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# Celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ!

Christmas Eve Livestream Mass

Thursday, December 24, 4:00 pm at [www.padreserra.org/mass](http://www.padreserra.org/mass)

There will be Holy Communion after the 4:00 pm Christmas Eve Livestream Mass. Everyone is asked to park their car and walk to the gazebo in front of the church courtyard. Please maintain social distancing, and wear your masks over your nose and mouth. When you have received, step well to the side, away from everyone else, before removing your mask and prayerfully receiving the Lord. If there are many communicants, there will be a second station on the other side of the large Tau cross out front. If you have mobility challenges, you may park in front of the cross, in the unloading area, and Communion will be brought to you.



## GATHERING

### O Come, All Ye Faithful

Verses

1. O come, all ye faith - ful, joy - ful and tri - um - phant, O  
 2. † Sing, choirs of an - gels, sing in ex - ul - ta - tion, †  
 3. † Yea, Lord, we greet thee, born this hap - py morn - ing, †  
 4. Ad - é - ste fi - dé - les, lae - ti tri - um - phán - tes, Ve -

1. come ye, O come — ye to Beth - le - hem;  
 2. Sing, all ye cit - i - zens of heav'n a - bove!  
 3. Je - sus, to thee — be all glo - ry giv'n;  
 4. ní - te, ve - ní - te in Béth - le - hem.

1. Come and be - hold him, born the King of an - gels;  
 2. Glo - ry to God, all glo - ry in the high - est;  
 3. Word of the Fa - ther, now in flesh ap - pear - ing;  
 4. Na - tum vi - dé - te Re - gem an - ge - ló - rum.

Refrain

O come, let us a - dore him, O come, let us a - dore him, O  
 Ve - ní - te, a - do - ré - mus, ve - ní - te, a - do - ré - mus, ve -

come, let us a - dore him, Christ, the Lord!  
 ní - te, a - do - ré - mus Dó - mi - num.

Glory to God

Jason Stoll

REFRAIN:

Glo-ry to God in the high - est - Glo - ry - to - God -  
 Glo - ry to God in the High - est - and on earth, peace - to - peo -  
 - ple of - good will.

VERSE 1:

We praise You, - we bless you - we a-dore you - we glo-ri-fy you,  
 we give - you - thanks - for Your great glo - ry -  
 Lord God hea - ven - ly King O - God al - migh - ty Fa -  
 - ther Lord Je - sus - Christ - on - ly be - got - ten Son -  
 Lord - God Lamb of God Son of - the - Fa - ther

VERSE 2:

You take aw-ay - the sins - of the world have mer - cy - on - us.  
 - You take a - way - the sins - of the world re - ceive our - prayer  
 - You are sea - ted at - the - right - hand - of the Fa -  
 - ther - have mer - cy - on - us -

VERSE 3:

For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One You a-lone are the Lord -  
 You a - lone are the Most - High Je - sus - Christ -  
 With the Ho - ly - Spir - it in the Glo-ry of God the - Fa -  
 - ther -



**Reading 1**  
Isaiah 9:1-6

**Reading 2**  
Titus 2:11-14

**Gospel Reading**  
Luke 2:1-14

### The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
 Creator of heaven and earth,  
 and in Jesus Christ,  
 his only Son, our Lord,  
*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.

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 96: Today Is Born Our Savior, Christ the Lord Carol Browning & Ray Hermann



1. Sing to the Lord; sing a new song!  
 Sing to the Lord, all you lands.  
 Sing to the Lord, sing a new song!  
 Sing to the Lord, bless God's name.
2. Day after day, announce salvation.  
 Tell of God's power and might.  
 To all the nations, all Gods people.  
 Tell of God's wonderful deeds.
3. Let the heavens be glad, let the earth rejoice.  
 Let the sea and what fills it resound.  
 Let the fields be joyful and all therein.  
 The trees of the forest sing for joy!

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I proclaim to you  
**GOOD NEWS of GREAT JOY:**  
 today a *Savior* is born for us,  
*Christ of Lord.*

Luke 2:10-11

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

"Jubilation Mass"

James Chepponis



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**INTERCESSION RESPONSE****"Mass of the Father's Love"**

Divinum Mysterium, arr. Carol Browning



Hear us Lord, O hear our prayer.

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**PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND GIFTS****It Came Upon a Midnight Clear**

1. It came up - on the mid - night clear, That glo - rious  
 2. Still through the clo - ven skies they come, With peace - ful  
 3. And ye, be - neath life's crush - ing load, Whose forms are  
 4. For, lo, the days are has - tening on, By proph - et



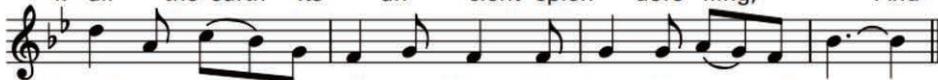
1. song of old, From an - gels bend - ing near the  
 2. wings un - furled, And still their heav'n - ly mu - sic  
 3. bend - ing low, Who toil a - long the climb - ing  
 4. bards fore - told, When with the ev - er - cir - cling



1. earth To touch their harps of gold: "Peace on the earth, good  
 2. floats O'er all the wea - ry world: A - bove its sad and  
 3. way With pain - ful steps and slow, Look now! for glad and  
 4. years Comes 'round the age of gold; When peace shall o - ver



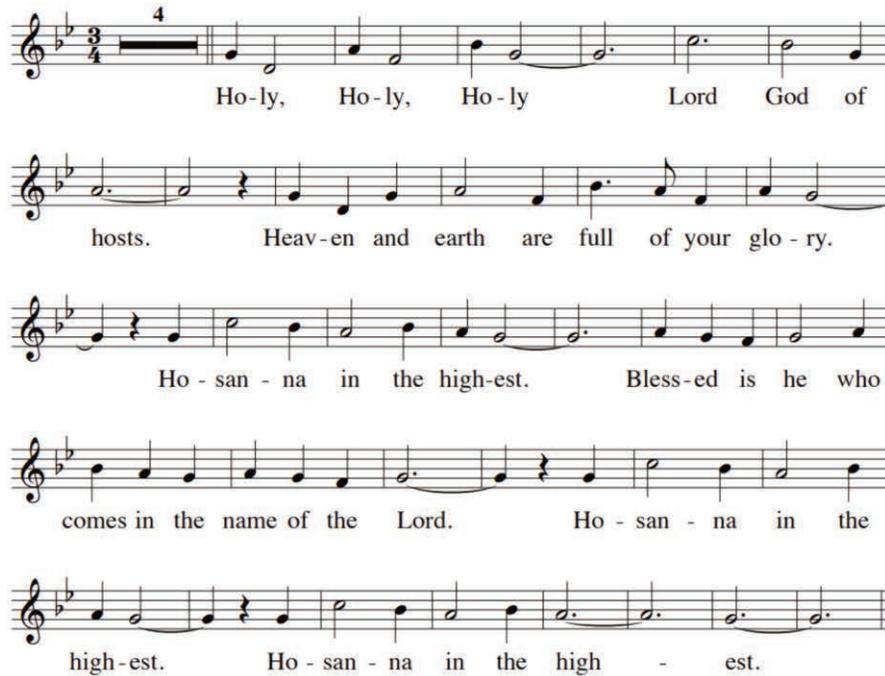
1. will to all From heav'n's all gra - cious King;" The  
 2. low - ly plains They bend on hov - 'ring wing, And  
 3. gold - en hours Come swift - ly on the wing: O  
 4. all the earth Its an - cient splen - dors fling, And



1. world in sol - emn still - ness lay, To hear the an - gels sing.  
 2. ev - er o'er its Ba - bel sounds The bless - ed an - gels sing.  
 3. rest be - side the wea - ry road And hear the an - gels sing.  
 4. all the world give back the song Which now the an - gels sing.

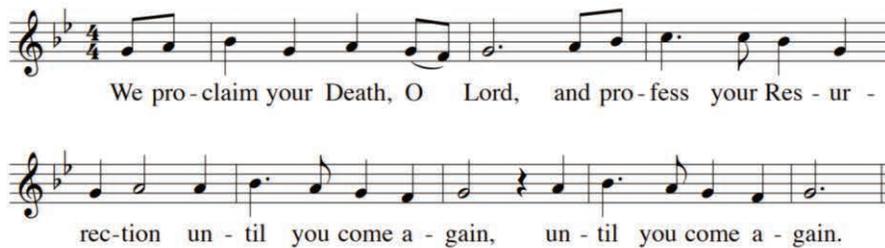
**EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS****"Mass of Creation"**

Marty Haugen

**Holy, Holy, Holy**


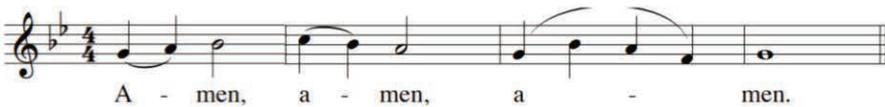
Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of  
 hosts. Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry.  
 Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who  
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the  
 high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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**Memorial Acclamation A**


We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your Res - ur -  
 rec - tion un - til you come a - gain, un - til you come a - gain.

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**Amen**


A - men, a - men, a - men.

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**Lamb of God**

Bob Hurd



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:  
 1-2. have mer - cy on us, mer - cy on us.  
 7 grant — us peace, grant — us peace.

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## Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that  
 You are present in the  
 Blessed Sacrament.  
 I love you above all things,  
 and I desire you with  
 all my heart.  
 Since I cannot receive You  
 now sacramentally,  
 I ask You to come  
 into my heart spiritually.  
 I embrace You as if  
 You were already in my heart,  
 and unite myself  
 to You completely.  
 Please do not ever let me  
 be far from You.  
 Amen.

*Suggested by Pope Francis*



### Invitation to Communion

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter un-der my roof,  
 but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

### COMMUNION SONG

#### Silent Night

1. Si - lent night, ho - ly night! All is calm,  
 2. Si - lent night, ho - ly night! Shep - herds quake  
 3. Si - lent night, ho - ly night! Son of God,  
 1. ¡No-che de paz, no - che de a - mor! To - do duer - me en  
 2. ¡No-che de paz, no - che de a - mor! O - ye hu - mil - de el  
 3. ¡No-che de paz, no - che de a - mor! Mi - ra qué gran

all is bright Round yon vir - gin  
 at the sight; Glo - ries stream from  
 love's pure light Ra - diant beams from  
 de - rre - dor, En - tre los as - tros que es -  
 fiel pas - tor, Co - ros ce - les - tes que a -  
 res - plan - dor Lu - ce en el ros - tro del

moth - er and child. Ho - ly In - fant so  
 heav - en a - far; Heav'n - ly hosts sing  
 thy ho - ly face, With the dawn of re -  
 par - cen su luz, Be - lla, a - nun - cian - do al ni -  
 nun - cian sa - lud, Gra - cias y glo - rias en  
 ni - ño Je - sús, En el pe - se - bre, del

ten - der and mild, Sleep in heav - en - ly  
 al - le - lu - ia! Christ, the Sav - ior, is  
 deem - ing grace, Je - sus, Lord, at thy  
 ñi - to Je - sús, Bri - lla la es - tre - lla de  
 gran ple - ni - tud, Por nues - tro buen Re - den -  
 mun - do la luz, As - tro de e - ter - no ful -

peace, Sleep in heav - en - ly peace.  
 born! Christ, the Sav - ior, is born!  
 birth, Je - sus, Lord, at thy birth.  
 paz, Bri - lla la es - tre - lla de paz.  
 tor, Por nues - tro buen Re - den - tor.  
 gor, As - tro de e - ter - no ful - gor.



## SENDING FORTH

### Angels We Have Heard on High



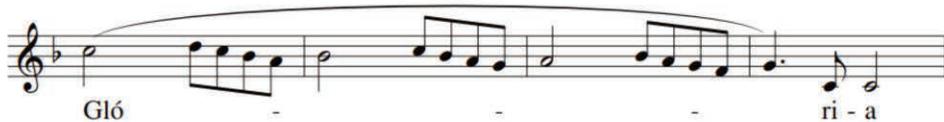
1. An - gels we have heard on high Sweet - ly sing - ing  
 2. Shep - herds, why this ju - bi - lee? Why your joy - ous  
 3. Come to Beth - le - hem and see Him whose birth the  
 4. See him in a man - ger laid Whom the choirs of



o'er the plains, And the moun - tains in re - ply  
 strains pro - long? Say what may the tid - ings be  
 an - gels sing; Come, a - dore on bend - ed knee  
 an - gels praise; Mar - y, Jo - seph, lend your aid,



Ech - o back their joy - ous strains.  
 Which in - spire your heav'n - ly song.  
 Christ the Lord, the new - born King.  
 While our hearts in love we raise.



Gloria - - - - - ria



in ex - celsis De - o. Gloria - - - - -



- - - - - ria in ex - celsis De - o.

Text: *Les anges dans nos campagnes*; French, c. 18th C.; tr. from *Crown of Jesus Music*, London, 1862  
 Tune: GLORIA, 7 7 7 7 with refrain; French traditional



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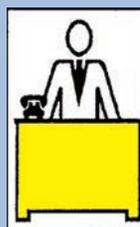
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