“SPIRITUS EST QUI VIVIFICAT.” It is the Spirit Who gives Life.

MARCH 7, 2021

Third Sunday of Lent

“Lent is a fitting time for self-denial; we would do well to ask ourselves what we can give up in order to help and enrich others by our own poverty.”

~ Pope Francis
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Penitential Rite – Mass of the Angels and Saints

Steven Janco

Verses

Lord Jesus, wisdom of God, by your miracles and teaching you reveal eternal truth.

Christ Jesus, mercy of God, by your healing and forgiveness you give hope to the world

Lord Jesus, image of God, by your death and resurrection you unite heaven and earth.

Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son.

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

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Scripture – Book of Exodus 20:1-17
God delivers the commandments to Moses and the Hebrews, who have been freed from slavery in Egypt. “You shall not have other gods besides me,” says the Lord God.

Second Scripture – First letter of Saint Paul to the Corinthians 1:22-25
Paul preaches Christ crucified “a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles.” God’s folly is wiser and his weakness stronger than human wisdom.

Responsorial – Psalm 19: Your Words, Lord, Are Spirit

The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul;
the decree of the Lord is trustworthy, giving wisdom to the simple.
The precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart;
the command of the Lord is clear, enlightening the eye.
The fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever;
the statutes of the Lord are true, all of them just.
They are more precious than gold, than a heap of purest gold;
sweeter also than syrup or honey from the comb.

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Prayer of the Faithful - Lord, Hear Our Prayer

Nicene Creed

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. 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. 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.

Gospel Acclamation - Praise to You

Verses:

Verse: God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might have eternal life.

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Gospel - John 2:13–25

Jesus finds people buying and selling in the temple. With a whip he drives out the moneychangers. He says, “Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up.”

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LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of Gifts – You Strode within the Temple, Lord

1. You strode within the Temple, Lord, where merchants vied for gain, And cried, “Your wares corrupt God’s house, this place of prayer profane!” With corded whip and fiery wrath you put God’s foes to flight. They could not bear the searching beam of your unhindered light.

2. The temple of your body, Lord, they crushed when you were slain; But after three days’ sleep in death, God raised it up again. And now you have a dwelling place on earth, in all its lands. Your people are your temple, Lord, a house not made with hands.
Preface Dialogue

Eucharistic Acclamations

The Roman Missal

HOLY

San - ctus,____San - ctus,____San - ctus Dó - mí - mus De - us Sá - ba - oth.
Ho - ly,____Ho - ly,____Ho - ly Lord____God____of hosts.

Heav-en and earth____are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

Be - ne - di - cts qui ve - nit in nó - mi - ne Dó - mi - ni.
Bless - ed is he____who comes in the name of the Lord.

Ho - sán - na in ex - cél - sis. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

MYSTERY OF FAITH

We pro - claim your Death, O Lord,

and pro - fess your Res - ur - rec - tion un - til you come an - gain.

AMEN

A - men,____a - men,____a - men.

LAMB OF GOD

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.

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I am bread for the world, hope for the hopeless.
Come to me, and know that I’ll al-ways be there with my arms open wide.
I Am Who Am and I am for you: Come and follow me.

I give my heart to those in sorrow, I come to those who are in need;
Hope for today and for tomorrow, light for all who want to see.

Mission Forth - You Strode within the Temple, Lord

3. Make every heart your temple, Lord, Each life a holy place.
4. Come, visit, Lord of righteousness, The Church that bears your name.

Forgive the sins that flaw your plan, Your patient work deserve.
Drive out our fear and unbelief, The pride that is our face.

In love that does not shrink from truth These temples purified.
Renew the life we share, O Christ, In love and prayer and praise.

And then in mercy, Lord, remain, Your Spirit's gifts supply.