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HOLY MASS

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Season of Epiphany

“Walking

in

Transfigured Life”

The Eighth Sunday

After Epiphany

March 3, 2019

Processional

**Please stand.**

BEHOLD THE CHRIST!

*Chorus)*

*Behold the Christ, radiance of the glory of God!*

*Behold the Christ, the Light of the world!*

*Very God of very God, made Man to dwell with us.*

*Christ in us, the hope of glory!*

*Verse)*

*Once we were without Christ, strangers to God’s promise.*

*But it was God in Christ Who brought us back to Him.*

*It’s no longer we who live, but Christ Who lives in us.*

*In Him we live and move and have our being.*

Acclamation

The Ministers face the Presider, while the Presider faces the people and proclaims:

**Presider: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.**

*People: And blessed be His kingdom, now and forever.*

Collect for Purity

**Presider: Let us pray.**

Clergy face the Altar. Miter off.

**Almighty God, to You all hearts are open,**

**all desires known, and from You no secrets are hid.**

**Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts ✠**

**by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit,**

**that we may perfectly love You**

**and worthily magnify Your holy Name;**

**through Christ our Lord.**

***All: Amen.***

Penitential Rite

The Summary of the Law and the Invitation to Confession are spoken by the Deacon in a high mass.

Deacon faces the people.

Summary of the Law

**Deacon: Jesus said, “The first Commandment is this:**

**Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is One. Love the Lord Your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.**

**The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these.**

**Deacon: Dearly beloved, let us come into the presence of the Almighty God, praying together as we kneel:**

Deacon faces the Altar. All kneel. Deacon leads the prayer, in unison:

Confession

***All: Most merciful God, I confess that I have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what I have done, and by what I have left undone. I have not loved You with my whole heart; I have not loved my neighbors as myself. I am truly sorry and I humbly repent. For the sake of Your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on me and forgive me; that I may delight in Your will, and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your Name. Amen.***

Absolution

Presider faces the people.

**Presider: Almighty God have mercy on you, ✠ forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, Strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.**

***All: Amen.***

**Please stand.**

Glory in the Highest (*Gloria in Excelsis*)

The Presider censes the Altar and then the Deacon of the Mass censes the Ministers.

**GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

*Chorus)*

*Glory be to God on high,*

*and on earth peace, good will towards men.*

*(Repeat)*

*1) We praise, Thee, we bless Thee,*

*we worship Thee, we glorify Thee,*

*we give thanks to Thee for Thy great glory,*

*O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.*

*2) O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;*

*O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,*

*Who takest away the sin of the world,*

*have mercy upon us.*

*Thou Who sittest at the right hand of God the Father:*

*receive our prayer.*

*3) For Thou only art holy, Thou only art the Lord,*

*Thou only, O Christ;*

*with the Holy Ghost, Art Most High*

*in the glory of God the Father. Amen.*

*Coda)*

*Glory be to God on high!*

Collect of the Day (Epiphany 8 CEC)

Presider faces the people.

**Presider: The Lord be with you.**

*People: And with your spirit.*

**Presider: Let us pray.**

Presider and Ministers face the Altar.

The Collect Of The Day is taken from the preceding Sunday or the preceding Feast Day, whichever is nearer to the current date.

**Presider: O God, Who before the passion of Your only-begotten Son revealed His glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of His countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into His likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever.**

***All: Amen.***

Presider goes to the back of the Altar, kisses it, and goes to his chair.

**Please be seated.**

Liturgy of the Word

**Please be seated.**

First Proclamation

Proclaimer: A Proclamation of the Word of God from the book of Exodus, Chapter
Thirty Four.

Exodus 34:29-35

Proclaimer: The Word of the Lord.

***People: Thanks be to God!***

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 99

Proclaimer: Please stand for the Responsorial Psalm, which is Psalm Ninety Nine.

All stand and the Proclaimer leads the people in the Responsorial Psalm followed by the *Gloria Patri*.

Proclaimer: The Lord reigns, let the peoples tremble; He is enthroned above the cherubim, let the earth shake!

*People: The Lord is great in Zion, and He is exalted above all the peoples.*

Proclaimer: Let them praise Your great and awesome name; Holy is He.

*People: The strength of the King loves justice; You have established equity; You have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.*

Proclaimer: Exalt the Lord our God and worship at His footstool; Holy is He.

*People: Moses and Aaron were among His priests, and Samuel was among those who called on His name; they called upon the Lord and He answered them.*

Proclaimer: He spoke to them in the pillar of cloud; they kept His testimonies and the statute that He gave them.

*People: O Lord our God, You answered them; You were a forgiving God to them, and yet an avenger of their evil deeds.*

Proclaimer: Exalt the Lord our God and worship at His holy hill, for holy is the Lord our God.

*Gloria Patri* (BCP, Rite II)

The *Gloria Patri* may be spoken or sung in unison. The Proclaimer and Altar Ministers remain in their places, face the Altar, and bow.

***All: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:* ✠**

***As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.***

A Choral Response may be sung here.

O CHRIST IN RESPLENDENT GLORY

*Verse)*

*The Voice of Christ calls for His Church*

*to shine forth as lights in the world,*

*To be His witnesses to the uttermost part of the earth.*

*Whom God foreknew He predestined*

*to be conformed to Christ's image;*

*And through His Church entreat the world*

*to come back to Him.*

*Chorus)*

*O Christ in respendent glory,*

*We come to Your holy mountain;*

*To offer our bodies a sacrifice, living and holy.*

*Transform us into Your image as we behold Your glory*

*And cause this same glory to shine in the midst of the world.*

*Bridge)*

*God's beloved Son, His chosen One;*

*He with Whom the Father is pleased, may we listen to You!*

*End)*

*To shine in the midst of the world.*

**Please be seated.**

Second Proclamation

Proclaimer: A Proclamation of the Word of God from the Second letter of St. Paul to the Church at Corinth, Chapter Three.

2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2

The proclaimer reads the second appointed lesson of the day.

Proclaimer: The Word of the Lord.

***People: Thanks be to God!***

**Please stand.**

Gradual Verse

Proclaimer: Open my eyes, that I may behold wonderful things from Your Law.

Miter On. Bless the Gospel Proclaimer.

Gradual Hymn

**FOREVER, O LORD**

*(David Morris; c. Hosanna! Music)*

*Verse)*

*Forever, O Lord, Your Word is settled in heaven;*

*Your faithfulness, Lord, continues to all generations.*

*Chorus)*

 *Your covenant magnified, exalted along with Your holy Name.*

*Rejoicing in promises, I meditate on all Your righteous ways!*

*I lift up my hands and praise the power of Your commands.*

*Forever, O Lord, Your Word shall stand!*

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Gospel Acclamation

Miter Off.

Deacon: The Lord be with you.

*People: And with your spirit.*

Deacon: May the Lord be on our **✠** minds, on our **✠** lips, and on our **✠** hearts as we hear **✠** His Holy Gospel.

 The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke, Chapter Nine.

*People: Glory to You, Lord Christ!*

Gospel Proclamation

The appointed Gospel is read by a Deacon.

Luke 9:28-36

*Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.*

***People: Praise to You, Lord Christ!***

All sit.

Homily

**Please stand.**

Nicene Creed

***All: We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth, and of all things: visible and invisible.***

***And in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds;***

***God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God***

***begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father;***

***by Whom all things were made;***

***Who for us men and for our salvation came down from Heaven;***

***and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man;***

***And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;***

***He suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day, in accordance with the Scriptures;***

***and ascended into Heaven, and is seated on the right hand of the Father;***

***and He shall come again, with glory, to judge the living and the dead;***

***Whose Kingdom shall have no end.***

***And we believe in the Holy Spirit the Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceeds from the Father;***

***Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified;***

***Who has spoken through the prophets.***

***And we believe one holy catholic and apostolic Church;***

***We acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;***

***and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.* ✠**

Prayers of the People Form VI CEC

The Deacon leads the Prayers of the People. The Minister can be any other person.

Deacon: In peace, we pray to You, Lord God.

Minister: For all people in their daily life and work;

*People: For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.*

Minister: For this community, the nation, and the world;

*People: For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace, especially President Duterte.*

Minister: For the just and proper use of Your creation;

*People: For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.*

Minister: For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

*People: For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.*

Minister: For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

*People: For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.*

Minister: For Craig our Patriarch, Ricardo our Primate, and Ariel our Bishop; and for all bishops and other ministers;

*People: For all who serve You in Your Church.*

Minister: For the special needs and concerns of this congregation:

The people may lift up the names of those in special need.

Minister: Hear us, Lord;

*People: For Your mercy is great.*

Minister: We thank You, Lord,

*People: For all the blessings of this life.*

The people may add their own thanksgivings.

Minister: We exalt You, O God our King;

*People: And praise Your Name forever and ever.*

Minister: We pray for all who have died,

*People: That they may have a place in Your eternal Kingdom.*

The people may add their own petitions.

Minister: Lord, let Your lovingkindness be upon them;

*People: Who put their trust in You.*

The Presider may invite the people to offer extemporaneous prayers as the Holy Spirit leads.

After the extemporaneous prayers, the Presider leads the Corporate Petition, as follows:

**Presider: Let us lift up to God the Corporate Petition:**

Corporate Petition

***Almighty God and King,***

***our dwelling place in all generations,***

***owner of the earth and all it contains:***

***Grant unto us our allotted inheritance, we pray,***

***and the grace to build upon it***

***facilities in which Your people,***

***being restored in Your image***

***and ever-growing in love for You,***

***might become a habitation of Your presence***

***and ministers of Your life,***

***to the glory of Jesus Christ our Lord;***

***Who lives and reigns together with You***

***and the Holy Spirit, one God,***

***now and forever.*** ***Amen.***

Concluding Collect

**Presider: All-glorious Father, awaken our hearts and illumine our understanding of Jesus Christ, and through the light You shed abroad in our hearts, may the world see You, and know that You are the Light for the nations; for the sake of Christ the Lord.**

***All: Amen.***

Peace

**Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.**

*People: And with your spirit.*

**Presider: Let us offer one another a sign of God’s peace.**

Worship in Psalms,

Hymns,

and Spiritual Songs:

The Sacrifice

of Praise

The Offertory:

The Sacrifice

of Ourselves

I WILL SING OF THE MERCIES

OF THE LORD FOREVER

*Chorus)*

*I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever,*

*I will sing, I will sing.*

*I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever,*

*I will sing of the mercies of the Lord.*

*Verse)*

*And with my mouth will I make known*

*Thy faithfulness, Thy faithfulness.*

*With my mouth will I make known*

*Thy faithfulness to all generations!*

GOD WITH US

*(Graham Kendrick; c. Make Way Music)*

*1) He walked where I walk, (He walked where I walk)*

*He stood where I stand, (He stood where I stand)*

*He felt what I feel, (He felt what I feel)*

*He understands. (He understands)*

*He knows my frailty, (He knows my frailty)*

*Shared my humanity, (Shared my humanity)*

*Tempted in every way, (Tempted in every way)*

*Yet without sin, (Yet without sin).*

*Chorus)*

*God with us, so close to us;*

*God with us, Immanuel!*

*God with us, so close to us;*

*God with us, Immanuel! Immanuel!*

*2) One of a hated race, (One of a hated race)*

*Stung by the prejudice, (Stung by the prejudice)*

*Suff’ring injustice, (Suff’ring injustice)*

*Yet He forgives. (Yet He forgives)*

*Wept for my wasted years, (Wept for my wasted years)*

*Paid for my wickedness, (Paid for my wickedness)*

*He died in my place, (He died in my place)*

*That I might live. (That I might live)*

SHINE DOWN

*(Billy Smiley/Mark Gersmehl/Bob Farrell;*

*c.Paragon Music Corp/Yellow House Music/Efenbee Music)*

*Chorus)*

*Shine down Your light on us, Let the people see*

*That in Your presence darkness flees;*

*Father of Light shine down on us.*

*Father of Light shine down on us.*

*1) There's a land full of glory*

*In a place where there is no night,*

*And in that Holy City*

*Burns the beacon of everlasting light.*

*The Light that keeps reaching*

*to the people of every land.*

*A love that is longing*

*to fill the heart of every man.*

*2) There's no sun in that city,*

*the Father's throne is its only light,*

*The Lamp of Salvation,*

*the hope that is always glowing bright;*

*It scatters the darkness,*

*Swept away by His mighty hand.*

*Now all the nations can worship,*

*Sing the song of that glorious Lamb.*

*CODA)*

*Father of Light shine down on,*

*Father of Light shine down on,*

*Father of Light shine down on us.*

DAYS OF ELIJAH

*1)*

*These are the days of Elijah,*

*declaring the Word of the Lord;*

*And these are the days of Your servant, Moses,*

*Righteousness being restored;*

*And though these are days of great trials,*

*Of famine and darkness and sword;*

*Still we are the voice in the desert crying,*

*"Prepare ye the way of the Lord."*

*Chorus)*

*Behold, He comes, riding on the clouds,*

*Shining like the sun at the trumpet call;*

*Lift your voice, it's the year of Jubilee*

*And out of Zion's hill salvation comes.*

*2) And these are the days of Ezekiel,*

*The dry bones becoming as flesh;*

*And these are the days of Your servant, David,*

*Rebuilding a temple of praise;*

*And these are the days of the harvest,*

*The fields are as white in the world;*

*And we are the laborers in Your vineyard,*

*Declaring the Word of the Lord.*

*Bridge)*

*There is no god like Jehovah! (15x)*

*(Repeat Chorus)*

SEE HIS GLORY

*(Rich Cook; c. Hosanna! Music)*

*See His glory, see His glory.*

*See His glory come down.*

*Praise His Name heaven reigns.*

*See His glory come down.*

*See His glory come down.*

HOLY IS MY GOD AND KING

*1)*

*As I behold You I'm changed from glory to glory.*

*As I adore You, my heart falls prostrate before You.*

*Chorus 1)*

*And I cry, "Holy, holy, holy, holy,*

*Holy is my God and King!"*

*2)*

*As I extol You, my faith rises up to acknowledge You.*

*And as I sing to You, I'm ushered into Your presence.*

*Chorus 2)*

*My soul cries, "Holy, holy, holy, holy,*

*Holy is my God and King!"*

The Lesser Doxology may be sung in a high mass, during which time the Presider censes the gifts.

After the Altar and Gifts have been censes by the Presider, the Deacon censes the Ministers, then all of the people.

Then Presider censes the front of the Altar and the Ministers again.

Lesser Doxology

*(Traditional)*

*(Words and Music By: Thomas Ken)*

*(Attributed To Louis Bourgeois)*

*Praise God from Whom all blessings flow,*

*Praise Him all creatures here below;*

*Praise Him above, ye heavenly Host:*

*Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost!*

*AMEN!*

Preparation of the Gifts

Standing behind the Altar, the Presider takes the paten with the bread or a large host, and, holding it slightly raised above the altar, says:

**Presider: Blessed are You Lord, God of all creation. For through Your goodness we have received the bread we offer You: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become the Body of Christ.**

*People: Blessed be God forever.*

While pouring a small amount of water into the chalice and flagon, the Presider says quietly:

**Presider: By the mystery of this water and wine may we come to share in the divinity of Christ, who humbled Himself to share in our humanity.**

Then the Presider takes the chalice and, holding it slightly raised above the altar, says:

**Presider: Blessed are You Lord, God of all creation, for through Your goodness we have received the wine we offer You, fruit of the vine and work of human hands; it will become the Blood of Christ.**

*People: Blessed be God forever.*

Then the Presider takes an offering basket or bag, and while holding it slightly raised above the altar, says:

**Presider: Blessed are You Lord, God of all creation, for through Your goodness we bring these tithes and offerings before You. They will be used in Your church for the work You have set before us and the furthering of Your kingdom.**

Presider places the offering below the altar, then washes his hands, quietly saying:

**Presider: Wash me, O Lord, from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.**

Exhortation To Pray (*Orate fratres*)

The Presider returns to the center of the altar, faces the people, and says:

**Presider: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the Almighty Father.**

*People: 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.*

***All: Amen.***

Great Thanksgiving

**Presider: The Lord be with you.**

*People: And with your spirit.*

**Presider: Lift up your hearts.**

*People: We lift them up to the Lord.*

**Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.**

*People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.*

Preface Epiphany

The priest continues the preface with hands extended:

**Presider: It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give You thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God.**

**For [today] You have revealed the mystery of our salvation in Christ as a light for the nations, and, when He appeared in our mortal nature, You made us new by the glory of His immortal nature.**

**And so, with angels and archangels, with thrones and dominions, and with all the hosts and powers of heaven, we sing the hymn of Your glory, as without end we acclaim:**

Sanctus Benedictus

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Eucharistic Prayer II CEC

**Please kneel.**

Invocation of the Holy Spirit

The Presider raises his hands above the Altar, then lowers them down above the offerings. While making the sign of the cross once over both the bread and chalice, he says with hands extended:

**Presider: You are indeed holy, O Lord, the fount of all holiness. Make holy, therefore, these gifts, we pray, by sending down Your Spirit upon them like dewfall: so that they may become for us the ✠ Body and Blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ.**

The Presider joins his hands.

Words of Institution

The words of the Lord in the following formulas should be spoken clearly and distinctly, as their meaning demands.

**Presider: Before He was given up to death, a death He freely accepted, He took bread and gave You thanks. He broke the bread, gave it to His disciples, and said:**

 **“Take, eat: This is My Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of Me.”**

The Presider shows the consecrated host to the people, places it on the paten, and bows or genuflects in adoration.

The Presider continues:

**Presider: When supper was ended, He took the cup. Again He gave You thanks and praise, gave the cup to His disciples, and said:**

**“Drink this, all of you: This is My Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of Me.”**

The Presider shows the consecrated chalice to the people, places it on the corporal, and bows or genuflects in adoration.

**Please stand.**

**Please stand.**

Mystery of Faith

Then, with hands extended, the Presider says:

**Presider: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:**

Then all sing or say:

***All: Christ has died,***

***Christ is risen,***

***Christ will come again.***

Prayer for the Church

Then with hands extended, the Presider says:

**Presider: In memory of His death and resurrection, we offer You, Father, this life-giving bread, this saving cup. We thank You for counting us worthy to stand in Your presence and serve You. Humbly we pray that, partaking of the Body and Blood of Christ, we may be gathered into one by the Holy Spirit.**

**Lord, remember Your church throughout the world; make us grow in love, together with our Patriarch, Craig, our Primate, Ricardo, our Bishop, Ariel, and all the clergy.**

**Remember those for whom we now pray \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**

He prays for them briefly with hands joined.

Then, with hands extended, he continues:

**Presider: Draw our hearts to remember the poor and broken. As we receive the Body and Blood of Jesus may we be transformed to become the Body of Christ to the world.**

**Have mercy on us all; make us worthy to share eternal life with Blessed Mary, the mother of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, Joseph, her husband, and with the apostles, martyrs, and all the saints (especially \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_). May we praise You in union with them and give You glory through Your Son, Jesus Christ.**

Great Doxology and Great Amen

The Presider takes the chalice and the host, and lifting them up, says:

**Presider: By Him, with Him, and in Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is Yours, Almighty Father, now and forever.**

The people respond:

*People: AMEN.*

The Lord’s Prayer

The Presider continues:

**Presider: And now as our Savior Christ taught us, we are bold to pray.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*(Traditional)*

*Our Father, Who art in heaven,*

*hollowed be Thy Name.*

*Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done*

*on earth, as it is in heaven.*

*Give us this day our daily bread,*

*And forgive us our debts,*

*as we forgive our debtors.*

*And lead us not into temptation*

*But deliver us from evil.*

*For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,*

 *and the glory forever.*

*AMEN!*

Breaking of the Bread

The Presider breaks the consecrated host in half, then breaks off a small piece and places it in the chalice.

Christ our Passover (*Pascha Nostrum*)

The Christ our Passover (*Pascha Nostrum*) may be spoken or sung in unison, or antiphonally by the Presider and the People.

**Presider: Hallelujah!**

**Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us!**

*People: Therefore, let us keep the feast. Hallelujah!*

**- or –** *Pascha Nostrum*

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Invitation to Communion

The Presider elevates the host and the chalice together, saying:

**Presider: Behold the Lamb of God, behold Him Who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the Supper of the Lamb.**

*People*: *Lord, I am not worthy that You should enter under my roof, but say only the word and my soul shall be healed.*

**Presider: The gifts of God for the people of God:**

**Take them in remembrance that Jesus died for you, and feed on Him in your hearts with thanksgiving.**

The Ministration of Communion

MAY I STAND, O LORD

*(Jack W. Hayford; c.Rocksmith Music)*

*Verse)*

*May I stand, O Lord, in this holy place;*

*may I worship Thee and behold Thy face.*

*Chorus)*

*May I be transformed by Thy Word and Thy Spirit*

*and behold the day of Thy power.*

WE HAVE SEEN YOUR GLORY

*(Twila Paris;*

*c. 2005 Mountain Spring Music (adm. Hosanna! Music)*

*1) You are the Word, You are the Light;*

*We have seen Your glory,*

*Shining in the darkest night;*

*We have seen Your glory.*

*Chorus)*

*Jesus, full of grace and truth;*

*Jesus, we will worship You;*

*Jesus one and only Son;*

*We have seen Your glory;*

*We have seen Your glory.*

*We have seen Your glory;*

*We have seen Your glory.*

*2) You are the Lamb Who gives us life;*

*We have seen Your glory,*

*Born of God we testify;*

*We have seen Your glory.*

*3) You are Son of God and Son of man;*

*We have seen Your glory;*

*All creation in Your hand;*

*We have seen Your glory.*

Post-Communion Prayer

**Presider: Let us pray.**

***All: Almighty and everliving God, we thank You for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of Your Son, and heirs of Your eternal kingdom.***

***And now, Father, send us out to do the work You have given us to do, to love and serve You as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.***

***To him, to You, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.***

Blessing

Miter on.

**Bishop: The Lord be with you.**

*People: And with your spirit.*

**Bishop: Our help is in the Name of the Lord.**

*People: The maker of heaven and earth.*

Deacon: Bow your heads and pray for God’s blessing.

**Bishop: May He Whose second coming in power and great glory we await make you steadfast in faith, joyful in hope, and constant in love; and the blessing of God Almighty: ✠ the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, be with you now and forever. *Amen.***

Recessional

HERE COMES A MIRACLE

*(Ray Boltz and Steve Millikan;*

*c. Diadem Sky/Shepherd Boy)*

*Chorus)*

*Here comes a miracle! Here comes a miracle!*

*O can't you feel it in the air?*

*That look is on His face, His glory is in this place,*

*And I know a miracle is here!*

Dismissal

Deacon: Go in peace glorifying the Lord by your life.

**People: *Thanks be to God. Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Amen.*** ✠