

# THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PAUL

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## THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 9, 2025



Welcome to the Cathedral of Saint Paul. The order of Mass can be found on page 3 in the Sunday's Word booklets.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (5:00PM & 8:30AM) *Invocabit me*

CF. PSALM 91:15-16

Please join in the refrain below after the cantor introduction and between psalm verses.

VIII

W

Hen he calls on me, I will ans-wer him.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (11:00AM) *Invocabit me*

CF. PSALM 91:15-16

Invocabit me, et ego exaudiam eum: eripiam eum, et glorificabo eum: longitudine dierum adimplebo eum. V.

*Qui habitat in adiutorio Altissimi, in protectione Dei coeli commorabitur.*

When he calls on Me, I will answer him; I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days. V.

*He who abides in the shelter of the most high; shall remain under the protection of the God of Heaven.*

KYRIE

MASS XVII

VI

K

Y-ri- e \* e- lé- i-son. ij. Chri ste e- lé- i-son. ij. Ký-ri- e

e- lé- i-son. Ký-ri- e \* e- lé- i-son.

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

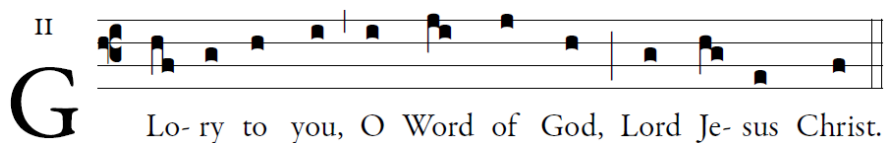
PSALM 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15

II

B

E with me Lord, when I am in trouble.

## VERSE BEFORE THE GOSPEL



One does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON (5:00PM & 8:30AM) *Scapulis suis*

CF. PSALM 91:4

*Please join in the refrain below after the cantor introduction and between psalm verses.*



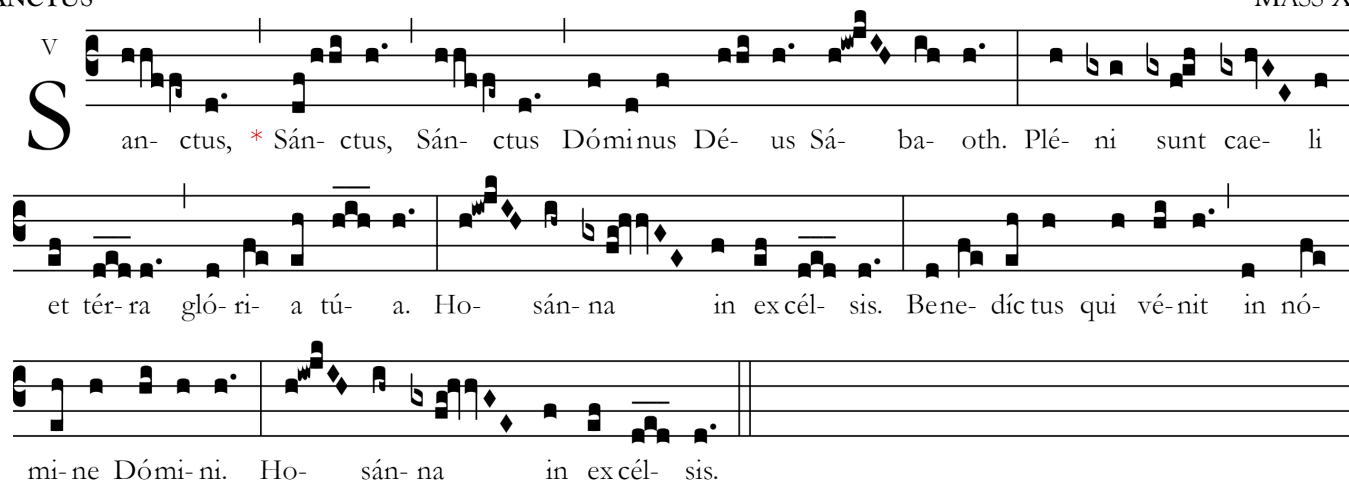
OFFERTORY ANTIPHON (11:00AM) *Scapulis suis*

PSALM 91:4-5

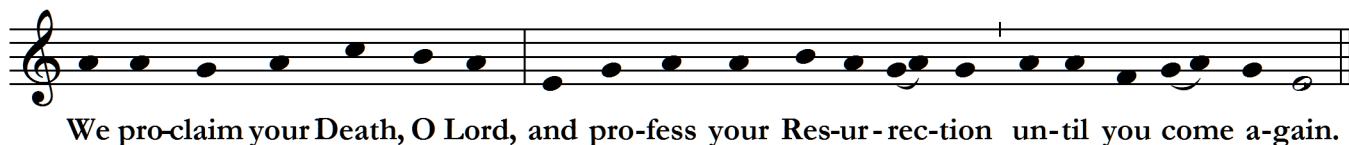
*Scapulis suis obumbrabit tibi Dominus, et sub pennis eius sperabis: scuto circumdabit te veritas eius. / The Lord will overshadow you with His pinions, and you will find refuge under His wings. His faithfulness will encompass you with a shield.*

## SANCTUS

MASS XVII



## MYSTERIUM FIDEI



V  
A - gnus Dé- i, \* qui tól- lis pec cá- ta mún di: mi- se- ré- re nó- bis.

Agnus Dé- i, \* qui tól- lis pec cá- ta mún di: mi- se- ré- re nó- bis. A- gnus

Dé- i, \* qui tól- lis pec cá- ta mún di: dó na nó- bis pá- cem.

### 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.

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON *Scapulis suis*

CF. PSALM 91:4

*Please join in the refrain below after the cantor introduction and between verses of Psalm 91.*

III  
T HE Lord will con- ceal you with his pinions, and

un- der his wings you will trust.

### COMMUNION (11:00AM)

LORD, FOR THY TENDER MERCIES' SAKE

RICHARD FARRANT

*Lord, for Thy tender mercy's sake, lay not our sins to our charge, But forgive that is past, give us grace to amend our sinful lives, to decline from sin, and incline to virtue, that we may walk in a perfect heart. Amen.*

—Henry Bull, 1566

VI

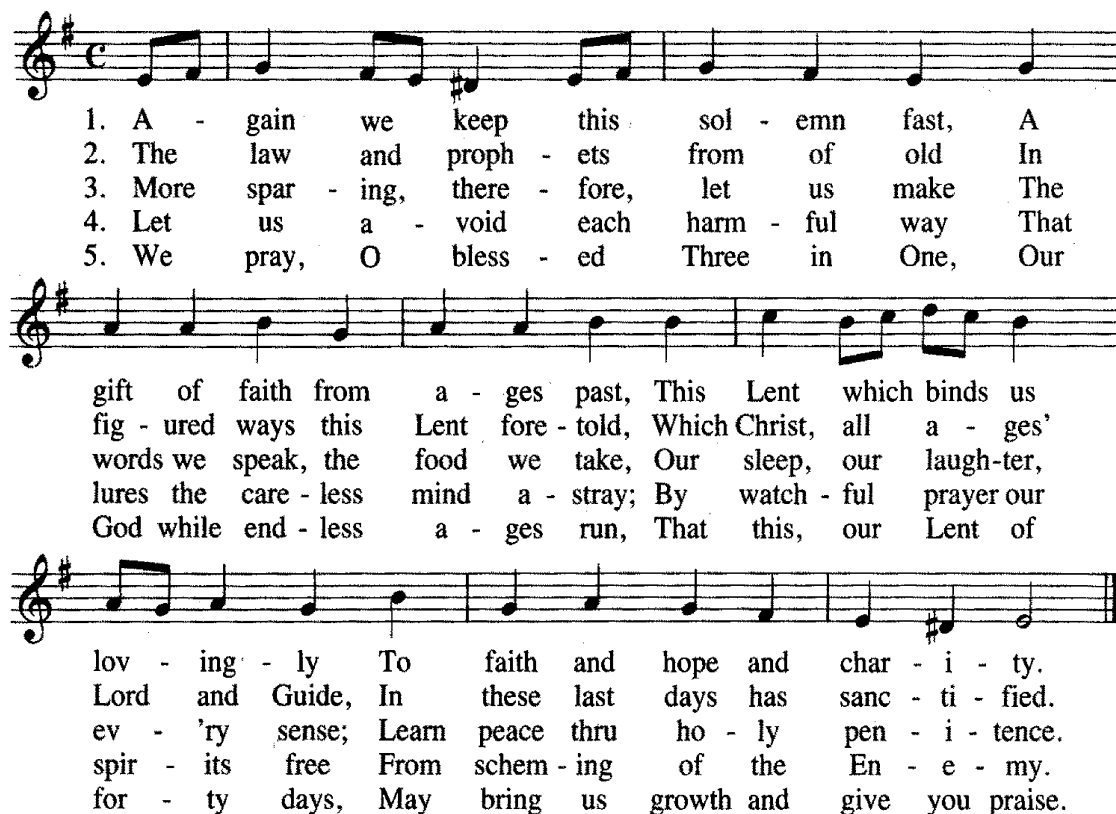
**A** -ve Re-gí-na cæ-lórum, \* ave Dómina ange-lórum: Salve rádix, salve porta,  
 ex qua mun do lux est orta. Gaud e Vir go glo-ri- ó-sa, su- per omnes spe-ci- ó-sa;  
 Va- le, o valde decó- ra. et pro no- bis Chri stum exó- ra.

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

AGAIN WE KEEP THIS SOLEMN FAST

ERHALT UNS, HERR



1. A - gain we keep this sol - emn fast, A  
 2. The law and proph - ets from of old In  
 3. More spar - ing, there - fore, let us make The  
 4. Let us a - void each harm - ful way That  
 5. We pray, O bless - ed Three in One, Our

gift of faith from a - ges past, This Lent which binds us  
 fig - ured ways this Lent fore - told, Which Christ, all a - ges'  
 words we speak, the food we take, Our sleep, our laugh-ter,  
 lures the care - less mind a - stray; By watch - ful prayer our  
 God while end - less a - ges run, That this, our Lent of

lov - ing - ly To faith and hope and char - i - ty.  
 Lord and Guide, In these last days has sanc - ti - fied.  
 ev - 'ry sense; Learn peace thru ho - ly pen - i - tence.  
 spir - its free From schem - ing of the En - e - my.  
 for - ty days, May bring us growth and give you praise.

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