



ST. GERTRUDE
CHURCH



4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 28–29, 2023

Cover: The Sermon on the Mount, Fra Angelico, O.P., c. 1436



ORDER OF MASS

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRELUDE

Canzona in G Major

Franz Tunder

INTRODUCTORY RITES

PROCESSION

Rejoice, the Lord is King

At the ringing of the sacristy bell, all stand and sing:

St. Michael Hymnal 728

INTROIT

Laetetur cor quaerentium Dominum:
quaerite Dominum, et confirmamini:
quaerite faciem eius semper.

As the celebrant approaches the altar, the choir sings:

*Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice.
Seek out the Lord and his might;
constantly seek his face.*

̎. Confitemini Domino,
et invocate nomen eius:
annuntiate inter gentes opera eius.

̎. *Give thanks to the Lord
and invoke his name;
make known among the peoples his deeds.*

̎. Gloria Patri, et Filio,
et Spiritui Sancto, sicut erat
in principio, et nunc, et semper,
et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.

̎. *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Spirit, as it was
in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.*

Antiphon: Psalm 105:3b–4

Verse: Psalm 105:1

Music: Dominican Chant

GREETING

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And with your spirit.

PENITENTIAL ACT

Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins,
and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

**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,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

All strike breast three times

May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins,
and bring us to everlasting life.

Amen.

KYRIE, ELEISON

Cantor/Choir: *All:*
Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son.

Cantor/Choir: *All:*
Chris - te, e - le - i - son. Chris - te, e - le - i - son.

Cantor/Choir: *All:*
Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son.

Music: Gregorian Chant, Missa XVI

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Celebrant/Cantor: *All:*
Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o. Et in ter - ra pax ho - mi - ni - bus

bo - næ vo - lun - ta - tis. Lau - da - mus te. Be - ne - di - ci - mus te.

A - do - ra - mus te. Glo - ri - fi - ca - mus te.

Gra - ti - as a - gi - mus ti - bi prop - ter mag - nam glo - ri - am tu - am.

Do - mi - ne De - us, Rex cæ - le - stis, De - us Pa - ter om - ni - po - tens.

Do - mi - ne Fi - li u - ni - ge - ni - te Je - su Chri - ste.

Do - mi - ne De - us, Ag - nus De - i, Fi - li - us Pa - tris.

Qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - di, mi - se - re - re no - bis.

Qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - di,

su - sci - pe de - pre - ca - ti - o - nem no - stram.

Qui se - des ad dex - te - ram Pa - tris, mi - se - re - re no - bis.

Quo - ni - am tu so - lus San - ctus. Tu so - lus Do - mi - nus.

Tu so - lus Al - tis - si - mus, Je - su Chri - ste.

Cum San - cto Spi - ri - tu, in glo - ri - a De - i Pa - tris.

A - - - men.

Music: Gregorian Chant, Missa VIII "De Angelis"

COLLECT

Grant us, Lord our God, that we may honor you with all our mind and love everyone in truth of heart. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

All sit

LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING I

Zephaniah 2:3, 3:12–13

Seek the LORD, all you humble of the earth, who have observed his law; seek justice, seek humility; perhaps you may be sheltered on the day of the LORD's anger.

But I will leave as a remnant in your midst a people humble and lowly, who shall take refuge in the name of the LORD: the remnant of Israel. They shall do no wrong and speak no lies; nor shall there be found in their mouths a deceitful tongue; they shall pasture and couch their flocks with none to disturb them.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 146:6–7, 8–9, 9–10



Blessed are the poor in spi - rit; the king-dom of heav-en is theirs!

The LORD keeps faith forever,
secures justice for the oppressed,
gives food to the hungry.
The LORD sets captives free. *℟.*

The LORD gives sight to the blind;
the LORD raises up those who were bowed down.
The LORD loves the just;
the LORD protects strangers. *℟.*

The fatherless and the widow the LORD sustains,
but the way of the wicked he thwarts.
The LORD shall reign forever;
your God, O Zion, through all generations. Alleluia. *℟.*

*Music: Dominican Chant — Quis sicut Dominus,
adapted Christopher Holman*

READING II

1 Corinthians 1:26–31

Consider your own calling, brothers and sisters. Not many of you were wise by human standards, not many were powerful, not many were of noble birth. Rather, God chose the foolish of the world to shame the wise, and God chose the weak of the world to shame the strong, and God chose the lowly and despised of the world, those who count for nothing, to reduce to nothing those who are something, so that no human being might boast before God. It is due to him that you are in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God, as well as righteousness, sanctification, and redemption, so that, as it is written, "Whoever boasts, should boast in the Lord."

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

All stand



Rejoice and be glad; your reward will be great in heaven. *℞.*

Verse: Matthew 5:12a

*Music: Dominican Chant — Alleluia,
Domine refugium, adapted C. Holman*

GOSPEL

Matthew 5:1–12a

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

Glory to you, O Lord.

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him. He began to teach them, saying: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the land. Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be satisfied. Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy. Blessed are the clean of heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

All sit

HOMILY

Friars of the Order of Preachers

CREED

All stand

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,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.

All bow

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.

All stand

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.

UNIVERSAL PRAYER

Each petition concludes with:

We pray to the Lord:

Lord, hear our prayer.

After the final petition, all pray:

Almighty Father, you have created us for some definite purpose.

**Grant us the grace to know the path you have planned for us in this life
and to respond with a generous "Yes."**

**Make our archdiocese, parishes, homes, and hearts
fruitful ground for your gift of vocations.**

May our young people respond to your call with courage and zeal.

Stir among our men a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests.

Bless us with consecrated religious

and those called to a chaste single life,

permanent deacons, and faithful husbands and wives,

who are a sign of Christ's love for His Church.

We commend our prayer for vocations to you, Father,

through the intercession of Mary our Mother,

in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY HYMN

Blest are the Pure in Heart

All sit and sing:

St. Michael Hymnal 454

MOTET (Saturday)

Laudate, pueri, Dominum;
laudate nomen Domini.
Sit nomen Domini benedictum
ex hoc nunc et usque in saecula.

The choir sings:

*Praise, you servants of the Lord,
praise the name of the Lord.
Blessed be the name of the Lord
both now and forever.*

*Words: Psalm 113:1–2
Music: Felix Mendelssohn*

MOTET (10 a.m.)

Beati eritis cum maledixerint vobis
et persecuti vos fuerint et dixerint
omne malum adversum vos
mentientes propter me.
Gaudete et exultate quoniam
merces vestra copiosa est in caelis.

The choir sings:

*Blessed are you when they insult you
and persecute you and utter
every kind of evil against you
falsely because of me.
Rejoice and be glad, for
your reward will be great in heaven.*

*Words: Matthew 5:11–12a
Music: Giovanni Croce*

MOTET (Noon)

Seigneur, je vous en prie,
que la force brûlante et douce
de votre amour absorbe mon âme
et la retire de tout
ce qui est sous le ciel.
Afin que je meure par amour de votre amour
puisque vous avez daigné
mourir par amour de mon amour.

The choir sings:

*Lord, I pray unto you,
let the burning and sweet strength
of your love pervade my soul
and withdraw from it all
that is beneath heaven,
that I might die for love of your love,
just as you humbled yourself
to die for love of my love.*

*Words: St. Francis of Assisi
Music: Francis Poulenc*

ORATE, FRATRES

All stand

Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy church.

O Lord, we bring to your altar these offerings of our service: be pleased to receive them, we pray, and transform them into the Sacrament of our redemption. Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

PREFACE DIALOGUE AND SANCTUS

The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right and just.

The celebrant prays the Preface. At the end, all sing:

San - ctus, San - ctus, San-ctus Do - mi - nus De - us Sa - ba - oth.

Ple - ni sunt cæ - li et ter - ra glo - ri - a tu - a. Ho - san - na in ex - cel - sis.

Be - ne - di - ctus qui ve - nit in no - mi - ne Do - mi - ni.

Ho - san - na in ex - cel - sis.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

All kneel

The celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer. After the words of Consecration, the celebrant sings:

The mystery of faith. *or* *Mysterium fidei.*

Mor-tem tu - am an - nun - ti - a - a - mus, Do - mi - ne,
et tu - am re-sur-rec-ti - o-nem con-fi - te - mur, do - nec ve-ni - as.

At the conclusion of the prayer the celebrant takes the chalice and the paten with the host and, raising both, sings:

Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours,

Celebrant: for ev - er and ev - er. *All:* A - men.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

All stand

At the Savior's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and for ever.

Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: "Peace I leave you, my peace I give you," look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will, who live and reign for ever and ever.

Amen.

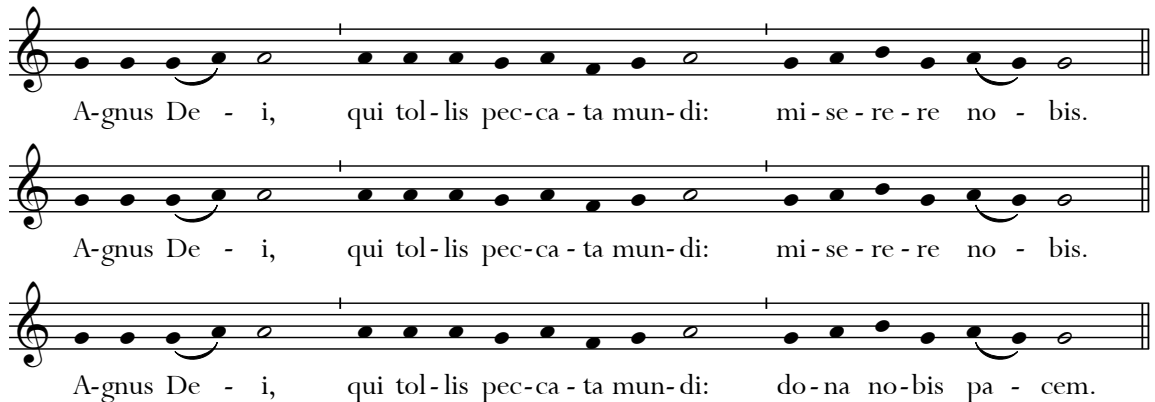
The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And with your spirit.

Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

All exchange a sign of peace

AGNUS DEI



A-gnus De - i, qui tol-lis pec-ca - ta mun-di: mi-se - re - re no - bis.

A-gnus De - i, qui tol-lis pec-ca - ta mun-di: mi-se - re - re no - bis.

A-gnus De - i, qui tol-lis pec-ca - ta mun-di: do-na no-bis pa - cem.

Music: Gregorian Chant, Missa XVIII "Cunctipotens genitor Deus"

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

All kneel

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

**Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

COMMUNION

The choir sings:

Beati pacifici,
beati mundo corde,
quoniam ipsi Deum videbunt.

*Blessed are the peacemakers,
Blessed are the clean of heart,
for they will see God.*

☩. Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted.
Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the land.
Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be satisfied.

☩. Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.
Blessed are the clean of heart, for they will see God.
Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.
Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

☩. Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you
and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me.
Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.
Give your praise as a sacrifice to God, and fulfill your vows to the Most High.

☩. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

*Antiphon: Matthew 5:8–10
Verses: Matthew 5:1–12a
Music: Dominican Chant*

MOTET (Saturday)

The choir sings:

O bone Jesu, miserere nobis,
quia tu creasti nos,
tu redemisti nos
sanguine tuo pretiosissimo.

*O good Jesus, have mercy upon us,
for you have created us,
you have redeemed us
by your most precious blood.*

*Words: Responsory for Holy Week
Music: Johannes Brahms*

MOTET (Sunday)

The choir sings:

Тебе поем,
Тебе благословим,
Тебе благодарим, Господи,
и молим Ти ся, Боже наш.

*We sing to you,
we praise you,
we thank you, O Lord,
and we pray to you, our God.*

*Words: Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom
Music: Sergei Rachmaninoff*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

All stand

Nourished by these redeeming gifts, we pray, O Lord, that through this help to eternal salvation true faith may ever increase. Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

THE CONCLUDING RITES

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Go forth, the Mass is ended.

Thanks be to God.

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

All kneel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.

RECESSION (Saturday)
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

All stand and sing:
St. Michael Hymnal 622

RECESSION (Sunday)

All stand and sing:

Cantor: *All:*

Sal - ve, Re - gi - na,
Hail, Holy Queen,

ma - ter mi - se - ri - cor - di - ae:
Mother of Mercies:

Vi - ta, dul - ce do,
Our life our sweetness,

et spes nos - tra, sal - ve.
and our hope, hail.

Ad te cla - ma - mus ex - sul - es fi - li - i He - vae.
To you we cry, banished children of Eve.

Ad te sus - pi - ra - mus, ge - men - tes et flen - tes
To you we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping

In hac la - cri - ma - rum val - le.
in this vale of tears.

E - ia, er - go, ad - vo - ca - ta nos - tra, il - los tu - os
Ah, therefore, our advocate, those your

mi - se - ri - cor - - - des o - cu - los
merciful eyes

ad nos con - ver - - te; Et Je - sum,
toward us turn; And Jesus,

be - ne - dic - tum fruc - tum ven - tris tu - i, No - bis
the blessed fruit of your womb, to us

post hoc ex - si - li - um os - - ten - de.
after this our exile show.

O cle - mens, O pi - a,
O clement, O pious,

O dul - cis Vir - go Ma - ri - a.
O sweet Virgin Mary.

Music: Dominican Chant

POSTLUDE

Voluntary in A Major

William Selby

