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PRELUDE *Toccata in F*

D. Buxtehude

Prayer Before Holy Mass (please rise)

My dear God and loving Father, as I participate in this Holy Mass, may Jesus fill me with His holy grace when I open my heart to Him in sincere prayer. May the sacraments I will receive, the prayers that I will say and the hymns that I will sing bring me closer to Jesus and help me to be more like Him in all that I say and do. May the Holy Communion that I will receive give me strength, so that I may share faith, hope and love with the people I will meet. Amen.

OPENING HYMN 1 *Hymn of Faith* (1, 3, 4)

To Thee we come, O Lord, our God,
Before Thine altar, Father;
Thou knowest best our yearning hearts;
This supplication answer.
Lift up from want Thy people, Lord;
Bless us, O God, O Father, bless our toil!

And grant us faith, sustain our strength,
As for Thy cause we struggle;
And when we falter, punish us,
True God and Righteous Leader,
And 'neath Thy banner gather us.
Renew us, Lord, O Father, bless our toil!

Under Thy cross we stand prepared
To serve Thee with devotion,
Be it with sweat of blood or tears,
Or humble resignation.
For we Thy people are, O Lord;
Save us, O God, O Father, bless our toil!

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INTROIT

Psalm 122:6-9

C: For the peace of Jerusalem pray: "May those who love you prosper! May peace be within your ramparts, prosperity within your towers." **R: For family and friends I say, "May peace be yours." For the house of the Lord, our God, I pray, "May blessings be yours."** C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. **R: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

KYRIE

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GLORIA

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OPENING PRAYER

Lord, our God, You taught us that those who make peace are Your children. Pour Your peace into our hearts so that all conflict may disappear. We ask this in the name of Your Son, Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **R. Amen.**

~ LITURGY OF THE WORD ~

FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 55:6-11

Thus says the Lord: Rejoice with Jerusalem and be glad because of her, all you who love her; Exult, exult with her, all you who were mourning over her! Oh that you may suck fully of the milk of her comfort, that you may nurse with delight at her abundant breasts! For thus says the Lord: Lo, I will spread prosperity over Jerusalem like a river, and the wealth

of the nations like an overflowing torrent. As nurslings, you shall be carried in her arms, and fondled in her lap; as a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you; in Jerusalem you shall find your comfort. When you see this, your heart shall rejoice, and your bodies flourish like the grass; The Lord's power shall be known to his servants.

This is the Word of the Lord. **R. Thanks be to God.**

GRADUAL - *Traditional Mass*

Psalm 131:1-2

C: Lord, my heart is not proud; nor are my eyes haughty. I do not busy myself with great matters, with things too sublime for me. **R: Rather, I have stilled my soul, hushed it like a weaned child. Like a weaned child on its mother's lap, so is my soul within me.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM - *Contemporary Mass*

Psalm 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20
Alstott

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R. Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

R. (1) Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

Shout joyfully to God, all the earth,
sing praise to the glory of his name;
proclaim his glorious praise.
Say to God, "How tremendous are your deeds!"

R. Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

"Let all on earth worship and sing praise to you,
sing praise to your name!"
Come and see the works of God,
his tremendous deeds among the children of Adam.

R. Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

He has changed the sea into dry land;
through the river they passed on foot;
therefore let us rejoice in him.
He rules by his might forever.

R. Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

Hear now, all you who fear God, while I declare
what he has done for me.

Blessed be God who refused me not
my prayer or his kindness!

R. Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

SECOND LESSON

Galatians 6:14-18

Brothers and sisters: May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. For neither does circumcision mean anything, nor does uncircumcision, but only a new creation. Peace and mercy be to all who follow this rule and to the Israel of God.

From now on, let no one make troubles for me; for I bear the marks of Jesus on my body.

The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brothers and sisters. Amen.

This is the Word of the Lord. **R. Thanks be to God.**

ALLELUIA

1 Samuel 25:6

Elfman, based on Mass 16



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

C: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. **R: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.** C: Say to him, "Peace be with you, my brother, and with your family, and with all who belong to you." **R: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

GOSPEL

Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

At that time the Lord appointed seventy-two others whom he sent ahead of him in pairs to every town and place he intended to visit. He said to them, "The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest. Go on your way; behold, I am sending you like lambs among wolves. Carry no money bag, no

sack, no sandals; and greet no one along the way. Into whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this household.' If a peaceful person lives there, your peace will rest on him; but if not, it will return to you. Stay in the same house and eat and drink what is offered to you, for the laborer deserves his payment. Do not move about from one house to another.

Whatever town you enter and they welcome you, eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God is at hand for you.' Whatever town you enter and they do not receive you, go out into the streets and say, 'The dust of your town that clings to our feet, even that we shake off against you.' Yet know this: the kingdom of God is at hand. I tell you, it will be more tolerable for Sodom on that day than for that town."

The seventy-two returned rejoicing, and said, "Lord, even the demons are subject to us because of your name." Jesus said, "I have observed Satan fall like lightning from the sky. Behold, I have given you the power to 'tread upon serpents' and scorpions and upon the full force of the enemy and nothing will harm you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice because your names are written in heaven.

This is the gospel of the Lord. R. Praise be to You, Lord Jesus Christ.

HYMN TO THE HOLY SPIRIT *As Your Spirit Moved.*

ZEŚLIJ DUCHA

As Your Spirit moved over the waters,
And You spoke, and there was light,
Hear the sighs of sons and daughters
Fly from depths of sin and night:
(Lord, send down Your Holy Spirit,
Your poor children humbly pray;
Speak Your truth and help us hear it,
That we follow in Your way.)

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL - *Contemporary Mass*

R: Lord hear our prayer.

~ LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST ~

OFFERTORY VERSE

John 12:48

Whoever rejects Me and does not accept My words has something to judge him: the word that I spoke, it will condemn him on the last day.

OFFERTORY HYMN *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less.*

MELITA

My hope is built on nothing less than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
No merit of my own I claim, but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

Refrain: On Christ, the solid rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

His oath, His covenant, His blood, sustain me in the raging flood;
When all supports are washed away, He then is all my hope and stay. *Refrain*

When He shall come with trumpet sound, oh, may I then in Him be found,
Clothed in His righteousness alone, redeemed to stand before the throne! *Refrain*

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

God of compassion and forgiveness, receive our offering this day and make us one with Him, Who is our peace. We ask this through the same, Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **R. Amen.**

PREFACE

SANCTUS

Englert

~ CANON ~

THE LORDS PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

Alstott

POST-COMMUNION HYMN *One Bread, One Body* (verses as needed)

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Refrain: One Bread, one Body, one Lord of All,
One cup of blessing which we bless;
And we, though many throughout the earth,
We are one body in this one Lord.

Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more. *Refrain*

Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all. *Refrain*

Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to One for all. *Refrain*

COMMUNION VERSE

John 14:27

Peace I leave with you; My peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Lord, Jesus Christ, we thank You for Your gift of the Eucharist. Give us ears to hear Your word, faith to receive it and strength to proclaim it. Amid all the confusions and tensions of this present time, may we always abide in Your peace. For You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **R. Amen.**

FINAL BLESSING (please kneel)

DISMISSAL

C: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord! **R: Thanks be to God.**

Prayer After Holy Mass (please remain kneeling)

I am grateful to You, Lord, that I was able to come to church and participate in the Holy Sacrifice of Mass. I thank You for receiving Your gracious pardon, Your instruction and teaching through Your Word, and Your Body and Blood in Holy Communion. May Your sacraments continue to strengthen and help me to be faithful to You and Your Church. Help me to face all the challenges of life on my journey to Your heavenly kingdom. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN *My Country, 'Tis of Thee*

My country, 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing:
Land where my fathers died, land of the pilgrims' pride,
From every mountainside let freedom ring!

Let music swell the breeze, and ring from all the trees sweet freedom's song;
Let mortal tongues awake; let all that breathe partake;
Let rocks their silence break, the sound prolong.

Our fathers' God, to Thee, Author of liberty, to Thee we sing:
Long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light.
Protect us by Thy might, great God, our King.

POSTLUDE *The Heavens Declare the Glory of God*

B. Marcello