

LITURGY OF THE WORD

1st Reading: Is 9:1-6

Responsorial Psalm

Today is born our Savior, Christ the Lord.

2nd Reading: Ti 2:11-14

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

I proclaim to you good news of great joy:
today a Savior is born for us, Christ the Lord.

Gospel Reading: Lk 2:1-14

Homily

Credo.....all

Prayer of the Faithful

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn: Of The Father's Love Begotten.....all

1. Of the Father's love begotten,
ere the worlds began to be,
He is Alpha and Omega,
He the source, the ending He,
Of the things that are,
that have been,
And that future years shall see,
evermore and evermore!

3. O ye heights of heaven
adore Him;
angel hosts, His praises sing;
Powers, dominions, bow
before Him,
and extol our God and King!
Let no tongue on earth be silent,
Every voice in concert sing,
evermore and evermore!

2. O that birth forever blessed,
when the virgin, full of grace,
By the Holy Ghost conceiving,
bare the Savior of our race;
And the Babe, the world's
Redeemer,
First revealed His sacred face,
evermore and evermore!

4. Christ, to Thee with God
the Father,
and, O Holy Ghost, to Thee,
Hymn and chant with high
thanksgiving,
and unwearied praises be:
Honor, glory, and dominion,
And eternal victory,
evermore and evermore!

Sanctus (Storrington).....all

Memorial Acclamation (Storrington).....all

Great Amen (Storrington).....all

Agnus Dei (Storrington).....all

Communion: Silent Night.....all

1. Silent night, holy night,
All is calm, all is bright
Round yon virgin mother and Child.
Holy Infant, so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace,
Sleep in heavenly peace.

2. Silent night, holy night,
Shepherds quake at the sight;
Glories stream from heaven afar,
Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia!
Christ the Savior is born,
Christ the Savior is born!

3. Silent night, holy night,
Son of God, love's pure light,
Radiant beams from Thy holy face
With the dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth,
Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth.

4. Silent night, holy night
Wondrous star, lend thy light;
With the angels let us sing,
Alleluia to our King;
Christ the Savior is born,
Christ the Savior is born!

Communion Motet: God's Son To Us This Day Is Born.....choral ensemble

Recessional Hymn: Joy to the World.....all

Joy to the world, the Lord is come!
Let earth receive her King;
Let every heart prepare Him room,
And Heaven and nature sing.

No more let sins and
sorrows grow,
Nor thorns infest the ground;
He comes to make His blessings flow
Far as the curse is found.

Joy to the earth, the Savior reigns!
Let men their songs employ;
While fields and floods, rocks,
hills and plains
Repeat the sounding joy.

He rules the world with
truth and grace,
And makes the nations prove
The glories of His righteousness,
And wonders of His love.

Postlude: The First Nowell arr. James Broderick

You are welcome to join us in the gathering space for our
Wassail & Carol-Sing Celebration immediately following the Mass.



Ministers

Rev. Randy Oswald, Pastor : *Celebrant*
Douglas Vlcheck : *Deacon*
Francis Koerber : *Director of Music & Organist*

Musicians

Choir

Soprano

Jackie DeForge
Susan Shepard

Tenor

James Broderick
Victor Wagner

Bass

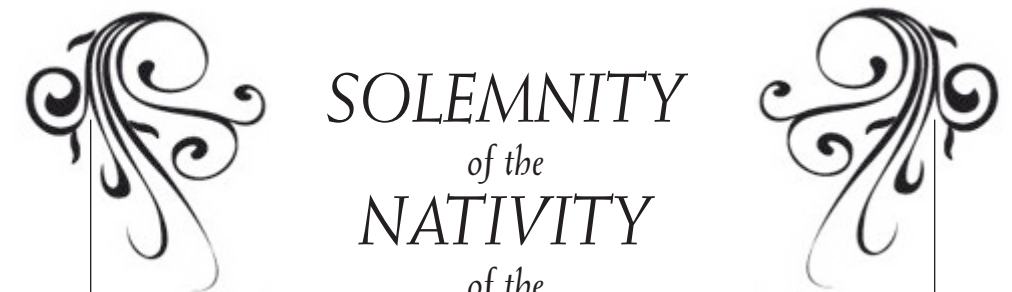
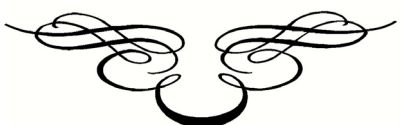
Cormac Carr
John Dorsey

Brass

James Broderick

Alto

Mary Martin
Rain Ramos
Caroline Saladino
Joan Wagner
Pauline Zerren



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Festival of Lessons & Carols
&

The Most Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

December 25, 2012

Our Lady of the Mountains Roman Catholic Church



Lead by Rev. Randy Oswald, Pastor

Opening Hymn: Once In Royal David's City.....all

1. Once in royal David's city In whose gentle arms He lay:
Stood a lowly cattle shed, Christian children all must be
Where a mother laid her baby Mild, obedient, good as He.
In a manger for His bed:
Mary was that mother mild,
Jesus Christ her little child.
2. He came down to earth from heaven,
Who is God and Lord of all,
And His shelter was a stable,
And His cradle was a stall;
With the poor, and mean, and lowly,
Lived on earth our Savior Holy.
3. And through all His wondrous childhood
He would honor and obey,
Love and watch the lowly Maiden,

Reading I: Isaiah 11: 1-10..... name

Prayer.....Rev. Oswald

Hymn II: Lo, How A Rose E're Blooming.....all

1. Lo, how a Rose e'er blooming from tender stem hath sprung!
Of Jesse's lineage coming, as men of old have sung.
It came, a floweret bright, amid the cold of winter,
When half spent was the night.
2. Isaiah 'twas foretold it, the Rose I have in mind;
With Mary we behold it, the virgin mother kind.
To show God's love aright, she bore to men a Savior,
When half spent was the night.
3. The shepherds heard the story proclaimed by angels bright,
How Christ, the Lord of glory was born on earth this night.
To Bethlehem they sped and in the manger found Him,
As angel heralds said.
4. O Savior, Child of Mary, who felt our human woe,
O Savior, King of glory, who dost our weakness know;
Bring us at length we pray, to the bright courts of Heaven,
And to the endless day!

Reading II: Luke 1: 26-38..... name

Prayer.....Rev. Oswald

Hymn III: What Child Is This.....all

Refrain: This, this is Christ the King, whom shepherds guard and angels sing;
Haste, haste, to bring Him laud, The Babe, the Son of Mary!

1. What Child is this who, laid to rest On Mary's lap, is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet While shepherds watch are keeping?
2. Why lies He in such mean estate Where ox and ass are feeding?
3. So bring Him incense, gold and myrrh; Come peasant, king to own Him.
The King of kings salvation brings; Let loving hearts enthrone Him.

Reading III: Luke I: 26-38..... name

Prayer.....Rev. Oswald

Hymn IV: We Three Kings.....all

1. We three kings of Orient are; Bearing gifts we traverse afar,
Field and fountain, moor and mountain, Following yonder star.
3. Frankincense to offer have I; Incense owns a Deity nigh;
Prayer and praising, voices raising, Worshipping God on high. (to ref)
4. Myrrh is mine, its bitter perfume Breathes a life of gathering gloom;
Sorrowing, sighing, bleeding, dying, Sealed in the stone cold tomb.(to ref)

Refrain

O star of wonder, star of light, Star with royal beauty bright,
Westward leading, still proceeding, Guide us to thy perfect light.

2. Born a King on Bethlehem's plain Gold I bring to crown Him again,
King forever, ceasing never, Over us all to reign. (to ref)
5. Glorious now behold Him arise; King and God and sacrifice;
Alleluia, Alleluia, Sounds through the earth and skies.(to ref)

Reading IV: John 1: 1-14..... name

Prayer.....Rev. Oswald

Hymn V: Creator of the Stars of Night.....all

1. Creator of the stars of night, Your people's everlasting light,
Jesu, Redeemer, save us all, And hear your servants when we call.
2. You, grieving that the ancient curse Should doom to death a universe,
Provides the cure, so full of grace, To save and heal a ruined race.
3. You came, the Bridegroom of the bride,
As drew the world to evening-tide; Proceeding from a virgin shrine,
The spotless Victim all divine.
4. At your great Name, majestic now,
All knees must bend, all hearts must bow;
And things celestial You shall own,
And things terrestrial, Lord alone.

5. O Lord, whose coming is with dread
To judge and doom the quick and dead,
Preserve us, while we dwell below,
From every insult of the foe.

6. To God the Father, God the Son,
And God the Spirit, Three in One,
Laud, honor, might, and glory be
From age to age eternally. Amen.

Reading V: Matthew 28: 16-20..... name

Prayer.....Rev. Oswald

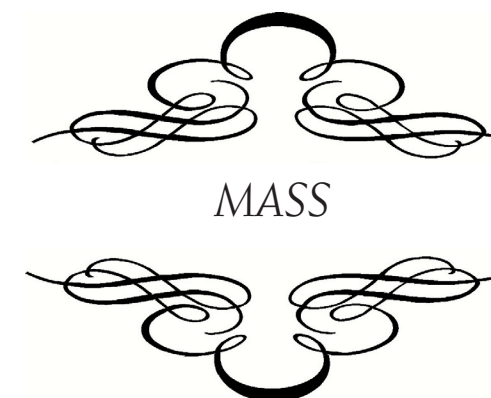
Hymn VI: Go Tell It On The Mountains.....all

Refrain: Go, tell it on the mountain, Over the hills and everywhere
Go, tell it on the mountain, That Jesus Christ is born.

2. The shepherds feared and trembled,
When lo! above the earth, Rang out the angels chorus
That hailed the Savior's birth. (to ref)

1. While shepherds kept their watching
Over silent flocks by night Behold throughout the heavens
There shone a holy light. (to ref)

3. Down in a lowly manger The humble Christ was born
And God sent us salvation That blessed Christmas morn. (to ref)



The Proclamation of the Birth of Christ..... Deacon Douglas Vlcbek

Entrance Hymn: O Come, All Ye Faithful.....all

Refrain: O come, let us adore Him, (3x) Christ the Lord.

1. O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant,
O come ye, O come ye, to Bethlehem.
Come and behold Him, born the King of angels;
2. God of God, Light from Light eternal,
Lo, He abhors not the Virgin's womb;
Only begotten Son of the Father,
3. Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation;
Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above!
Glory to God, all glory in the highest;
4. Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning;
Jesus, to Thee be all glory giv'n;
Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing.

Gloria (Storrington)..... all