

COMMUNION ANTIPHON *Benedic, anima mea* CF. PSALM 103:1  
Please join in the refrain below after the cantor introduction and between verses.

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Less the Lord, O my soul, and all with-in me,

his ho-ly name.

PLEASE RESPECT OUR CUSTOM OF STAYING THROUGH THE CONCLUSION OF THE CLOSING HYMN. THIS IS OUR CORPORATE ACT OF THANKSGIVING AFTER MASS. THANK YOU!

CLOSING HYMN  
AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL MATERNA

1. O beau - ti - ful for spa - cious skies, For am - ber

2. O beau - ti - ful for pil - grim feet, Whose stern, im-

3. O beau - ti - ful for he - roes proved In lib - er-

4. O beau - ti - ful for pa - triot dream That sees be-

waves of grain, For pur - ple moun-tain maj - es - ties

pas - sioned stress A thor - ough-fare for free - dom beat

at - ing strife, Who more than self their coun - try loved,

yond the years Thine al - a - bas - ter cit - ies gleam,

A - bove the fruit - ed plain! A - mer - i - ca! A-

A - cross the wil - der - ness! A - mer - i - ca! A-

And mer - cy more than life! A - mer - i - ca! A-

Un - dimmed by hu - man tears! A - mer - i - ca! A-

mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee, And crown thy

mer - i - ca! God mend thine ev - 'ry flaw, Con - firm thy

mer - i - ca! May God thy gold re - fine, Till all suc-

mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee, And crown thy

good with broth - er-hood From sea to shin - ing sea.

soul in self - con-trol, Thy lib - er - ty in law.

cess be no - ble-ness, And ev - 'ry gain di - vine.

good with broth - er-hood From sea to shin - ing sea.

VOLUNTARY  
5PM: “MENUET GOTHIQUE” FROM SUITE GOTHIQUE BOËLLMANN  
“LITTLE” PRELUDE & FUGUE IN B-FLAT, BWV 560 (ATTR. J.S. BACH)



MUSIC REMINDERS

–*We are working on the finishing touches of the 2024-2025 Downtown Concert Series.* This past season was a success: as we build on it, would you consider sponsoring an event? No amount is too small, and if one does not wish to underwrite an entire concert, approach friends and fellow parishioners to come together. We will put forth offerings on the Anna Catharine Grace Memorial Pipe Organ, but also concerts for other instruments and choral concerts (which are rather more expensive). Please contact the Director of Music at [Ludwick@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:Ludwick@stpaulsbhm.org).

–*Have you considered joining Cathedral Choir?* Our flagship ensemble, which sings for 11am Mass and holy days, resumes rehearsal in August. We are always in need of new members for this fun, hard-working group. You will make friendships that will last a lifetime! Please contact the Director of Music for more information! [Please note that we are also auditioning for two paid staff singer positions in the soprano and alto sections: spread the word!]

–*We plan to re-start the Cathedral Choral Scholars* program for high school students this Fall. In return for studying singing weekly as a member of Cathedral Choir on Wednesday nights and Sunday mornings from August-June, scholars receive a \$1500 scholarship to offset the cost of school. Please contact the Director of Music for more information.

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BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

MOST REVEREND STEVEN J. RAICA, BISHOP  
VERY REVEREND BRYAN W. JERABEK, PASTOR & RECTOR  
THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
JUNE 30, 2024



Welcome to the Cathedral. The order of Mass is in the first section of *Sunday's Word* starting on page 3.

PRELUDE  
5PM: SELECTIONS FROM «O GOTT DU FROMMER GOTT», BWV 767 J.S. BACH  
TRIO SUPER «HERR JESU CHRIST, DICH ZU UNS WEND», BWV 655 J.S. BACH

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (ALL MASSES) *Omnes gentes* PSALM 47:2  
Please join in the refrain below after the cantor introduction and between verses.

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LL peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with

shouts of joy!



KYRIE MISSA SIMPLEX  
Please repeat the Kyrie and Christe phrases after the cantor; then join in the final Kyrie.

Cantor/Choir:

All:

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

Cantor/Choir:

All:

Chri - ste, e - le - i - son. Chri - ste, e - le - i - son.

Cantor/Choir:

All:

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

GLORIAMISSA SIMPLEX

Glo - ry to God in the high - est,  
and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we bless you,  
we a - dore you, we glo - ri - fy you,  
we give you thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord God, heav-en - ly King,  
O God, al-might-y Fa - ther. Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be-got-ten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther,  
you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us;  
you take a - way the sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer;  
you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther, have mer-cy on us.  
For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,  
you a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spi - rit,  
in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.



RESPONSORIAL PSALMPSALM 30

I will praise you, Lord, for you have res-cued me.

ALLELUIA

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Our Savior Jesus Christ destroyed death and brought life to light through the Gospel.



OFFERTORY (ALL MASSES)  
GOD OF OUR FATHERSNATIONAL HYMN

1. God of our fa - thers,  
2. Thy love di - vine hath  
3. From war's a - larms, from  
4. Re - fresh thy peo - ple  
whose al - might - y hand Leads forth in  
led us in the past, In this free  
dead - ly pes - ti - lence, Be thy strong  
on their toil - some way, Lead us from  
beau - ty all the star - ry band  
land by thee our lot is cast;  
arm our ev - er sure de - fence;  
night to nev - er - end - ing day;  
Of shin - ing worlds in splen - dor through the  
Be thou our rul - er, guar - dian, guide, and  
Thy true re - li - gion in our hearts in -  
Fill all our lives with love and grace di -  
skies, Our grate - ful songs be -  
stay, Thy word our law, thy  
crease, Thy bounteous good - ness  
vine, And glo - ry, laud, and  
fore thy throne a - rise.  
paths our cho - sen way.  
nour - ish us in peace.  
praise be ev - er thine.

SANCTUSMISSA SIMPLEX

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.  
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Ho - san - na in the high - est.

MYSTERIUM FIDEI

We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your Res - ur - rec - tion  
un - til you come a - gain.

AGNUS DEIMISSA SIMPLEX

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world,  
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world,  
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world,  
grant us peace.

HOLY COMMUNION

We invite all Catholics who are properly disposed (i.e., in the state of grace and having fasted for one hour before communion) to come forward in the usual way to receive Holy Communion.

All others, including our non-Catholic guests, may remain in their pews and join us in prayer. Alternatively, to participate in the communion procession and receive a blessing, come forward in the line and cross your arms over your chest as you approach the minister. Thank you.