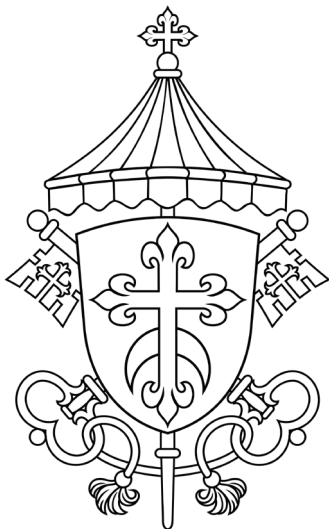


# ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL



## Solemn Mass

Second Sunday  
of Easter

11 April 2021  
10.30am

# WELCOME

to St Mary's Cathedral which stands in the centre of Sydney as a Christian statement of grace and beauty. Generations of artists have bequeathed to it their magnificent gifts in stone and glass, designing a unique space of solace and prayer within this vibrant city. This Cathedral represents the spiritual origins of the Catholic Church in Australia. It is one of Sydney's most treasured historic buildings and one of the finest examples of English-style gothic churches in the world. William Wilkinson Wardell, the 19th century architect, dreamed of a gothic structure shaped from the local yellow-block sandstone on which this city is built. The building was finally completed 100 years after the architect's death. The Cathedral is dedicated to Mary, Immaculate Mother of God, Help of Christians.

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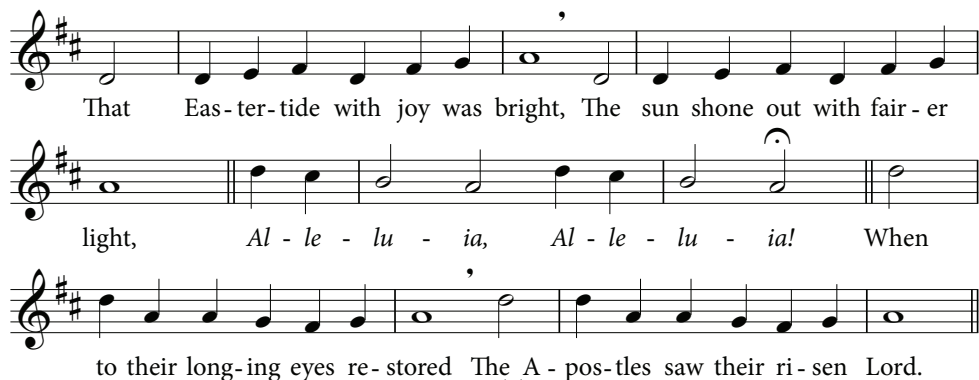
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PLEASE TURN OFF AND REFRAIN FROM USING ALL MOBILE TELEPHONES  
AND OTHER ELECTRONIC DEVICES.**

# ORDER OF MASS

*At the sound of the Sacristy bell all stand and sing*

## THE HYMN



That Eas-ter-tide with joy was bright, The sun shone out with fair-er  
light, Al-le-lu-ia, Al-le-lu-ia! When  
to their long-ing eyes re-stored The A-pos-tles saw their ri-sen Lord.

*Refrain*



Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia,  
lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia!

2

He bade them see his hands, his side,  
Where yet the glorious wounds abide;  
Alleluia, alleluia!

The tokens true which made it plain  
Their Lord indeed was risen again.

Alleluia, alleluia,  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

3

O Jesus, King of gentleness,  
Do thou thyself our hearts possess,  
Alleluia, alleluia!

That we may give thee all our days  
The tribute of our grateful praise.

Alleluia, alleluia,  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

4

O Lord of all, with us abide  
In this our joyful Eastertide;  
Alleluia, alleluia!

From every weapon death can wield  
Thine own redeemed for ever shield.

Alleluia, alleluia,  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

## THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

*All make the Sign of the Cross as the Celebrant says*

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

℟: **Amen.**

The Lord be with you.

℟: **And with your spirit.**

### PENITENTIAL ACT

Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

*After a brief silence all say*

**I CONFESS to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,**

*All strike their breast thrice, saying*

**through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;  
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

*The Celebrant gives the absolution, saying*

May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

℟: **Amen.**

All repeat each line of the KYRIE

Mass VIII



Ky-ri- e e- lé- i-son. Ky-ri- e e- lé- i-son.

*Lord, have mercy.*



Chri- ste e- lé- i-son. Chri- ste e- lé- i-son.

*Christ, have mercy.*

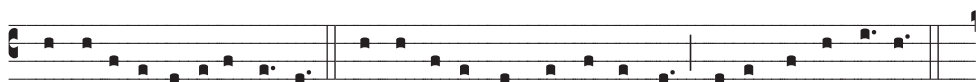


Ky-ri- e e- lé- i-son. Ky-ri- e e- lé- i-son.

*Lord, have mercy.*

All sing alternate lines of the GLORIA

Mass VIII



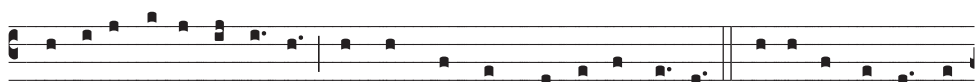
Gló-ri- a in excélsis De- o. Et in terra pax ho- mí- ni- bus bonæ vo- lun- tá- tis.

*Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.*



**Laudá- mus te.** Be- ne- dí- ci- mus te. **Ado- rá- mus te.** Glo- ri- fi- cá- mus te.

*We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,*



**Grá- ti- as á- gi- mus ti- bi propter magnam gló- ri- am tu- am.** Dómi- ne De- us, Rex

*we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly*



cael- é- stis, De- us Pa- ter omní- pot- ens. **Dómi- ne Fi- li u- ni- gé- ni- te Ie- su Chri- ste.**

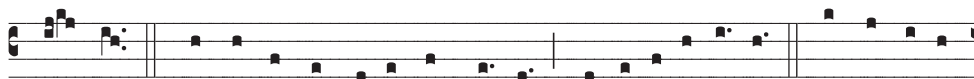
*King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,*



Dómi-ne De-us, Agnus De-i, Fí-li-us Pa-tris. **Qui tol-lis pec-cá-ta mun-di,**  
*Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world,*



**mi-se-ré-re no-bis.** Qui tol-lis pec-cá-ta mun-di, susci-pe depre-ca-ti-ó-nem  
*have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;*



no-stram. **Qui se-des ad délixte-ram Pa-tris, mi-se-ré-re no-bis.** Quo-ni-am tu  
*you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you*



so-lus sanctus. **Tu so-lus Dómi-nus.** Tu so-lus Al-tís-simus, Ie-su Chri-ste.  
*alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,*



**Cum Sancto Spí-ri-tu, in gló-ri-a De-i Pa-tris. A- men.**  
*with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.*

*The Celebrant says the COLLECT*

℟: **Amen.**

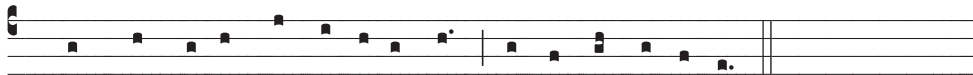
# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

*Acts 4:32-35*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalm 117:2-4,15-18,22-24* ℟. *v. 1*



℟. **Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.**

Let the sons of Israel say:

‘His love has no end.’

Let the sons of Aaron say:

‘His love has no end.’

Let those who fear the Lord say:

‘His love has no end.’ ℟.

The Lord’s right hand has triumphed;

his right hand raised me up.

I shall not die, I shall live

and recount his deeds.

I was punished, I was punished by the Lord,

but not doomed to die. ℟.

The stone which the builders rejected

has become the corner stone.

This is the work of the Lord,

a marvel in our eyes.

This day was made by the Lord;

we rejoice and are glad. ℟.

*The cantor sings the SEQUENCE*

**C**HRISTIANS, to the Paschal victim offer your thankful praises! A lamb the sheep redeemeth: Christ, who only is sinless, reconcileth sinners to the Father. Death and life have contended in that combat stupendous: the Prince of life, who died, reigns immortal. Speak, Mary, declaring what thou sawest, wayfaring: The tomb of Christ, who is living, the glory of Jesus' resurrection; Bright angels attesting, the shroud and napkin resting. Yea, Christ my hope is arisen; to Galilee he will go before you. Christ indeed from death is risen, our new life obtaining; have mercy, victor King, ever reigning! Amen. Alleluia.

*All sing the ALLELUIA*

℟: **Al-le-lú-ia, al-le-lú-ia, al-le-lú-ia.**

℣ Jesus said: 'You believe because you can see me.  
Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.' ℟

## GOSPEL

*John 20:19-31*

The Lord be with you.

℟: **And with your spirit.**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

℟: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

*At the conclusion of the Gospel:*

The Gospel of the Lord.

℟: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

## HOMILY



## PROFESSION OF FAITH

**I BELIEVE** in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

*All bow during the following line:*

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## UNIVERSAL PRAYER

### THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

*During the preparation of the gifts all sing*

#### O FILII ET FILIAE



℟̕ Al- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu- ia.

Ye sons and daughters of the King, whom heavenly hosts in glory sing, today the grave hath lost its sting. Alleluia! ℟̕

On that first morning of the week, before the day began to break, the Marys went their Lord to seek. Alleluia! ℟̕

An Angel bade their sorrow flee, for thus he spake unto the three: ‘Your Lord is gone to Galilee.’ Alleluia! ℟̕

That night the Apostles met in fear, amidst them came their Lord most dear, and said: ‘Peace be unto you here!’ Alleluia! ℟̕

*The Celebrant says*

Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

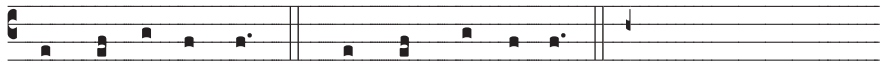
℟: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

*The Celebrant says the PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS*

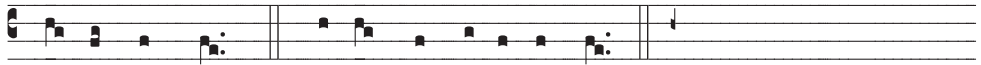
℟: **Amen.**

## THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

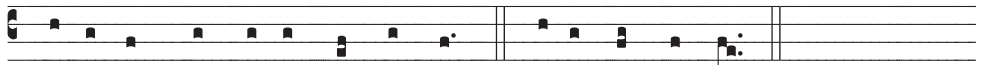
**T** HE Lord be with you. ℟: **And with your spi-rit.**




Lift up your hearts. ℟: **We lift them up to the Lord.**





Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. ℟: **It is right and just.**




## THE PREFACE

**S**  An- ctus, \* Sanctus, San- ctus Dó- mi-nus De- us Sá-  
 Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.

 ba-oth. Ple-ni sunt cæ- li et ter- ra gló- ri- a tu- a. Ho- sánna in excél-  
 Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.


 sis. Be- ne- dí- ctus qui ve- nit in nó- mi- ne Dó- mi- ni. Ho- sán- na in  
 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in

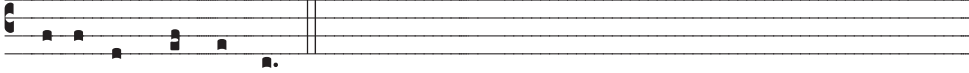
 ex- cél- sis.  
 the highest.

When the Celebrant sings

The mystery of faith.

All sing

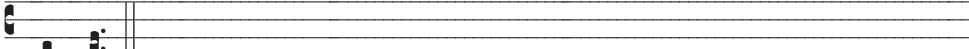
**W**  E proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Re-sur-rectio-  
 n

 until you come a-gain.

When the Celebrant sings

Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, for ever and ever.

All respond



**A-men.**

# COMMUNION RITE

At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

*All sing*

**O** UR 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 dai-ly bread,  
and forgive us our trespasses, as we for-give those who trespass a-gainst us;  
and lead us not in-to temp-ta-tion, but de-liv-er us from e- vil.

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.


Ⲅ For the kingdom, the power and the glo-ry are yours now and for ev-er.

Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.


Ⲅ Amen.

The peace of the Lord be with you always.


Ⲅ And with your spirit.



**A** - gnus De- i, \* **qui tol-lis peccá-ta mun-di: mi-se-ré- re no- bis.**  
*Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.*



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A- gnus De- i, \* **qui tol-lis peccá-ta mun-di: do-na no- bis pa- cem.**  
*Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.*

*The Celebrant shows the host to the congregation, saying*

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.

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

*Catholics who have made the proper spiritual and sacramental preparation may come forward in the procession to receive Holy Communion. The sacred host must be consumed in the presence of the communion minister.*

All sing

## THE HYMN



There's a wide-ness in God's mer-cy Like the wide-ness of the sea;



There's a kind-ness in his jus-tice Which is more than li - ber - ty.

**There is no place where earth's sorrows  
Are more felt than up in heaven;  
There is no place where earth's failings  
Have such kindly judgement given.**

**For the love of God is broader  
Than the measure of man's mind;  
And the heart of the Eternal  
Is most wonderfully kind.**

**There is welcome for the sinner,  
And more graces for the good;  
There is mercy with the Saviour;  
There is healing in his Blood.**

**There is plentiful redemption  
In the blood that has been shed;  
There is joy for all the members  
In the sorrows of the Head.**

**If our love were but more simple,  
We should take him at his word;  
And our lives would be all gladness  
In the joy of Christ our Lord.**

*All for Jesus*  
*Sir John Stainer (1840–1901)*

*Rev. Fr Frederick William Faber (1814–1863)*

*The Celebrant says the PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION*

℣: **Amen.**

## THE CONCLUDING RITES

The Lord be with you.

℣: **And with your spirit.**

Bow down for the blessing.

May almighty God bless you through today's Easter Solemnity and, in his compassion, defend you from every assault of sin.

℣: **Amen.**

And may he, who restores you to eternal life in the Resurrection of his Only Begotten, endow you with the prize of immortality.

℣: **Amen.**

Now that the days of the Lord's Passion have drawn to a close, may you who celebrate the gladness of the Paschal Feast come with Christ's help, and exulting in spirit, to those feasts that are celebrated in eternal joy.

℣: **Amen.**

And may the blessing of almighty God, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit, come down on you and remain with you for ever.

℣: **Amen.**

**G**  O in peace, al-le-lú- ia, al-le- lú- ia.



℣: **Thanks be to God, al- le- lú- ia, al- le- lú- ia.**

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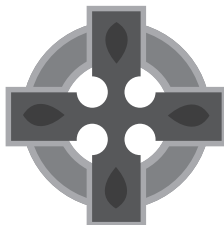
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