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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.

**MASS PROPER: DECEMBER 30,
6TH DAY IN THE OCTAVE OF CHRISTMAS**

MASS (*Puer natus est*) (white)

INTROIT *Isaiah 9: 6*

Puer natus est nobis, et filius datus est nobis: cuius imprium super humerum ejus: et vocabitur nomen ejus magni consilii Angelus. (Ps 97: 1) Cantate Domino canticum novum, quia mirabilia fecit. Gloria Patri et Filio et Spiriti Sancto, sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper, et in saecula saeculorum. Amen. Puer natus est nobis, et filius datus est nobis: cuius imprium super humerum ejus: et vocabitur nomen ejus magni consilii Angelus.

COLLECT

Concede, quæsumus, omnipotens Deus: ut nos Unigeniti tui nova per carnem Nativitas liberet; quos sub peccati iugo vetusta servitus tenet. Per eundem Dominum nostrum Jesum Christum, Filium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Sp̄iritus Sancti, Deus, per omnia saecula saeculorum.

EPISTLE *Titus 3: 4-7*

Carissime: Apparuit benignitas et humanitas Salvatoris nostri Dei: non ex operibus justitiae, quæ fecimus nos, sed secundum suam misericordiam salvos nos fecit per lavacrum regenerationis et renovationis Sp̄iritus Sancti, quem effudit in nos abunde per Jesum Christum, Salvatorem nostrum: ut, justificati gratia ipsius, heredes simus secundum spem vitae æternæ: in Christo Iesu, Domino nostro.

GRADUAL *Psalms 97: 3-4, 2*

Viderunt omnes fines terræ salutare Dei nostri: jubilate Deo, omnis terra. Notum fecit Dominus salutare suum:

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.

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.

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.

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God: sing joyfully to God, all the earth. The Lord hath

ante conspectum gentium revelavit justitiam suam.

LESSER ALLELUIA

Alleluia, alleluia. Dies sanctificatus illuxit nobis: venite, gentes, et adorate Dominum: quia hodie descendit lux magna super terram. Alleluia.

GOSPEL Luke 2: 15-20

In illo tempore: Pastores loquebantur ad invicem: Transeamus usque Béthlehem, et videamus hoc verbum, quod factum est, quod Dóminus ostendit nobis. Et venerunt festinantes: et invenérunt Maríam et Joseph. et Infántem pósitum in præsépio. Vidéntes autem cognovérunt de verbo, quod dictum erat illis de Púero hoc. Et omnes, qui audiérunt, mirati sunt: et de his, quæ dicta erant a pastóribus ad ipsos. Maríam autem conservábat ómnia verba hæc, cónferens in corde suo. Et revérsi sunt pastores, glorificantes et laudantes Deum in ómnibus, quæ audíerant et viderant, sicut dictum est ad illos.

OFFERTORY Psalms 88: 12, 15

Tui sunt cæli et tua est terra: orbem terrarum et plenitudinem ejus tu fundasti: justitia et iudicium præparatio sedis tuæ.

SECRET

Oblata, Dómine, múnera, nova Unigéni tui Nativitatē sanctifica: nosque a peccatórum nostrorum máculis emunda. Per eundem Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Filiū tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitatē Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǽcula sǽculorum.

PREFACE OF THE NATIVITY

Vere dignum et justum est, aequum et

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 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.

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.

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.

It is truly meet and just, right and for

salutare, nos tibi semper, et ubique grátias ágere: Dómine sancte, Pater omnípotens, æterne Deus. Quia per incarnati Verbi mystérium nova mentis nostræ oculis lux tuæ claritatis infúlsit: ut dum visibiliter Deum cognoscimus, per hunc invisibilium amorem rapiámur. Et ídeo cum Ángelis et Archángelis, cum Thronis et Dóminatióibus, cumque omni milítia cælestis exércitus, hymnum gloriæ tuæ cámimus sine fine dicentes:

COMMUNICANTES FOR THE NATIVITY

Communicantes, et diem sacratissimum celebrantes, quo beatæ Mariæ intemerata virginitas huic mundo edidit Salvatorem: sed et memóriam reverentes, in primis ejusdem gloriósae semper Vírginis Mariæ, Genetrícis ejusdem Dei et Dómini Iesu Christi: sed et beatí Joseph ejusdem Vírginis Sponsi, et beatórum Apostolórum ac Mártyrum tuórum, Petri et Pauli, Andréæ, Jacóbi, Joánnis, Thomæ, Jacóbi, Philíppi, Bartholomæi, Matthæi, Simónis: et Thaddæi: Lini, Cleti, Cleméntis, Xysti, Cornélii, Cypriáni, Lauréntii, Chrysogoni, Joánnis et Pauli, Cosmæ et Damiánis: et ómnium Sanctorum tuórum; quorum méritis, precibúsque concédas, ut in ómnibus protectiōnis tuæ muniámur auxilio. Per eundem Christum Dóminum Nostrum. Amen.

COMMUNION Psalms 97: 3

Vidérunt omnes fines terræ salutare Dei nostri.

POSTCOMMUNION

Præsta, quæsumus, omnípotens Deus: ut natus hodie Salvátor mundi, sicut divinæ nobis generatiōnis est

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 Dóminations, and with all the hosts of the heavenly army, we sing the hymn of Thy glory, evermore saying:

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 our 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.

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

Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, that as the Savior of the world born on this day is the Author of our