

**MASS PROPER: AUGUST 10, ST. LAWRENCE, DEACON & MARTYR**

MASS *Conféssio* (red)

**INTROIT Psalm 95: 6**

Conféssio et pulchritúdo in conspéctu ejus: sánctitas, et magnificéntia in sanctificatióne ejus. (Ps. 95: 1)  
Cantáte Dómino cánticum novum: cantáte Dómino, omnis terra. v. Glória Patri et Fílio et Spíritui Sancto, sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.  
Conféssio et pulchritúdo in conspéctu ejus: sánctitas, et magnificéntia in sanctificatióne ejus.

Praise and beauty are before Him: holiness and majesty in His sanctuary. (Ps. 95: 1) Sing ye to the Lord a new canticle; sing to the Lord all the earth. V. 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. Praise and beauty are before Him: holiness and majesty in His sanctuary.

**COLLECT**

Da nobis, quæsumus, omnípotens Deus: vitiórum nostrorum flammam exstinguere; qui beáto Lauréntio tribuísti tormentórum suórum incéndia superáre. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

Grant us, we beseech Thee O almighty God, to extinguish the flames of our evil dispositions, as Thou didst grant blessed Lawrence to overcome the fires of his torments. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

**EPISTLE 2 Corinthians 9: 6, 10**

Fratres: Qui parce séminat, parce et metet: et qui séminat in benedictionibus, de benedictionibus et metet. Unusquísque prout destinávit in corde suo, non ex tristítia aut ex necessitáte: hilárem enim datórem díligit Deus. Potens est autem Deus omnem grátiam abundáre fácere in vobis, ut, in ómnibus semper omnem sufficiéntiam habéntes, abundétis in omne opus bonum, sicut scriptum est: Dispérsit, dedit paupéribus: justítia ejus manet in sæculum sæculi. Qui autem admínistrat semen seminánti: et panem ad manducándum præstábit, et multiplicábit semen vestrum, et augébit increménta frugum justítiae vestrae.

Brethren, He who soweth sparingly, shall also reap sparingly: and he who soweth in blessings, shall also reap of blessings. Everyone as he hath determined in his heart; not with sadness, or of necessity; for God loveth a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound in you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work; as it is written, He hath dispersed abroad, He hath given to the poor: His justice remaineth forever. And He that ministereth seed to the sower, will both give you bread to eat, and will multiply your seed, and increase the growth of the fruits of your justice.

**GRADUAL Psalm 18: 3**

Probásti, Dómine, cor meum, et visitásti nocte. Igne me examinásti, et non est invénta in me iníquitas.

**LESSER ALLELUIA**

Allelúja, allelúja. V. Levita Lauréntius bonum opus operátus est: qui per signum crucis caecos illuminávit. Allelúja.

**GOSPEL John 12: 24-26**

In illo témpore: Dixit Jesus discípulis suis: Amen, amen, dico vobis, nisi granum fruménti cadens in terram, mórtuum fúerit, ipsum solum manet: si autem mórtuum fúerit, multum fructum affert. Qui amat ánimam suam, perdet eam: et qui odit ánimam suam in hoc mundo, in vitam ætérnam custódit eam. Si quis mihi míniſtrat, me sequátur: et ubi sum ego, illic et míniſter meus erit. Si quis mihi míniſtráverit, honorificábit eum Pater meus.

**OFFERTORY Psalm 95: 6**

Conféſſio et pulchritúdo in conſpéctu ejus: sánctitas, et magnificéntia in sanctificatióne ejus.

**SECRET**

Accipe, quæsumus, Dómine, múnera dignánteſ obláta: et, beáti Lauréntii ſuffragántibus méritis, ad noſtræ ſalútis auxiliúm provenire concéde. Per Dóminum noſtrum Jeſum Chriſtum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia ſæcula ſæculórum.

**COMMUNION John 12: 26**

Qui mihi míniſtrat, me sequátur: et ubi ego sum, illic et míniſter meus erit.

Thou hast proved my heart, O Lord, and visited it by night. V. Thou hast tried me by fire, and iniquity hath not been found in me.

Alleluia, alleluia. V. The levite Lawrence wrought a good work, who by the sign of the cross gave sight to the blind. Alleluia.

At that time, Jesus said to His disciples: Amen. amen, I say to you, unless the grain of wheat falling into the ground, die, itself remaineth alone: but if it die, it bringeth forth much fruit. He that loveth his life, shall lose it; and he that hateth his life in this world, keepeth it unto life eternal. If any man minister to Me, let him follow Me; and where I am, there also shall My minister be. If any man minister to Me, him will My Father honor.

Praise and beauty are before Him: holiness and majesty are in His sanctuary.

Accept, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the gifts offered Thee, and, by the interceding merits of blessed Lawrence, grant that they may be as a help unto our salvation. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

If any man minister to me, let him follow Me: and where I am, there also shall My minister be.

**POSTCOMMUNION**

Sacro múnere ſatiáti, ſúpplícés te, Dómine, deprecámur: ut, quod débitæ ſervitútis celebrámus offíció, intercedénte beáto Lauréntio Mártyre tuo, ſalvatiónis tuæ ſentiámus augméntum. Per Dóminum noſtrum Jeſum Chriſtum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia ſæcula ſæculórum.

Filled with Thy sacred gift, we humbly beseech Thee, O Lord, that what we celebrate with our homage duly given by the intercession of Thy blessed martyr Lawrence, we may also know as an increase of Thy saving grace within us. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.