

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

Dear Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Eucharist. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive your Body and Blood. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. Stay close to me, Jesus, so that I may be close to all our sisters and brothers, especially those who are most in need of your loving care. Amen.

Sending Song : Were You There

Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble,
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Were you there when they nailed him to the tree.....

Were you there when they laid him in the tomb.....

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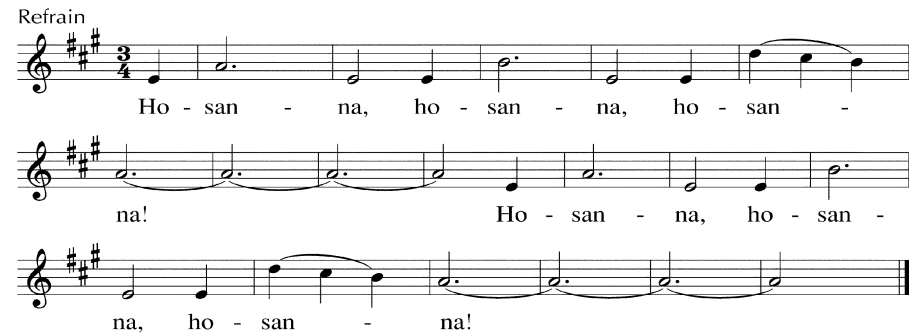


Palm Sunday *Commemoration of the Lord's* *Entrance into Jerusalem*



Choir: Hosanna to the Son of David;
blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord,
the king of Israel. Hosanna in the highest.

Processional: Hosanna



Verses

1. Blessed is he, blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!
Blessed is he, blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!
2. Blessed is the reign of our father, David.
Blessed is the reign of our father, David, to come!

Text: Mark 11:9-10; David Haas, b.1957
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O city of hosannas, O city of the cross!

The hour is upon us! I have come within your walls!

I have fixed my eyes on your hills, Jerusalem, my destiny.

Though I cannot see the end for me, I cannot turn away.

We have set our hearts for the way. This journey is our destiny.

Let no one walk alone; this journey makes us one!

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Psalm: My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

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Gospel Acclamation: Praise to you, Lord Jesus, King of Endless Glory!
Savior of the world, Savior of the world.

*We will be reading the narrative form of the passion, with sung refrain:
Jesus, remember me when you come into your Kingdom.*

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.

Preparation Song:

O CRUCIFIED MESSIAH

Carmen Scialla

Refrain

O cru-ci-fied Mes-si-ah, O cru-ci-fied Re-

deem-er, Son of God most ho-ly, cru-ci-fied for us.

Verses

1. Scorned, de-nied and beat-en, mocked and de-filed, for-
2. Yet he showed for-give-ness un-to them all: He
3. Look-ing to the Fa-ther, Je-sus cried out: "In-

to Refrain

1. sak-en by his peo-ple, _____ giv-en up to die.____
2. prayed,"For-give them, Fa-ther, for they know not what they do."____
3. to your hands, O Fa-ther, _____ I com-mend my spir-it."

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Communion Songs:

Behold the Wood

Refrain

Be - hold, be - hold the wood of the
cross, on which is hung our sal - va - tion.
O come, let us a - dore.

Verses

1. Un - less a grain of wheat shall fall up -
2. And when my hour of glo - ry comes as
3. For there can be no great - er love
4. My Fa - ther, if it be your plan, this
5. For sure - ly he has borne our tears, is
6. My bod - y now is torn with pain, my

on the ground and die, it shall re - main but a
all was meant to be, you shall see me
shown up - on this land than in the one who
cup might pass me by, yet let it hap - pen
wound - ed by our sin, and yet he o - pens
friends have left and gone. O lov - ing Fa - ther,

D.C.

sin - gle grain and not give life.
lift - ed up on a tree.
came to die that we might live.
as you will if I must die.
not his mouth that we might live.
take my life in - to your hands.

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