# FIRST SOLEMN MASS of THANKSGIVING

The Reverend Haron R. Scheidel



THE SOLEMNITY of THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD of CHRIST

"Corpus Christi"

THE CHURCH of SAINT BENEDICT

THE SECOND of JUNE
IN THE YEAR of OUR LORD
TWO-THOUSAND AND TWENTY-FOUR

## Reverend Clergy

PRINCIPAL CONCELEBRANTS Rev. Msgr. Edward Domin

Rev. Philip Rodgers

Rev. Patrick Lamb

Rev. Richard James

HOMILIST Rev. Patrick Lamb

DEACONS of THE MASS Rev. Mr. Christopher Kinsella

Rev. Mr. Robert Bollinger

Lectors

Mr. Anh Do Mai Mr. Dominic Civitella

Musicians

**ORGANIST** 

Ms. Beverly Perella

VIOLIN

Mrs. Barbara Lanza

TRUMPTETER

Mr. Jim Spangler

CANTOR

Mr. Ron McClure

CHOIR & SCHOLA

St. Benedict Choir &

The Coppa-Gallagher Schola

Under the Direction of Ms. Beverly Perella

#### Preludes

Trumpet Voluntary in D (organ)

John Stanley (1712-1786)

Largo (violin)

George Fridierich Handel (1685-1759)

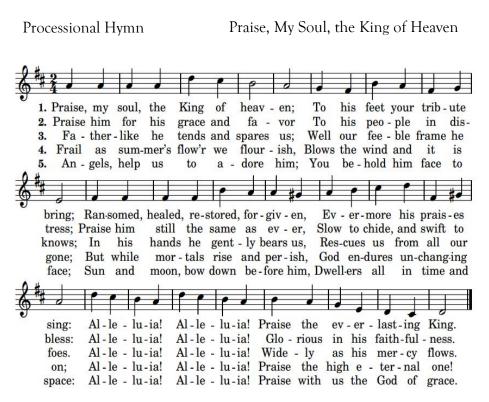
Canon of Praise (choir)

arranged by Hal H. Hopson (1933-present)

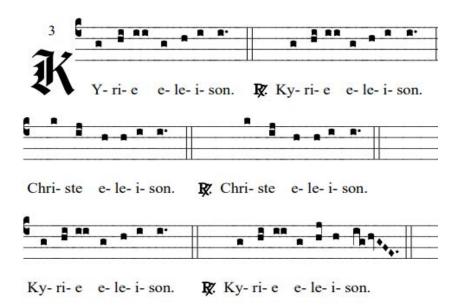
Panis Angelicus (schola)

Cesar Franck (1822-1890)

### Holy Mass



Kyrie Missa XVI



Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy Lord, have mercy.





Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen

First Reading Exodus 24:3-8

Responsorial Psalm

116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18

I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord

Second Reading

Hebrews 9:11-15

Sequence

Lauda Sion, Traditional Chant

Sung by Emily Drahus and Kathy Gallagher

Laud, O Zion, your salvation, laud with hymns of exultation, Christ your king and shepherd true:

Bring Him all the praise you know, He is more than you bestow. Never can you reach His due.

Special theme for glad thanksgiving is the quickening and the living bread today before you set:

From His hands of old partaken, as we know, by faith unshaken, where the Twelve at supper met.

Full and clear ring out your chanting, joy nor sweetest grace be wanting, from your heart let praises burst:

For today the feast is holden, when the institution olden of that supper was rehearsed.

Here the new law's new oblation, by the new King's revelation, ends the form of ancient rite:

Now the new the old effaces, truth away the shadow chases, light dispels the gloom of night.

What He did at supper seated, Christ ordained to be repeated, His memorial never to cease:

And His rule for guidance taking, bread and wine we hallow, making thus our sacrifice of peace.

This the truth each Christian learns, bread into His flesh He turns, to His precious blood the wine:

Sight has failed, nor thought conceives, but a dauntless faith believes, resting on a power divine.

Here beneath these signs are hidden priceless things to sense forbidden; signs not things are all we see:

Blood is poured and flesh is broken, yet in either wondrous token Christ entire we know to be.

Whoso of this food partakes, does not rend the Lord nor breaks; Christ is whole to all that taste:

Thousands are, as one, receivers, One, as thousands of believers, eats of Him who cannot waste.

- Bad and good the feast are sharing, of what diverse dooms preparing, endless death, or endless life.
- Life to these, to those damnation, see how like participation is with unlike issues rife.
- When the Sacrament is broken, doubt not, but believe 'tis spoken, that each severed outward token doth the very whole contain.
- Nought the precious gift divides, breaking but the sign betides Jesus still the same abides, still unbroken does remain.
- Lo! The angels' food is given, to the pilgrim who has striven, see the children's bread from heaven, which on dogs may not be spent.
- Truth the ancient types fulfilling, Isaac bound a victim willing Paschal lamb, its life blood spilling, manna to the fathers sent.
- Very bread, good Shepherd, tend us, Jesu of your love befriend us, You refresh us, You defend us, Your eternal goodness send us, in the land of life to see.
- You who all things can and know, who on earth such food bestow, grant us with your saints, though lowest, where the heavenly feast you show, fellow heirs and guests to be. Amen. Alleluia.

Alleluia John 6:51

I am the living bread that came down from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live forever.

Gospel Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

Homily Rev. Patrick Lamb

#### Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.



Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Hosts. Heaven and earth are filled with Your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

#### Memorial Acclamation

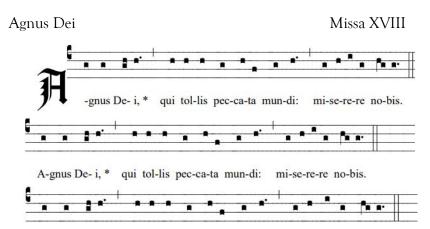


Mortem tu-am annunti- amus, Do-mine, et tu-am resurrecti- onem confitemur



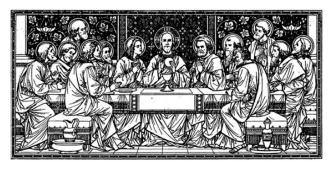
do-nec veni- as.

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again



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

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.



#### **Guidelines for the Reception of Holy Communion**

#### For Catholics

In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, participants should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour. A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of the Lord without prior sacramental confession except for a grave reason where there is no opportunity for confession.

#### For fellow Christians

Because Catholics believe that the celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life, and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet fully united are ordinarily not admitted to Holy Communion. Members of the Orthodox Churches, the Assyrian Church of the East, and the Polish National Catholic Church are urged to respect the discipline of their own Churches.

#### For non-Christians

While we cannot admit those who do not share our faith in Jesus Christ to Holy Communion, we ask them to offer their prayers for the peace and the unity of the human family.







Sung by Schola

Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me.

Blood of Christ, embolden me. Water from the side of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ, strengthen me. O good Jesus, hear me.

Within your wounds, hide me. Never permit me to be parted from you. From the evil Enemy defend me. At the hour of my death call me and bid me come to you, that with your Saints I may praise you for age upon age. Amen



First blessings will take place after Mass in the parish hall.

## A PLENARY INDULGENCE IS GRANTED TO THE FAITHFUL WHO DEVOUTLY ASSIST AT A PRIEST'S FIRST SCHEDULED MASS BEFORE THE PEOPLE.

In order to obtain this indulgence for oneself or the dead by way of suffrage, the standard norms apply: in addition to excluding all attachment to sin, even venial sin, one must fulfill the following three conditions: 1) sacramental confession, 2) Eucharistic Communion, and 3) prayer for the intention of the Sovereign Pontiff.

The three conditions may be fulfilled several days before or after the performance of the prescribed work; it is, however, fitting that Communion be received and the prayer for the intention of the Holy Father be said on the same day the work is performed. The condition of praying for the intention of the Holy Father is fully satisfied by reciting one Our Father and one Hail Mary; nevertheless, one has the option of reciting any other prayer according to individual piety and devotion, if recited for this intention.

Enchiridion Indulgentiarum conc. 27, §1, 2°

