Sunday, May 29, 2024 The Most Holy Trinity

Prayer for the Morning

Let us bless the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit! Let us praise and exalt God above all for ever!

Glory to the Father...Amen. Alleluia

<u>Hymn</u> <u>Meter: 87 87 87</u>

Glory be to God the Father, Glory be to God the Son, Glory be to God the Spirit, Glory to the Three in One! Glory, honor, praise, and blessing While eternal ages run! Glory be to him who loves us, Washed us from each spot and stain! Glory be to him who brought us, Made us kings with him to reign! Glory, honor, praise, and blessing To the Lamb that once was slain! Glory to the King of angels, Glory to the Church's King, Glory to the King of nations, Heav'n and earth, your praises sing; Glory, honor, praise, and blessing To the King of glory bring!

Canticle Isaiah 33:2-3, 5-6, 10

Praise and eternal glory to God the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Paraclete through all ages.

(Traditional Antiphon)

God is exalted in mystery and majesty, triune and one in glory. Yet through the divine indwelling he is nearer to us than we are to ourselves. What can we offer but praise that dares to go beyond the small boundaries of our finite understanding into the realm of light inaccessible?

O Lord, have pity on us, for you we wait.

Be our strength every morning, our salvation in time of trouble!

At the roaring sound, peoples flee; when you rise in your majesty, nations are scattered.

The Lord is exalted, enthroned on high; he fills Zion with right and justice.

That which makes her seasons lasting, the riches that save her, are wisdom and knowledge; the fear of the Lord is her treasure.

Now will I rise up, says the Lord, now will I be exalted, now be lifted up.

Glory to the Father...

Word of God

Ephesians 3:8-11

To me, the very least of all the holy ones, this grace was given, to preach to the Gentiles the inscrutable riches of Christ, and to bring to light [for all] what is the plan of the mystery hidden from ages past in God who created all things, so that the manifold wisdom of God might now be made known through the church to the principalities and authorities in the heavens. This was -according to the eternal purpose that he accomplished in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Let us praise the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever!

Canticle of Zechariah

Blessed are you, now and through endless ages, O holy Creator and Ruler of all, most blessed and undivided Trinity! (Traditional Antiphon)

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel; he has come to his people and set them free. He has raised up for us a mighty savior, born of the house of his servant David.

Through his holy prophets he promised of old that he would save us from our enemies, from the hands of all who hate us. He promised to show mercy to our fathers and to remember his holy covenant.

This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham: to set us free from the hands of our enemies, free to worship him without fear, holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.

You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High; for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way, to give his people knowledge of salvation by the forgiveness of their sins. In the tender compassion of our God the dawn from on high shall break upon us, to shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death, and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Glory to the Father...

Intercessions

Let us adore the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit:

R/Glory and praise to our God!

Father most holy, we do not know how to pray: – send us the Spirit to aid us in our weakness. R/

Father all-powerful, you sent the Spirit into our hearts to cry, "Abba, Father": - make us heirs in Christ your Son. R/

Jesus, Son of God, you prayed to the Father to send the Advocate for your Church: – lead us by the Spirit of truth. R/

Jesus, risen from the dead, you sent the Spirit, the Consoler, to your disciples: – make us witnesses for you. R/

Spirit of the Father and the Son, ripen your fruits in our hearts: – grant us patience and gentleness, charity, joy, and peace. R/

Personal intentions

Our Father....

Eternal Father, who with the Word of Life and the Spirit of Truth are glorious in Trinity and majestic in unity, inspire us to drink ever more deeply of the wellspring of salvation that is the sacraments, we pray, that we may be drawn ever more fully into that divine life which awaits us in heaven. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Sunday, May 26, 2024 The Most Holy Trinity

<u>Reading 1</u> <u>Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40</u>

Moses said to the people: "Ask now of the days of old, before your time, ever since God created man upon the earth; ask from one end of the sky to the other: Did anything so great ever happen before? Was it ever heard of? Did a people ever hear the voice of God speaking from the midst of fire, as you did, and live? Or did any god venture to go and take a nation for himself from the midst of another nation, by testings, by signs and wonders, by war, with strong hand and outstretched arm, and by great terrors, all of which the Lord, your

God, did for you in Egypt before your very eyes? This is why you must now know, and fix in your heart, that the Lord is God in the heavens above and on earth below, and that there is no other. You must keep his statutes and commandments that I enjoin on you today, that you and your children after you may prosper, and that you may have long life on the land which the Lord, your God, is giving you forever."

Reading 2 Romans 8:14-17

Brothers and sisters: Those who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you received a Spirit of adoption, through whom we cry, "Abba, Father!" The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if only we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

Gospel Matthew 28:16-20

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had ordered them. When they all saw him, they worshiped, but they doubted. Then Jesus approached and said to them, "All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."

Men of St. Joseph Prayer

St. Joseph, help me to be like you. Help me to be obedient to the teachings of the Church and faithful to God's commands. Help me to patiently endure my cross each day. Let me be a model of holiness and a pillar of virtue. I solemnly promise to embrace God's will and I accept the challenge to work tirelessly for my family's salvation. Be my guide and companion on this journey. St. Joseph, terror of demons, pray for us!

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