

MAY 8, APPARITION OF ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

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There are several feasts of St. Michael in the Liturgy. Very ancient is the commemoration of the dedication of the celebrated Lombard sanctuary on Sant'Angelo on Monte Gargano in Apulia, near the ancient Sipontum. There is a tradition that St. Michael appeared on this mountain and requested that a church be erected to him and all the angels.

In the Old and the New Testament St. Michael, in the struggle against the Evil One, is always depicted as the invincible champion of God. The mystery of iniquity which, according to St. Paul, shall be boldly revealed in the last ages of the world and which has already begun its work of perversion, meets at present with an obstacle which hinders its full development. This obstacle is usually said to be the protection of St. Michael. St. Michael is appointed by God Himself to be the protector and defender of the Church.

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AT THE FOOT OF THE ALTAR (Kneel)

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

(Psalm 42)

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

S: Quia 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 introibo 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 Fílio, 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, beatæ Mariæ semper Vírgini, beáto Michaéli Archángelo, beáto Joánni Baptístæ, sanctis Apóstolis Petro et Paulo, ómnibus Sanctis, et vobis fratres: quia peccávi nimis cogitatióne, verbo, et ópere: mea culpa, meá culpa, mea máxima culpa. Ideo precor beatam Mariám semper Vírginem, beátum Michaélem Archángelum, beátum Joánnem Baptístam, sanctos Apóstolos Petrum et Paulum, omnes Sanctos, et vos fratres, oráre pro me ad Dóminum Deum nostrum.

S: Misereátur tui omnipotens Deus, et, dimissis peccátis tuis, perdúcat te ad vitam ætérnam.
P: Amen.

S: Confíteor Deo omnipoténti, beatæ Mariæ semper Vírgini, beáto Michaéli Archángelo, beáto Joánni Baptístæ, sanctis Apóstolis Petro et Paulo, ómnibus Sanctis, et tibi pater: quia peccávi nimis cogitatióne, verbo, et ópere: **(strike breast 3 times)** mea culpa, mea culpa, mea máxima culpa. Ideo precor beatam Mariám semper Vírginem, beátum Michaélem Archángelum, beátum Joánnem Baptístam, sanctos Apóstolos Petrum et Paulum, omnes Sanctos, et te Pater, oráre pro me ad Dóminum Deum nostrum.
P: Misereátur vestri omnipotens Deus, et, dimissis 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 spíritu 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 cuius 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.

S: 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 father: that I have sinned exceedingly in thought, word, and deed: **(strike breast 3 times)** 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, Father, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

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.*

AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR

Bless the Lord, all ye His angels: you that are mighty in strength, and execute His word, harkening to the voice of His orders. (Ps. 102: 1) Bless the Lord, O my soul: and let all that is within me bless His holy name. 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. Bless the Lord, all ye His angels: you that are mighty in strength, and execute His word, harkening to the voice of His orders.

AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR

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

(Stand at High Mass)

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

AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR

P: Let us pray.

O God, Who dost in wonderful order dispose the ministries of angels and men, mercifully grant that our lives be fortified by those who continually stand in Thy presence and minister before Thee in heaven. 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.

(Sit)

In those days: God signified the things which must shortly come to pass, sending by His angel to His servant John, who hath given testimony to the word of God, and the testimony of Jesus Christ, what things soever he hath seen. Blessed is he that readeth and heareth the words of this prophecy, and keepeth those things which are written in it; for the time is at hand. John to the seven churches which are in Asia: Grace be unto you and peace from Him that is, and that was, and that is to come; and from the seven spirits which are before His throne; and from Jesus Christ, Who is the faithful witness, the first begotten of the dead, and the prince of the kings of the earth Who hath loved us, and washed us from our sins in His own blood.

S: Thanks be to God.

Bless the Lord all ye his angels: you that are mighty in strength, that do His will. O my soul, bless thou the Lord: and all that is within me praise His holy name.

Alleluia, alleluia. Holy archangel Michael, defend us in battle, that we perish not in the dreadful judgment. Alleluia.

(Only at High Mass when incense is used)

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

P: Munda cor meum ac lábia mea, omnipotens Deus, qui lábia Isaíæ Prophétæ cálculo mundásti igníto: ita me tua grata miseratióne dignáre mundáre, ut sanctum Evangélium tuum dígne váleam nuntiáre. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.
P: Jube, Dómine, benedicere. Dóminus sít in corde meo, et in lábiis meis: ut dígne et competéter annúntiem Evangélium suum. Amen.

AT THE LEFT SIDE OF THE ALTAR (Stand)

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

P: Seqúentia sancti Evangélii secúndum Matthæum.
S: **Glória tibi, Dómine.**

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: 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: The Lord be with you.
S: And with your spirit.
P: The continuation of the holy Gospel according to Matthew.
S: Glory to Thee, O Lord.

GOSPEL Matthew 18: 1-10

In illo tempore: Accesserunt discipuli ad Jesum, dicentes: Quis, putas, major est in regno caelorum? Et advocans Jesus parvulum, statuit eum in medio eorum, et dixit: Amen, dico vobis, sicut conversi fueritis, et efficiamini sicut parvuli, non intrabitis in regnum caelorum. Quicumque ergo humiliaverit se sicut parvulus iste, hic est major in regno caelorum. Et qui susceperit unum parvulum talem in nomine meo, me suscipit. Qui autem scandalizaverit unum de pusillis istis, qui in me credunt, expedit ei, ut suspendatur mola asinaria in collo ejus, et demergatur in profundum maris. Vae mundo a scandalis.

Necesse est enim ut veniant scandala: verumtamen vae homini illi, per quem scandalum veniat. Si autem manus tua, vel pes tuus scandalizat te, abscide eum, et projice abs te: bonum tibi est ad vitam ingredi debilem, vel claudum, quam duas manus, vel duos pedes habentem mitti in ignem aeternum. Et si oculus tuus scandalizat te, erue eum, et projice abs te: bonum tibi est cum uno oculo in vitam intrare, quam duos oculos habentem mitti in gehennam ignis. Videte ne contemnatis unum ex his pusillis: dico enim vobis, quia Angeli eorum in caelis semper vident faciem Patris mei, qui in caelis est.

S: Laus tibi, Christe.

P: Per evangelica dicta deleantur nostra delicta.

AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR

P: Dominus vobiscum.

S: Et cum spiritu tuo.

P: Orémus.

(Sit)

OFFERTORY Apocalypse 8: 3-4
Stetit Angelus juxta aram templi, habens thuribulum aureum in manu sua, et data sunt ei incensa multa: et ascendit fumus aromatum in conspectu Dei, alleluja.

P: Suscipe, sancte Pater, omnipotens aeterne Deus, hanc immaculatam hostiam, quam ego indignus famulus tuus offero tibi, Deo meo vivo et vero, pro innumerabilibus peccatis, et offensionibus, et negligentis meis, et pro omnibus circumstantibus, sed et pro omnibus fidelibus christianis vivis atque defunctis: ut mihi, et illis proficiat ad salutem in vitam aeternam. Amen.

AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR

P: Deus, qui humanae substantiae dignitatem mirabiliter condidisti, et mirabilium reformasti: da nobis per hujus aquae et vini mysterium, ejus divinitatis esse consortes, qui humanitatis nostrae fieri dignatus est particeps, Jesus Christus Filius tuus Dominus noster: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spiritus Sancti Deus: per omnia saecula saeculorum. Amen.

AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR

P: Offerimus tibi, Domine, calicem salutaris tuam deprecantes clementiam: ut in conspectu divinae majestatis tuae, pro nostra, et totius mundi salute cum odore suavitatis ascendat. Amen. In spiritu humilitatis, et in animo contrito suscipiamur a te, Domine, et sic fiat sacrificium nostrum in conspectu tuo hodie, ut placeat tibi, Domine Deus. Veni, sanctificator omnipotens aeterne Deus: et benedic hoc sacrificium, tuo sancto nomini praeparatum.

(Only at High Mass when incense is used)

P: Per intercessionem beati Michaelis Archangeli, stantis a dextris altaris incensum, et omnium electorum suorum, incensum istud dignetur Dominus benedicere, et in odorem suavitatis accipere. Per Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

P: Incensum istud a te benedictum, ascendat ad te, Domine, et descendat super nos misericordia tua.

P: Dirigatur, Domine, oratio mea, sicut incensum, in conspectu tuo: elevatio manuum mearum sacrificium vespertinum. Pone, Domine, custodiam ori meo, et ostium circumstantiae labiis meis: ut non declinet cor meum in verba malitiae, ad excusandas excusationes in peccatis.

P: Accendat in nobis Dominus ignem sui amoris, et flamma aeternae caritatis. Amen.

AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR

P: Lavabo inter innocentes manus meas: et circumdabo altare tuum, Domine: Ut audiam vocem laudis, et enarrem universa mirabilia tua. Domine, dilexi decore domus tuae, et locum habitationis gloriae tuae. Ne perdas cum impiis, Deus, animam meam, et cum viris sanguinum vitam meam: In quorum manibus iniquitates sunt: dextera eorum replenda est muneribus. Ego autem in innocentia mea ingressus sum: redime me, et miserere mei. Pes meus stetit in diretto: in ecclesiis benedixam te, Domine. Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto. Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper: et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.

AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR

P: Suscipe, sancta Trinitas, hanc oblationem, quam tibi offerimus ob memoriam passionis, resurrectionis, et ascensionis Jesu Christi Domini nostri: et in honorem beatae Mariae semper Virginis, et beati Joannis Baptistae, et sanctorum Apostolorum Petri et Pauli, et istorum, et omnium Sanctorum: ut illud sacrificium ad honorem tuum, et gloriam nominis sui, ad utilitatem quoque nostram, totiusque Ecclesiae suae sanctae.

P: Orate fratres: ut meum ac vestrum sacrificium acceptabile fiat apud Deum Patrem omnipotentem.

S: Suscipiat Dominus sacrificium de manibus tuis ad laudem, et gloriam nominis sui, ad utilitatem quoque nostram, totiusque Ecclesiae suae sanctae.

P: Amen.

SECRET (silently)

Hostias tibi, Domine, laudis offerimus, suppliciter deprecantes: ut eisdem, angelico pro nobis interveniente suffragio, et placatus accipias, et ad salutem nostram provenire concedas. Per Dominum nostrum Jesum Christum, Filium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spiritus Sancti, Deus,

(aloud, to conclude the Secret Prayer)
P: ...forever and ever.

(Stand at High Mass)

S: Amen.

P: Dominus vobiscum.

S: Et cum spiritu tuo.

P: Sursum corda.

S: Habemus ad Dominum.

P: Gratias agamus Domino Deo nostro.

S: Dignum et justum est.

PREFACE OF EASTER SEASON

Vere dignum et justum est, aequum et salutare, Te quidem, Domine, omni tempore, sed in hoc potissimum, gloriosius praedicare, cum Pascha nostrum immolatus est Christus. Ipse enim verus est Agnus, qui abstulit peccata mundi. Qui mortem nostram moriendo destruxit, et vitam resurgendo reparavit. Et ideo cum Angelis et Archangelis, cum Thronis et Dominatibus, cumque omni militia caelestis exercitus, hinc nunc gloria tuae canimus sine fine dicentes:

(Kneel)

P: Sanctus ☩, Sanctus ☩, Sanctus ☩, Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis. † Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.

THE ROMAN CANON

(silently)

P: Te igitur, clementissime Pater, per Jesum Christum Filium tuum, Dominum nostrum, supplices rogamus, ac petimus uti accipias, hanc oblationem, hanc dona, hanc munera, hanc sancta sacrificia illibata, in primis, quae tibi offerimus pro Ecclesia tua sancta catholica: quam pacifice, custodire, adunare, et regere digneris toto orbe terrarum: una cum famulo tuo Papa nostro N., et Antistite nostro N., et omnibus orthodoxis, atque catholicis et apostolicis fidei cultoribus.

P: Meménto, Domine, famulorum, famularumque tuarum N., et N., et omnium circumstantium, quorum tibi fides cognita est, et nota devotio, pro quibus tibi offerunt: vel qui tibi offerunt hoc sacrificium laudis, pro se, suisque omnibus: pro redemptione animarum suarum, pro spe salutis et incolumitatis suae: tibique reddunt vota sua aeterno Deo, vivo et vero.

P: Communicantes, et memoriam venerans, in qua gloriosam semper virginis Mariae, Genitricis Dei et Domini nostri Jesu Christi: sed et beati Joseph, ejusdem Virginis Sponsi, et beatorum Apostolorum ac Martyrum tuorum, Petri et Pauli, Andreae, Jacobi, Joannis, Thomae, Jacobi, Philippi, Bartholomaei, Matthaei, Simonis, et Thaddaei: Lini, Cleti, Clementis, Xysti, Corneli, Cypriani, Laurentii, Chrysogoni, Joannis et Pauli, Cosmae et Damiani, et omnium Sanctorum tuorum; quorum meritis precibusque concedas, ut in omnibus protectionis tuae muniamur auxilio. Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

P: ☩ Hanc igitur oblationem servitutis nostrae, sed et cunctae familiae tuae, accipias, Domine, ut placatus accipias: diésque nostros in tua pace disponas, atque ab aeterna damnatione nos eripi, et in electorum tuorum jubeas grege numerari. Per Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

At that time the disciples came to Jesus, saying, Who, thinkest Thou, is the greater in the kingdom of Heaven? And Jesus calling unto Him a little child, set him in the midst of them, and said, Amen, I say to you, unless you be converted, and become as little children, you shall not enter into the kingdom of Heaven. Whosoever therefore shall humble himself as this little child he is the greater in the kingdom of Heaven: and he that shall receive one such little child in My name, receiveth Me; but he that shall scandalize one of these little ones that believe in Me, it were better for him that a millstone should be hanged about his neck, and that he should be drowned in the depth of the sea. Woe to the world because of scandals: for it must needs be that scandals come; but nevertheless woe to that man by whom the scandal cometh. And if thy hand, or thy foot, scandalize thee, cut it off, and cast it from thee. It is better for thee to go into life maimed or lame, than having two hands or two feet, to be cast into everlasting fire. And if thy eye scandalize thee, pluck it out, and cast it from thee. It is better for thee having one eye to enter into life, than having two eyes to be cast into hell fire. See that you despise not one of these little ones; for I say to you, that their angels in Heaven always see the face of My Father Who is in Heaven.

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: The Lord be with you.

S: And with your spirit.

P: Let us pray.

(Sit)

An angel stood near the altar of the temple, having a golden censer in his hand: and there was given to him much incense: and the smoke of the perfumes ascended before God, alleluia.

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 evening, 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.

We offer Thee sacrifices of praise, O Lord, humbly praying that Thou be pleased to receive them, through the angelic intercession in our behalf, and grant that they may avail for our salvation. 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, certainly at all times to proclaim Thee, O Lord, but above all in this time more gloriously, when Christ our Pasch was sacrificed. For He is the true Lamb Who hath taken away the sins of the world: Who by dying hath destroyed our death: and by rising again hath restored us to life. 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 and Thy everlastingly, living, and true God.

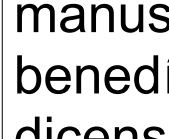
P: Having communion with, and glorifying first of all the memory of the venerated and ever Virgin Mary, Mother of our God and Lord Jesus Christ; and also of blessed Joseph, Spouse of the same Virgin, and of Thy blessed Apostles and Martyrs, Peter and Paul, Andrew, James, John, Thomas, James, Philip, Bartholomew, Matthew, Simon and Thaddeus; of Linus, Cletus, Clement, Sixtus, Cornelius, Cyprian, Lawrence, Chrysogonus, John and Paul, Cosmas and Damian, and all Thy Saints, by whose merits and prayers, grant that in all things we may 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: Quam oblatiōnem tu, Deus, in ōmnibus, quæsumus, benedictam, adscriptam, ratam, rationabilem, acceptabilemque facere digneris: ut nobis Corpus, et Sanguis fiat dilectissimi Filii tui Dōmini nostri Jesu Christi.

P: Qui pridie quam pateretur, accepit panem in suas, ac venerabiles manus suas, et elevatis oculis in cælum ad te Deum Patrem suum omnipotentem, tibi gr̄atias agens, benedixit, fregit, deditque discipulis suis, dicens:

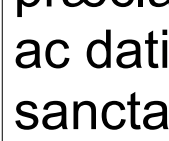
Accipite, et manducate ex hoc omnes, HOC EST ENIM CORPUS MEUM.



P: Símili modo postquam cænatum est, accipiens et hunc præclarum Cálicem in sanctas ac venerabiles manus suas: item tibi gr̄atias agens, benedixit, deditque discipulis suis, dicens:

Accipite, et bibite ex eo omnes, HIC EST ENIM CALIX SANGUINIS MEI, NOVI ET AETERNI TESTAMENTI: MYSTERIUM FIDEI: QUI PRO VOBIS ET PRO MULTIS EFFUNDATUR IN REMISSIONEM PECCATORUM.

Hæc quotiescúmque feceritis, in mei memoriã faciẽtis.



P: Unde et memores, Dómine, nos servi tui, sed et plebs tua sancta, ejúsdem Christi Filii tui Dómini nostri tam beatæ passiónis, nec non et ab inferis resurrectionis, sed et in cælos gloriósæ ascensionis: offerimus præclaræ majestati tuæ de tuis donis, ac datis, hóstiam puram, hóstiam sanctam, hóstiam immaculatam, Panem sanctum vitæ æternæ, et Cálicem salutis perpétuæ.

P: Supra quæ propitio ac sereno vultu respicere digneris; et accepta habere, sicuti accepta habere dignatus es múnera púeri tui justi Abel, et sacrificium Patriarchæ nostri Ábrahæ: et quod tibi obtulit summus sacerdos tuus Melchisedech, sanctum sacrificium, immaculatam hóstiam.

P: Súpplīces te rogámus, omnípotens Deus: jube hæc perféri per manus sancti Ángeli tui in sublime altare tuum, in conspéctu divinæ majestatis tuæ: ut quotquot, ex hac altaris participatiōne sacrosánctum Filii tui, Corpus, et Sanguinem sumpsérimus, omni benedictiōne cælesti et gr̄atia repleámur. Per eúndem Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.

P: Meménto etiã, Dómine, famulórū, famularúmque tuarum **N.** et **N.** qui nos præcesserunt cum signo fidei, et dormiunt in somno pacis. Ipsis, Dómine, et omnibus in Christo quiescentibus, locum refrigerii, lucis et pacis, ut indulgeas, deprecámur. Per eúndem Christum Dóminum nostrum. Amen.

P: Nobis quoque peccatōribus fámulis tuis, de multitudīne miseratiōnum tuárum sperántibus, partem álquam, et societátem donáre digneris, cum tuis sanctis Apóstolis et Martíribus: cum Joánne, Stéphano, Matthía, Bárnaba, Ignátio, Alexándro, Marcellino, Petro, Felicitate, Perpétua, Ágatha, Lúcia, Agnéte, Cæcília, Anastásia, et ōmnibus Sanctis tuis: intra quorum nos consórtium, non æstimátor mériti, sed véniæ, quæsumus, largitor admitte. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum.

P: Per quem hæc ōmnia, Dómine, semper bona creas, sanctificas, vivificas, benedícis, et præstas nobis. Per ipsum, et cum ipso, et in ipso, est tibi Deo Patri omnipotenti, in unitate Spíritus Sancti, omnis honor, et glória.

(aloud, to conclude the Canon)

P: Per ōmnia sæcula sæculórum.

(Stand at High Mass)

S: Amen.

P: Orémus. Præceptis salutáribus móniti, et divinã institutiōne formáti, audémus dicere: Pater noster, qui es in cælis: Sanctificetur nomen tuum: Advéniat regnum tuum: Fiat vóluntas tua, sicut in cælo, et in terra. Panem nostrum quotidiánum da nobis hódie: Et dimitte nobis débíta nostra, sicut et nos dimittimus debitoribus nostris. Et ne nos inducas in tentatiōnem:

S: Sed libera nos a malo.

P: Amen

P: Libera nos, quæsumus, Dómine, ab ōmnibus malis, præteritis, præséntibus, et futúris: et intercedente beáta et gloriósa semper Vírgine Dei Genitrice María, cum beátis Apóstolis tuis Petro et Paulo, atque Andréa, et ōmnibus Sanctis: da propítius pacem in díebus nostris: ut ope miserícordiæ tuæ adjúti, et a peccáto simus semper líberi et ab omni perturbatiōne secúri. Per eúndem Dominum nostrum Jesum Christum Filium tuum. Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spíritus Sancti Deus, per ōmnia sæcula sæculórum.

S: Amen.

P: Pax Dómini sit semper vobiscum.

S: Et cum spírītu tuo.

(Kneel at High Mass)

P: Hæc commixtio, et consecrátió Córporis et Sanguinis Dómini nostri Jesu Christi fiat accipiẽtibus nobis in vitam æternam. Amen.

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

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

P: Dómine Jesu Christe, Fili Dei vivi, qui ex voluntate Patris, cooperante Spírītu Sancto, per mortem tuam mundum vivificásti: líbera me per hoc sacrosánctum Corpus et Sanguinem tuum ab ōmnibus iniquitatibus meis, et univérsum malis: et fac me tuis semper inhærere mandátis, et a te nunquam separári permittas: Qui cum eodem Deo Patre et Spírītu Sancto vivis et regnas Deus in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

P: Percéptio Córporis tui, Dómine Jesu Christe, quod ego indignus súmere præsumo, non mihi provéniam: sed pro tua pietate prosit mihi ad tutaméntum mentis et cörperis, et ad medélam percipiendam: Qui vivis et regnas cum Deo Patre in unitate Spíritus Sancti Deus, per ōmnia sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

P: Panem cælestem accipiam, 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: Corpus Dómini nostri Jesu Christi custódiat ánimam tuam in vitam æternam. Amen.

AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR

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

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

AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR

COMMUNION Daniel 3: 58

Benedícite, omnes Angeli Dómini, Dómine: hymnum dícite, et superexaltate eum in sæcula, alleluja.

AT THE CENTER OF THE ALTAR

(Stand at High Mass)

P: Dóminus vobiscum.

S: Et cum spírītu tuo.

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.

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, mindful 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 appraiser 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.

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

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.

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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: 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 ye angels of the Lord, bless the Lord: sing a hymn, and exalt Him above all forever, alleluia.

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:** Orémus.**POSTCOMMUNION**

Beáti Archángeli tui Michaelis
intercessióne suffúlti: súpplices te,
Dómine, deprecámur; ut, quod ore
proséquimur, contingámus et mente.
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,
obséqúium servitútis meæ: et præsta;
ut sacrificium, quod óculis tuæ
majestátis indignus obtúli, tibi sit
acceptábile, mihíque et ómnibus pro
quibus illud obtúli, 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 grátiaæ et veritátis.

S: Deo grátias.**AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE ALTAR****P:** Let us pray.

Relying upon the intercession of
blessed Michael, Thine archangel, O
Lord, we Thy suppliants pray that
what we perform with our lips we may
attain with our hearts. 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.