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**AT THE FOOT OF THE ALTAR  
(Kneel)**

**P:** †In nómine Patris, et Fíllii, et Spíritus Sancti. Amen.  
**P:** Introíbo ad altáre Dei.  
**S:** Ad Deum qui lætíficat juventútem meam.

(Psalm 42)

**P:** Júdice me, Deus, et discérne causam meam de gente non sancta: ab hómine iníquo et dolóso érué me.

**S:** Quía tu es, Deus, fortitúdo mea: quare me repulísti, et quare tristis incédo, dum afflígit me inimícus?

**P:** Emítte lucem tuam, et veritátem tuam: ipsa me deduxérunt, et adduxérunt in montem sanctum tuum, et in tabernácula tua.

**S:** Et introíbo ad altáre Dei: ad Deum qui lætíficat juventútem meam.

**P:** Confitébor tibi in cíthara, Deus, Deus meus: quare tristis es, ánima mea, et quare contúrbas me?

**S:** Spera in Deo, quóniam adhuc confitébor illi: salutáre vultus mei, et Deus meus.

**P:** Glória Patri, et Filio, et Spíritui Sancto.  
**S:** Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper: et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

**P:** Introíbo ad altáre Dei.  
**S:** Ad Deum qui lætíficat juventútem meam.

**P:** †Adjutórium nostrum in nómine Dómini.  
**S:** Qui fecit cælum et terram.

**P:** Confíteor Deo omnipoténti, beátæ Mariæ semper Vírgini, beáto Michaéli Archángelo, beáto Joánni Baptistæ, sanctis Apóstolis Petro et Paulo, ómnibus Sanctis, et vobis fratres: quia peccávi nimis cogitatióne, verbo, et ópere: mea culpa, mea culpa, mea máxima culpa. Ideo precor beátam Mariám semper Vírginem, beátum Michaélem Archángelum, beátum Joánnem Baptistam, sanctos Apóstolos Petrum et Paulum, omnes Sanctos, et vos fratres, oráre pro me ad Dóminum Deum nostrum.

**S:** Misereátur tui omnípotens Deus, et, dimíssis peccátis tuis, perdúcat te ad vitam ætérnam.  
**P:** Amen.

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**S:** Misereátur vestri omnípotens Deus, et, dimíssis peccátis vestris, perdúcat vos ad vitam ætérnam.  
**S:** Amen.

**P:** †Indulgéntiam, absolutiónem, et remissionem peccatórum nostrórum, tríbuat nobis omnípotens et miséricors Dóminus.  
**S:** Amen.

**P:** Deus, tu convérsus vivificábis nos.

**S:** Et plebs tua lætábitur in te.  
**P:** Osténde nobis, Dómine, misericórdiam tuam.

**S:** Et salutáre tuum da nobis.  
**P:** Dómine, exáudi oratiónem meam.  
**S:** Et clamor meus ad te véniat.

**P:** Dóminus vobíscum.  
**S:** Et cum spírítu tuo.  
**P:** Orémus.

**P:** Aufer a nobis, quæsumus, Dómine, iniquitátes nostras: ut ad Sancta sanctórum puris mereámur méntibus introíre. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Orámus te, Dómine, per mérita Sanctórum tuórum, quorum reliquiæ hic sunt et ómnium Sanctórum: ut indulgére dignéris ómnia peccáta mea. Amen.

*(Only at High Mass when incense is used)*

**P:** *Ab illo benedicáris, in cujus honóre cremáberis.*

**AT THE FOOT OF THE ALTAR  
(Kneel)**

**P:** †In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.  
**P:** I will go unto the altar of God.  
**S:** To God, Who gives joy to my youth.

(Psalm 42)

**P:** Judge me, O God, and distinguish my cause from the unholy nation, deliver me from the unjust and deceitful man.

**S:** For Thou, O God, art my strength, why hast Thou cast me off? And why do I go about in sadness, while the enemy afflicts me?

**P:** Send forth Thy light and Thy truth: they have conducted me and brought me unto Thy holy mount, and into Thy tabernacles.

**S:** And I will go unto the altar of God: to God, Who gives joy to my youth.

**P:** I shall praise Thee upon the harp, O God, my God. Why are you sad, O my soul, and why do you disquiet me?

**S:** Hope in God, for I will still praise Him, the salvation of my countenance, and my God.

**P:** Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.  
**S:** As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**P:** I will go unto the altar of God.  
**S:** To God, Who gives joy to my youth.

**P:** †Our help is in the name of the Lord.  
**S:** Who made heaven and earth.

**P:** I confess to almighty God, to blessed Mary ever Virgin, to blessed Michael the Archangel, to blessed John the Baptist, to the holy Apostles Peter and Paul, to all the Saints, and to you, brethren, that I have sinned exceedingly in thought, word, and deed: through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault. Therefore I pray blessed Mary ever Virgin, blessed Michael the Archangel, blessed John the Baptist, the holy Apostles Peter and Paul, all the Saints, and you, brethren, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

**S:** May almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you your sins, and bring you to life everlasting.  
**P:** Amen.

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**P:** May almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you your sins, and bring you to life everlasting.  
**S:** Amen.

**P:** †May the almighty and merciful Lord grant us pardon, absolution, and remission of our sins.  
**S:** Amen.

**P:** Thou wilt turn again, O God, and quicken us.

**S:** And Thy people will rejoice in Thee.  
**P:** Show us, O Lord, Thy mercy.

**S:** And grant us Thy salvation.  
**P:** O Lord, hear my prayer.  
**S:** And let my cry come unto Thee.

**P:** The Lord be with you.  
**S:** And with your spirit.  
**P:** Let us pray.

**P:** Take away from us our iniquities, we beseech Thee, O Lord; that with pure minds we may be made worthy to enter into the Holy of Holies. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** We pray Thee, O Lord, by the merits of Thy Saints whose relics are here, and of all the Saints: that Thou would deign to pardon me all my sins. Amen.

*(Only at High Mass when incense is used)*

**P:** *Be blessed by Him in Whose honor you will be burnt.*

**INTROIT Isaiah 9: 6**

Puer natus est nobis, et filius datus est nobis: cuius impérium super húmerum ejus: et vocábitur nomen ejus magni consílii Ángelus. (Ps. 97: 1) Cantáte Dómino cánticum novum, quia mirabília fecit. Glória Patri et Fílio et Spíritui Sancto, sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen. Puer natus est nobis, et fílius datus est nobis: cuius impérium super húmerum ejus: et vocábitur nomen ejus magni consílii Ángelus.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

A child is born to us, and a Son is given to us: Whose government is upon His shoulder: and His name shall be called the Angel of great counsel. (Ps. 97: 1) Sing ye to the Lord a new canticle: because He hath done wonderful things. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. A child is born to us, and a Son is given to us: Whose government is upon His shoulder: and His name shall be called the Angel of great counsel.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Kýrie, eléison.  
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**(Stand at High Mass)**

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Lord, have mercy.  
**S:** Lord, have mercy.  
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**S:** Christ, have mercy.  
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**S:** Christ, have mercy.  
**P:** Lord, have mercy.  
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**P:** Lord, have mercy.

**(Stand at High Mass)**

**P:** Glória in excélsis Deo. Et in terra pax homínibus bonæ voluntátis. Laudámus te, Benedícimus te. Adórámus te. Glorificámus te. Grátias ágimus tibi propter magnam glóriam tuam. Dómine Deus, Rex cæléstis, Deus Pater omnípotens. Dómine Fili unigénite, Jesu Christe. Dómine Deus, Agnus Dei, Fílius Patris. Qui tollis peccáta mundi, miserére nobis. Qui tollis peccáta mundi, súscipe deprecationem nostram. Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris, miserére nobis. Quóniam tu solus Sanctus. Tu solus Dóminus. Tu solus Altíssimus, Jesu Christe. †Cum Sancto Spírítu, in glória Dei Patris. Amen.

**P:** Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to men of good will. We praise Thee; we bless Thee; we adore Thee; we glorify Thee. We give Thee thanks for Thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father almighty. O Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son. Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father. Thou Who takest away the sins of the world; have mercy on us. Thou Who takest away the sins of the world; receive our prayer. Thou who sittest at the right hand of the Father; have mercy on us. For Thou alone art holy; Thou alone art the Lord; Thou alone art most high, Jesus Christ, †with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**P:** Dóminus vobíscum.  
**S:** **Et cum spírítu tuo.**

**P:** The Lord be with you.  
**S:** And with your Spirit.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Orémus.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Let us pray.

**COLLECT**

Deus, quæsumus, omnípotens Deus: ut nos Unigéniti tui nova per carnem Natívitatis líberet: quos sub peccáti iugo vetústa sérvitus tenet. Per eúndem Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

**S:** Amen.  
**P:** Orémus.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, that the new birth in the flesh of Thine only-begotten Son may set us free, whom the old bondage doth hold under the yoke of sin. Through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

**S:** Amen.  
**P:** Let us pray.

**COLLECT**

Deus, pro cujus Ecclésiá gloriósus Póntifex glóriosis benedíctis Pontíficibus præsta, quæsumus; ut omnes, qui ejus implórant auxílium, petitiónis suæ salutárem consequántur effectum. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

**S:** Amen.  
**P:** Orémus.

**(For St. Thomas Becket)**

O God, for the sake of Whose Church the glorious Bishop Thomas fell by the sword of ungodly men: grant, we beseech Thee, that all who implore his aid, may obtain the good fruit of their petition. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

**S:** Amen.  
**P:** Let us pray.

**(Sit)**

**EPISTLE Titus 3: 4-7**  
Caríssime: Appáruit benignitas et humanitas Salvatíris Dei: non ex óperibus justítiæ, quæ fécimur nos, sed secúndum suam misericórdiam salvos nos fecit per lavácrum regeneratiónis et renovatiónis spírítus, quem effudit in nos abúnde per Jesum Christum, Salvatórem nostrum: ut, justificáti grátia ipsíus, herédes simus secúndum spem vitæ ætérnæ: in Christo Jesu Dómino nostro.

**S:** Deo grátias.

**(Sit)**

Dearly beloved: the goodness and kindness of God our Savior appeared: not by the works of justice which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us by the laver of regeneration and renovation of the Holy Ghost, Whom He hath poured forth upon us abundantly through Jesus Christ our Savior: that, being justified by His grace, we may be heirs according to hope of life everlasting: in Christ Jesus our Lord.

**S:** Thanks be to God.

**GRADUAL Psalms 97: 3-4, 2**  
Vidérunt Psalms 97: 3-4, 2  
Deí nostri: jubilate Deo omnis terra. Notum fecit Dominus salutáre suum: ante conspéctum géntium revelávit justítiam suam.

**LESSER ALLELUIA**

Allelúja, allelúja. Dies sanctificátus illúxit nobis: veníte, gentes, et adoráte Dóminum: quia hódie descéndit lux magna super terram. Allelúja.

All the saints of the earth have seen the salvation of our God: sing joyfully to God, all the earth. The Lord hath made known His salvation: He hath revealed His justice in the sight of the Gentiles.

Alleluia, alleluia. A sanctified day hath shone upon us: come, ye Gentiles, and adore the Lord: for this day a great light hath descended upon the earth. Alleluia.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR  
(Only at High Mass when incense is used)**

**P:** *Ab illo benedicáris, in cujus honóre cremáberis.*

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR  
(Only at High Mass when incense is used)**

**P:** *Be blessed by Him in Whose honor you will be burnt.*

**P:** Munda cor meum ac lábia mea, omnípotens Deus, qui lábia Isaíæ Prophætæ cálculo mundásti igníto: ita me tua generatióne dignáre mundáre, ut sanctum Evangélium tuum digne váleam nuntiáre. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.

**P:** Jube, Dómine, benedícere. Dómine, sít in corde meo, et in lábiis meis: ut digne et competénter annúntiem Evangélium suum. Amen.

**P:** Cleanse my heart and my lips, O almighty God, Who cleansed the lips of the Prophet Isaiah with a burning coal. In Thy gracious mercy, deign so to purify me, that I may worthily proclaim Thy holy Gospel. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**P:** Pray, Lord, a blessing. The Lord be in my heart and on my lips that I may worthily and fittingly proclaim His Gospel. Amen.

**AT THE LEFT SIDE OF THE ALTAR  
(Stand)**

**P:** Dóminus vobíscum.  
**S:** **Et cum spírítu tuo.**

**P:** Seqúentia sancti Evangélii secúndum Lucam.

**S:** **Glória tibi, Dómine.**

**AT THE LEFT SIDE OF THE ALTAR  
(Stand)**

**P:** The Lord be with you.  
**S:** And with your spirit.

**P:** The continuation of the holy Gospel according to Lucam.

**S:** Glory to Thee, O Lord.



**GOSPEL Luke 2: 15-20**

In illo tēpore: Pastōres loquebāntur ad invicem: Transeāmus usque Bēthlehem, et videāmus hoc verbum, quod factum est, quod Dōminus ostēdit nobis. Et venērunt festinātes: et invenērunt Mariam et Joseph, et infāntem pōsitum in præsēpio. Vidēntes autem cognovērunt de verbo, quod dictum erat illis de pūero hoc. Et omnes, qui audiērunt, mirāti sunt: et de his, quæ dicta erant a pastōribus ad ipsos. Maria autem conservābat ōmnia verba hęc, cōferens in corde suo. Et revērsi sunt pastōres, glorificāntes et laudāntes Deum in ōmnibus, quæ audierant et viderant, sicut dictum est ad illos.

At that time the shepherds said one to another: Let us go over to Bethlehem, and let us see this word that is come to pass, which the Lord hath showed to us. And they came with haste: and they found Mary and Joseph, and the Infant lying in the manger. And seeing they understood of the word that had been spoken to them concerning this Child. And all that heard wondered: and at those things that were told them by the shepherds. But Mary kept all these words, pondering them in her heart. And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.

**S:** Laus tibi, Christe.**P:** Per evangēlica dicta deleāntur nostra delicta.**S:** Praise to Thee, O Christ.**P:** May our offenses be erased by the words of the Gospel.**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Credo in unum Deum. Patrem omnipotētem, factōrem cæli et terræ, visibīlium ōnium et invisibīlium. Et in unum Dōminum Jesum Christum, Fīlium Dei unigēnitum. Et ex Patre natum ante ōmnia sæcula. Deum de Deo, lumen de lumine, Deum verum de Deo vero. Gēnitum, non factum, consubstantiālem Patri: per quem ōmnia facta sunt. Qui propter nos hōmines, et propter nostram salutē descendit de cælis. **(Genuflect)** ET INCARNATUS EST DE SPIRITU SANCTO EX MARIA VÍRGINE: ET HOMO FACTUS EST. Crucifixus étiam pro nobis: sub Póntio Pilato passus, et sepúltus est. Et resurrēxit tertia die, secūndum Scriptūras. Et ascendit in cælum: sedet ad dexteram Patris. Et iterum ventūrus est cum glória iudicāre vivos, et mortuōs: cujus regni non erit finis. Et in Spīritum Sanctum, Dōminum et vivificāntem: qui ex Patre, Filiōque procedit. Qui cum Patre, et Filio simul adorātur et conglorificātur: qui locūtus est per Prophētas. Et unam, sanctam, catholicam et apostolicam Ecclēsiā. Confíteor unum baptisma in remissionē peccatorum. Et expēcto resurrectionē mortuōrum. †Et vitam ventūri sæculi. Amen.

**P:** Dōminus vobīscum.**S:** **Et cum spīritu tuo.****P:** Orēmus.**(Sit)****OFFERTORY Psalms 88: 12, 15**

Tui sunt cæli, et tua est terra: orbem terrārum, et plenitudinē ejus tu fundāsti: justitia et iudiciūm præparātio sedis tuæ.

**P:** Sūscipe, sancte Pater, omnipotens ætérne Deus, hanc immaculātam hōstiam, quam ego indignus fāmulus tuus offero tibi, Deo meo vivo et vero, pro innumerābilibus peccātis, et offensivibus, et negligētis meis, et pro ōmnibus circumstāntibus, sed et pro ōmnibus fidēlibus christiānis vivis atque defūctis: ut mihi, et illis proficiat ad salutē in vitam ætērnā. Amen.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Deus, qui humanæ substāntiæ dignitatem mirābiliter condidisti, et mirābiliter reformāsti: da nobis per hujus aquæ et vini mystērium, ejus divinitatis esse consōrtes, qui humanitatis nostræ fieri dignatus est pārticeps, Jesus Christus Fīlius tuus Dōminus noster: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spīritus Sancti, Deus: per ōmnia sæcula sæculōrum. Amen.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Offerimus tibi, Dōmine, cālicem salutāris tuam deprecāntes clemēntiam: ut in conspēctu divinæ majestātis tuæ, pro nostra, et totius mundi salutē cum odōre suavitātis ascēdat. Amen. In spīritu humilitātis, et in ánimo contrīto suscipiāmur a te, Dōmine, et sic fiat sacrificiūm nostrum in conspēctu tuo hōdie, ut plāceat tibi, Dōmine Deus. Veni, sanctificātor omnipotens ætérne Deus: et benedic hoc sacrificiūm, tuo sancto nōmini præparātum.

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**P:** Per intercessionē beāti Michælis Archāngeli, stantis a dextris altāris incēnsi, et ōmnium electōrum suōrum, incēnsū istud dignētur Dōminus benedicere, et in odōrem suavitātis accipere. Per Christum Dōminum nostrum. Amen.

**P:** Incēnsū istud a te benedictum, ascēdat ad te, Dōmine, et descēdat super nos misericōrdia tua.

**P:** Dirigātur, Dōmine, orātio mea, sicut incēnsū, in conspēctu tuo: elevātio mānuum meārum sacrificiūm vespertinum. Pone, Dōmine, custōdiam ori meo, et ostium circumstāntiæ labiis meis: ut non declīnet cor meum in verba malitiæ, ad excusādas excusātiōnes in peccātis.

**P:** Ascēdat in nobis Dōminus ignem sui amoris, et flamma ætērnæ caritātis. Amen.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Lavābo inter innocētes manus meas: et circumdābo altāre tuum, Dōmine: Ut āudiām vocem laudis, et enārrēme univērsa mirabilia tua. Dōmine, dilēxi decōrare domus tuæ, et locum habitatiōnis glōriæ tuæ. Ne perdas cum impiis, Deus, ānimam meam, et cum viris sānguīnum vitam meam: In quorum mānibus iniquitātes sunt: dēxtera eōrum replēta est munēribus. Ego autem in innocēntia mea ingressus sum: redime me, et miserere mei. Pes meus stetit in dirēcto: in ecclēsia benedīcam te, Dōmine. Glōria Patri, et Filio, et Spīritui Sancto. Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper: et in sæcula sæculōrum. Amen.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Sūscipe, sancta Trīnitas, hanc oblatiōnem, quam tibi offerimus ob memoriā passiōnis, resurrectionis, et ascensionis Jesu Dōmini nostri: et in honōrem beatæ Mariæ semper Virginis, et beāti Joānnis Baptistæ, et sanctōrum Apostolorum Petri et Pauli, et istōrum, et ōmnium Sanctōrum: ut illis proficiat ad honōrem, nobis autem ad salutē: et illi pro nobis intercedere dignētur in cælis, quorum memoriā āgimus in terris. Per eūndem Christum Dōminum nostrum. Amen.

**P:** Orāte fratres: ut meum ac vestrum sacrificiūm acceptābile fiat apud Deum Patrem omnipotētem.

**S:** Suscipiat sacrificiūm de mānibus tuis ad laudem, et glōriam nōminis sui, ad utilitatem quoque nostram, totiusque Ecclēsiæ suæ sanctæ.

**P:** Amen.**SECRET (silently)**

Oblāta, Dōmine, mūnera, nova Unigēniti tui Nativitate sanctifica: nosque a peccatorum nostrōrum māculis emūnda. Per eūndem Dōminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fīlium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spīritus Sancti, Deus, per ōmnia sæcula sæculōrum.

**SECRET (silently)**

Mūnera tibi, Dōmine, dicāta sanctifica: et, intercedēte beāto Thoma Mārtire tuo atque Pontifice, per eādē nos placātus intēnde. Per Dōminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fīlium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spīritus Sancti, Deus,

**(aloud, to conclude the Secret Prayer)****P:** ...forever and ever.**(Stand at High Mass)****S:** Amen.**P:** Dōminus vobīscum.**S:** **Et cum spīritu tuo.****P:** Sursus corda.**S:** **Habēmus ad Dōminum.****P:** Grātias agāmus Dōmino Deo nostro.**S:** **Dignum et justum est.****PREFACE OF THE NATIVITY**

Vere dignum et justum est, æquū et salutāre, nos tibi semper, et ubique grātias āgere: Dōmine sancte, Pater omnipotens, ætérne Deus. Quia per incarnāti Verbi mystērium nova mentis nostræ oculis lux tuæ claritātis infūlsit: ut dum visibīliter Deum cognōscimus, per hunc in invisibīlium amōrem rapiāmur. Et ideo cum Angelis et Archāngelis, cum Thronis et Dominationibus, cumque omni milītia cælēstis exercitus, hymnum glōriæ tuæ cānimus, sine fine dicēntes:

**(Kneel)**

**P:** Sanctus ☩, Sanctus ☩, Sanctus ☩, Dōminus Deus Sābaoth. Pleni sunt cæli et terra glōria tua. Hosānna in excēlsis. †Benedictus qui venit in nōmine Dōmini. Hosānna in excēlsis.

**THE ROMAN CANON****(silently)**

**P:** Te igitur, clementissime Pater, per Jesum Christum Filium tuum, Dōminum nostrum, sūpplicem rogāmus, ac pētimus uti accēpta hābeas, et benedicas, hęc dona, hęc mūnera, hęc sancta sacrificia illibāta, in primis, quæ tibi offerimus pro Ecclēsia tua sancta cathōlica: quam pacificāre, custodire, adunāre, et régere dignēris toto orbe terrārum: una cum fāmulo tuo Papa nostro **N.**, et Antistite nostro **N.**, et ōmnibus orthodoxis, atque catholicæ et apostolicæ fidei cultōribus.

**P:** Memēnto, Dōmine, famulōrum, famularūmque tuārum **N.**, et **N.**, et ōmnium circumstāntium, quorum tibi fides cōgnita est, et nota devotio, pro quibus tibi offerimus: vel qui tibi offerunt hoc sacrificiūm laudis, pro se, suisque ōmnibus: pro redemptione animārum suārum, pro spe salutis et incolumitātis suæ: tibique reddunt vota sua ætēno Deo, vivo et vero.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God. Born of the Father before all ages. God of God, light of light, true God of true God. Begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father, by Whom all things were made. Who for us men, and for our salvation, came down from heaven.

**(Genuflect)** AND WAS INCARNATE BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, OF THE VIRGIN MARY: AND WAS MADE MAN. He was also crucified for us, suffered under Pontius Pilate, and was buried. And on the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures. And He ascended into heaven; And He sits at the right hand of the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge the living and the dead. Of Whose kingdom there shall be no end. And in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, Who spoke through the Prophets. And in one, holy, Catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the remission of sins. And I expect the resurrection of the dead †and the life of the world to come. Amen.

**P:** The Lord be with you.**S:** And with your spirit.**P:** Let us pray.**(Sit)**

Thine are the heavens, and Thine is the earth, the world and the fullness thereof Thou hast founded: justice and judgment are the preparation of Thy throne.

**P:** Receive, O Holy Father, almighty and eternal God, this spotless host, which I, Thine unworthy servant, offer unto Thee, my living and true God, for my innumerable sins, offenses, and negligences, and for all here present; and also for all faithful Christians both living and dead, that it may profit me and them for salvation unto life everlasting. Amen.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** O God, Who wonderfully formed the dignity of human nature, and more wonderfully restored it, grant us through the mystery of this water and wine, to be made participants of His divinity, Who condescended to become a partaker of our humanity, Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who with Thee, lives and reigns in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** We offer Thee, O Lord, the chalice of salvation, pleading Thy clemency, that it may ascend in the sight of Thy divine majesty, with a sweet fragrance, for our salvation and for that of the whole world. Amen. In a humble spirit and a contrite heart may we be received by Thee, O Lord, and let our sacrifice be so made in Thy sight this day that it may please Thee, O Lord God. Come, O sanctifier, almighty and eternal God, and bless this sacrifice prepared for Thy holy name.

**(Only at High Mass when incense is used)**

**P:** By the intercession of blessed Michael the Archangel, who stands at the right hand of the altar of incense, and of all His elect, may the Lord deign to bless this incense, and to receive it as a sweet fragrance, through Christ our Lord.

**P:** May this incense, blessed by Thee, ascend to Thee, O Lord, and may Thy mercy descend upon us.

**P:** Let my prayer be directed, O Lord, as incense in Thy sight, the lifting up of my hands as an evening sacrifice. Set a watch, O Lord, before my mouth: and a door round about my lips: that my heart may not incline to evil words: to make excuses in sins.

**P:** May the Lord enkindle in us the fire of His love and the flame of everlasting charity. Amen.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** I will wash my hands among the innocent, and I will compass Thine altar, O Lord, that I may hear the voice of praise: and tell of all Thy wondrous deeds. I have loved, O Lord, the beauty of Thy house and the place where Thy glory dwelleth. Destroy not my soul, O God, with the wicked, nor my life with men of blood. In whose hands are iniquities, their right hand is full with gifts. But I have walked in my innocence: redeem me, and have mercy on me. My foot has stood on the right path; in the churches I will bless Thee, O Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Receive, O holy Trinity, this oblation which we offer to Thee in remembrance of the Passion, Resurrection, and Ascension of Our Lord Jesus Christ, and in honor of blessed Mary, ever Virgin, blessed John the Baptist, the holy Apostles Peter and Paul, and of these and of all the Saints; that it may avail unto their honor and our salvation, and may they deign to intercede in heaven for us who honor their memory here on earth. Through the same Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**P:** Pray brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the Father almighty.

**S:** May the Lord receive the sacrifice from your hands, to the praise and glory of His name, to our benefit, and that of all His holy Church.

**P:** Amen.

Sanctify, O Lord, the gifts offered to Thee by the new birth of Thine only-begotten Son: and cleanse us from the stains of our sins. Through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

**(For St. Thomas Becket)**

Sanctify, O Lord, the gifts dedicated to Thee, and by the intercession of blessed Thomas, Thy Martyr and Bishop, through them look upon us with mercy. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God,

**P:** ...forever and ever.**(Stand at High Mass)****S:** Amen.**P:** The Lord be with you.**S:** And with your spirit.**P:** Lift up your hearts.**S:** We have lifted them up to the Lord.**P:** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.**S:** It is fitting and just.

It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation, that we should at all times and in all places, give thanks unto Thee, O holy Lord, Father almighty, everlasting God: for through the Mystery of the Word made flesh, the new light of Thy glory hath shone upon the eyes of our mind, so that, while we acknowledge God in visible form, we may through Him be drawn to the love of things invisible. And therefore with Angels and Archangels, with Thrones and Dominations, and with all the hosts of the heavenly army, we sing the hymn of Thy glory, evermore saying:

**(Kneel)**

**P:** Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts! Heaven and earth are filled with Thy glory. Hosanna in the highest! †Blessed is He Who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest!

**THE ROMAN CANON**

**P:** Therefore, most merciful Father, we humbly pray and entreat Thee, through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Our Lord, that Thou would accept and bless these gifts, these offerings, these holy and spotless sacrifices, which, in the first place, we offer Thee for Thy holy Catholic Church: deign to pacify, to guard, to unite, and to govern her throughout the world, together with Thy servant **N.**, our Pope, and **N.**, our Bishop; and all orthodox believers of the Catholic and apostolic faith.

**P:** Be mindful, O Lord, of Thy servants and handmaids **N.** and **N.**, and of all here present, whose faith and devotion are known unto Thee, for whom we offer, or who offer to Thee, this sacrifice of praise for themselves, and for all their own, for the redemption of their souls, for their hope of salvation and safety; and who pay their vows to Thee, the everlasting, living, and true God.



## COMMUNICANTES FOR THE NATIVITY

**P:** Communicantes, et diem sacratissimum celebrantes, quo beatæ Mariæ intemeratâ virginitas huic mundo edidit Salvatorem: sed et memoriâ venerantes, in primis ejusdem gloriosæ semper Virginis Mariæ, Genetricis ejusdem Dei et Dómini Jesu Christi: sed et beati Jósephi ejusdem Virginis Sponsi, et beatorum Apostolorum ac Mátyrum tuorum, Petri et Pauli, Andréæ, Jacóbi, Joánnis, Thomæ, Jacóbi, Philippi, Bartholomæi, Matthæi, Simónis, et Thaddæi: Lini, Cleti, Cleméntis, Xysti, Cornélii, Cypriáni, Lauréntii, Chrysógoni, Joánnis et Pauli, Cosmæ et Damiáni, et ómnium Sanctorum tuorum; quorum méritis, precibusque concédas, ut in ómnibus protectiõnis tuæ muniámur auxilio. Per eúndem Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.

**P:** 🕯️ Hanc ígitur oblatiõnem servitútis nostræ, sed et cunctæ familiæ tuæ, quæsumus, Dómine, ut placátus accipias: diésque nostros in tua pace dispónas, atque ab ætérna damnatiõne nos eripi, et in eómnibus tuorum júbeas grege numerári. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.

**P:** Quam oblatiõnem tu, Deus, in ómnibus, quæsumus, benedíctam, adscriptam, ratam, rationábilem, acceptábilemque fácere dignéris: ut nobis Corpus, et Sanguis fiat dilectíssimi Filii tui Dómini nostri Jesu Christi.

**P:** Qui pridie quam paterétur, accépit panem in sanctas, ac venerábiles manus suas, et elevátis oculis in cælum ad te Deum Patrem suum omnipoténtem, tibi grátias agens, benedixit, fregit, dedítque discipulis suis, dicens:

Accípite, et manducáte ex hoc omnes, HOC EST ENIM CORPUS MEUM.

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**P:** Símilli modo postquam cænátum est, accípiens et hunc præclárum Cálicem in sanctas ac venerábiles manus suas: ítem tibi grátias agens, benedixit, dedítque discipulis suis, dicens:

Accípite, et bibite ex eo omnes, HIC EST ENIM CALIX SANGUINIS MEI, NOVI ET AETÉRNÍ TESTAMÉNTI: MYSTÉRIUM FÍDEI: QUI PRO VOBIS ET PRO MULTIS EFFUNDÉTUR IN REMISSIÓNE PECCATORUM.

Hæc quotiescúmque fecéritis, in mei memoriâ faciétis.

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**P:** Unde et mémoires, Dómine, nos servi tui, sed et plebs tua sancta, ejusdem Christi Filii tui Dómini nostri tam beatæ passiónis, nec non et ab inferis resurrectiõnis, sed et in cælos gloriosæ ascensiõnis: offerimus præcláram majestáti tuæ de tuis donis, ac datis, hóstiam puram, hóstiam sanctam, hóstiam immaculatam, Panem sanctum vitæ ætérnæ, et Cálicem salutis perpétuæ.

**P:** Supra quæ propítio ac seréno vultu respícere dignéris; et accépta habére, sicuti accépta habére dignátus es múnere púeri tui justí Abel, et sacrificiûm Patriarchæ nostri Ábrahæ: et quod tibi obtulit summus sacerdos tuus Melchisedech, sanctum sacrificiûm, immaculatam hóstiam.

**P:** Súpplíces te rogámus, omnípotens Deus: júbe hæc perférri per manus sancti Ángeli tui in sublíme altáre tuum, in conspéctu divínæ majestátis tuæ: ut quotquot, ex hac altáris participatiõne sacrosánctum Filii tui, Corpus, et Sanguinem sumpsérimus, omni benedictiõne cæléstí et grátia repleámur. Per eúndem Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.

**P:** Meménto étiam, Dómine, famulorum, famularumque tuarum **N.** et **N.** qui nos præcessérunt cum signo fidei, et dórmíunt in somno pacis. Ipsis, Dómine, et ómnibus in Christo quiescéntibus, locum refrigérii, lucis et pacis, ut indulgéas, deprecámur. Per eúndem Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.

**P:** Nobis quoque peccatóribus fámulis tuis, de multitudíne miseratiõnum tuarum sperántibus, partem áliquam, et societátem donáre dignéris, cum tuis sanctis Apóstolis et Mátyribus: cum Joáñne, Stéphano, Matthía, Bárnaba, Ignátio, Alexándro, Marcellíno, Petro, Felicitáte, Perpétua, Ágatha, Lúcia, Agnéte, Cæcília, Anastásia, et ómnibus Sanctis tuis: intra quorum nos consórtium, non æstimátor mériti, sed véniæ, quæsumus, largítor admítte. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum.

**P:** Per ipsum hæc ómnia, Dómine, semper bona creas, sanctíficas, vivíficas, benedícis, et præstas nobis. Per ipsum, et cum ipso, et in ipso, est tibi Deo Patri omnipoténti, in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, omnis honor, et glória.

*(aloud, to conclude the Canon)*

**P:** Per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

**(Stand at High Mass)**

**S:** Amen.

**P:** Orémus. Præcéptis salutáribus mónití, et divína institutiõne formátí, audémus dicere:

Pater noster, qui es in cælis: Sanctificétur nomen tuum: Advéniat regnum tuum: Fiat volúntas tua, sicut in cælo, et in terra. Panem nostrum quotidíanum da nobis hódie: Et dimítte nobis débíta nostra, sicut et nos dimíttimus debitóribus nostris. Et ne nos indúcas in tentatiõnem:

**S:** Sed líbera nos a malo.

**P:** Amen

**P:** Líbera nos, quæsumus, Dómine, ab ómnibus malis, prætéritis, præséntibus, et futúris: et intercedíte beatâ et gloriosâ servitute Virgine Dei Genitricis Mariæ, cum beátis Apóstolis tuis Petro et Paulo, atque Andréa, et ómnibus Sanctis, da propítius pacem in diébus nostris: ut ope misericórdiæ tuæ adjúti, et a peccató miserèmp liberí et ab ómni perturbatiõne securí. Per eúndem Dominum nostrum Jesum Christum Filium tuum. Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

**S:** Amen.

**P:** Pax Dómini sit semper vobiscum.

**S:** Et cum spírítu tuo.

**(Kneel at High Mass)**

**P:** Hæc commíxtio, et consecrátió Córporis et Sanguinis Dómini nostri Jesu Christi fiat accipiéntibus nobis in vitam ætérnam. Amen.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi: **(strike breast)** miserére nobis.

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Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi: **(strike breast)** dona nobis pacem.

**P:** Dómine Jesu Christe, qui dixísti Apóstolis tuis: Pacem relínquo vobis, pacem meam do vobis: ne respicias peccáta mea, sed fidem Ecclésiæ tuæ: eámque secúndum volúntatem tuam pacificáre et coadunáre dignéris: Qui vivis et regnas Deus per ómnia sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

**P:** Dómine Jesu Christe, Fili Dei vivi, qui ex volúntate Patris, cooperánte Spíritus Sancto, per mortem tuam mundum vivificásti: líbera me per hoc sacrosánctum Corpus et Sanguinem tuum ab ómnibus iniquitatibus meis, et univérsis malis: et fac me tuis semper inhæréris mandátis, et a te numquam separári permíttas: Qui cum eódem Deo Patre et Spírítu Sancto vivis et regnas Deus in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

**P:** Percéptio Córporis tui, Dómine Jesu Christe, quod ego indignus súmere præsumo, non mihi provéniat in judicium et condemnatiõnem: sed pro tua pietáte prosit mihi ad tutaméntum mentis et córporis, et ad medélam percipiéndam: Qui vivis et regnas cum Deo Patre in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

**P:** Panem cæléstem accípiam, et nomen Dómini invocábo.

Dómine, non sum dignus 🕯️, ut intres sub tectum meum: sed tantum dic verbo, et sanábitur ánima mea.

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**AT THE COMMUNION RAIL**

**P:** Custódias Dómini nostri Jesu Christi custódiat ánimam meam in vitam ætérnam. Amen.

**P:** Communicating, and keeping this most holy day, in which the spotless virginity of blessed Mary brought forth a Savior to this world; and also reverencing the memory of the same glorious Mary, ever Virgin, Mother of the same God and Lord Jesus Christ: as also blessed Joseph, Spouse of the Virgin, and of Thy blessed Apostles and Martyrs, Peter and Paul, Andrew, James, John, Thomas, James, Philip, Bartholomew, Matthew, Simon and Thaddeus; Linus, Cletus, Clement, Sixtus, Cornelius, Cyprian, Lawrence, Chrysogonus, John and Paul, Cosmas and Damian, and of all Thy Saints, through whose merits and prayers, grant that we may in all things be defended by the help of Thy protection. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

**P:** We therefore beseech Thee, O Lord, to graciously accept this oblation of our service, as also of Thy entire family; dispose our days in Thy peace, save us from eternal damnation, and command that we be numbered in the flock of Thine elect. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**P:** Which oblation, do Thou, O God, deign in all respects to make blessed, approved, ratified, reasonable and acceptable, so that it may become for us the Body and Blood of Thy most beloved Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ.

**P:** Who, the day before He suffered, took bread into His holy and venerable hands, and with His eyes raised to heaven, unto Thee, God, His almighty Father, giving thanks to Thee, He blessed it, broke it, and gave it to His disciples saying:

Take, all of you, and eat of this: FOR THIS IS MY BODY.

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**P:** In like manner, after He had supped, taking also this excellent chalice into His holy and venerable hands, and giving thanks to Thee, He blessed it, and gave it to His disciples, saying:

Take, all of you, and drink of this: FOR THIS IS THE CHALICE OF MY BLOOD OF THE NEW AND ETERNAL TESTAMENT: THE MYSTERY OF FAITH: WHICH SHALL BE Poured out for you and for many unto the remission of sins.

As often as you shall do these things, you do them in memory of Me.

**P:** Wherefore, Lord, we, Thy servants, but also Thy holy people, mindfull of the same Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, of His blessed passion, and of His resurrection from the grave, and of His glorious ascension into heaven, offer unto Thy most excellent majesty of Thine own gifts, bestowed upon us, a pure victim, a holy victim, an unspotted victim, the holy Bread of eternal life and the Chalice of everlasting salvation.

**P:** Deign to regard them with a gracious and serene countenance, and to accept them, as Thou didst deign to accept the gifts of Thy just servant Abel, and the sacrifice of Abraham our Patriarch, and that which Thy chief priest Melchisedech offered to Thee, a holy sacrifice, an unspotted victim.

**P:** Humbly we pray Thee, almighty God, command these offerings to be borne by the hands of Thy holy Angel to Thine altar on high, in the sight of Thy divine majesty, so that as many of us as shall, by partaking from this altar, consume the most holy Body and Blood of Thy Son, may be filled with every heavenly grace and blessing. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

**P:** Be mindful also, O Lord, of Thy servants and handmaids **N.** and **N.** who have gone before us with the sign of faith and rest in the sleep of peace. To these, O Lord, and to all who rest in Christ, we plead that you grant a place of comfort, light, and peace. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

**P:** To us sinners also, Thy servants, trusting in the multitude of Thy mercies, deign to grant some part and fellowship with Thy holy Apostles and Martyrs, with John, Stephen, Matthias, Barnabas, Ignatius, Alexander, Marcellinus, Peter, Felicitas, Perpetua, Agatha, Lucy, Agnes, Cecilia, Anastasia, and with all Thy Saints, into whose company, we beseech Thee, not as praiser of merit but as bestower of pardon, to admit us. Through Christ our Lord.

**P:** Through Whom, O Lord, Thou always create, sanctify, quicken, bless and bestow upon us all good things. Through Him and with Him and in Him is to Thee, God the Father almighty, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory,

**P:** Forever and ever.

**(Stand at High Mass)**

**S:** Amen.

**P:** Let us pray: Admonished by Thy saving precepts, and following Thy divine institution, we dare to say:

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation.

**S:** But deliver us from evil.

**P:** Amen.

**P:** Deliver us, we beseech Thee, O Lord, from all evils, past, present, and to come; and by the intercession of the blessed and glorious ever-Virgin Mary, Mother of God, together with Thy blessed Apostles, Peter and Paul, and Andrew, and all the Saints, mercifully grant peace in our days, that sustained by the help of Thy mercy, we may be always free from sin and secure from all disturbance. Through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who lives and reigns with Thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

**S:** Amen.

**P:** The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**S:** And with your spirit.

**(Kneel at High Mass)**

**P:** May this mingling and consecration of the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ be to us who receive it effectual unto eternal life. Amen.

Lamb of God, **(Who takes away the sins of the world, (strike breast)** have mercy on us.

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Lamb of God, **(Who takes away the sins of the world, (strike breast)** grant us peace.

**P:** O Lord Jesus Christ, Who said to Thine Apostles: Peace I leave you, My peace I give you; regard not my sins, but the faith of Thy Church, and deign to grant her peace and to unify her according to Thy will: Who lives and reigns God, forever and ever. Amen.

**P:** Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, Who, by the will of the Father, with the cooperation of the Holy Spirit, hast by Thy death given life to the world; deliver me by this Thy most sacred Body and Blood, from all my sins and from all evils. Make me always cleave to Thy commandments, and never permit me to be separated from Thee, Who with the same God the Father and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, God, forever and ever. Amen.

**P:** Let not the partaking of Thy Body, O Lord Jesus Christ, which I, unworthy, presume to receive, turn to my judgment and condemnation; but through Thy kindness, may it benefit me, a safeguard both of mind and body, and a certain remedy. Who with God the Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns God, forever and ever. Amen.

**P:** I will take the Bread of heaven, and will call upon the name of the Lord.

Lord, I am not worthy that Thou should enter under my roof; but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Lord, I am not worthy that Thou should enter under my roof; but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

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**AT THE COMMUNION RAIL**

**P:** May the Body of our Lord Jesus Christ preserve your soul unto everlasting life. Amen.



**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Quod ore súmpsimus, Dómine, pura mente capiámus: et de múnere temporáli fiat nobis remédium sempitérnium.

**P:** Corpus tuum, Dómine, quod sumpsi, et Sanguis, quem potávi, adhæreat viscéribus meis: et præsta; ut in me non remaneat scélerum mácula, que pura et sancta refecerunt sacraménta: Qui vivis et regnas in sæcula sæculórum, Amen.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**COMMUNION Ps 97: 3**

Vidéunt omnes fines terræ salutáre Dei nostri.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**(Stand at High Mass)**

**P:** Dóminus vobíscum.

**S:** **Et cum spírítu tuo.**

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Orémus.

**POSTCOMMUNION**

Præsta, quæsumus, omnípotens Deus: ut natus hódie Salvátor mundi, sicut divínæ nobis generatiónis est auctor; ita et immortalitátis sit ipse largítor: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

**S:** **Amen.**

**P:** Orémus.

**POSTCOMMUNION**

Hæc nos commúnio, Dómine, purget a crímíne: et, intercedénte beáto Thoma Mártýre tuo atque Pontífice, cæléstis remédii fáciat esse consórtes. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

**S:** **Amen.**

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Dóminus vobíscum.

**S:** **Et cum spírítu tuo.**

**P:** Ite, Missa est.

**S:** **Deo grátias.**

**(Kneel at High Mass)**

**P:** Pláceat tibi, sancta Trínitas, obséquam servitútis meæ: et præsta; ut sacrificium, quod óculis tuæ majestátis indignus obtuli, tibi sit acceptábile, mihíque et ómnibus pro quibus illud obtuli, sit, te miseránte, propitiábile. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.

**P:** Benedícat vos omnípotens Deus, †Pater, et Fílius, et Spíritus Sanctus.

**S:** **Amen.**

**AT THE LEFT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**(Stand)**

**P:** Dóminus vobíscum.

**S:** **Et cum spírítu tuo.**

**P:** Inítium sancti Evangélii secúndum Joánnem.

**S:** **Glória tibi, Dómine.**

**P:** In princípío erat Verbum, et Verbum erat apud Deum, et Deus erat Verbum. Hoc erat in princípío apud Deum. Ómnia per ipsum facta sunt: et sine ipso factum est nihil, quod factum est: in ipso víta erat, et víta erat lux hóminum: et lux in ténebris lucet, et ténebræ eam non comprehendérunt. Fuit homo missus a Deo, cui nomen erat Joánnes. Hic venit in testimónium, ut testimónium perhibéret de lúmine, ut omnes créderent per illum. Non erat ille lux, sed ut testimónium perhibéret de lúmine. Erat lux vera, quæ illúminat omnem hóminem veniéntem in hunc mundum. In mundo erat, et mundus per ipsum factus est, et mundus eum non cognóvit. In própria venit, et sui eum non recepérunt. Quotquot autem recepérunt eum, dedit eis potestátem filios Dei fieri, his qui credunt in nómine ejus: qui non ex sanguínibus, neque ex voluntáte carnis, neque ex voluntáte viri, sed ex Deo nati sunt.

**(Genuflect)** ET VERBUM CARO

FACTUM EST

et habitávit in nobis: et vídimus glóriam ejus, glóriam quasi Unigéniti a Patre, plenum grátiae et veritátis.

**S:** Deo grátias.

[Leonine Prayers](#)

(optional after Low Mass)

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Grant, O Lord, that what we have taken with our mouth, we may receive with a pure mind; and from a temporal gift may it become to us an eternal remedy.

**P:** May Thy Body, O Lord, which I have consumed, and Thy Blood which I have drunk, cling to my vitals; and grant that no wicked stain may remain in me, whom these pure and holy mysteries have refreshed. Who lives and reigns, forever and ever. Amen.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our Lord.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**(Stand at High Mass)**

**P:** The Lord be with you.

**S:** And with your spirit.

**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** Let us pray.

Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, that as the Savior of the world born on this day is the Author of our heavenly birth, so He may Himself also be to us the Giver of immortality: Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

**S:** Amen.

**P:** Let us pray.

*(For St. Thomas Becket)*

May this Communion, O Lord, cleanse us from guilt; and, through the intercession of blessed Thomas, Thy Martyr and Bishop, make us partakers of the heavenly remedy. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

**S:** Amen.

**AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR**

**P:** The Lord be with you.

**S:** And with your spirit.

**P:** Go, the Mass is ended.

**S:** Thanks be to God.

**(Kneel at High Mass)**

**P:** May the performance of my homage be pleasing to Thee, O holy Trinity: and grant that the sacrifice which I, though unworthy, have offered up in the sight of Thy majesty, may be acceptable unto Thee, and may, through Thy mercy, be a propitiation for myself and all those for whom I have offered it. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**P:** May almighty God bless you, †the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**S:** Amen.

**AT THE LEFT SIDE OF THE ALTAR**

**(Stand)**

**P:** The Lord be with you.

**S:** And with your spirit.

**P:** The beginning of the holy Gospel according to John.

**S:** Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

**P:** In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by Him: and without Him was made nothing that was made. In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. And the light shineth in darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. This man came for a witness, to give testimony of the light, that all men might believe through him. He was not that light, but was to give testimony of the light. That was the true light, which enlighteneth every man that cometh into this world. He was in the world, and the world was made by Him, and the world knew Him not. He came unto His own, and His own received Him not. But as many as received Him, He gave them power to be made the sons of God, to them that believe in His name. Who are born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God.

**(Genuflect)** AND THE WORD WAS MADE FLESH,

and dwelt among us, (and we saw His glory, the glory as it were of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth.

**S:** Thanks be to God.