

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Opening Song: The Great Forerunner of the morn G 961

The great forerunner of the morn,
The herald of the Word, is born;
And faithful hearts shall never fail
With thanks and praise his light to hail.

With heav'nly message Gabriel came,
That John should be that herald's name,
And with prophetic utt'rance told
His actions great and manifold.

His mighty deeds exalt his fame
To greater than a prophet's name;
Of woman-born shall never be
A greater prophet than was he.

Glory to God: Advent 3 (Jakob)

LITURGY OF THE WORD

CLOW Dismissal (9 a.m.): Seek Ye First G 715

Seek ye first the kingdom of God
And His righteousness
And all these things shall be added unto you
Allelu, alleluia

Man does not live by bread alone
But by every word
That proceeds from the mouth of God
Allelu, alleluia

Ask and it shall be given unto you
Seek and ye shall find
Knock and the door shall be opened unto you
Allelu, alleluia

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First Reading: Isaiah 35:1-6a, 10

Psalm 146: "My soul, give praise to the LORD; my soul give praise to the LORD."

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Second Reading: James 5:7-10

Gospel Greeting: Greenbelt Alleluia (Bell)

Gospel: Matthew 11:2-11 (7)

Homily

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of Gifts & Altar: Comfort, comfort, O my people **G 466**

Comfort, comfort, O my people,
Speak of peace, now says our God;
Comfort those who sit in darkness,
Mourning 'neath their sorrows' load.
Speak unto Jerusalem
Of the peace that waits for them;
Tell of all the sins I cover,
And that warfare now is over.

Hark, the voice of one who's crying
In the desert far and near,
Bidding all to full repentance
Since the kingdom is now here.
O that warning cry obey!
Now prepare for God a way;
Let the valleys rise to meet him

And the hills bow down to greet him.

O make straight what long was crooked,
Make the rougher places plain;
Let your hearts be true and humble,
As befits his holy reign.
For the glory of the Lord
Now o'er earth is shed abroad;
And all flesh shall see the token
That his word is never broken.

There is a Longing G 720

There is a longing in our hearts, o Lord for you to reveal yourself to us
There is a longing in our hearts for love we only find in you, our God

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For justice, for freedom, for mercy, hear our prayer
In sorrow, in grief, be near, hear our prayer, o God

There is a longing in our hearts, o Lord for you to reveal yourself to us
There is a longing in our hearts for love we only find in you, our God

For wisdom, for courage, for comfort, hear our prayer
In weakness, in fear, be near, hear our prayer, o God

There is a longing in our hearts, o Lord for you to reveal yourself to us
There is a longing in our hearts for love we only find in you, our God

Lord, save us, take pity, light in our darkness
We call you (we call you) we wait (we wait)
Be near, hear our prayer, o God

There is a longing in our hearts, o Lord for you to reveal yourself to us
There is a longing in our hearts for love we only find in you, our God

***Eucharistic Acclamations:* Missa Emmanuel G 419, 420, 421**

Holy- We Proclaim- Amen

COMMUNION RITE

Our Father

***Lamb of God:* Mass of New Wine (Jakob)**

Communion Song: Turn my heart, O God (Haugen) **G 721**

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CONCLUDING RITE

Closing Song: People Look East **G 447**

People, look east. The time is near
Of the crowning of the year.
Make your house fair as you are able,
Trim the hearth and set the table.
People, look east and sing today:
Love, the guest, is on the way.

Furrows, be glad. Though earth is bare,
One more seed is planted there:
Give up your strength the seed to nourish,
That in course the flower may flourish.
People, look east and sing today:
Love, the rose, is on the way.

Birds, though you long have ceased to build,
Guard the nest that must be filled.
Even the hour when wings are frozen
God for fledging time has chosen.
People, look east and sing today:
Love, the bird, is on the way.

Stars, keep the watch. When night is dim
One more light the bowl shall brim,
Shining beyond the frosty weather,
Bright as sun and moon together.
People, look east and sing today:
Love, the star, is on the way.

Angels, announce with shouts of mirth
Christ who brings new life to earth.
Set every peak and valley humming
With the word, the Lord is coming.
People, look east and sing today:
Love, the Lord, is on the way.

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CHILDREN'S (9 a.m.) or ADULT (10:30 a.m.) CHOIRS

ALL ARE WELCOME!

The Music Ministry at Sacred Heart always welcomes new members and their God-given gifts. You may be a singer, an instrumentalist, or an aspiring sound engineer ... you will all be welcome! Contact our Director of Music, Philip Jakob, for more information.

Additional male voices are in need for the 10:30 a.m. Parish Choir

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SUMMER BREAK

The Choir is taking its summer break.

Members will continue to support the congregation at Mass,
but will not be meeting for rehearsal on Tuesday nights until August.

