

Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (transferred)

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Organ—Versets for Vespers of the Blessed Virgin Mary, op. 18

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Pater Noster. Ave Maria.

☩ ☩ Deus, in adiutorium meum intende.
℞ Dómine ad adjuvandum me festína.
Glória Patri, et Fílio, et Spirítui Sancto.
Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, et
in sæcula sæculórum. Amen. Allelúja.

Ant. Missus est * Gábríel Angelus ad Mariám
Virginem desponsátam Joseph, allelúja.

Psalmus 109

DIXIT Dóminus Dómino meo: * Sede a
dextris meis:

Donec ponam inimicos tuos, * scabéllum
pedum tuórum.

Virgam virtútis tuæ emittet Dóminus ex Sion:
* domináre in médio inimicórum tuórum.

Tecum princípium in die virtútis tuæ in
splendóribus sanctórum: * ex útero ante
lucíferum genui te.

Jurávit Dóminus, et non poenitébit eum: *
Tu es sacérdos in ætérnum secúndum
órdinem Melchisedech.

Dóminus a dextris tuis, * confrégit in die
irá suæ reges.

Judicábit in natió nibus, implébit ruínas: *
conquassábit cápita in terra multórum.

De torrén te in via bibet: * proptérea
exaltábit caput.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper,
* et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

Our Father. Hail Mary.

☩ ☩ O God, make speed to save me. ℞ O
Lord, make haste to help me. Glory be to the
Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever
shall be, world without end. Amen. Alleluia.

Ant. The Angel Gabriel * was sent to Mary, a
virgin espoused to Joseph, alleluia.

Psalm 110

THE Lord said unto my Lord, * Sit thou on
my right hand, until I make thine enemies
thy footstool.

The Lord shall send the rod of thy power out
of Sion: * be thou ruler, even in the midst among
thine enemies.

In the day of thy power shall the people offer
thee freewill offerings with an holy worship: * the
dew of thy birth is of the womb of the morning.

The Lord sware, and will not repent, * Thou art
a Priest for ever after the order of Melchisedech.

The Lord upon thy right hand * shall wound
even kings in the day of his wrath.

He shall judge among the heathen; * he shall
fill the places with the dead bodies, and smite in
sunder the heads over divers countries.

He shall drink of the brook in the way; *
therefore shall he lift up his head.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and
to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever
shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Ant. Missus est Gábríel Angelus ad Mariám
Virginem desponsátam Joseph, allelúja.

Ant. Ave, María, * grátia plena: Dóminus
tecum: benedícta tu in muliéribus, allelúja.

Psalmus 112

LAUDATE, púeri, Dóminum: * laudáte
Nomen Dómini.

Sit nomen Dómini benedíctum, * ex hoc
nunc, et usque in sáeculum.

A solis ortu usque ad occásum, * laudábile
nomen Dómini.

Excélsus super omnes gentes Dóminus, * et
super cælos glória ejus.

Quis sicut Dóminus, Deus noster, qui in
altis hábitat, * et humília réspicit in cælo et
in terra?

Súscitans a terra ínopem, * et de stércore
érigens páuperem:

Ut cóllocet eum cum princípibus, * cum
príncipibus pópuli sui.

Qui habitáre facit stérilem in domo, *
matrem filiórum lætántem.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper,
* et in sáecula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Ave, María, grátia plena: Dóminus
tecum: benedícta tu in muliéribus, allelúja.

Ant. Ne tíneas, * María, invenísti grátiam
apud Dóminum: ecce concípies, et páries
fílium, allelúja.

Psalmus 121

LÆTATUS sum in his, quæ dicta sunt
Mihi: * In domum Dómini íbimus.

Ant. The Angel Gabriel was sent to Mary, a
virgin espoused to Joseph, alleluia.

Ant. Hail Mary, * full of grace, the Lord is with
thee: blessed art thou among women, alleluia.

Psalm 113

PRAISE the Lord, ye servants; * O praise the
Name of the Lord.

Blessed be the Name of the Lord * from this
time forth for evermore.

The Lord's Name is praised * from the rising
up of the sun unto the going down of the same.

The Lord is high above all heathen * and his
glory above the heavens.

Who is like unto the Lord our God, that hath
his dwelling so high, * and yet humbleth himself
to behold the things that are in heaven and earth?

He taketh up the simple out of the dust, * and
lifteth the poor out of the mire;

That he may set him with the princes, * even
with the princes of his people.

He maketh the barren woman to keep house,
* and to be a joyful mother of children.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and
to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever
shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Ant. Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with
thee: blessed art thou among women, alleluia.

Ant. Fear not, * Mary; thou hast found favour
with the Lord; behold, thou shalt conceive and
bring forth a Son, alleluia.

Psalm 122

I WAS glad when they said unto me, * We
will go into the house of the Lord.

Stantes erant pedes nostri, * in átriis tuis, Jerúsalem.

Jerúsalem, quæ ædificátur ut cívitas: * cujus participátio ejus in idípsum.

Illuc enim ascendérunt tribus, tribus Dómini: * testimónium Israël ad confiténdum nómini Dómini.

Quia illic sedérunt sedes in judício, * sedes super domum David.

Rogáte quæ ad pacem sunt Jerúsalem: * et abundántia diligéntibus te:

Fiat pax in virtúte tua: * et abundántia in túrribus tuis.

Propter fratres meos, et próximos meos, * loquébar pacem de te:

Propter domum Dómini, Dei nostri, * quæsívi bona tibi.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, * et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Ne tíneas, María, invenísti grátiam apud Dóminum: ecce concípies, et páries fílium, allelúja.

Ant. Dabit ei Dóminus * sedem David patris ejus, et regnábit in ætérnum, allelúja.

Psalmus 126

NISI Dóminus ædificáverit domum, * in vanum laboráverunt qui ædificant eam.

Nisi Dóminus custodíerit civitátem, * frustra vígilat qui custódit eam.

Vanum est vobis ante lucem súrgere: * súrgite postquam sedéritis, qui manducátis panem dolóris.

Our feet shall stand in thy gates, * O Jerusalem.

Jerusalem is built as a city * that is at unity in itself.

For thither the tribes go up, † even the tribes of the Lord, * to testify unto Israel, to give thanks unto the Name of the Lord.

For there is the seat of judgement, * even the seat of the house of David.

O pray for the peace of Jerusalem; * they shall prosper that love thee.

Peace be within thy walls, * and plenteousness within thy palaces.

For my brethren and companions' sakes, * I will wish thee prosperity.

Yea, because of the house of the Lord our God, * I will seek to do thee good.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Ant. Fear not, Mary; thou hast found favour with the Lord; behold, thou shalt conceive and bring forth a Son, alleluia.

Ant. The Lord * shall give unto him the throne of his father David, and he shall reign for ever, alleluia.

Psalm 127

EXCEPT the Lord build the house, * their labour is but lost that build it.

Except the Lord keep the city, * the watchman waketh but in vain.

It is but lost labour that ye haste to rise up early, † and so late take rest, and eat the bread of carefulness; * for so he giveth his beloved sleep.

Cum déderit diléctis suis somnum: * ecce heréditas Dómini filii: merces, fructus ventris.

Sicut sagíttæ in manu poténtis: * ita filii excussórum.

Beátus vir qui implévit desidérium suum ex ipsis: * non confundétur cum loquétur inimicis suis in porta.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, * et in sǎcula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Dabit ei Dóminus sedem David patris ejus, et regnábit in ætérnum, allelúja.

Ant. Ecce ancílla Dómini: * fiat mihi secúndum verbum tuum, allelúja.

Psalmus 147

LAUDA, Jerúsalem, Dóminum: * lauda Deum tuum, Sion.

Quóniam confortávit seras portárum tuárum: * benedíxit filiis tuis in te.

Qui pósuit fines tuos pacem: * et ádipe fruménti sátiat te.

Qui emíttit elóquium suum terræ: * velóciter currit sermo ejus.

Qui dat nivem sicut lanam: * nébulam sicut cínerem spargit.

Mittit crystállum suam sicut buccéllas: * ante fáciem frígoris ejus quis sustinébit?

Emíttet verbum suum, et liquefáciat ea: * flabit spíritus ejus, et fluent aquæ.

Qui annúntiat verbum suum Jacob: * justítias, et judícia sua Israël.

Non fecit táliter omni natióni: * et judícia sua non manifestávit eis.

Lo, children and the fruit of the womb, * are an heritage and gift that cometh of the Lord.

Like as the arrows in the hand of the giant, * even so are the young children.

Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them; * they shall not be ashamed when they speak with their enemies in the gate.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Ant. The Lord shall give unto him the throne of his father David, and he shall reign for ever, alleluia.

Ant. Behold the handmaid of the Lord; * be it unto me according to thy word, alleluia.

Psalm 147, ii

PRAISE the Lord, O Jerusalem; * praise thy God, O Sion.

For he hath made fast the bars of thy gates, * and hath blessed thy children within thee.

He maketh peace in thy borders, * and filleth thee with the flour of wheat.

He sendeth forth his commandment upon earth, * and his word runneth very swiftly.

He giveth snow like wool, * and scattereth the hoar-frost like ashes.

He casteth forth his ice like morsels: * who is able to abide his frost?

He sendeth out his word, and melteth them: * he bloweth with his wind, and the waters flow.

He sheweth his word unto Jacob, * his statutes and ordinances unto Israel.

He hath not dealt so with any nation; * neither have the heathen knowledge of his laws.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper,
* et in sácula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Ecce ancílla Dómini: fiat mihi
secúndum verbum tuum, allelúja.

Chapter—Isaiah 7, 14–15

ECCE virgo concípiet, et pariet fílium, †
et vocábitur nomen ejus Emmánuel. *
Butýrum et mel comédet, ut sciat reprobáre
malum, et elígere bonum. ℞ Deo grátias.

Office Hymn—Ave Maris Stella

AVE, Maris Stella,
Dei Mater alma,
Atque semper virgo,
Felix cœli porta.

Sumens illud Ave
Gabriélis ore,
Funda nos in pace,
Mutans Evæ nomen.

Solve vincla reis
Profer lumen cæcis,
Mala nostra pelle,
Bona cuncta posce.

Monstra tē esse Matrem,
Sumat per te preces
Qui pro nobis natus,
Tulit esse tuus.

Virgo singuláris,
Inter omnes mítis,
Nos culpis solútos
Mites fac et castos.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and
to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever
shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Ant. Behold the handmaid of the Lord; be it
unto me according to thy word, alleluia.

BEHOLD, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a
son, † and his name shall be called Emmanuel,
* butter and honey shall he eat, that he may know
to refuse the evil, and choose the good. ℞ Thanks
be to God.

The first verse of the Hymn is sung kneeling.

HAIL, O star that pointest
Towards the port of Heaven,
Thou to whom as maiden
God for Son was given.

When the salutation
Gabriel had spoken,
Peace was shed upon us,
Eva's bonds were broken.

Bound by Satan's fetters,
Health and vision needing,
God will aid and light us
At thy gentle pleading.

Jesu's tender mother,
Make thy supplication
Unto Him Who chose thee
At His incarnation;

That, O matchless maiden,
Passing meek and lowly,
Thy dear Son may make us
Blameless, chaste and holy.

Vitam præsta puram
Iter para tutum;
Ut videntes Jesum
Semper collætémur.

Sit laus Deo Patri,
Summo Christo decus,
Spírítui Sancto,
Tribus honor unus. Amen.

∿ Ave, María, grátia plena, allelúja.
℞ Dóminus tecum, allelúja.

Antiphon & Magnificat

Ant. Spírítus Sanctus * in te descéndet,
María, et virtus Altíssimi obumbrábit tibi,
allelúja.

MAGNIFICAT * ánima mea Dóminum.
Et exsultávit spírítus meus: * in
Deo, salutári meo.

Quia respéxit humilitátem ancillæ suæ: *
ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes
generatiónes.

Quia fecit mihi magna, qui potens est: * et
sanctum nomen ejus.

Et misericórdia ejus, a progénie in
progénies: * tíméntibus eum.

Fecit poténtiam in bráchio suo: * dispérsit
supérbos mente cordis sui.

Depósuit poténtes de sede: * et exaltávit
húmiles.

Esuriéntes implévit bonis: * et dívites
dimísit inánes.

Suscépit Israël púerum suum: * recordátus
misericórdiæ suæ.

Sicut locútus est ad patres nostros: *
Abraham, et sémini ejus in sácula.

So, as now we journey
Aid our weak endeavor,
Till we gaze on Jesus,
And rejoice forever.

Father, Son and Spirit,
Three in One confessing,
Give we equal glory,
Equal praise and blessing. Amen.

∿ Hail Mary, full of grace, alleluia. ℞ The
Lord is with thee, alleluia.

Ant. The Holy Ghost * shall come upon thee,
O Mary, and the power of the highest shall
overshadow thee, alleluia.

MY soul doth magnify the Lord, * and my
spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

For he hath regarded * the lowliness of his
handmaiden.

For behold, from henceforth * all generations
shall call me blessed.

For he that is mighty hath magnified me; *
and holy is his Name.

And his mercy is on them that fear him *
throughout all generations.

He hath showed strength with his arm; * he
hath scattered the proud in the imagination of
their hearts.

He hath put down the mighty from their seat,
* and hath exalted the humble and meek;

He hath filled the hungry with good things; *
and the rich he hath sent empty away.

He remembering his mercy hath holpen his
servant Israel; * as he promised to our
forefathers, Abraham and his seed, for ever.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper,
* et in sácula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Spíritus Sanctus in te descéndet,
María, et virtus Altíssimi obumbrábit tibi,
allelúja.

℣ Dóminus vobíscum. ℞ Et cum spírítu tuo.
Orémus.

DEUS, qui de beátæ Mariæ Vírginis útero
Verbum tuum, Angelo nuntiánte,
carnem suscípere voluísti: præsta supplicibus
tuis; ut, qui vere eam Genetrícem Dei
crédimus, ejus apud te intercessiónibus
adjuvémur. Per eúmdem Dóminum. ℞ Amen.

For the Sunday

Ant. Post dies octo * jánuis clausis ingræssus
Dóminus dixit eis: Pax vobis, allelúja,
allelúja.

℣ Mane nobíscum, Dómine, allelúja.
℞ Quóniam advesperáscit, allelúja.

Orémus.

PRÆSTA, quæsumus, omnípotens Deus:
ut qui paschália festa perégimus, hæc, te
largiénte, móribus et vita teneámus. Per
Dóminum. ℞ Amen.

℣ Dóminus vobíscum. ℞ Et cum spírítu tuo.

℣ Benedicámus Dómino. ℞ Deo grátias.

℣ ✠ Fidélium ánimæ per misericórdiam
Dei requiéscant in pace. ℞ Amen.

Pater noster.

℣ ✠ Dóminus det nobis suam pacem. ℞ Et
vitam ætérnam. Amen.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and
to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever
shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Ant. The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee,
O Mary, and the power of the highest shall
overshadow thee, alleluia.

℣ The Lord be with you. ℞ And with thy spirit.
Let us pray.

OGOD, who wast pleased that thy Word
should take flesh of the womb of the
blessed Virgin Mary at the message of an Angel:
grant to us thy humble servants; that we,
believing her to be indeed the Mother of God,
may by her intercession be holpen in thy sight.
Through the same. ℞ Amen.

Ant. After eight days, * when the doors were
shut, the Lord entered, and said unto them:
Peace be unto you, alleluia, alleluia.

℣ Abide with us, O Lord, alleluia. ℞ For it is
toward evening, alleluia.

Let us pray.

GRANT, we beseech the, almighty God: that
we who have now fulfilled this paschal
festival, so in our life and conversation we may by
thy grace continually shew forth the same.
Through. ℞ Amen.

℣ The Lord be with you. ℞ And with thy spirit.

℣ Let us bless the Lord. ℞ Thanks be to God.

℣ ✠ May the souls of the faithful, through the
mercy of God, rest in peace. ℞ Amen.

Our Father.

℣ ✠ The Lord give us his peace. ℞ And life
everlasting. Amen.

Marian Antiphon

Ant. Regína cœli, * lætáre, allelúja;
Quia quem meruísti portáre, allelúja,
Resurréxit, sicut dixit, allelúja:
Ora pro nobis Deum, allelúja.

∿ Gaude et lætáre, Virgo María, allelúja.
℟ Quia surréxit Dóminus vere, allelúja.

Orémus.

DEUS, qui per resurrectionem Filii tui, Dómini nostri Jesu Christi, mundum lætificáre dignátus es: præsta, quæsumus; ut, per ejus Genitricem Vírginem Mariám, perpétuæ capiámus gáudia vitæ. Per eúndem Christum Dóminum nostrum. ℟ Amen.

∿ ✠ Divínium auxiliúm máneat semper nobíscum. ℟ Amen.

The Novena Prayers

Hymn—Ad cœnam Agni providi

AD cœnam Agni próvidi,
Et stolis albis cándidi,
Post tránsitum maris Rubri,
Christo canámus príncipi.

Cujus corpus sanctíssimum,
In ara crucis tórridum,
Cruóre ejus róseo
Gustándo vívimus Deo.

Protécti Paschæ véspere
A devastánte Ángelo,
Erépti de duríssimo
Pharaónis império.

Jam Pascha nostrum Christus est,
Qui immolátus agnus est:
Sinceritátis ázyna,
Caro ejus obláta est.

Ant. Joy to thee, * O Queen of Heaven, alleluia;
He whom thou wast meet to bear, alleluia,
As he promised, hath arisen, alleluia:
Pour for us to God thy prayer, alleluia.

∿ Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.
℟ For the Lord hath arisen indeed, alleluia.

Let us pray.

O GOD, who by the resurrection of thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ hast vouchsafed to give joy to the whole world: grant, we beseech thee; that through the help of his Mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. ℟ Amen.

∿ ✠ May the divine assistance remain with us always. ℟ Amen.

THE Lamb's high banquet we await
In snow-white robes of royal state:
And now, the Red Sea's channel past,
To Christ our Prince we sing at last.

Upon the Altar of the Cross
His Body hath redeemed our loss:
And tasting of his roseate Blood,
Our life is hid with him in God.

That Paschal Eve God's arm was bared,
The devastating Angel spared:
By strength of hand our hosts went free
From Pharaoh's ruthless tyranny.

Now Christ, our Paschal Lamb, is slain,
The Lamb of God that knows no stain,
The true Oblation offered here,
Our own unleavened Bread sincere.

O vere digna hóstia,
Per quam fracta sunt tártara,
Redémpta plebs captiváta,
Reddíta vitæ præmia.

Consúrgit Christus túmulo,
Victor redit de bárothro,
Tyránum trudens vínculo,
Et Paradísium réserans.

Quæsumus, Auctor ómnium,
In hoc pascháli gáudio,
Ab omni mortis ímpetu,
Tuum defénde pópulum.

Gloria tibi Dómine,
Qui surrexísti a mórtuis,
Cum Patre et Sancto Spíritu,
In sempitérna sácula. Amen.

O thou, from whom hell's monarch flies,
O great, O very Sacrifice,
Thy captive people are set free,
And endless life restored in Thee.

For Christ, arising from the dead,
From conquered hell victorious sped,
And thrust the tyrant down to chains,
And Paradise for man regains.

We pray Thee, King with glory decked,
In this our Paschal joy, protect
From all that death would fain effect
Thy ransomed flock, Thine own elect.

All praise be thine, O risen Lord,
From death to endless life restored;
Whom with the Father we adore,
And Holy Ghost, for evermore. Amen.

At Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament

O SALUTARIS Hóstia,
Quæ cæli pandis óstium
Bella premunt hostília,
Da róbur, fer auxílium.

Uni trinóque Dómino,
Sit sempitérna glória
Qui vitam sine término
Nobis donet in pátria. Amen.

O SAVING Victim! opening wide
The gate of heaven to man below,
Our foes press on from every side,
Thine aid supply, thy strength bestow.

All praise and thanks to thee ascend
For evermore, blest One in Three;
O grant us life that shall not end,
In our true native land with thee. Amen.

Devotions follow, which conclude: ∇. Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, ☩. Have mercy upon us. iij.

TANTUM ergo Sacraméntum
Venerémur cernui:
Et antíquum documéntum
Novo cedat ritui
Præstet fides suppleméntum
Sénsuum deféctui.

THEREFORE we, before him bending,
This great Sacrament revere;
Types and shadows have their ending,
For the newer rite is here;
Faith, our outward sense befriending,
Makes our inward vision clear.

Genitóri Genitóque
Laus et jubilátio:
Salus, honor, virtus quoque
Sit et benedíctio:
Procedénti ab utróque
Compar sit laudátio. Amen.

☩ Panem de caelo praestitisti eis, allelúja.
☩ Omne delectaméntum in se habéntem,
allelúja.

Orémus.

DEUS, qui nobis sub Sacraménto
mirábili, passiónis tuæ memóriam
reliquísti: tríbuæ quæsumus, ita nos
Córporis et Sánguini tui sacra mystéria
venerári; ut redemptiónis tuæ fructum in
nobis júgiter sentiámus: Qui vivis et regnas
in sácula sæculórum. ☩ Amen.

The Divine Praises

Blessed be God.

Blessed be his holy Name.

Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God, and true Man.

Blessed be the Name of Jesus.

Blessed be his most Sacred Heart.

Blessed be his most Precious Blood.

Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.

Blessed be the Holy Ghost, the Comforter.

Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy.

Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception.

Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.

Blessed be the Name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.

Blessed be Saint Joseph, her most chaste spouse.

Blessed be God in his Angels and in his Saints.

May the Heart of Jesus, in the Most Blessed Sacrament, be praised, adored, and loved with grateful affection, at every moment, in all the tabernacles of the world, even to the end of time. Amen.

Glory let us give and blessing
To the Father and the Son,
Honour, thanks and praise addressing
While eternal ages run;
Ever too his love confessing
Who from both with Both is One. Amen.

☩ Thou gavest them Bread from heaven,
alleluia. ☩ Containing within itself all sweetness,
alleluia.

Let us pray.

O GOD, who in a wonderful Sacrament hast
left unto us a memorial of thy passion:
grant us, we beseech thee, so to venerate the
sacred mysteries of thy Body and Blood; that we
may ever perceive within ourselves the fruit of thy
redemption: Who livest and reignest, world
without end. ☩ Amen.

Ant. Adorémus in ætérnum *
Sanctíssimum Sacraméntum. Allelúja.

Psalmus 116. Laudáte Dóminum, omnes
Gentes: * laudáte eum, omnes pópuli:

Quóniam confirmáta est super nos
misericórdia ejus: * et véritas Dómini manet
in ætérnum.

Ant. Adorémus in ætérnum *
Sanctíssimum Sacraméntum. Allelúja.

Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spiritúi Sancto.

Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper,
* et in sácula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Adorémus in ætérnum *
Sanctíssimum Sacraméntum. Allelúja.

Ant. Let us forever adore * the Most Holy
Sacrament. Alleluia.

Psalm 117. O praise the Lord, all ye heathen *
praise him, all ye nations:

For his merciful kindness is ever more and more
towards us * and the truth of the Lord endureth for
ever.

Ant. Let us forever adore the Most Holy
Sacrament. Alleluia.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and
to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever
shall be * world without end. Amen.

Ant. Let us forever adore the Most Holy
Sacrament. Alleluia.

Parish Notes

We welcome all those who are worshiping with us today.

Vespers in chanted in Latin at 3.00 every Sunday afternoon, please join us.

Monday, 8 April, Annunciation B.V.M., (transferred), Solemn Mass 7.00 p.m.

Saturday, 13 April, Dedication of the Church, Solemn Mass 11.00 a.m.

Anniversaries

- 8 April Mary Gardner Wentz, Benefactress, RIP (1954)
9 April Robert Downing Caldwell, Benefactor, RIP (1950)
Bartram Ashmead Owen, Benefactor, RIP (1955)
10 April Elizabeth Jaudon Lea, Benefactress, RIP (1936)
11 April Rebecca Harris, Birth
George Taylor Griffith, Priest & Curate, RIP (1939)
Warren Bradway, RIP (2016)
12 April Constance Joline Crichton, Benefactress, RIP (1954)
Thomas Santuro, RIP (2014)
13 April Andrew Nardone, Birth
Alfred Sprissler, Benefactor, RIP (1939)
Katherine Richards, RIP (2023)

Kalendar

8 April	ANNUNCIATION B.V.M. (transferred)
9 April	Feria
10 April	Feria
11 April	S. Leo I, P.C.D.
12 April	DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH
13 April	Of the Octave; <i>S. Hermenegild, M.</i>
14 April	Easter II; <i>S. Justin, M.; Ss. Tiburtius, Valerian & Maximus, Mm; Of the Octave</i>

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Sunday	Monday–Friday
Low Mass 8.00	Low Mass 12.10
Centering Prayer 9.30	Vespers & Novena 5.30
Rosary 10.00	Saturday
Terce 10.30	Low Mass 10.00
Solemn Mass 11.00	Rosary 10.30 (1 st Saturdays)
Vespers & Benediction 3.00	Vespers & Novena 3.00

The Rev'd Richard C. Alton, *Rector*
The Rev'd Barbara D. Henry, *Associate Priest & Archivist*
The Rev'd Justin Lanier, *Associate Priest*
Mr. John A. Carter, *Eucharistic Visitor*
Mr. Andrew W. Nardone, *Parish Administrator & Sacristan*
Mr. Peter Richard Conte, *Organist & Choirmaster*
Mr. Bernard Kunkel, *Associate Organist*
Ms. Isabella Isza Wu, *Organ Scholar*