

Solemnity of the Dedication of the Cathedral of St Stephen Saturday, 4 December 2021 | 11.30am

INTROIT Gen 28: 17, 22

Terribilis est locus iste: hic domus Dei est, et porta caeli: et vocabitur aula Dei.

How magnificent this place is! This is the House of God and the gateway to heaven, and it will be called the courtyard of God.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ our head and cornerstone; sent and chosen by the Father, binding all the Church in one; Holy Sion's help forever, and her confidence alone.

All that dedicated city, dearly loved of God on high, in exultant jubilation pours perpetual melody, God the Three-in-One adoring, praising Him eternally.

To this temple, where we call you, come, O Lord our God, today; with your gentle loving kindness hear your people as they pray, and your grace and benediction shed within these walls always.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Archbishop In the name of the + Father, and of the Son,

and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

Archbishop Peace be with you.

All And with your spirit.

PENITENTIAL RITE

Archbishop Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins,

and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred

mysteries.

All I confess...

KYRIE ELEISON

The Schola sings the Kyrie Eleison from "Messe G-Dur' D.167
- Franz Schubert (1797-1828)

Kyrie Eleison. Lord, have mercy. Christe Eleison. Christ, have mercy. Kyrie Eleison. Lord, have mercy.

GLORIA

The Schola sings the Gloria in Excelsis from "Messe G-Dur' D.167 - Franz Schubert (1797-1828)

Glory to God in the highest. And on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you. We bless you. We adore you. We glorify You.

We give you thanks for your great glory. Lord God, heavenly King,

O God Almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, the Only-begotten Son.

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father:

You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer.

You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One. You alone are the Lord.

You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,

With the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

COLLECT

LITURGY OF THE WORD

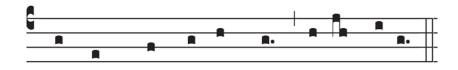
FIRST READING

Ezekiel 43:1-2, 4-7

God's Glory returns to the Temple

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

1 Chron. 29:10-12. R/v. 13



№ We praise your glo-rious name, O migh-ty God.

SECOND READING

1 Cor. 3:9-11. 16-17

You are the Temple of God

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

2 Chron. 7:16



v. God has called us with the Gospel: to share in the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

GOSPEL John4:19-24

True worshippers will worship the Father in spirit and truth.

HOMILY The Archbishop

APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, At the words that follow, up to and including 'the Virgin Mary', all bow. who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

OFFERTORY MOTET

Locus iste a Deo factus est, inaestimabile sacramentum, irreprehensibilis est.

Genesis 28:16

This place was made by God, a mystery beyond comprehension; it is without reproach.

> Gradual for the Dedication of a Church Music: Anton Bruckner (1824-1896)

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

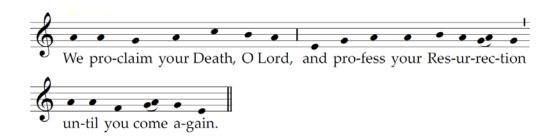
PREFACE

SANCTUS (ALL SING)



EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



AMEN

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Sung)

AGNUS DEI

The Schola sings the Agnus Dei from from "Messe G-Dur' D.167
- Franz Schubert (1797-1828)

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

FRACTION RITE

Archbishop Behold the Lamb of God.

Behold him to takes away the sins of the world.

Blessed are those called to the Supper of the Lamb.

All Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter

under my roof, but only say the word,

and my soul shall be healed.

HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION MOTET

Adoro te devote, latens Deitas, quae sub his figuris vere latitas, tibi se cor meum totum subjicit, quia te contemplans totum deficit.

Thee we adore, O hidden Saviour, Who in Thy sacrament dost deign to be; Both flesh and spirit at Thy presence fail, Yet here Thy presence we devoutly hail.

Text: attr. St Thomas Aquinas (c.1225- 1274) Music: Josef Gabriel Rheinberger (1839-1901)

COMMUNION HYMN

The Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord; She is the new creation by water and the word; From heaven he came and sought her to be his holy bride; With his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.

Elect from ev'ry nation, yet one throughout all the earth, Her charter of salvation: one Lord, one faith, one birth; One holy name she blesses, and shares one holy food, As to one hope she presses, with ev'ry grace endued.

On earth she is in union with God the Three-in-One; And mystic, sweet communion with those whose rest is won: O happy ones and holy! Lord, grant to us your grace, With them the meek and lowly, in heav'n to see your face.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

CONCLUDING RITES

SOLEMN BLESSING

ORGAN POSTLUDE

Toccata in B Minor (from 'Dix Pieces pour Orgue')
– Eugène Gigout (1844-1925)

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