



Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord

January 2, 2022

✠ Gathering Hymn

BB #105

As With Gladness, Men of Old

Tune: DIX



1. As with glad-ness men of old Did the guid-ing
 2. As with joy-ful steps they sped To that low-ly
 3. As they of-fered gifts most rare At that man-ger



1. star be-hold, As with joy they hailed its light,
 2. man-ger-bed, There to bend the knee be-fore
 3. rude and bare; So may we with ho-ly joy,



1. Lead-ing on-ward, beam-ing bright, So, most gra-cious
 2. Him whom heav'n and earth a-dore; So may we with
 3. Pure and free from sin's al-loy, All our cost-liest



1. Lord, may we Ev-er-more be led to thee.
 2. will-ing feet Ev-er seek the mer-cy-seat.
 3. trea-sures bring, Christ! to thee, our heav'n-ly King.



Text: 77 77 77; William C. Dix, 1837-1898.

Music: Conrad Kocher, 1786-1872; adapt. by William H. Monk, 1823-1889.

Greeting

Priest: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And with your spirit.

Penitential Act

Priest/Deacon: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Priest/Deacon: Christ, have mercy.

All: Christ, have mercy.

Priest/Deacon: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Gloria

BB #914

Mass of Christ the Savior, D. Schutte

Collect - Priest: (...) for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

The congregation may be seated

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

(BB¹ p. 57)

Isaiah 60:1-6

Responsorial psalm

Psalm 72: Every Nation on Earth



Refrain

Ev - 'ry na - tion on earth will a - dore you, Lord;
ev - 'ry na - tion on earth will a - dore you, Lord.

Second Reading

(BB p.58)

Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6

Gospel Acclamation

R./ Alleluia

Music: O. Alstott

Vs.: We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage. - R./

Gospel

(BB p.58)

Matthew 2:1-12

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: A reading from (...) according to Luke.

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Homily

Profession of Faith:

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.

Universal Prayer (Prayer of the Faithful)

All respond: Loving God, hear our prayer.

Conclusion to the Universal Prayer (All)

Most high and glorious God, lighten the darkness of our hearts and give us sound faith, firm hope, and perfect love. Let us, Lord, have the right feelings and knowledge so that we can carry out the task you have given us in truth. Dispel all cynicism, fear, despair and negativity so that we can proclaim the Gospel with joyful hope and be united in our faith. Heal our wounds and awaken our hearts to see the presence of your Son, whose birth we celebrate.

¹ BB = Breaking Bread 2022, the hymnal / missalette in the pews

Priest: Loving God, hear all of our prayers today and those in hearts throughout the world,
through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Liturgy of the Eucharist

✠ Preparation Hymn

(BB #107)

We, Three Kings
Tune: KINGS of ORIENT



1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are; Bear - ing
2. Born a King on Beth - le - hem's plain, Gold I
3. Frank - in - cense to of - fer have I: In - cense
4. Myrrh is mine; its bit - ter per - fume Breathes a
5. Glo - rious now be - hold him a - rise, King and



1. gifts we tra - verse a - far Field and foun - tain,
2. bring to crown him a - gain, King for - ev - er,
3. owns a De - i - ty nigh; Prayer and prais - ing
4. life of gath - er - ing gloom; Sor - rowing, sigh - ing,
5. God and Sac - ri - fice; "Al - le - lu - ia,



1. Moor and moun - tain, Fol - low - ing yon - der star.
2. Ceas - ing nev - er O - ver us all to reign.
3. Glad - ly rais - ing, Wor - ship him, God on high.
4. Bleed - ing, dy - ing, Sealed in the stone - cold tomb.
5. Al - le - lu - ia!" Sounds through the earth and skies.



O star of won - der, star of night, Star with roy - al beau - ty bright;



West - ward lead - ing, still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to thy per - fect light.

Text: 88 44 6 with refrain; based on Matthew 2:1-11; John H. Hopkins, Jr., 1820-1891, alt.
Music: *Carols, Hymns and Songs*, 1863; John H. Hopkins, Jr.;
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Invitation to Prayer

Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Preface Dialogue

Priest: The Lord be with you.

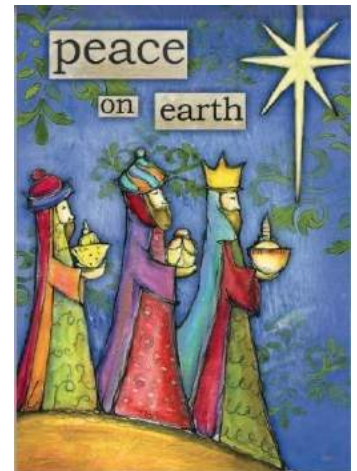
All: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right and just.



Eucharistic Acclamations

Mass of Christ the Savior, Dan Schutte

Sanctus, Memorial Acclamation, Amen, Lamb of God

The Lord's Prayer

Sign of Peace

Invitation to Communion

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lord.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed

Communion Hymns

✠ The First Nowell BB #108 Tune: FIRST NOWELL, trad. English

✠ What Star is This BB #109 Tune: PUER NOBIS

Hymn for Going Forth BB #106 Songs of Thankfulness and Praise
Tune: SALZBURG



1. Songs of thank-ful-ness and praise, Je - sus, Lord, to thee we raise,
2. Man - i - fest at Jor-dan's stream, Proph-et, Priest, and King su-preme;
3. Grant us grace to see thee, Lord, Mir-rored in thy ho - ly Word;



1. Man - i - fest-ed by the star To the sag - es from a - far;
2. And at Ca - na, wed-ding guest, In thy God-head man - i - fest;
3. May we im - i - tate thee now, And be pure, as pure art thou;



1. Branch of roy - al Da - vid's stem In thy birth at Beth-le-hem;
2. Man - i - fest in pow'r di - vine, Chang-ing wa - ter in - to wine;
3. That we like to thee may be At thy great E - pi - pha - ny;



1. Prais - es be to thee ad-dressed,)
2. Prais - es be to thee ad-dressed,) God in flesh made man - i - fest.
3. And may praise thee, ev - er - blessed,)

Text: 77 77 D; Christopher Wordsworth, 1807-1885, alt.
Music: Jakob Hintze, 1622-1702; adapt. by Johann Sebastian Bach, 1685-1750.



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