

INTROIT Isaias 9: 6

Puer natus est nobis, et filius datus est nobis: cujus impēnum super hūmerum ejus: et vocābitur nomen ejus magni consīlii Ángelus. (Ps 97:1)

Cantāte Dōmino cānticum novum: quia mirabilia fecit. Glória Patri et Filio et Spīritui Sancto, sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper, et in sǣcula sǣculōrum. Amen. Puer natus est nobis, et filius datus est nobis: cujus impēnum super hūmerum ejus: et vocābitur nomen ejus magni consīlii Ángelus.

COLLECT

Deus, qui salutis æternæ, beatæ Mariæ virginitate fecūda, humano generi præmia præstitisti: tribue, quæsumus; ut ipsam pro nobis intercēdere sentiāmus, per quam meruimus auctōrem vitæ suscipere, Dōminum nostrum Iesum Christum, Filium tuum: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spīritus Sancti, Deus, per ōmnia sǣcula sǣculōrum.

For St. Telesphorus

Gregem tuum, Pastor æternæ intēde: et per beatum Telēsphorum, Martyrem atque Summum Pontificem tuum, perpētua protectiōne custōdi; quem totiūs Ecclēsiæ præstitisti esse pastōrem. Per Dōminum nostrum Iesum Christum, Filium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spīritus Sancti, Deus, per ōmnia sǣcula sǣculōrum.

EPISTLE Titus 2: 11-15

Carissime: Appāruit grātia Dei Salvatōris nostri ōmnibus, erūdiens nos, ut, abnegāntes impietātem et sǣculāria desidēria, sōbrie et juste et pie vivāmus in hoc sǣculo, exspectāntes beatam spem et advēntum glōriæ magni Dei et Salvatōris nostri Jesu Christi: qui dedit semetīpsum pro nobis: ut nos redīmeret ab omni iniquitate, et mundāret sibi pōpulum acceptābilem, sectatōrem bonōrum ōperum. Hæc lōquere et exhortāre: in Christo Jesu, Dōmino nostro.

GRADUAL Psalms 97: 3; 97: 2

Viderunt omnes fines terræ salutāre Dei nostri: jubilāte Deo, omnis terra. V. Notum fecit Dominus salutāre suum: ante conspēctum gēntium revelāvit iustitiam suam.

LESSER ALLELUIA Hebrews 1: 1-2

Allelūja, allelūja. Multifarie olim Deus loquens patribus in Prophētis, novissime diēbus istis locūtus est nobis in Filio. Allelūja.

GOSPEL Luke 2: 21

In illo tēpore: Postquam consummāti sunt dies octo, ut circumciderētur Puer: vocātum est nomen ejus Jesus, quod vocātum est ab Ángelo, priúsquam in útero conciperētur.

OFFERTORY Psalms 88: 12, 15

Tui sunt cæli et tua est terra: orbem terrārum et plenitūdinem ejus tu fundāsti: justitia et judicium præparatio sedis tuæ.

SECRET

Muneribus nostris, quæsumus, Dōmine, precibūsq̄e susceptis: et cælēstibus nos munda mystēriis, et clemēter exāudi. Per Dōminum nostrum Iesum Christum, Filium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spīritus Sancti, Deus, per ōmnia sǣcula sǣculōrum

For St. Telesphorus

Oblātis munēribus, quæsumus, Dōmine, Ecclēsiam tuam benignus illūmina: ut, et gregis tui proficiat ubique succēssus, et grati fiant nōmini tuo, te gubernānte, pastōres. Per Dōminum nostrum Iesum Christum, Filium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spīritus Sancti, Deus, per ōmnia sǣcula sǣculōrum.

PREFACE OF THE NATIVITY

Vere dignum et justum est, æquum et salutāre, nos tibi semper, et ubiq̄e grātias āgere: Dōmine sancte, Pater omnipotens, ætérne Deus. Quia per incarnāti Verbi mystērium nova mentis nostræ ōculis lux tuæ claritātis infūlsit: ut dum visibiliter Deum cognōscimus, per hunc invisibīlium amōrem rapiāmur. Et ideo cum Ángelis et Archāgelis, cum Thronis et Dōminatiōnibus, cumque omni milītia cælēstis exércitus, hymnum glōriæ tuæ cānimus sine fine dicēntes:

COMMUNION Psalms 97: 3

Viderunt omnes fines terræ salutāre Dei nostri.

POSTCOMMUNION

Hæc nos commūnio, Dōmine, purget a crimine: et, intercedēnte beāta Virgine Dei Genetrice Mariā, cælēstis remēdii faciāt esse consōrtes. Per eūndem Dōminum nostrum Iesum Christum, Filium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spīritus Sancti, Deus, per ōmnia sǣcula sǣculōrum.

For St. Telesphorus

Refectiōne sancta enutrītā gubérna, quāsumus Dōmine, tuam placātus Ecclēsiā: ut potēntia moderatiōne dirēcta, et incremēnta libertātis accipiat et in religiōnis integritate persīstat. Per Dōminum nostrum Iesum Christum, Filium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spīritus Sancti, Deus, per ōmnia sǣcula sǣculōrum.

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.

O God, Who through the fruitful virginity of blessed Mary didst secure for mankind the reward of eternal salvation: grant, we beseech Thee, that we may experience her intercession for us, through whom we have been made worthy to receive the Author of life, our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son: Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Eternal Shepherd, regard graciously Thy flock, and keep it with an everlasting protection, by the intercession of blessed Telesphorus, Thy Martyr and Sovereign Pontiff, whom Thou hast constituted shepherd of the whole Church. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Dearly beloved: The grace of God our Savior hath appeared to all men, instructing us, that, denying ungodliness and worldly desires, we should live soberly and justly and godly in this world, looking for the blessed hope and coming of the glory of the great God and our Savior Jesus Christ: Who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from all iniquity, and might cleanse to Himself a people acceptable, a pursuer of good works. These things speak and exhort: in Christ Jesus our Lord.

All the ends 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 nations.

Alleluia, alleluia. God, Who in divers manners spoke in times past to the fathers by the prophets, last of all in these days hath spoken to us by His Son. Alleluia.

At that time, after eight days were accomplished, that the Child should be circumcised: His Name was called Jesus, which was called by the Angel before he was conceived in the womb.

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.

Receive, we beseech Thee, O Lord, our offerings and prayers, cleansing us by these heavenly mysteries, and mercifully hearing 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.

By the offered gifts we beg Thee, O Lord: enlighten kindly Thy Church: so that Thy flock everywhere may be increasing, and the Shepherds, under Thy direction, may be pleasing to Thy Name. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

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 be through Him be drawn to the love of things invisible. And therefore with Angels and Archangels, with Thrones and Dōminations, and with all the hosts of the heavenly army, we sing the hymn of Thy glory, evermore saying:

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

May this communion, O Lord, cleanse us from all sin, and by the intercession of the blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God, make us partakers of the heavenly remedy. 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.

O Lord, we beseech Thee, graciously govern Thy Church, which Thou hast fed with a holy meal; so that, directed by a mighty wisdom, she may progress in liberty, and persist in the integrity of faith. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.