



Feast of the Conversion of St Paul

25 January 2025

ENTRANCE HYMN

Let all the Church acclaim St Paul
And sing the glories of his call;
The Lord made an apostle be
From one who was his enemy.

The name of Christ set Paul afire
Enkindling him with great desire;
And higher these same blazes reached
When of the love of Christ he preached.

His merits are forever praised
For to the heavens he was raised,
And there, the all-mysterious word,
That none dare speak, by Paul was heard.

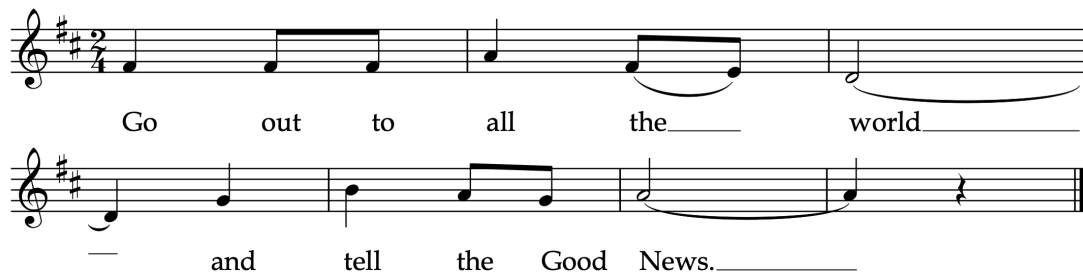
To Christ all glory, and all praise
To Father and the Spirit raise,
Who for the nations' saving call
Gave us the splendour of Saint Paul.

FIRST READING

Acts 22:3-16

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 116



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

I have chosen you from the world, says the Lord,
to go and bear fruit that will last.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 16:15-18

COMMUNION HYMN

CWBII 423

By all your saints still striving, for all your saints at rest,
your holy Name, O Jesus, for evermore be blessed.
You rose, our King victorious, that they might wear the crown
and ever shine in splendour reflected from our throne.

Praise for the light from heaven and for the voice of awe:
praise for the glorious vision the persecutor saw.
O Lord, for Paul's conversion, we bless your Name today.
Come shine within our darkness and guide us in the Way.

Then let us praise the Father and worship God the Son
and sing to God the Spirit, eternal Three in One,
till all the ransomed number who stand before the throne,
ascribe all pow'r and glory and praise to God alone.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

CWBII 416

Immaculate Mary, we praise God in you:
his pow'r and his mercy, his grace giv'n to you.

Refrain *Ave, Ave, Ave, Maria.*
 Ave, Ave, Ave Maria.

The angels rejoiced when you brought forth God's Son;
your joy is the joy of all ages to come. *Refrain*

Your child is the Saviour, all hope lies in him:
he gives us new life and redeems us from sin. *Refrain*

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