



SATURDAY MORNING HYMNS & PRAYER

27th April 2024

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

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 your throne.

Apostles, prophets, martyrs, and all the noble throng
who wear the spotless raiment and raise the ceaseless song:
for them and those whose witness is only known to you
by walking in their footsteps we give you praise anew.

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.

Responsorial Psalm

All the ends of the earth have seen the saving power of God.

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COMMUNION REFLECTION

Shepherd of souls, in love, come feed us, life-giving bread for hungry
hearts!

To those refreshing waters lead us where dwells that grace your peace
imparts.

May we, the wayward in your fold, by your forgiveness rest consoled.

Life-giving vine, come, feed and nourish, strengthen each branch with life
divine;
ever in you O may we flourish, fruitful the branches of the vine.
Lord, may our souls be purified so that in Christ we may abide.

Sinful are we who stand before you, worthy of you are you alone
yet in your name we do implore you, rich are the mercies you have shown.
Say but the word, your healing word, then are our hearts made pure,
O Lord

Help us, dear Lord, prepare a dwelling worthy of you who made us all;
cleanse then our hearts, our guilt dispelling, purify us who heed your call.
“Take this and eat” were words you said, giving yourself to be our bread.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Sing we of the blessed Mother who received the angel’s word,
and obedient to the summons bore in love the infant Lord;
sing we of the joys of Mary at whose breast that child was fed,
who is Son of God eternal and the everlasting Bread.

Sing we, too, of Mary’s sorrows, of the sword that pierced her through,
when beneath the cross of Jesus she his weight of suffering knew,
looked upon her Son and Saviour reigning high on Calv’ry’s tree,
saw the price of our redemption paid to set the sinner free.

Sing the greatest joy of Mary when on earth her work was done,
and the Lord of all creation brought her to his heav’nly home:
virgin Mother, Mary blessed, raised on high and crowned with grace,
may your Son, the world’s redeemer, grant us all to see his face.

Marian Prayer

Mary, Queen of the Universe, You are a Queen in that you are
the Mother of the Word Incarnate.

Christ is universal King in that he rules all his creatures
By his personal union with the Father and the Spirit.

He is King and you are Queen of all hearts.

Rule over us by the queenly power of your love that the kingdom of your
Son

The kingdom of truth and life, holiness and grace, justice, love and peace
may come upon earth.

Grant your grace to all people,
The Holy Spirit for the whole Church, and peace for the entire earth.



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