

First Sunday of LENT
St Patrick's Catholic American Community
20-21 February, 2021



Gathering Hymn:

LORD, WHO THROUGHOUT THESE FORTY DAYS

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1. Lord, who through-out these for - ty days, For us did fast and
2. As you with Sa - tan did con-tend, And did the vic - t'ry
3. As you did hun - ger bear and thirst, So teach us, gra-cious
4. And through these days of pen - i - tence, And through your Pas-sion-
5. A - bide with us that when this life Of suf - fer-ing is



1. pray, Teach us with you to mourn our sins, And close by you to stay.
2. win, O give us strength in you to fight, In you to con-quer sin.
3. Lord, To die to self, and al - ways live By your most ho - ly word.
4. tide, For - ev - er - more, in life and death, O Lord, with us a - bide.
5. past, An Ea-ster of un - end - ing joy We may at - tain at last!

Text: CM; Claudia F. Hernaman, 1838–1898, alt. Music: *The Whole Psalmes in Foure Partes*, 1563, alt.

Act of Penitence
THE CONFITEOR

**I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts
and in my words, in what I have done
and in what I have failed to do,
through my fault, through my fault,**

**through my most grievous fault;
therefore I ask blessed Mary, ever-Virgin,
and all the angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

Presider: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins ...
All Sing: **Kyrie Eleison, Christe Eleison, Kyrie Eleison**



First Reading: Genesis: 9:8-15

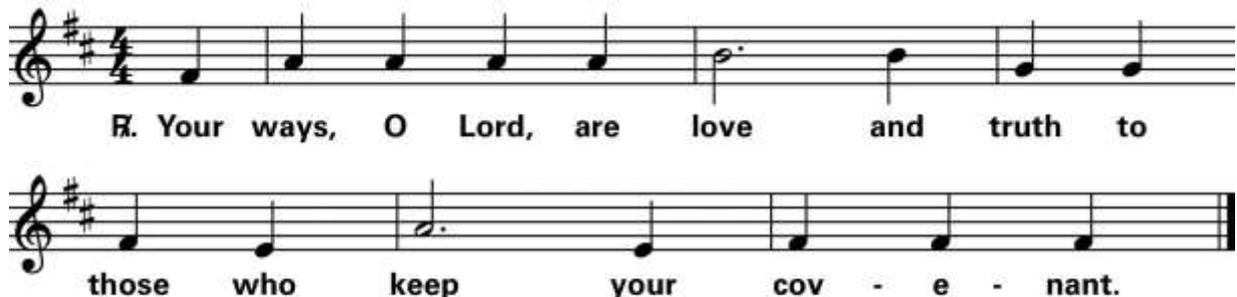
A Reading from the Book of Genesis.

God said to Noah and to his sons with him: “See, I am now establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you and with every living creature that was with you: all the birds, and the various tame and wild animals that were with you and came out of the ark. I will establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all bodily creatures be destroyed by the waters of a flood; there shall not be another flood to devastate the earth.”

God added: “This is the sign that I am giving for all ages to come, of the covenant between me and you and every living creature with you: I set my bow in the clouds to serve as a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. When I bring clouds over the earth, and the bow appears in the clouds, I will recall the covenant I have made between me and you and all living beings, so that the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all mortal beings.”

The Word of the Lord. **R. Thanks be to God**

Responsorial Psalm: PSALM 25



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Second Reading: 1 Peter 3: 18-22

A reading from the first letter of Peter

Beloved: Christ suffered for sins once, the righteous for the sake of the unrighteous, that he might lead you to God. Put to death in the flesh, he was brought to life in the Spirit. In it he also went to preach to the spirits in prison, who had once been disobedient while God patiently waited in the days of Noah during the building of the ark, in which a few persons, eight in all, were saved through water. This prefigured baptism, which saves you now. It is not a removal of dirt from the body but an appeal to God for a clear conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers subject to him.

The Word of the Lord. **R. Thanks be to God**

Gospel Acclamation: Mt 4:4b



R. Praise to you, Lord Je - sus Christ, King of end - less glo - ry!

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One does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God

Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

A Reading from the Holy Gospel According to Mark. **R. Glory to You, O Lord.**

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him.

After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God:

“This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel.”

The Gospel of the Lord. **R. Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ.**

THE NICENE CREED

**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,
(*all bow*) and by the Holy Spirit was
incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man. (*rise up*)**

**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. Amen.**

General Intercessions / Prayers of the Faithful : Response: Lord, hear our prayer



Preparation of the Gifts and Altar:
LED BY THE SPIRIT

KINGSFOLD



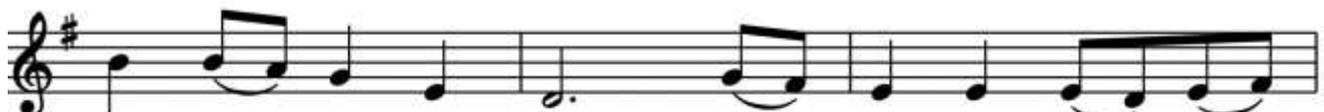
1. Led by the Spir - it of our God, we go to fast and
 2. Led by the Spir - it, we con - front temp - ta - tion face to
 3. Led by the Spir - it, now draw near the wa - ters of re -
 4. Led by the Spir - it, now sing praise to God the Trin - i -



1. pray With Christ in - to the wil - der - ness; we join his
 2. face, And know full well we must re - ly on God's re -
 3. birth With hearts that long to wor - ship God in spir - it
 4. ty: The Source of Life, the liv - ing Word made flesh to



1. pas - chal way. "Rend not your gar - ments, rend your hearts. Turn
 2. deem - ing grace. On bread a - lone we can - not live, but
 3. and in truth. "Who - ev - er drinks the drink I give shall
 4. set us free, The Spir - it blow - ing where it will to



1. back your lives to me." Thus says our kind and
 2. nour - ished by the Word We seek the will of
 3. nev - er thirst a - gain." Thus says the Lord who
 4. make us friends of God: This mys - t'ry far be -



1. gra - cious God, whose reign is lib - er - ty.
 2. God to do: this is our drink and food.
 3. died for us, our Sav - ior, kin and friend.
 4. yond our reach, yet near in heal - ing love.

MASS SETTING – MASS OF SPIRIT AND GRACE

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

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Save us, Sav - ior of the world, for by your Cross and Res - ur -
rec - tion you have set us free, you have set us free.



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 in my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you physically, come spiritually into my heart. As you ascended to the Father, you promised: "I am with you always, to the end of the age."

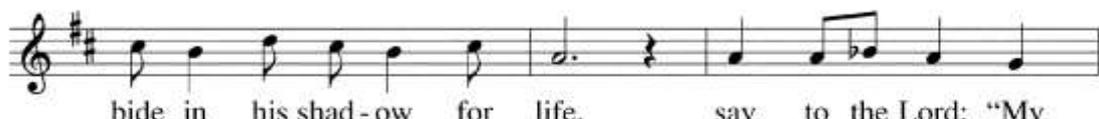
So in faith, I embrace you and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

Communion Hymn:
ON EAGLE'S WINGS

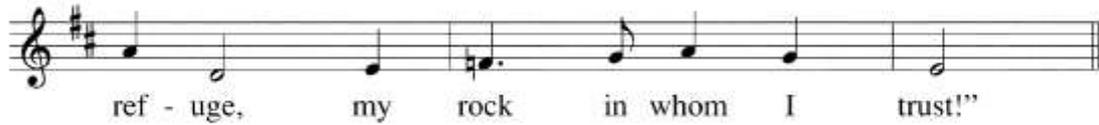
Verse 1



1. You who dwell in the shel-ter of the Lord, who a -



bide in his shad-ow for life, say to the Lord: "My



ref - uge, my rock in whom I trust!"

Refrain $\text{\$}$



And he will raise you up on ea - gle's wings, bear you on the



breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and



hold you in the palm of his hand. *Last time to coda $\text{\$}$ To verses* 2. The

Verse 2



snare of the fowl - er will nev - er cap - ture you, and



fam - ine will bring you no fear: un - der his wings your



ref - uge, his faith - ful - ness your shield. **D.S.**

You need not fear the terror of the night, nor the arrow that flies by day;
though thousands fall about you, near you it shall not come. *Refrain*

For to his angels he's given a command to guard you in all of your ways;
upon their hands they will bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone. *Refrain*

Recessional Hymn:



BEYOND THE DAYS

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Refrain

Be - yond the days of hope and mys - t'ry we
see a light of faith re - newed, and in our long - ing
we thirst for guid - ance to walk with you day by day.

1-4 to Verses

Final Verses

day, to walk with you day by day. 1. For - ty days and
2. Not on bread a -
3. In your hands, O
4. On our Lent - en

1. nights, you guide the steps of our jour - ney. May your
2. lone are we to walk on this jour - ney. Speak the
3. God, we feel the touch of your guid - ance. Keep us
4. path we see the dawn of a new day. Be our

3 to Refrain

1. pres - ence be felt in the whis - per of your voice.
2. words that give life to the yearn - ings of our hearts.
3. safe in your care: may your gen - tle - ness be there.
4. vi - sion of hope; be the prom - ise of our lives.

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