

2nd Sunday of Lent

FEBRUARY 28, 2021

St. Mary of Sorrows Catholic Church, Fairfax, Virginia

Prayer for our Nation:

Almighty Father, source of all our blessings,
help us to trust in you. Please bless our country with your
care.

Keep safe our men and women in uniform, here and in
faraway lands. Help their families, and all of our families, to
rely on you and your love for each of your children. Stretch
your hand to protect the innocent, here and abroad. Make
our country wise and strong, generous and accepting, a
symbol of what is best in each of us. We ask this of you
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

ENTRANCE SONG

There's A Wideness In God's Mercy



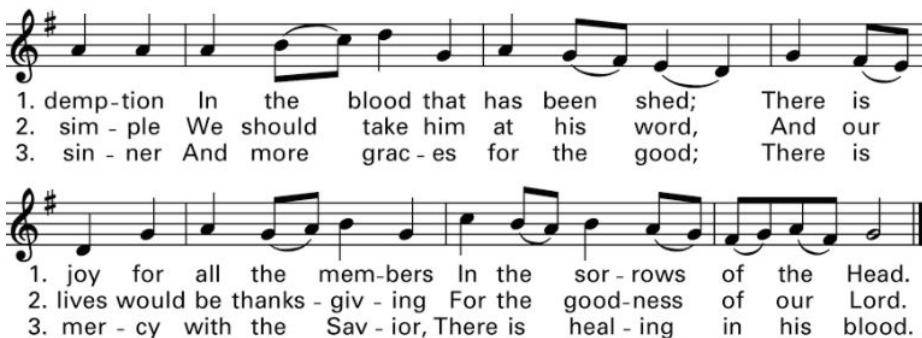
1. There's a wide-ness in God's mer - cy Like the wide-ness
2. For the love of God is broad-er Than the mea-sures
3. Trou-bled souls, why will you scat - ter Like a crowd of



1. of the sea; There's a kind - ness in his jus - tice
2. of our mind, And the heart of the E - ter - nal
3. fright - ened sheep? Fool - ish hearts, why will you wan - der



1. Which is more than lib - er - ty. There is plen - ti - ful re -
2. Is most won - der - ful - ly kind. If our love were but more
3. From a love so true and deep? There is wel-come for the



1. demp-tion In the blood that has been shed; There is
 2. sim - ple We should take him at his word, And our
 3. sin - ner And more grac - es for the good; There is

1. joy for all the mem-bers In the sor - rows of the Head.
 2. lives would be thanks - giv - ing For the good-ness of our Lord.
 3. mer - cy with the Sav - ior, There is heal - ing in his blood.

PENITENTIAL ACT

LITURGY OF THE WORD

PROFESSION OF FAITH

Nicene Creed

Capital Campaign Prayer:

Loving God, at this time in the life of our parish, we turn to you with grateful hearts for what we have and with great anticipation for what is yet to be. Bless us with a sense of unity, a spirit of cooperation, and a generous heart as we face the responsibilities and challenges of this undertaking. We know there is much to do. We believe our goals are rooted in your Word and in your work. Please guide us, strengthen us, and bless us with your presence, now and in the years to come. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Lord, hear our prayer.

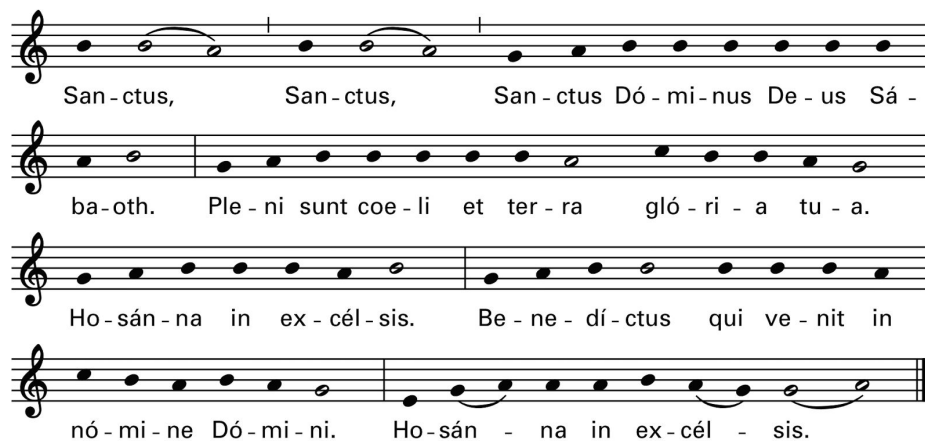
LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY

At this time, we invite you to send your guardian angel to the altar, asking him to present the prayers you offer for this Mass.

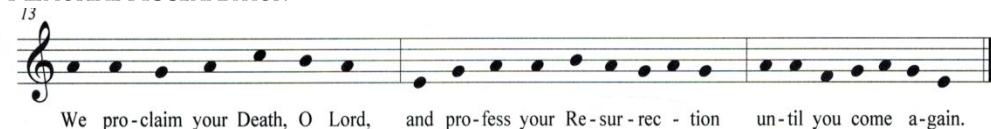
THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

SANCTUS



San-ctus, San-ctus, San-ctus Dó-mi-nus De-us Sá -
ba-oth. Ple-ni sunt coe-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.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



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

GREAT AMEN

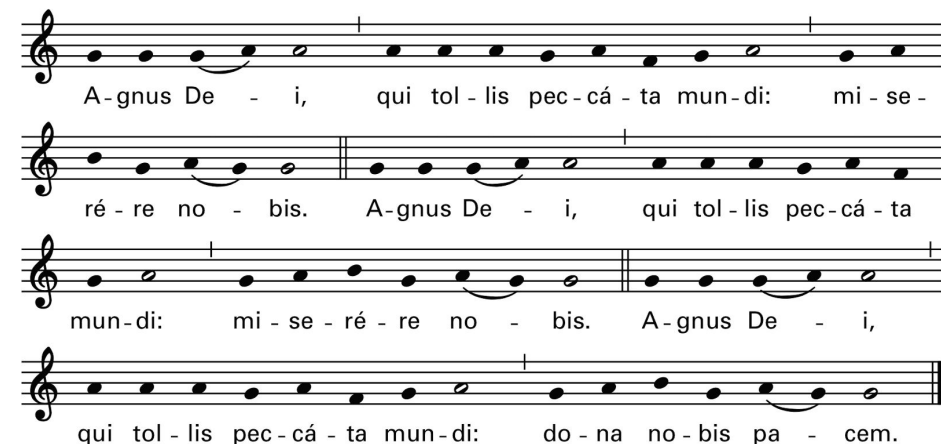


All
A-men.

THE COMMUNION RITE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI



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.

COMMUNION

Spiritual Communion Prayer:

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.

COMMUNION SONG

I Have Loved You

REFRAIN

I have loved you with an ev - er - last - ing love, I have called you...

... and you are mine; I have loved you with an ev - er - last - ing love,

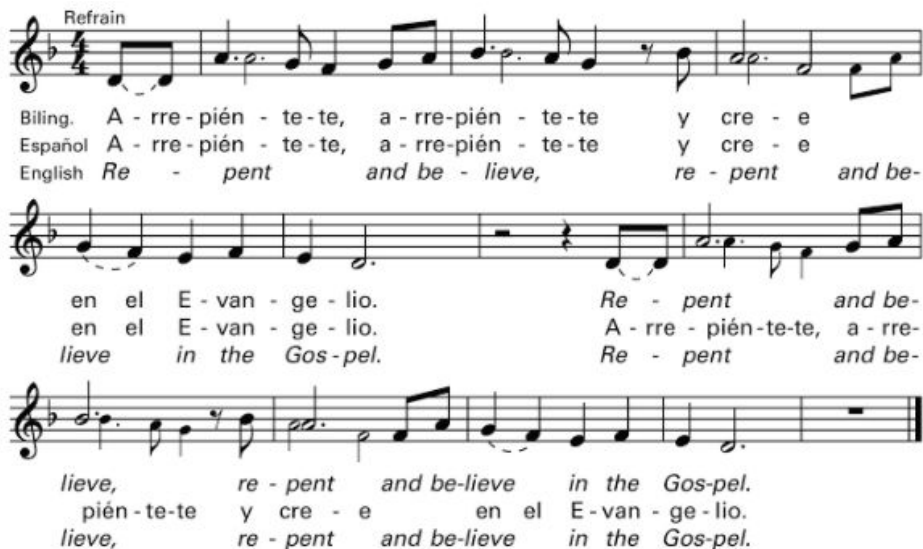
Fine VERSES

I have called you... and you are mine. 1.-3. Seek the face of the Lord and

to Refrain

1. long	for	him:	he	will	bring	you	his	light	and	his	peace.
1. long	for	him:	he	will	bring	you	his	joy	and	his	hope.
1. long	for	him:	he	will	bring	you	his	care	and	his	love.

Refrain



Billing. A - rre - pién - te - te, a - rre - pién - te - te y cre - e
 Español A - rre - pién - te - te, a - rre - pién - te - te y cre - e
 English Re - pent and be - lieve, re - pent and be -

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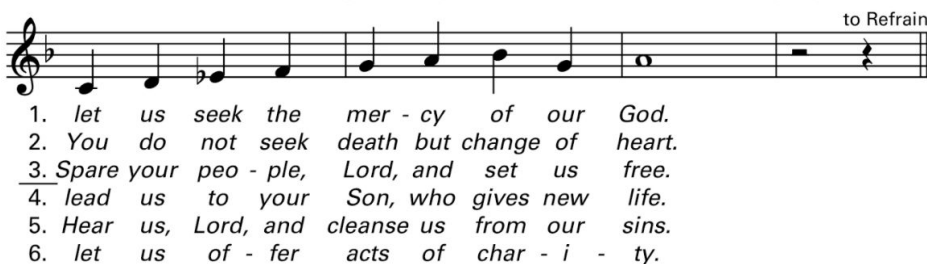
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English Verses



*1a. Marked to - day with ash - es, } let us fast and weep,
 1b. In this Lent - en jour - ney, }
 2. Lord, you show us mer - cy when we fall to sin.
 3. You are rich in mer - cy; you for - give our sins.
 4. Blot out our trans - gres - sions; par - don us, O Lord;
 5. We are marked with ash - es; hum - bly we re - pent.
 6. In this Lent - en jour - ney let us fast and pray;

to Refrain



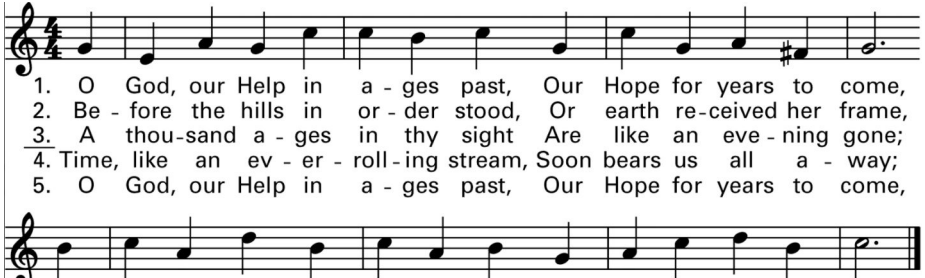
1. let us seek the mer - cy of our God.
 2. You do not seek death but change of heart.
 3. Spare your peo - ple, Lord, and set us free.
 4. lead us to your Son, who gives new life.
 5. Hear us, Lord, and cleanse us from our sins.
 6. let us of - fer acts of char - i - ty.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

FINAL BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

CLOSING SONG

O God, Our Help in Ages Past



1. O God, our Help in a - ges past, Our Hope for years to come,
2. Be - fore the hills in or - der stood, Or earth re - ceived her frame,
3. A thou - sand a - ges in thy sight Are like an eve - ning gone;
4. Time, like an ev - er - roll - ing stream, Soon bears us all a - way;
5. O God, our Help in a - ges past, Our Hope for years to come,



1. Our Shel - ter from the storm - y blast, And our e - ter - nal Home.
2. From ev - er - last - ing thou art God, To end - less years the same.
3. Short as the watch that ends the night Be - fore the ris - ing sun.
4. We fly for - got - ten, as a dream Dies at the o - p'ning day.
5. Be thou our Guard while life shall last, And our e - ter - nal Home.

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