



ST BARNABAS

Apostle & Martyr



Nunc Dimittis, ca. 1505-1510, Giovanni Bellini (ca. 1430-1516)

27th December 2020 – 10:30am

The Sunday after Christmas Day

Missa cantata

Organ Prelude Deux Noëls: 1. Noël huron

Denis Bédard (b. 1950)

Please stand for the entrance of the sacred ministers.

Opening Hymn *sung by cantors*

Regent Square

Please remember that congregational singing is not permitted at this time.

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| <p>1. ANGELS, from the realms of glory,
Wing your flight o'er all the earth;
Ye who sang creation's story,
Now proclaim Messiah's birth:
Come and worship,
Worship CHRIST, the new-born King.</p> <p>2. Shepherds in the field abiding,
Watching o'er your flocks by night,
GOD with man is now residing,
Yonder shines the infant Light:
Come and worship,
Worship CHRIST, the new-born King.</p> | <p>3. Sages, leave your contemplations;
Brighter visions beam afar;
Seek the great Desire of nations,
Ye have seen his natal star:
Come and worship,
Worship CHRIST, the new-born King.</p> <p>4. Saints before the altar bending,
Watching long in hope and fear,
Suddenly the LORD, descending,
In his temple shall appear:
Come and worship,
Worship CHRIST, the new-born King.</p> <p>5. Though an infant now we view him,
He shall fill his FATHER'S throne,
Gather all the nations to him;
Every knee shall then bow down:
Come and worship,
Worship CHRIST, the new-born King.</p> |
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Introit *Dum medium silentium*

Wisdom 18:14-15

Cantors When-as all the world was in profoundest quietness, and night was in the midst of her swift course: thine almighty word, O Lord, leaped down from heaven out of thy royal throne. *Ps.93:1*
The Lord is King, and hath put on glorious apparel: the Lord hath put on his apparel, and girded himself with strength. Glory be ... When-as all the world ...

Salutation and Collect for Purity

Celebrant The grace ✠ of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with you all.

People **And with thy spirit.**

ALMIGHTY God, unto whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Kyrie

Missa de Angelis

<i>Cantors</i>	Kyrie eleison	<i>Lord, have mercy upon us</i>
	Christe eleison	<i>Christ, have mercy upon us</i>
	Kyrie eleison	<i>Lord, have mercy upon us</i>

Gloria

Missa de Angelis

Celebrant
Cantors

GLORY be to God on high,
and in earth peace, good will towards men. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee,
we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King,
God the Father Almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesu Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that
takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world,
receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.
For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
✠ art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you;
People **And with thy spirit.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

ALMIGHTY God, who hast given us thy only begotten Son to take our nature upon him, and as
at this time to be born of a pure Virgin: Grant that we being regenerate, and made thy children by
adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by thy Holy Spirit; through the same our Lord Jesus
Christ, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the same Spirit, ever one God, world without end.
Amen.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Isaiah 61:10-62:3

I will greatly rejoice in the Lord;
my soul shall exult in my God,
for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation;
he has covered me with the robe of righteousness,
as a bridegroom decks himself like a priest with a beautiful headdress,
and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.
For as the earth brings forth its sprouts,
and as a garden causes what is sown in it to sprout up,
so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise
to sprout up before all the nations.

Zion's Coming Salvation

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
and for Jerusalem's sake I will not be quiet,
until her righteousness goes forth as brightness,
and her salvation as a burning torch.
The nations shall see your righteousness,
and all the kings your glory,
and you shall be called by a new name
that the mouth of the Lord will give.
You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord,
and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

Reader The Word of the Lord
People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 148 *Laudate Dominum*

Cantors O PRAISE the LORD from the heavens: / praise him in the heights.
Praise him, all ye angels of his: / praise him, all his host.
Praise him, sun and moon: / praise him, all ye stars of light.
Praise him, all ye heavens, / and ye waters that are above the heavens.
Let them praise the Name of the LORD; / for he commanded and they were created.
He hath made them fast for ever and ever: / he hath given them a law which shall not be broken.
PRAISE the LORD from the earth, / ye dragons and all deeps;
Fire and hail, snow and vapour, / wind and storm, fulfilling his word;
Mountains and all hills; / fruitful trees and all cedars;
Beasts and all cattle; / creeping things and feathered fowls;
Kings of the earth, and all peoples; / princes and all judges of the world;
Young men and maidens together; / old men and children;
Let them praise the Name of the LORD; / for his Name only is excellent, and his glory above
heaven and earth.
He shall exalt the horn of his people; all his saints shall praise him: / even the children of Israel,
even the people that serveth him.

Galatians 4:4-7

But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons. And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" So you are no longer a slave, but a son, and if a son, then an heir through God.

Reader The Word of the Lord
People **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual *Speciosus forma* *Psalm 45:2,1*

Cantors Thou art fairer than the children of men: full of grace are thy lips. *℟*. My heart is indicting of a good matter; I speak of the things which I have made unto the King: my tongue is the pen of a ready writer.

Alleluia *Dominus regnavit* *Psalm 93:1*

Cantors Alleluia, alleluia. The Lord is King, and hath put on glorious apparel: the Lord hath put on his apparel, and girded himself with strength. Alleluia.

The Gospel *St Luke 2:22-40*

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant ✠ The Holy Gospel is written in the second chapter of the Gospel according to St Luke, beginning at the twenty-second verse.

People **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

And when the days of her purification according to the law of Moses were accomplished, they brought him to Jerusalem, to present him to the Lord;
(As it is written in the law of the Lord, Every male that openeth the womb shall be called holy to the Lord;)
And to offer a sacrifice according to that which is said in the law of the Lord, A pair of turtledoves, or two young pigeons.

And, behold, there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon; and the same man was just and devout, waiting for the consolation of Israel: and the Holy Ghost was upon him. And it was revealed unto him by the Holy Ghost, that he should not see death, before he had seen the Lord's Christ.

And he came by the Spirit into the temple: and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, to do for him after the custom of the law,

Then took he him up in his arms, and blessed God, and said,
 Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word:
 For mine eyes have seen thy salvation,
 Which thou hast prepared before the face of all people;
 A light to lighten the Gentiles, and the glory of thy people Israel.

And Joseph and his mother marvelled at those things which were spoken of him.
 And Simeon blessed them, and said unto Mary his mother, Behold, this child is set for the fall and rising again of many in Israel; and for a sign which shall be spoken against;
 (Yea, a sword shall pierce through thy own soul also,) that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed.

And there was one Anna, a prophetess, the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Aser: she was of a great age, and had lived with an husband seven years from her virginity;
 And she was a widow of about fourscore and four years, which departed not from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day.
 And she coming in that instant gave thanks likewise unto the Lord, and spake of him to all them that looked for redemption in Jerusalem.

And when they had performed all things according to the law of the Lord, they returned into Galilee, to their own city Nazareth.
 And the child grew, and waxed strong in spirit, filled with wisdom: and the grace of God was upon him.

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

Sermon

Fr Stewart Murray

Nicene Creed

Missa de Angelis

Celebrant I BELIEVE in one God
Cantors the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible:
 And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, Begotten of the Father before all worlds; God, of God; Light, of Light; Very God, of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; Through whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man, And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried, And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead: Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, The Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, Who spake by the Prophets. And I believe One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church. I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the Resurrection of the dead,
 ✠ And the Life of the world to come. Amen.

THE INTERCESSION

A server leads the prayers for the Church, ending each petition with:

Reader Lord, in thy mercy,
People **Hear our prayer.**

The Invitation to Confession and Absolution

Celebrant YE that do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways: Draw near with faith, and take this holy Sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to Almighty God, meekly kneeling upon your knees.

All **ALMIGHTY God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men: We acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness, Which we from time to time most grievously have committed, By thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Celebrant ALMIGHTY God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him: Have mercy upon you; pardon and deliver you from all your sins; confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE OFFERTORY

Offertory *Deus firmavit* *Psalm 93:2,3*

Cantor God hath made the round world so sure that it cannot be moved: ever since the world began hath thy seat, O God, been prepared; thou art from everlasting.

Offertory Hymn sung by cantors *Forest Green*

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| <p>1. O LITTLE town of Bethlehem,
How still we see thee lie;
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep
The silent stars go by:
Yet in thy dark streets shineth
The evelasting Light;
The hopes and fears of all the years
Are met in thee to-night.</p> <p>2. For CHRIST is born of Mary;
And gathered all above,
While mortals sleep, the angels keep
Their watch of wondering love.
O morning stars, together
Proclaim the holy birth,
And praises sing to GOD the King,
And peace to men on earth!</p> | <p>3. For CHRIST is born of Mary;
And gathered all above,
While mortals sleep, the angels keep
Their watch of wondering love.
O morning stars, together
Proclaim the holy birth,
And praises sing to GOD the King,
And peace to men on earth!</p> <p>4. O Holy Child of Bethlehem,
Descend to us, we pray;
Cast out our sin, and enter in;
Be born in us to-day.
We hear the heavenly angels
The great glad tidings tell:
O come to us, abide with us,
Our Lord Immanuel.</p> |
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Secret (Prayer over the Gifts)

Celebrant Grant, we beseech thee, Almighty God: that these gifts which we offer in the sight of thy divine majesty, may obtain for us grace to serve thee in this life with all godliness, and bring us in the end to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. **Amen.**

Mass Intentions of the Day

Celebrant Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours be acceptable unto God the Father almighty.
People **May the Lord receive the sacrifice at thy hands, to the praise and glory of His Name, to our benefit and to that of all His Holy Church.**

THE CANON OF THE MASS

Celebrant THE Lord be with you;
People **And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts;
People **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God;
People **It is meet and right so to do.**

Celebrant IT is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places give thanks unto thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God, Creator and Preserver of all things.

BECAUSE thou didst give Jesus Christ thine only Son to be born as at this time for us; who, by the operation of the Holy Spirit, was made very man of the substance of the Virgin Mary his mother; and that without spot of sin, to make us clean from all sin.

THEREFORE with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee and saying:

Sanctus and Benedictus

Missa de Angelis

Cantors HOLY, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts, Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

BLESSED ✠ is he that cometh in the Name of the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant BLESSING and glory and thanksgiving be unto thee Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of thy tender mercy didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the Cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memorial of that his precious death, until his coming again.

Hear us, O merciful Father, we most humbly beseech thee; and grant that we receiving these thy creatures of bread and wine, according to thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood; who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took Bread; and, when he had given thanks, he brake it; and gave it to his disciples, saying, Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me. ✠ Likewise after supper he took the Cup; and, when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, Drink ye all, of this; for this is my Blood of the new

Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins: Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me. ✠

Wherefore, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, we thy humble servants, with all thy holy Church, remembering the precious death of thy beloved Son, his mighty resurrection, and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again in glory, do make before thee, in this sacrament of the holy Bread of eternal life and the Cup of everlasting salvation, the memorial which he hath commanded; And we entirely desire thy fatherly goodness mercifully to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, most humbly beseeching thee to grant, that by the merits and death of thy Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in his blood, we and all thy whole Church may obtain remission of our sins, and all other benefits of his passion; And we pray that by the power of thy Holy Spirit, all we who are partakers of this holy Communion may be fulfilled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; through Jesus Christ our Lord, by whom and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end.

People **Amen.**

THE COMMUNION

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray. As our Saviour Christ hath commanded and taught us, we are bold to say,

All **Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen.**

The Fraction and Pax

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

The Prayer of Humble Access

All **We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, Trusting in our own righteousness, But in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy So much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord, Whose property is always to have mercy: Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, So to eat the Flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, And to drink his Blood, That our sinful bodies may be made clean by his Body, And our souls washed through his most precious Blood, And that we may evermore dwell in him, And he in us. Amen.**

Agnus Dei

Missa de Angelis

Cantors O LAMB of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us thy peace.

Invitation to Communion

Celebrant Behold the Lamb of God ...

All **Lord, I am not worthy that Thou shouldst come under my roof, but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.**

Communion *Tolle puerum*

Matthew 2:20

Cantors Take the young Child and his mother, and go into the land of Israel: for they are dead which sought the young Child's life.

Music at Communion Resonet in laudibus

15th c. (St. Gall)

THANKSGIVING AND DISMISSAL

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant ALMIGHTY and everliving God,
All we most heartily thank thee that thou dost graciously feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; assuring us thereby of thy favour and goodness towards us; and that we are living members of his mystical body, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of thy everlasting kingdom.

And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee. And although we are unworthy, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offences; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. Amen.

The Blessing

Celebrant THE peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: And the blessing of God Almighty, ✠ the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you and remain with you always. Amen.

The Dismissal

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant Let us depart in peace.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Post-Communion Hymn *sung by cantors*

In Dulci Jubilo

1. GOOD Christian men, rejoice,
With heart and soul and voice,
Give ye heed to what we say:
News! News!
JESUS CHRIST is born to-day;
Ox and ass before him bow,
And he is in the manger now.
CHRIST is born to-day!
CHRIST is born to-day!

2. Good Christian men, rejoice,
With heart and soul and voice;
Now ye hear of endless bliss:
 Joy! Joy!
JESUS CHRIST was born for this!
He hath oped the heavenly door,
And man is blessed evermore.
 CHRIST was born for this!
 CHRIST was born for this!

3. Good Christian men, rejoice,
With heart and soul and voice!
Now ye need not fear the grave:
 Peace! Peace!
JESUS CHRIST was born to save!
Calls you one and calls you all,
To gain his everlasting hall:
 CHRIST was born to save!
 CHRIST was born to save!

Organ Postlude Chorale Prelude on "In dulci jubilo" (BWV 729)

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

In memoriam

Flowers on the Lady Altar are given in loving memory of Robert Mainwaring, by Dianne Coates.

The Light before the Blessed Sacrament is given in loving memory of Mildred and William Bell, Doris and Cyril Broughall, Gladys and George Sheldon, and Eva and William Judge, by Shaun, Rosemary, and Michael.

Flowers decorating the church have been given in memory of
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