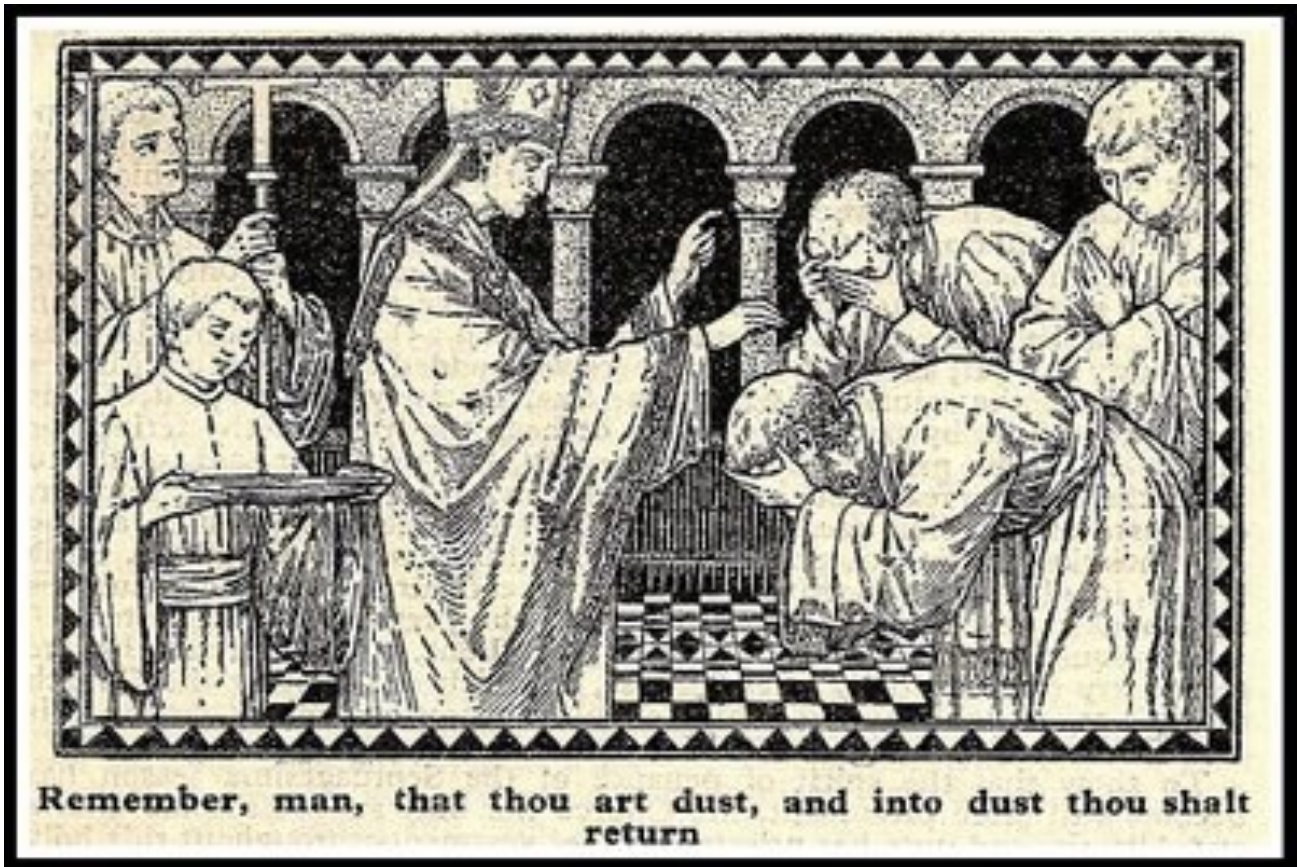


Ash Wednesday
March 1, 2017



Saint Mary's Basilica

Entrance Hymn

FROM THE DEPTHS WE CRY TO THEE



1. From the depths we cry to thee, God of
2. Gra - cious God, our hearts re - new; Strength - en
3. Lord, ac - cept our Lent - en fast And for -



1. sov - 'reign maj - es - ty!
2. us thy will to do.
3. give our sin - ful past,



Hear our prayers and hymns of praise;
Wash us, make us pure with - in;
That we may par - take with thee



Bless our Lent of for - ty days.
Cleanse us from the stain of sin.
In the Eas - ter mys - ter - y.

Introit

(Sung by Choir)

Wisdom 11: 24-25, 27

Your mercy extends to all things, O Lord,
And you despise none of the things you have made.
You overlook the sins of men for the sake of repentance.
You grant them pardon, because you are the Lord, our God.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 51



Be mer - ci - ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

Gospel Acclamation



Praise to You, Lord Je - sus, King of end-less glo - ry;



Ho - nour and praise to You!



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Imposition of Ashes

Parce Domine

Par - ce Dó - mi - ne, par - ce pó - pu - lo tu - o:
ne in ae - tér - num i - ra - scá - ris no - bis.

(Spare, Lord, spare your people: do not be angry with us forever)

The Choir sing the following antiphons:

Let us change our garments to sackcloth and ashes, let us fast and weep before the Lord, that our God, rich in mercy, might forgive us our sins.

Let the priests, the ministers of the Lord, stand between the porch and the altar and weep and cry out: Spare, O Lord, spare your people; do not close the mouths of those who sing your praise, O Lord.

(Cf. Joel 2:17; Esther 4:17)

Offertory Motet

O Bone Jesu (G. P. da Palestrina, 1525-1594)


O bone Jesu, miserere nobis,
Quia tu creasti nos,
Tu redimisti nos,
Sanguine tuo praetiosissimo.

*O good Jesus, have mercy on us,
Because you created us,
You have redeemed us
With your most precious blood.*

Offertory Hymn

Perdona a Tu Pueblo, Señor / Forgive Us. Your People

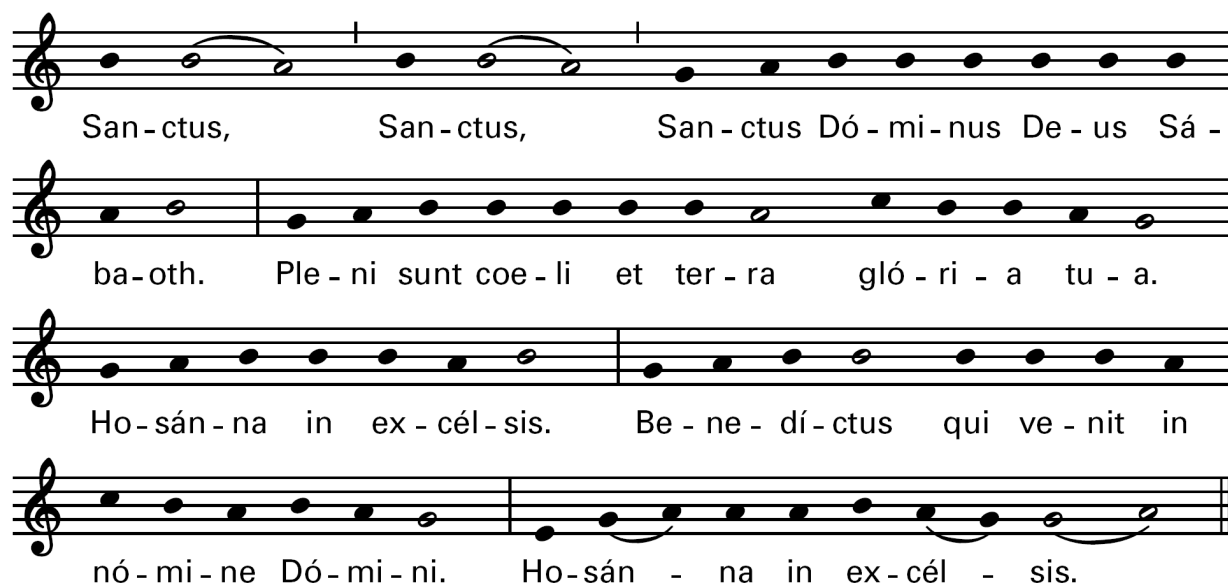
Estrillo / Refrain



Per - do - na a tu pue - blo, Se - ñor, per - do - na a tu
pue - blo, per - dó - na - le, Se - ñor.

(Forgive your people, Lord)

Sanctus



San-ctus, San-ctus, San-ctus Dó-mi-nus De-us Sá -
ba-oth. Ple-ni sunt coe-li et ter-ra gló-ri-a tu-a.
Ho-sán-na in ex-cél-sis. Be-ne-dí-ctus qui ve-nit in
nó-mi-ne Dó-mi-ni. Ho-sán - na in ex-cél - sis.

Mystery of Faith

Save us, Sav-ior of the world, for by your Cross and Res-ur - rec-tion
you have set us free.

The musical notation consists of two staves in treble clef. The first staff contains the melody for the first line of text, and the second staff contains the melody for the second line. The notes are simple, with some slurs and rests.

Amen

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

The musical notation is a single staff in treble clef. It features a simple melody with a long note on 'men' in the final phrase, indicating a sustained sound.

Agnus Dei

A-gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: mi - se -
ré - re no - bis. A-gnus De - i, qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta
mun - di: mi - se - ré - re no - bis. A-gnus De - i,
qui tol - lis pec - cá - ta mun - di: do - na no - bis pa - cem.

The musical notation is arranged in four staves in treble clef. Each staff corresponds to a line of text. The melody is simple and repetitive, with some slurs and rests. The final staff ends with a double bar line.

Communion Antiphon

(Sung by Choir)

Psalm 1: 2, 3

Those who meditate day and night on the law of the Lord
Shall bear fruit in due season.

Communion Hymn

Hear Us, Almighty Lord / Attende Domine



At - tén - de Dó - mi - ne, et mi - se -



ré - ré, Qui - a pec - cá - vi - mus ti - bi.



1. Je - sus our Sav - ior, Lord of all the na - tions,
2. Word of the Fa - ther, key-stone of God's build - ing,
3. God of com - pas - sion, Lord of might and splen - dor,



Christ our Re - deem - er, hear the prayers we of - fer,
Source of our glad - ness, gate - way to the King - dom,
Gra - cious - ly lis - ten, hear our cries of an - guish.



Spare us and save us, com - fort us in sor - row.
Free us in mer - cy from the sins that bind us.
Touch us and heal us where our sins have wound - ed.

D.C.

Communion Hymn

God of Mercy and Compassion



God of mer-cy and com - pas - sion, Look with
By my sins I have a - ban - don'd Right and
See our Sav - ior, bleed - ing, dy - ing, On the



pi - ty_ up - on me, Fa - ther, let me call Thee
claim to_ heav'n a - bove. Where the saints re - joice for -
cross of_ Cal - va - ry; To that cross my sins have



Fa - ther, 'Tis Thy child re - turns to Thee.
ev - er In a bound - less_ sea of love.
nail'd_ Him, Yet He bleeds and_ dies for me.



Je - sus, Lord, I ask for mer - cy; Let me



not im - plore in vain;_ All my sins, I now de -



test_ them, Ne - ver will I_ sin a - gain.

Please leave the church in silence as we enter into this solemn season.