

# Independence Day

4 July 2026

## Entrance Hymn

## This is My Song



1. This is my song, O God of all the na - tions, A song of peace for  
 2. This is my prayer, O Lord of all earth's king-doms: Thy king-dom come, on  
 3. My coun-try's skies are blu - er than the o - cean, And sun - light beams on



1. lands a - far and mine. This is my home, my coun-try where my heart is;  
 2. earth thy will be done. Let Christ be lift - ed up till all shall serve him,  
 3. clo - ver - leaf and pine; But oth - er lands have sun-light too, and clo - ver,



1. Here are my hopes, my dreams, my ho - ly shrine; But oth - er hearts in  
 2. And hearts u - nit - ed learn to live as one. O hear my prayer, thou  
 3. And skies are ev - 'ry - where as blue as mine. O hear my song, thou



1. oth - er lands are beat - ing \_\_\_\_\_ With hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.  
 2. God of all the na - tions; \_\_\_\_\_ My - self I give thee; let thy will be done.  
 3. God of all the na - tions, \_\_\_\_\_ A song of peace for their land and for mine.

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## Penitential Act

## Cantus Missae Iubilare Deo

see Mass Ordinaries sheet

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

## A New Mass for Congregations

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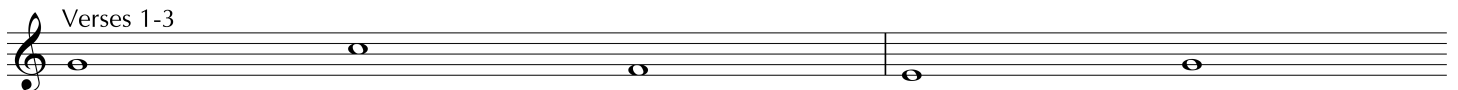
## Psalms 100

## We Are His People

*Five Graces Psalter*



We are his peo - ple, \_\_\_\_\_ the sheep\_ of his flock.



1. Cry out with joy to the Lord, all the earth. Serve the Lord with  
 2. Know that he, the Lord, is God. He made us; we be - long to  
 3. Enter his gates with thanks - giving and his courts with songs of  
 4. Indeed, how good is the Lord, eternal his merciful



1. gladness. Come before him, singing for joy.  
 2. him. We are his people, the sheep of his flock.  
 3. praise. Give thanks to him, and bless his name.  
 4. love. He is faithful from age to age. to refrain

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# Acclamation

# Alleluia

# Cry Out With Joy

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - - ia!

I give you a new com-mand-ment: love one another as I have loved you.

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# Offertory Hymn

# Prayer of Saint Francis

Verses 1, 2, 4

1. Make me a chan-nel of your peace.\_\_\_\_\_ Where there is hat-red, let me bring your  
 2. Make me a chan-nel of your peace.\_\_\_\_\_ Where there's de-spair in life, let me bring  
 4. Make me a chan-nel of your peace.\_\_\_\_\_ It is in par-don-ing that we are

love.\_\_\_\_\_ Where there is in-ju-ry, your par-don, Lord,\_\_\_\_\_ And  
 hope.\_\_\_\_\_ Where there is dark-ness,\_\_\_\_\_ on-ly light,\_\_\_\_\_ And  
 par-doned,\_\_\_\_\_ In giv-ing of our-selves that we re-ceive,\_\_\_\_\_ and in

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2., 4. \_\_\_\_\_ Verse 3

where there's doubt, true faith in you. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. O Mas-ter, grant that  
 where there's sad-ness, ev-er joy. \_\_\_\_\_  
 dy-ing that we're born to e-ter-nal life. \_\_\_\_\_

I may nev-er seek \_\_\_\_\_ so much to be con-soled as to con-sole. \_\_\_\_\_ To be

un-der-stood as to un-der-stand. \_\_\_\_\_ To be loved as to love with all my soul. \_\_\_\_\_

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**Holy, Holy**

German Sanctus Mass

see Mass Ordinaries sheet

**Mystery of Faith**

German Sanctus Mass

see Mass Ordinaries sheet

**Amen**

German Sanctus Mass

see Mass Ordinaries sheet

**Lamb of God**

German Sanctus Mass

see Mass Ordinaries sheet

# Communion Hymn

# Dona Nobis Pacem

Refrain

Do - na no - bis pa - cem, pa - cem. Do - na no - bis pa - cem.

Verses 1-6

1. Taste and see, O taste and see the good - ness of the Lord,  
 2. I will sing for - ev - er - more the prais - es of my God,  
 3. Join with me, and let us sing the great - ness of God;  
 4. Look to God that you might shine and nev - er know shame,  
 5. An - gels cir - cle ev - er near the ones who fear God;  
 6. Fear the Lord, you ho - ly ones, for God is your strength,

to refrain

1. how bless - ed are they who take ref - uge in God.  
 2. the low - ly will hear, will hear and be glad.  
 3. God an - swers our prayers, and frees us from fear.  
 4. when poor ones cry out, God hears them and an - swers.  
 5. they res - cue the ones, the ones who fear God.  
 6. and those who seek God shall want for noth - ing.

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# Dismissal Hymn

# America the Beautiful

1. O beau - ti - ful for spa - cious skies, For am - ber waves of grain,  
 2. O beau - ti - ful for pa - triot dream That sees be - yond the years

1. For pur - ple moun - tain maj - es - ties A - bove the fruit - ed plain!  
 2. Thine al - a - bas - ter cit - ies gleam, Un - dimmed by hu - man tears!

1. A - mer - i - ca, A - mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee,  
 2. A - mer - i - ca, A - mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee,

1. And crown thy good with broth - er - hood From sea to shin - ing sea.  
 2. And crown thy good with broth - er - hood From sea to shin - ing sea.

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