

St. Mary of Victories Church, 744 South 3rd Street, Saint Louis
Sanctae Familiae Iesu, Mariae et Ioseph, 27 Decembris MMXV

Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, December 27, 2015

Holy Mass in the ordinary form of the Roman Rite, according to the Roman Gradual and the 3rd typical edition of the Roman Missal reformed by Decree of the Second Vatican Council

Introit Entrance Antiphon (chanted by schola) Psalm 67: 6, 7, 36 and 2

Deus in loco sancto suo: Deus, qui inhabitare facit unanimes in domo: ipse dabit virtutem et fortitudinem plebi suae. **(V. 2):** Exsurgat Deus, et dissipentur inimici eius: et fugiant, qui oderunt eum, a facie eius. Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto; sicut erat in principio, et nunc et semper, et in saecula saeculorum. Amen. Deus in loco sancto suo: Deus, qui inhabitare facit unanimes in domo: ipse dabit virtutem et fortitudinem plebi suae.

God is in his holy place: God who brings people to dwell in unity in a house: he will give power and strength to his people. (V. 2): Let God arise, and let his enemies be scattered: and let those who hate him flee from before his face. 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. God is in his holy place: God who brings people to dwell in unity in a house: he will give power and strength to his people.

Salutatio et Ritus Paenitentialis Greeting & Penitential Rite, *Vatican II Hymnal (V2H)*, pp. 4-5.
Kyrie Eleison & Gloria in Excelsis Deo Mass VIII (*De angelis*), *Parish Book of Chant (PBC)*, pp. 52- 53.

Collecta

Opening Prayer

Deus, qui praeclara nobis sanctae Familiae dignatus es exempla praeberere, concede propitius, ut, domesticis virtutibus caritatisque vinculis illam sectantes, in laetitia domus tuae praemiis fruamur aeternis. Per Dominum nostrum Iesum Christum Filium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spiritus Sancti, Deus, per omnia saecula saeculorum. Amen.

God our Father, you have seen fit to give us the marvelous example of the Holy Family. In your mercy, grant that we may imitate that family by the virtues that befit our home lives and by the ties of love, and so joyfully experience the eternal rewards of your home. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Liturgia verbi Liturgy of the Word (*V2H*, Gospel, p. 400, other readings pp. 401-402 [Year C]).

Response to the Psalm: “Blessed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord.”
(The chant melody for this Response is in *V2H*, p. 60.)

Credo Creed (*Credo III*, *PBC*, p. 77)

Oratio universalis Prayers of the Faithful

Offertory hymn **Once In Royal David’s City** (*V2H*, p. 336).

Praeparatio donorum Preparation of the Gifts (*V2H*, pp. 10-13)
(Please respond to the *Orate fratres* by reciting the prayer “**Suscipiat Dominus . . .**” at the top of p. 13.)

Super Oblata

Hostiam tibi placationis offerimus, Domine, suppliciter deprecantes, ut Deiparae Virginis beatique Ioseph interveniente suffragio, familias nostras in tua gratia firmiter et pace constituas. Per Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

Prayer over the Gifts

Lord, as we offer you the sacrifice of reconciliation, we humbly pray that, through the intercession of the Virgin who bore your Son and of Saint Joseph, you will solidly establish our own families in your grace and peace. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Prefex Eucharistica Eucharistic Prayer: Opening Dialogue (*V2H*, p. 13)***Praefatio I de Nativitate***

Vere dignum et iustum est, aequum et salutare, nos tibi semper et ubique gratias agere, Domine, sancte Pater, omnipotens aeternae Deus: Quia per incarnati Verbi mysterium nova mentis nostrae oculis lux tuae claritatis infulsit: ut, dum visibiliter Deum cognoscimus, per hunc in invisibilium amorem rapiamur. Et ideo, cum Angelis et Archangelis, cum Thronis et Dominationibus, cumque omnia militia caelestis exercitus, hymnum gloriae tuae canimus, sine fine dicentes: ‘Sanctus’]

First Preface of Christmas

It is truly fitting and just, right and salutary, that we give you thanks always and everywhere, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God. For, by means of the mystery of your Word enfleshed, a new degree of the radiance of your own splendor has been added to what our mind’s eye perceives, so that in coming to know this God who has become visible, we might also through him be swept up into a love of things invisible. Thus, in company with the Angels, the Archangels, the Thrones, the Dominations, in company with the entire host of the heavenly army, we sing our song of praise to your glory, chanting without ceasing: [followed by ‘Sanctus’]

Sanctus & Agnus Dei Holy, Holy, Holy & Lamb of God (*PBC*, pp. 53-54)

Canon Romanus Roman Canon (*V2H*, pp. 20-25))

Ritus Communionis Communion Rite (*V2H*, pp. 14-17)

Antiphona ad Communionem Communion Antiphon (chanted by schola): Luke 2: 48-49

Fili, quid fecisti nobis sic? Ego et pater tuus dolentes quaerebamus te. Ed quid est quod me quaerebatis? Nesciebatis quia in his, quae Patris mei sunt, oportet me esse?

“Son, why have you done this to us? Your father and I were searching for you anxiously.” “And how is it that you were searching for me? Did you not know that I must be about my Father’s business?”

Post Communionem

Quos caelestibus reficis sacramentis, fac, clementissime Pater, sanctae Familiae exempla iugiter imitari, ut, post aerumnas saeculi, eius consortium consequamur aeternum. Per Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

Most merciful Father, now that you have refreshed us by these heavenly sacraments, make us constantly imitate the example of the Holy Family, so that, after the troubles of this world, we may enjoy their company in heaven. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Ritus Conclusionis Concluding Rite (*V2H*, p.18-19)

Recessional Hymn Hark, The Herald Angels Sing (*V2H*, p. 230)