



THE EASTER TRIDUUM 2015

HOLY SATURDAY

THE EASTER VIGIL

ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY CHURCH

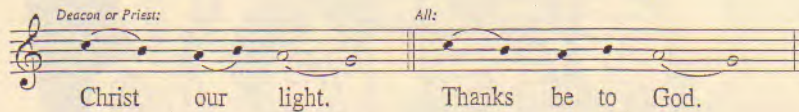
EASTER VIGIL

The long Lenten preparation, the Lenten disciplines and fast of the faithful, the vigilling and fasting and prayer that have gone on since Thursday night -- all culminate in the great liturgy of this evening. On this night the church assembles to spend much time listening to scriptures, praying psalms, acclaiming the death and resurrection of the Lord. All of the faithful are called forward, challenged to renounce evil and re-affirm their faith in God. The water of the baptismal font is blessed and the solemn Easter liturgy is celebrated with great joy.

SERVICE OF LIGHT

Blessing of the New Fire and Lighting of the Paschal Candle

Procession to Church



Easter Proclamation: The Exultet

In this ancient text the church gives thanks and praise to God for all that is recalled this night: Adam's fall, the deliverance from Egypt, the Passover of Christ, the wedding of earth and heaven, our reconciliation.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

At the Vigil, the liturgy of the word is an extended time of reading, silence and the chanting of psalms. On this night, when the faithful know the death and resurrection of the Lord in baptism and Eucharist, the church needs first to hear these scriptures which are the foundation of our life together: the creation story, the dividing of the sea, the poetry of Isaiah and Ezekiel, the proclamation of Paul to the Romans and the gospel account of Jesus' resurrection.

First ReadingGenesis 1:1-2:2

Psalm Response

Psalm 104

#808 Breaking Bread

Lord, Send Out Your Spirit

Second ReadingGenesis 22:1-18

Psalm Response

Psalm 16

Keep Me Safe, O God

①
Keep me safe, O God, I take ref-uge in you.

②
Keep me safe, O God, I take ref-uge in you.

Third Reading Exodus 14:15 --15:1

#827 Breaking Bread

To God Be Praise and Glory

Fourth Reading . . (This reading is sung.)Isaiah 55:1-11

#614 Breaking Bread

Come to the Water

Fifth ReadingEzekiel 36:16-17a, 18-28

Psalm Response

Psalm 51

#778 Breaking Bread

Oh Dios, Crea en Mi

GloriaSchutte

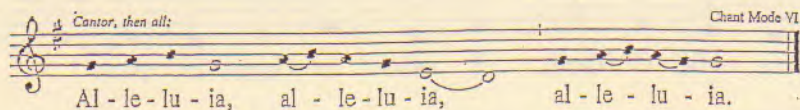
Refrain
Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God. Glo-ry to God in the high -
est, and on earth peace, on earth peace to peo-ple of good
will. A - men. A - men.

1-4 (1st time: to Refrain) | Final
to Verses

Coda

Epistle Romans 6:3-11

Gospel Acclamation



GospelMatthew 28:1-10

Homily

LITURGY OF BAPTISM _____

Light Candles

Litany of the Saints

Blessing of the Water

Renewal of Baptismal Promises

Sprinkling #942 Breaking Bread
I Saw Water Flowing

Rite of Reception
Daniel Keller

Celebration of Confirmation

Presentation of Lighted Candle

Extinguish candles.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

General Intercessions

Preparation of the Gifts #518 Breaking Bread
Christ in Me Arise

Holy #874 Breaking Bread

Memorial Acclamation #875 Breaking Bread

Amen

Curtis Stephan

A - men, a - men, a - men.

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The Lord's Prayer

Peace

Lamb of God #879 Breaking Bread

Communion #357 Breaking Bread
Bread of Life

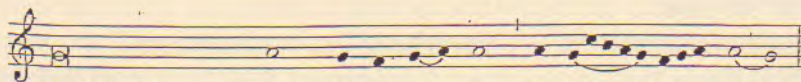
#171 Breaking Bread
Roll Away the Stone

Hallelujah! My Father
Cullen

Hallelujah, my Father, for giving us Your Son,
Sending Him into the world to be given up for all,
Knowing we would bruise Him and smite Him from the earth.
Hallelujah, in His death is my birth.
Hallelujah, my Father, in His life is my life.

CONCLUDING RITE

Blessing



Go in the peace of Christ, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Thanks be to God, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Closing Hymn *#467 Worship*
Sing with All the Saints in Glory

A very special thanks to all who served in various ministries during this Holy Week:
choir, musicians, readers, Eucharistic ministers, servers, ushers, greeters, et al.

THANKS MUCH!!

If you would like, please take your program home with you.

HAPPY EASTER!!

