Third Sunday of Advent: December 12, 2020

Prelude

Come, come, Emmanuel! Son of God, appear. Heaven and earth, rejoice! Salvation is drawing near. Salvation is drawing near.

1. O come, O come, Emmanuel, And ransom captive Israel, That mourns in lonely exile here Until the Son of God appear.

2. O come, O Wisdom from on high, Who ordered all things mightily; To us the path of knowledge show, And teach us in her ways to go.

3. O come, O Rod of Jesse's stem; From ev'ry foe deliver them That trust your mighty pow'r to save, And give them vict'ry o'er the grave.

4. O come, Desire of nations, bind In one the hearts of humankind. Make all sad divisions cease and be for us the King of peace.

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Gathering

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

5. O come, Thou Key of David, come, And open wide our heav'nly home; Make safe the way that leads on high, And close the path to misery.

Refrain:

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel!

6. O come, Thou Dayspring from on high And cheer us by thy drawing nigh; Disperse the gloomy clouds of night, And death's dark shadow put to flight.

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Emmanuel Lord Have Mercy

Mass of the Sacred Heart

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

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Psalm

My Soul Rejoices in My God

Refrain:

My soul rejoices in my God. My soul rejoices in my God.

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Gospel Acclamation

Advent Alleluia

Halleluiah, Halleluiah, Halleluiah, Halleluiah

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Offertory

Your Light Will Come Jerusalem

Refrain:

Your light will come, Jerusalem; for on you will dawn the glory of the Lord, and all nations will walk in your light, alleluia, alleluia.

1. Christ is the light of the world, a light dispelling the darkness. May we, his body, reflect that holy light.

2. His light is mercy and peace, a peace surpassing all telling. May we, his body, be instruments of peace.

3. His light is justice and truth, and love which casts out all hatred. May we, his body, prepare the reign of God.

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Sanctus

Mass of the Sacred Heart

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

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Memorial Acclamation

Mass of the Sacred Heart

Save Us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.

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Lamb of God

Mass of the Sacred Heart

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.

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Communion

We Come to You

1. By your body and blood, by your life and your love, renew us. May your sacrifice be forgiveness in me; heal us.

Refrain:

We come to you. We come to you broken, hungry. We come to you. We come to you. Make us whole again.

2. In the body of Christ we are brought to new life; restore us. May the flesh that we eat and the blood that we drink save us.

3. By the faith we profess, and the sins we confess, mold us. We are brought to our knees at the altar of peace; change us.

4. May the Word we receive be the faith we believe; teach us. With these mysteries draw us into the feast; feed us.

5. May the sacred prepare our hearts here laid bare; fill us. By our lives we declare the Spirit we share; send us.

Bridge: By your love, by your grace, we are one. (to Refrain)

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Closing

Sing Out Earth and Skies

1. Come, O God of all the earth: Come to us, O Righteous One; Come, and bring our love to birth: In the glory of your Son.

Refrain:

Sing out, earth and skies! Sing of the God who loves you! Raise your joyful cries! Dance to the life around you!

2. Come, O God of wind and flame: Fill the earth with righteousness; Teach us all to sing your name: May our lives your love confess.

3. Come, O God of flashing light: Twinkling star and burning sun; God of day and God of night: In your light we all are one.

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