flow Far as the curse is
of his right - eous - ness, And won - ders of his



sing, And heav'n and na - ture sing, And
joy, Re - peat the sound - ing joy, Re -
found, Far as the curse is found, Far
love, And won - ders of his love, And



heav'n, and heav'n and na - ture sing.
peat, re - peat the sound - ing joy.
as, far as the curse is found.
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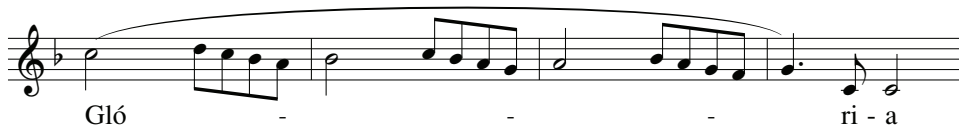
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Gloria -



in ex - cel - sis De - o. Gloria -



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POSTLUDE

GOOD CHRISTIAN FRIENDS
 (ORGAN SOLO)