

Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8 December 2025

Entrance Hymn

Mary, First Among Believers

RS #1004



1. Mar - y, first a - mong be - liev - ers, Trust - ing in the an - gel's word,
2. Mar - y, first a - mong the ex - iles, Seek - ing ref - uge in the night,
3. Mar - y, first a - mong dis - ci - ples, Lis - t'ning, learn - ing from your Son,
4. Mar - y, first a - mong the suf - f'ring, Stand - ing bowed be - neath the cross,
5. Mar - y, first a - mong the bless - ed, Robed in heav - en's beau - ty bright,

1. You con - sent - ed and, con - ceiv - ing, Brought to birth the Son of God.
2. You left home with spouse and In - fant, Flee - ing Her - od's sword in fright.
3. You held dear his words and ac - tions, Pon - d'ring each, for - get - ting none.
4. You knew all the pain and an - guish Of op - pres - sion, grief, and loss.
5. You re - joice with saints and an - gels, In your Son's re - splen - dent light.

1. Moth - er now of all be - liev - ers, Give our frag - ile faith in - crease;
2. Moth - er now of all the ex - iles, Give them sleep with - out a - larm;
3. Moth - er now of all dis - ci - ples, Help us lis - ten day by day;
4. Moth - er now of all the suf - f'ring, May we show Com - pas - sion's face;
5. Moth - er now of all the bless - ed, Make your pil - grim peo - ple strong;

1. May we, trust - ing in God's prom - ise, Doubts and use - less fears re - lease.
2. Give them cloth - ing, food, and shel - ter; Keep them safe and free from harm.
3. O - pen to the Spir - it's prompt - ing, Help us fol - low Je - sus' way.
4. May the vic - tims of in - jus - tice Know, through us, God's love and grace.
5. Keep us faith - ful till we join you Prais - ing God in end - less song.

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Penitential Act

Cantus Missae lubilate Deo

Cantor, then all repeat:

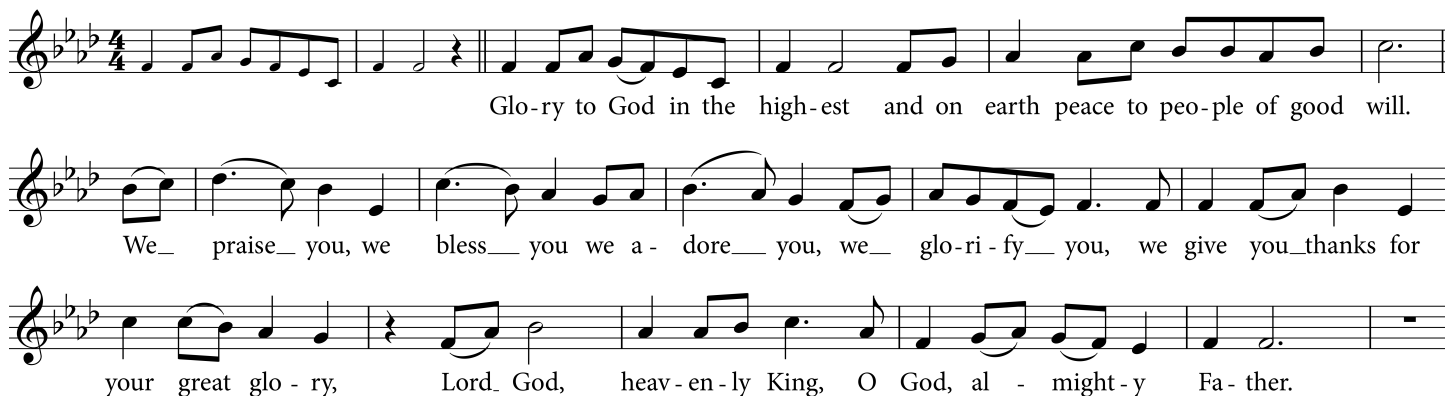


Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son. Chri - ste, e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son.

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Glory to God

Mass of St. Frances Cabrini



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
 Spir - it, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men, A - - - men.

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Psalm 98

Sing to the Lord

Ritual Song Psalter

Refrain

Sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done mar - vel - ous deeds.

Verses

1. O sing a new song to the LORD, for he has worked wonders.
 2. The LORD has made known his sal - vation, has shown his deliverance to the nations.
 3. All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

to refrain

1. His right hand and his ho - ly arm have brought sal - vation.
 2. He has remembered his merci - ful love and his truth for the house of Israel.
 3. Shout to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into joyous song, and sing out your praise.

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Acclamation

Alleluia

Missa de Lumine

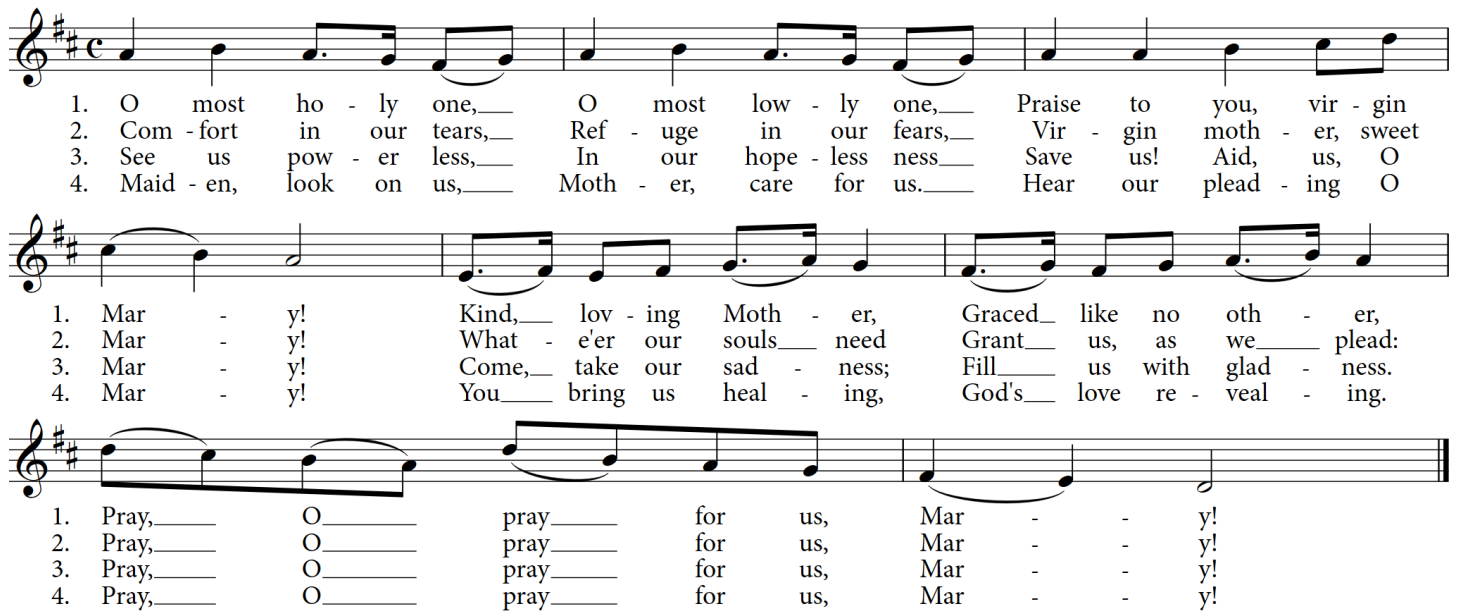
Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

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Anthem (evening Mass) **Offertory Hymn**

The Angel Gabriel O Sanctissima

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1. O most ho - ly one, O most low - ly one, Praise to you, vir - gin
 2. Com - fort in our tears, Ref - uge in our fears, Vir - gin moth - er, sweet
 3. See us pow - er less, In our hope - less ness, Save us! Aid, us, O
 4. Maid - en, look on us, Moth - er, care for us. Hear our plead - ing O

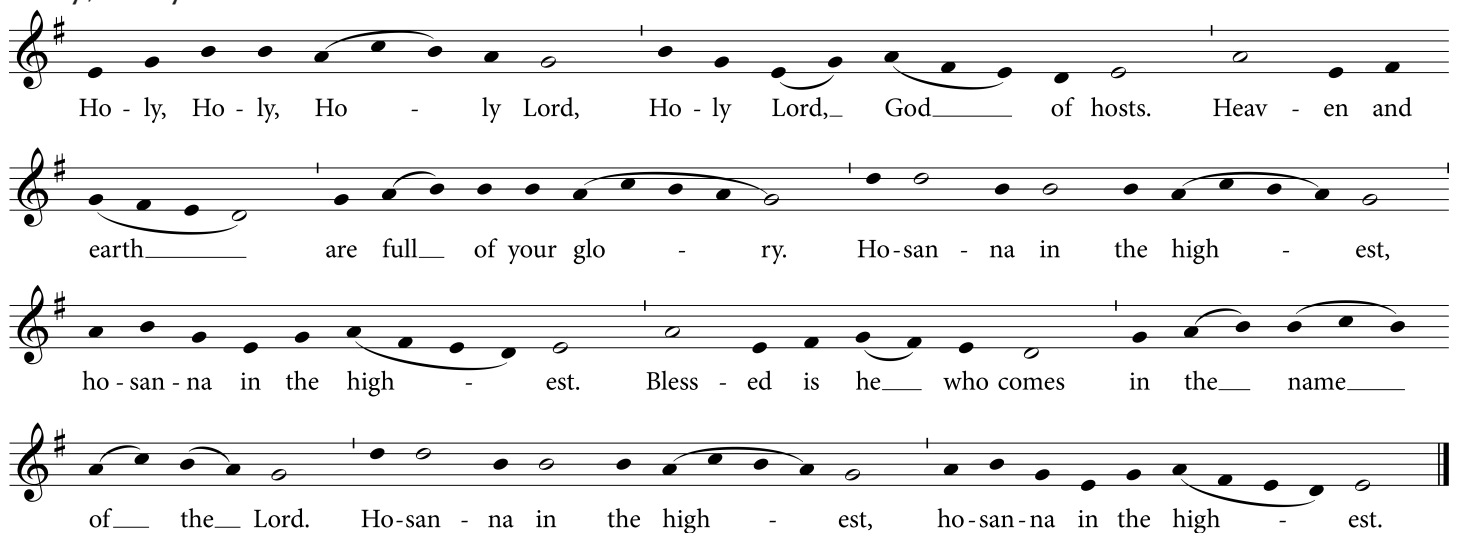
1. Mar - y! Kind, lov - ing Moth - er, Graced like no oth - er,
 2. Mar - y! What - e'er our souls need Grant us, as we plead:
 3. Mar - y! Come, take our sad - ness; Fill us with glad - ness.
 4. Mar - y! You bring us heal - ing, God's love re - veal - ing.

1. Pray, O pray for us, Mar - y!
 2. Pray, O pray for us, Mar - y!
 3. Pray, O pray for us, Mar - y!
 4. Pray, O pray for us, Mar - y!

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 Music: O DU FRÖLICHE; Tattersall's *Improved Psalmody*, 1794.

Holy, Holy

Missa Emmanuel



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord, Ho - ly Lord, God of hosts. Heav - en and
 earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est,
 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, ho-san - na in the high - est.

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Mystery of Faith

Missa Emmanuel

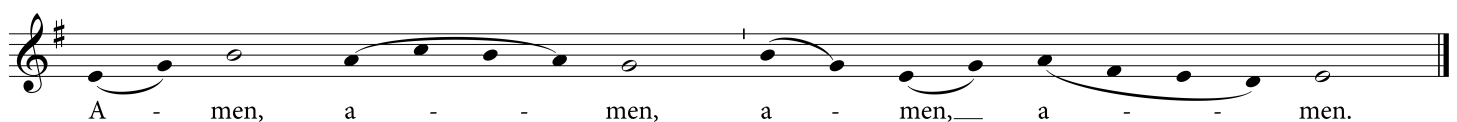


Cantor, then all:
 We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res-ur-rect-ion un - til you come a - gain.

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Amen

Missa Emmanuel



A - men, a - men, a - men, a - men.

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Lamb of God

Missa Emmanuel

Ag - nus De - i, qui tol - lis pe - ca - ta mun - di.

Mi - se - re - re no - bis. Do - na no - bis pa - cem,

Text: *Missale Romanum*.

Music: VENI EMMANUEL, adapt. by Nathan Hetrick.

Communion Hymn

Creator of the Stars

1. Cre - a - tor of the stars of night, Your peo - ple's ev - er - last - ing light,

2. In sor - row that the an - cient curse Should doom to death a u - ni - verse,

3. When this old world drew on toward night, You came; but not in splen - dor bright,

4. At your great Name, O Je - sus, now, All knees must bend, all hearts must bow:

5. Come in your ho - ly might, we pray, Re - deem us for e - ter - nal day;

6. To God the Fa - ther, God the Son, And God the Spir - it, Three in One,

O Christ, Re - deem - er of us all, We pray you hear us when we call.

Your own in glo - rious lib - er - ty. Of Mar - y, blame - less moth - er mild.

Like those in heav'n shall call you Lord. From all as - saults of our dread foe.

From age to age e - ter - nal - ly.

Come, O Lord, and bring your light, O rad - iant star, our heart's de - light.

O God - with - us, Em - man - u - el, with your love, the dark dis - pel.

Text: LM with refrain; Latin, 9th c., tr. *The Hymnal 1982* with refrain by Carol E. Browning.

Music: CONDITOR ALME SIDERUM, adapt. by Carol Browning.

Dismissal Hymn

Immaculate Mary

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1. Im - mac - u - late Mar - y, your prais - es we sing;

2. Pre - des - tined for Christ by e - ter - nal de - cree;

3. To you by an an - gel, the Lord God made known;

4. Most blest of all wom - en, you heard and be - lieved;

5. The an - gels re - joiced when you brought forth God's Son;

1. You reign now in splen - dor with Je - sus our King.

2. God willed you both vir - gin and moth - er to be.

3. The grace of the Spir - it, the gift of the Son.

4. Most blest is the fruit of your womb then con - ceived.

5. Your joy is be joy of all a - ges to come.

A - ve, a - ve, a - ve, Ma - ri - a. A - ve, a - ve, Ma - ri - a.

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