

## SPRINKLING RITE BEFORE HIGH MASS

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(Optional)

### ASPÉRGES ME

(The *Aspérges me* may be used for the Sprinkling Rite before High Masses outside the time of Easter, that is after Pentecost Sunday until Easter Sunday. In the time of the Passion, the *Glória Patri* is not said after the psalm *Miserére*, but the antiphon *Aspérges me* is immediately repeated. During Eastertime, the *Vidi aquam* is used instead of the *Aspérges me*.)

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A - spér - ges me,\* Dó - mi - ne, hys - só - po, et mun - dá -  
bor: la - vá - bis me, et sú - per ní - vem de - al - bá - bor.  
*Ps. 50.* Mi - se - ré - re mé - i, Dé - us, \* se - cún - dum  
má - gnam mi - se - ri - cór - di - am tú - am. Gló - ri - a  
Pá - tri, et Fí - li - o, et Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto: \*  
Sic - ut é - rat in prin - cí - pi - o, et nunc, et sem - per,  
et in saé - cu - la sae - cu - ló - rum. A - men.

Psalms 50: 9, 3

Thou shalt sprinkle me with hyssop, O Lord, and I shall be cleansed;  
Wash me, and I shall be made whiter than snow.  
Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Thy great mercy.

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, forever and ever.  
Amen.

### VIDIAQUAM

8  
Vi - di á - quam e - gre - di - én - tem de tém - plo,  
a lá - te - re dex - tro, al - le - lú - ia: et ó - mnes,  
ad quos per - vé - nit á - qua í - sta, sál - vi  
fá - cti sunt, et dí - cent, al - le - lú - ia, al - le -  
lú - ia. *R.* Con - fi - té - mi - ni Dó - mi - no quó - ni - am bó - nus:  
quó - ni - am in saé - cu - lum mi - se - ri - cór - di - a é - jus.  
Gló - ri - a Pá - tri, et Fí - li - o, et Spi - rí - tu - i  
Sán - cto. \* Sic - ut é - rat in prin - cí - pi - o, et nunc,  
et sem - per, et in saé - cu - la sae - cu - ló - rum. A - men.

(Ezekiel 47: 1, 9)

I saw water flowing from the temple,  
from the right side, alleluia; and all  
to whom that water came were saved,  
and they shall say, alleluia, alleluia.

(Psalms 117: 1)

Praise the Lord, for He is good:  
for His mercy endures forever.

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, forever and ever.  
Amen.

(Psalms 84: 8)

**P:** Osténde nobis, Dómine, misericórdiam tuam. (T.P. Alleluia.)

Show us, O Lord, Thy mercy. (P.T. Alleluia.)

**All:** Et salutáre tuum da nobis. (T.P. Alleluia.)

And grant us Thy salvation. (P.T. Alleluia.)

(Psalms 101: 2)

**P:** Dómine, exáudi oratióem meam.

O Lord, hear my prayer.

**All:** Et clamor meus ad te véniat.

And let my cry come unto Thee.

**P:** Dóminus vobíscum.

The Lord be with you.

**All:** Et cum spírítu tuo.

And with thy spirit.

**P:** Orémus.

Let us pray.

**P:** Exáudi nos, Dómine, sancte Pater, omnípotens ætérne Deus: et mittere dignéris sanctum Ángelum tuum de cælis; qui custódiat, fóveat, prótegat, vísitet atque deféndat omnes habitántes in hoc habitáculo. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum.

**All:** Amen.

Graciously hear us, O Holy Lord, Father Almighty, eternal God; and vouchsafe to send Thy holy Angel from Heaven to guard, cherish, protect, visit, and defend all those that are assembled together in this house.

Through Christ our Lord.

**All:** Amen.