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# HIS HOLINESS **POPE FRANCIS**



# EVENING PRAYER THURSDAY OF THE TWENTY-FIFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Saint Patrick's Cathedral New York City

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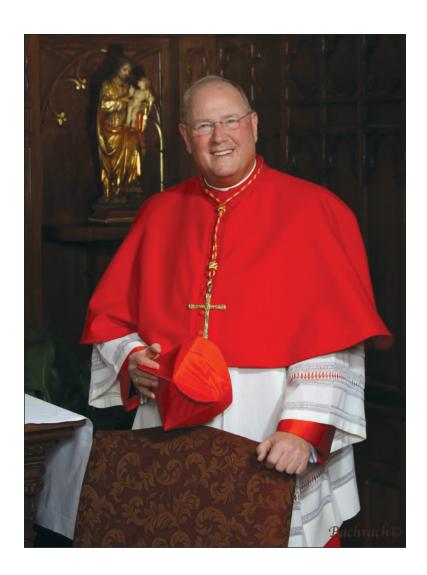






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# P R E L U D E (4:00 P.M.)

"Prelude and Fugue in D Major, BWV 532" Johann Sebastian Bach

> "I Was Glad" C. Hubert H. Parry

"Choral" from *Cantata*, *BWV 147*Johann Sebastian Bach

"Sicut cervus" Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

"A Prayer of St. Patrick"
Paul French

"Laudate Pueri" from *Vesperae Solennes de Confessore, K. 339* Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

> "Bogoroditse Devo" from *All-Night Vigil, Op. 37* Sergei Rachmaninoff

> > "Sancta Maria, K. 273" Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

> > > "Ave Maria" Astor Piazzolla

"Panis Angelicus" César Franck

"Greater Love Hath No Man" John Ireland

"The Spirit of the Lord" from *The Apostles, Op. 49*Edward Elgar

"Psalm 150" César Franck

"Prelude & Fugue in B Major, Op. 7, No. 1" Marcel Dupré



## Arrival of the Holy Father

Pope Francis is greeted at the doors of the Cathedral by His Eminence, Timothy Cardinal Dolan, Archbishop of New York, and Reverend Monsignor Robert T. Ritchie, Rector of Saint Patrick's Cathedral.

"Dixit" from Vesperae Solennes de Confessore, K. 339 Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

The Lord said unto my Lord: Sit at my right hand until I make your enemies your footstool. The sceptre of your power the Lord shall send forth from Zion: Rule thou in the midst of your enemies. The power to rule is with you on the day of your strength, in the splendor of the holy ones:

I have begotten you from the womb before the rising of the day-star.

The Lord has sworn an oath, and will not repent of it:

You are a priest forever, after the order of Melchisedech.

The Lord at your right hand destroys kings on the day of his wrath;

He shall judge among the heathen; he shall pile up ruins and scatter skulls on many lands.

He shall drink of the torrent in his way; therefore he shall lift up his head.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

"Tu es Petrus, Op. 23 No. 2" Charles Marie Widor arr. David Cherwien orch. Robert A. Hobby

Thou art Peter, and upon this rock I shall build my Church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. And I shall give thee the keys to the kingdom.

## PROCESSION

"Christus Vincit"
Ambrosian Chant
arr. Frank Campbell-Watson

Christ conquers, Christ reigns, Christ rules! Christ Jesus, hear us.

Perpetual safety and welfare to the Church of God, Redeemer, Savior, assist her.

Holy Mary, Saint Joseph, Saint Michael, assist her. Christ Jesus hear us.

Life and health and blessings to Pope Francis our Holy Father. Saint Peter and Saint Paul, assist him.

King of kings, Christ our King, Christ our hope, Jesus our glory, Fountain of grace and all mercy,

Source of all our blessing, Defender in battle, Strong arm of our God invincible,

Our stronghold and our exaltation, Our captain who has won our salvation, Christ Jesus, our life and light, to him only is victory and all praise and jubilation, through all the endless ages of eternity. Amen.

May the temporal good and the peace of Christ come. Redeemed by the blood of Jesus.

Proclaim our joy. May His holy kingdom come. Praise be to our God. Amen.

"Tu es Petrus" Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina



## THE ORDER OF SERVICE

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Holy Father: O God, **★** come to my assistance.

All: Lord, make haste to help me.

Holy Father: Glory to the Father, and to the Son,

and to the Holy Spirit:

All: As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia.

Hymn

"O Radiant Light" OLD HUNDREDTH arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams



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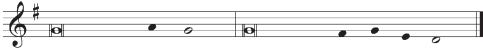
O Son of God, the source of life, Praise is your due by night and day, Our happy lips must raise the strain of your esteemed and splendid name.



## PSALMODY

I PSALM

Psalm 30(29) Tone VIIIg



#### **Antiphon**

Cantor first, then all:

I cried to you, Lord, and you <u>healed</u> me; I will praise <u>you</u> forever.

All: I will praise you, Lord, you have res<u>cued</u> me and have not let my enemies re**joice** over me.

O Lord, I cried to you <u>for</u> help and you, my <u>God</u>, have healed me. O Lord, you have raised my soul from <u>the</u> dead, restored me to life from those who sink <u>in</u>to the grave.

Sing psalms to the Lord, you who <u>love</u> him, give thanks to <u>his</u> holy name.

His anger lasts a moment; his favor <u>through</u> life.

At night there are tears, but <u>joy</u> comes with dawn.

I said to myself in my good <u>for</u>tune: "nothing will ev<u>er</u> disturb me."
Your favor had set me on a mountain <u>fast</u>ness, then you hid your face and I was put <u>to</u> confusion.

To you, Lord, *I* cried, to my God *I* made appeal: "What profit would my death be, my going to *the* grave? can dust give you praise or *pro*claim your truth?"



The Lord listened and had *pi*ty. The Lord *came* to my help. For me you have changed my mourning into *danc*ing, you removed my sackcloth and *clothed* me with joy. So my soul sings psalms to you unceasingly. O Lord my God, I will thank **you** forever.

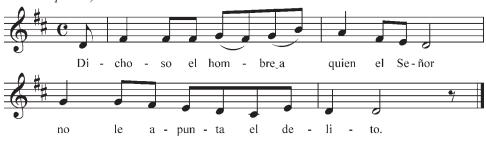
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the *Ho*ly Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

All repeat antiphon.

#### II SALMO

Salmo 31(32) Jennifer Pascual

(Proclaimed in Spanish)



Music © 2015 Jennifer Pascual. All rights reserved. The one who is sinless in the eyes of God is blessed indeed.

Dichoso el que está absuelto de su culpa, a quien le han sepultado su pecado; dichoso el hombre a quien el Señor no le apunta el delito.

Mientras callé se consumían mis huesos, rugiendo todo el día, porque día y noche tu mano pesaba sobre mí; mi savia se me había vuelto un fruto seco

Happy the man whose offense is forgiven whose sin is remitted. O happy the man to whom the Lord imputes no guilt, in whose spirit is no guile.

I kept it secret and my frame was wasted. I groaned all the day long for night and day your hand was heavy upon me. Indeed, my strength was dried up as by the summer's heat.



Había pecado, lo reconocí, no te encubrí mi delito; propuse: «Confesaré al Señor mi culpa», y tú perdonaste mi culpa y mi pecado.

Por eso, que todo fiel te suplique en el momento de la desgracia: la crecida de las aguas caudalosas no lo alcanzará

Tú eres mi refugio, me libras del peligro, me rodeas de cantos de liberación. Te instruiré y te enseñaré el camino que has de seguir, fijaré en ti mis ojos.

No seáis irracionales como caballos y mulos, cuyo brío hay que domar con freno y brida; si no, no puedes acercarte.

Los malvados sufren muchas penas; al que confía en el Señor, la misericordia lo rodea

Alegraos, justos, y gozad con el Señor; aclamadlo, los de corazón sincero

Gloria al Padre y al Hijo y al Espíritu Santo. Como era en el principio, ahora y siempre, por los siglos de los siglos. Amén. But now I have acknowledged my sins; my guilt I did not hide. I said: "I will confess my offense to the Lord." And you, Lord, have forgiven the guilt of my sin.

So let every good man pray to you in the time of need.
The floods of water may reach high but him they shall not reach.

You are my hiding place, O Lord; you save me from distress.
You surround me with cries of deliverance. I will instruct you and teach you the way you should go; I will give you counsel with my eye upon you.

Be not like horse and mule, unintelligent, needing bridle and bit, else they will not approach you.

Many sorrows has the wicked but he who trusts in the Lord, loving mercy surrounds him.

Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord, exult, you just!

O come, ring out your joy, all you upright of heart.

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.



## III CANTICLE

Revelation 11:17-18; 12:10b-12a Meinrad Tone V



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#### Antiphon

Cantor first, then all:

The Father has given Christ all power, honor <u>and</u> kingship; all people <u>will</u> obey him.

All: We praise you, the Lord God <u>Al</u>mighty, who is <u>and</u> who was.

You have assumed <u>your</u> great power, you have be<u>gun</u> your reign.

The nations have raged <u>in</u> anger, but then came your <u>day</u> of wrath and the moment to judge <u>the</u> dead: the time to reward your ser<u>vants</u> the prophets and the holy ones <u>who</u> revere you, the great and the <u>small</u> alike.

Now have salvation and pow<u>er</u> come, the reign of our God and the authority of his A<u>noint</u>ed One. For the accuser of our brothers <u>is</u> cast out, who night and day accused them <u>be</u>fore God.

They defeated him by the blood of *the* Lamb and by the word *of* their testimony; love for life did not deter them *from* death. So re*joice*, you heavens, and you that *dwell* therein!

Glory to the Father, and to <u>the</u> Son, and to the <u>Ho</u>ly Spirit. As it was in the begin<u>ning</u>, is now, and will be forev<u>er</u>. Amen.

All repeat antiphon.



## Word of God

READING Peter 1:6-9

(Proclaimed in English)

In this you rejoice, although now for a little while you may have to suffer through various trials,

so that the genuineness of your faith, more precious than gold that is perishable even though tested by fire,

may prove to be for praise, glory, and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ.

Although you have not seen him you love him; even though you do not see him now yet believe in him, you rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, as you attain the goal of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

Saltad de júbilo, aunque de momento tengáis que sufrir un poco en diversas pruebas. Así la pureza de vuestra fe resultará más preciosa que el oro que, aun después de acrisolado por el fuego, perece y será para vuestra alabanza y gloria y honor en el día de la manifestación de Jesucristo. A él no lo habéis visto, y lo amáis; en él creéis ahora, aunque no lo veis; y os regocijaréis con un gozo inefable y radiante, al recibir el fruto de vuestra fe, la salud de vuestras almas.

HOMILÍA

(Given in Spanish)

His Holiness, Pope Francis

M o t e t

"Laudate Dominum" from *Vesperae Solennes de Confessore, K. 339* Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

O praise the Lord, all ye nations; praise him, all ye people.

For his loving kindness has been bestowed upon us, and the truth of the Lord endures forever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

STAND

GOSPEL CANTICLE

"Magnificat"

Antiphon

Tone VIIIg

Cantor first, then all:



God has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and has lifted up the low-ly.



Thomas Tallis



All: My soul ★ proclaims the greatness of the Lord, \* my spirit rejoices in God my Sä vior.

For he has looked with favor \* on his lowly sër vant.

from this day all generations will call me blessed: \* the Almighty has done great things for me, and holy is his name.

He has mercy on those who fear him \* in every generation.

He has shown the strength of his arm \* he has scattered the proud in their conceit.

He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and has lifted up the löwly.

He has filled the hungry with good things, \* and the rich he has sent away ëmplty.

He has come to the help of his servant Israel \* for he has remembered his promise of mër cy,

the promise he made to our fathers, \* to Abraham and his children for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

As it was in the begin<sup>l</sup>ning, is lnow, \* and will be for ever. Almen.

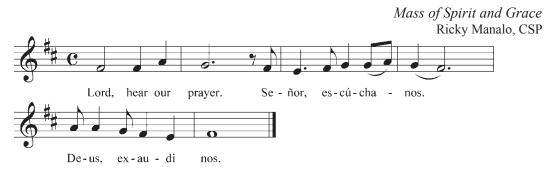
All Repeat Antiphon.



#### INTERCESSIONS

Holy Father: Our hope is in God, who gives us help. Let us call upon him, and say:

1. Lord, our God, you made an eternal covenant with your people, keep us ever mindful of your mighty deeds. Let us pray to the Lord.

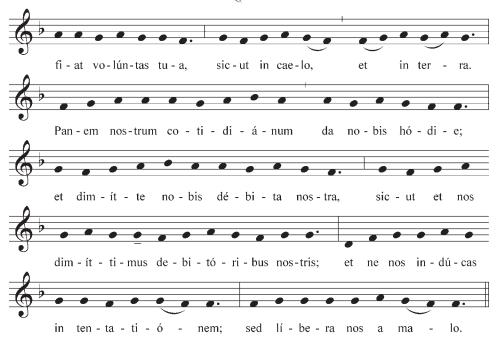


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- 2. Let your ordained ministers grow toward perfect love, and preserve your faithful people in unity by the bond of peace. Let us pray to the Lord.
- 3. Be with us in our work of building the earthly city, that in building we may not labor in vain. Let us pray to the Lord.
- 4. Send workers into your vineyard, and glorify your name among the nations. Let us pray to the Lord.
- 5. Welcome into the company of your saints our relatives and benefactors who have died, may we share their happiness one day. Let us pray to the Lord.







Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

## CONCLUDING PRAYER

Holy Father: Father,

you illumine the night

and bring the dawn to scatter darkness.

Let us pass this night in safety,

free from Satan's power,

and rise when morning comes

to give you thanks and praise.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.



## WORDS OF WELCOME AND GRATITUDE

His Eminence, Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan Archbishop of New York

#### PRAYER FOR CATHEDRAL

Holy Father: Lord, bless this church,

which we have been privileged to build with your help.

May all who gather here in faith

to listen to your word

and celebrate your sacraments, experience the presence of Christ,

who promised to be with those gathered in his name, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

#### BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

Holy Father: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Holy Father: Blessed be the name of the Lord.

All: Now and forever.

Holy Father: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

All: Who made heaven and earth.

Holy Father: May Almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Deacon: Go in peace.

All: Thanks be to God.

## H Y M N

"O God beyond All Praising"
THAXTED







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## Postludes

"Hallelujah" from *Mount of Olives* Ludwig van Beethoven

Hallelujah unto God's Almighty Son.
Praise the Lord, ye bright angelic choirs, in holy songs of joy.
Man, proclaim his grace and glory.

"Tu es Petra" Henri Mulet

"Final" from Symphony No. 1, Op. 14 Louis Vierne



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