

Catholic Church of St. Mark



December 7, 2025

Entrance Hymn

(Come Now, Emmanuel)

(a tempo)

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Week 2 1. Now is the time; pre - pare the way; sal - va - tion is
2. Now is the time; re - form your lives. The reign_____ of
3. Com-fort, O God,_____ grant to us._____ Ten - der - ly



1. close___ at hand._____ Make straight___ the paths___ of___ the
2. God is at hand!_____ On___ that day a shoot___ shall
3. speak___ your Word._____ Then shall your glo - ry be___ re -
4. splen-dor of God._____ Wrap on the cloak of jus - tice and

rit. to Refrain



1. Lord. Lift up your voices and pray: _____

2. sprout, blos - som - ing; so let us pray: _____

3. vealed; help us to cry out with zeal: _____

Refrain



Advent Weeks 1-3 Come, Lord! Ma - ra - na - tha! Come and bring us your

Advent Week 4 Come now, Em-man - u - el! Come and bring us your



peace. Come, Lord, Ma - ra - na - tha! Come to us;
peace. Come now, Em - man - u - el! Come to us;



<u>set</u> us free.	Come, Lord, and bring us your peace.
set us free.	Come now and bring us your peace.

Greeting

Penitential Rite

Collect

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 11:1-10

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17



R. Jus-tice shall flour-ish in his time, and full-ness of peace for ev-er.

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Second Reading

Romans 15:4-9

Gospel Acclamation

Mass of St. Mary Magdalene
Sarah Hart



Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.



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Gospel
Homily

Matthew 3:1-12

Profession of Faith (Nicene Creed)

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible, and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (bow) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried and rose again on the third day in accordance with the scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church, I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sin, and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the Faithful

R: Lord, hear our prayer

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts Hymn

DRAWN TO YOU

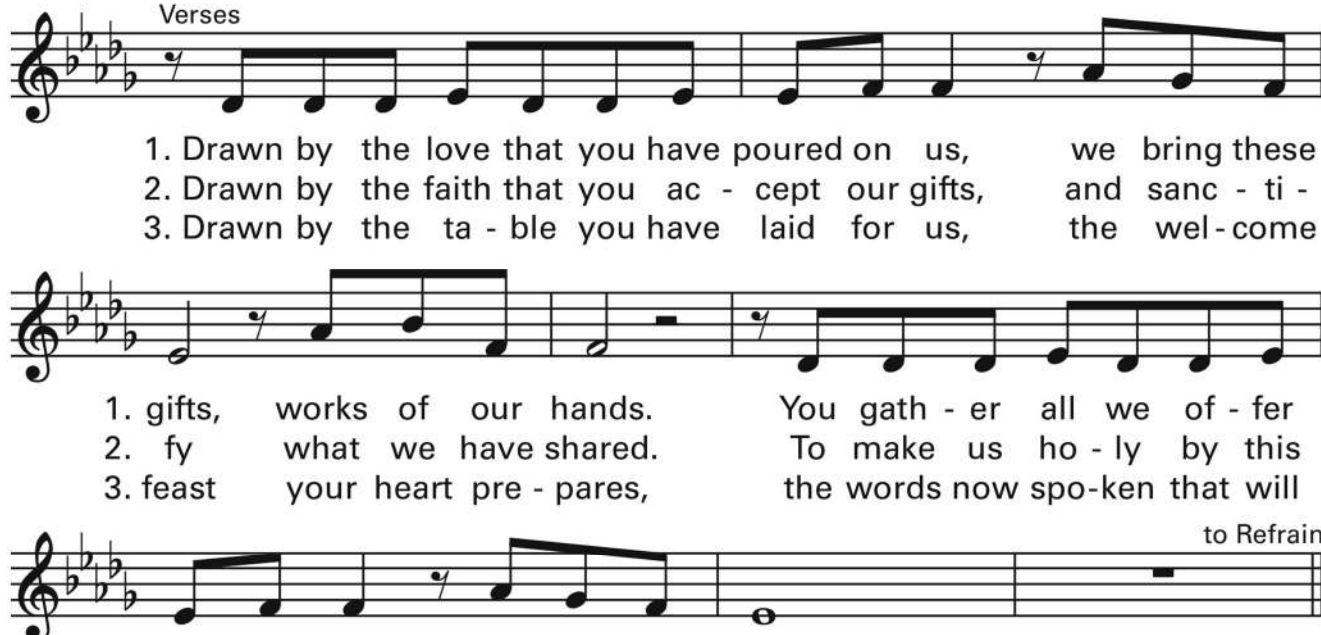
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Refrain



Drawn to you, Lord, we are drawn to you, to the
beau-ty of your pres-ence in this place. Here for you, God, we are
here for you as the gifts we bring be-come a feast of
grace. We are drawn to you.

Verses



1. Drawn by the love that you have poured on us, we bring these
2. Drawn by the faith that you ac - cept our gifts, and sanc - ti -
3. Drawn by the ta - ble you have laid for us, the wel-come

1. gifts, works of our hands. You gath - er all we of - fer
2. fy what we have shared. To make us ho - ly by this
3. feast your heart pre - pares, the words now spo-ken that will

to Refrain

1. to your-self, re-ceive our prayer.
2. bread and wine, re-ceive our prayer.
3. make us one, re-ceive our prayer.

Invitation to Prayer

Eucharistic Prayer

Holy

Mass of Renewal
Curtis Stephan

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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Mystery of Faith

Mass of Renewal
Curtis Stephan

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

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Amen

Mass of Renewal
Curtis Stephan

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

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The Lord's Prayer

Sign of Peace

Lamb of God

Mass of Renewal
Curtis Stephan



1, 2

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy,

Final

have mer - cy on us. world, grant us, grant us peace.

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Invitation to Communion

Instruction for the Reception of Holy Communion

Catholics who are not conscious of grave sin, and who have fasted for one hour, are encouraged to receive Holy Communion (General Instructions of the Roman Missal, no. 80; Code of Canon Law, canons 916, 919, no. 1). Those who do not receive Holy Communion may approach the altar and ask for a blessing by crossing their arms in front of their chest.

Communion Antiphon

Steve Angrisano, Sarah Hart, and Curtis Stephan



Je - ru-sa-lem, a - rise and stand up - on the heights,

and be-hold the joy which comes to you from God.

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Communion Hymns

CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT/SÉ NUESTRA LUZ

Bernadette Farrell

Verses



1. Long-ing for light, we wait in dark-ness. Long-ing for
2. Long-ing for peace, our world is trou-bled. Long-ing for
3. Long-ing for food, man - y are hun - gry. Long-ing for
4. Long-ing for shel-ter, man - y are home-less. Long-ing for
5. Man - y the gifts, man - y the peo - ple, man - y the



1. truth, we turn to you. Make us your own,
2. hope, man - y de - spair. Your word a - lone
3. wa - ter, man - y still thirst. Make us your bread,
4. warmth, man - y are cold. Make us your build - ing,
5. hearts that yearn to be - long. Let us be ser - vants



1. your ho - ly peo - ple, light for the world to see.
2. has pow'r to save us. Make us your liv - ing voice.
3. bro - ken for oth - ers, shared un - til all are fed.
4. shel - ter - ing oth - ers, walls made of liv - ing stone.
5. to one an - oth - er, mak - ing your king - dom come.

Refrain/Estribillo



Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the dark - ness.
¡Sé nues-tra luz, Cris-to Se - ñor, en las ti - nie - blas!

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SAY TO THE FRIGHTENED HEART

Bob Hurd



Say to the fright-ened heart: have cour - age, do not fear, for



God whose love is ev - er - last-ing comes to save us.



1. ♪ Wil - der-ness and dry land will ex - ult, the
2. ♪ They will be - hold the ra - diance of God, the
3. ♪ Then will the lame ones leap like the deer, ♪



1. des - ert re-joice and bloom, ♪ bloom with flow'rs in a -
2. glo - ry of the LORD. ♪ Say to those who are
3. then will the blind ones see. The ears of the deaf will be



1. bun - dance, re-sound with songs of re - joic - ing.
2. fright-ened, fear not, be strong, and have cour - age.
3. o - pened, the mute will cry out with glad - ness.

THE CONCLUDING RITES

Solemn Blessing

R: *And with your spirit.*

Final Blessing

R: *Amen.*

Dismissal

R: *Thanks be to God!*

Recessional Hymn

EMMANUEL

Steve Angrisano

Refrain



Come, come, Em - man - u - el! Son of God, ap - pear.



Heav - en and earth, re-joice! Sal - va-tion is draw - ing



Verses



Verses



1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el,
That mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here
2. O come, O Wis - dom from on high,
To us the path of knowl - edge show,



1. And ran - som cap - tive Is - ra - el,
Un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
2. Who or - dered all things might - i - ly;

(to Refrain)