

Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, & Joseph

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THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

Processional Hymn

“Once in Royal David’s City”

Once in royal David’s city
Stood a lowly cattle shed,
Where a mother laid her baby
In a manger for his bed.
Mary was that mother mild;
Jesus Christ, her little child.

Entrance Antiphon

*The shepherds went in haste,
and found Mary and Joseph and the Infant lying in a manger.
Luke 2: 16*

Sign of the Cross & Greeting

Penitential Act

Glory to God

Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to
peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-
dore you, we glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for
your great glo-ry, Lord God, heav-en-ly King, O God, al-mighty
Fa-ther. Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa-ther, you take a-way the
sins of the world, have mer-cy on us; you take a-way the
sins of the world, re-cieve our prayer; you are seat-ed at the
right hand of the Fa-ther, have mer-cy on us. For
you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,
you a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,
in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men, a-men.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Genesis 15: 1-6; 21: 1-3

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 105



The Lord re - mem - bers his cov - e - nant for ev - er.

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Second Reading

Hebrews 11: 8, 11-12, 17-19

Gospel Acclamation



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Gospel

Luke 2: 22-40

Homily

Profession of Faith

Universal Prayer

R./ Lord, hear our prayer

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

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Preparation of the Gifts

“The First Nowell”

The first Nowell the angel did say
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep,
On a cold winter's night that was so deep.
Nowell Nowell, Nowell, Nowell!
Born is the King of Israel.

They looked up and saw a star
Shining in the east beyond them far;
And to the earth it gave great light,
And so it continued both day and night. *Nowell...*

Then let us all with one accord
Sing praises to our heavenly Lord,
Who made the heavens and earth of naught,
And with his blood our life has bought. *Nowell...*

Holy, Holy, Holy

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.
Heav'n 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.____

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Memorial Acclamation

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

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Great Amen

1. A-men, a-men, a - men. a - men.
2. A-men, a-men, a - men. a - men.

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Lamb of God

Cantor

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world,
— have mer-cy on us, have mer-cy on us.

Cantor

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

All

grant us peace,

All

grant us peace.

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Communion Antiphon

Our God has appeared on the earth, and lived among us.

Baruch 3: 38

Communion Hymn

“O Little Town of Bethlehem”

1. O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, How
 2. For Christ is born of Mar - - y And,
 3. How si - lent - ly, how si - lent - ly The
 4. O ho - ly Child of Beth - le - hem, De - -

still we see thee lie! A - bove thy deep and
 gath - ered all a - bove While mor - tals sleep, the
 won - drous gift is giv'n! So God im - parts to
 scend to us, we pray; Cast out our sin and

dream - less sleep The si - lent stars go by;
 an - gels keep Their watch of won - d'ring love.
 hu - man hearts The bless - ings of his heav'n.
 en - ter in, Be born in us to - day.

Yet in the dark streets shin - - eth The
 O morn - ing stars, to - - geth - er Pro -
 No ear may hear his com - - ing, But
 We hear the Christ - mas an - - gels The

ev - er - last - ing Light. The hopes and fears of
 claim the ho - ly birth, And prais - es sing to
 in this world of sin, Where meek souls will re -
 great glad tid - ings tell; O come to us, a -

all the years Are met in thee to - night.
 God the King, And peace to all on earth!
 ceive him, still The dear Christ en - ters in.
 bide with us, Our Lord Em - man - u - el!

Text: Phillips Brooks, 1835–1893
Tune: ST. LOUIS, 8 6 8 6 7 6 8 6; Lewis H. Redner, 1831–1908

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Prayer after Communion

THE CONCLUDING RITES

Blessing & Dismissal

Recessional Music