INTRODUCTORY RITES

Opening Song: The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns G-997

The King shall come when morning dawns, And light triumphant breaks; When beauty gilds the eastern hills, And life to joy awakes.

Not as of old, a little child To bear, and fight, and die, But crowned with glory like the sun, That lights that morning sky

O, brighter than the rising morn, When He, victorious rose, And left the lonesome place of death, Despite the rage of foes;—

O, brighter than that glorious morn, Shall this fair morning be, When Christ, our King, in beauty comes, And we His face shall see.

The King shall come when morning dawns, And light and beauty brings;—
Hail! Christ the Lord; Thy people pray
Come quickly, King of kings.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: 1 Kings 17:10-16

Psalm 146: My soul give praise to the Lord (x2)

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Second Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28

Gospel Acclamation: Greenbelt Alleluia

Gospel: Mark 12:41-44

Homily

Universal Prayer

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of Gifts & Altar: Canticle of the Turning G-666

My soul cries out with a joyful shout
That the God of my heart is great
And my spirit sings of the Wondrous things
That you bring to the ones who wait
You fixed your sight on your servant's plight
And my weakness you did not spurn
So from east to west shall my name be blest
Could the world be about to turn?
My heart shall sing of the day you bring
Let the fires of your justice burn
Wipe away all tears for the dawn draws near
And the world is about to turn!

Though I am small, my God, my all, you Work great things in me
And your mercy will last from the Depths
Of the past to the end of the age to be
Your very name puts the proud to shame
And to those who would for you yearn
You will show your might
Put the strong to flight
For the world is about to turn
My heart shall sing of the day you bring
Let the fires of your justice burn
Wipe away all tears
For the dawn draws near
And the world is about to turn!

From the halls of power to the fortress tower
Not a stone will be left on stone
Let the king beware for your
Justice tears ev'ry tyrant from his throne
The hungry poor shall weep no more
For the food they can never ears
There are tables spread, ev'ry
Mouth be fed
For the world is about to turn
My heart shall sing of the day you bring
Let the fires of your justice burn
Wipe away all tears
For the dawn draws near
And the world is about to turn!

Though the nations rage from age to age

We remember

Who holds us fast

God's mercy must deliver us from the conqueror's crushing grasp

This saving word that out forebears

Heard is the promise which holds us bound

'Til the spear and rod can be

Crushed by God

Who is turning the world around

My heart shall sing of the day you bring

Let the fires of your justice burn

Wipe away all tears

For the dawn draws near

And the world is about to turn!

My heart shall sing of the day you bring Let the fires of your justice burn Wipe away all tears For the dawn draws near

And the world is about to turn!

Eucharistic Acclamations: Mass of Creation (Holy – We Proclaim - Amen)

COMMUNION RITE

Our Father

Lamb of God: Mass of Creation

Communion Song: Blessed and Beloved (Bienaventurados) G-811

Blessed and beloved, you, the poor and lowly, you are blessed and holy in the sight of our God. Blessed and beloved, you who mourn in sorrow. You shall dance tomorrow in the joy of the Lord.

Rejoice and be glad for you are not forgotten.
Great will be the treasure that awaits you now in heaven.
Rejoice and be glad for you are not forgotten.
Blessed and beloved are you.

CONCLUDING RITE

Dismissal Chant: The Kingdom of God G-805

The kingdom of God is justice and joy; For Jesus restores what sin would destroy. God's power and glory in Jesus we know; And here and hereafter the kingdom shall grow. The kingdom of God is mercy and grace; The captives are freed, the sinners find place, The outcast are welcomed God's banquet to share; And hope is awakened in place of despair.

The kingdom of God is challenge and choice:
Believe the good news, repent and rejoice!
God's love for us sinners brought Christ to his cross:
Our crisis of judgement for gain or for loss.
God's kingdom is come, the gift and the goal;
In Jesus begun, in heaven made whole.
The heirs of the kingdom shall answer his call;
And all things cry "Glory!" to God all in all.

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