

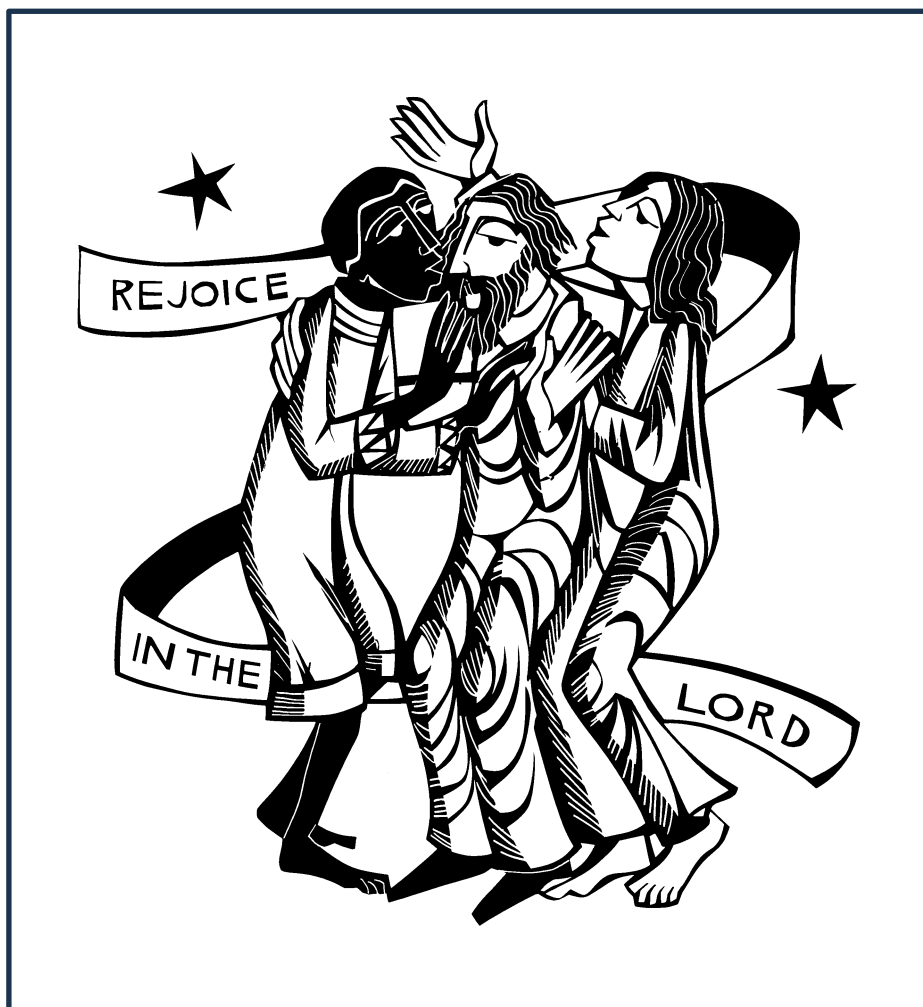
Gaudete Sunday Advent 3

December 15, 2024



Most Holy
Redeemer
Catholic Church

100 DIAMOND STREET, SAN FRANCISCO




ENTRANCE HYMN

EMMANUEL

Refrain



Come, come, Em-man - u-el! Son of God, ap-pear. Heav-en and



earth, re-joyce! Sal - va-tion is draw-ing near.

Verses



1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el,
That mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here
2. O come, O Wis - dom from on high,
To us the path of knowl-edge show,
3. O come, O Rod of Jes - se's stem;
That trust your might - y pow'r to save,
4. O come, De - sire of na - tions, bind
Make all our sad di - vi - sions cease,
5. Re - joyce! Em - man - u - el
Re - joyce! Em - man - u - el



(to Refrain)

1. And ran - som cap - tive Is - ra - el,
Un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
2. Who or - dered all things might - i - ly;
And teach us in her ways to go.
3. From ev - 'ry foe de - liv - er them
And give them vic - t'ry o'er the grave.
4. In one the hearts of hu - man - kind;
And be for us the King of Peace.
5. shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el.
shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el. *(Fine)*

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GREETING

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

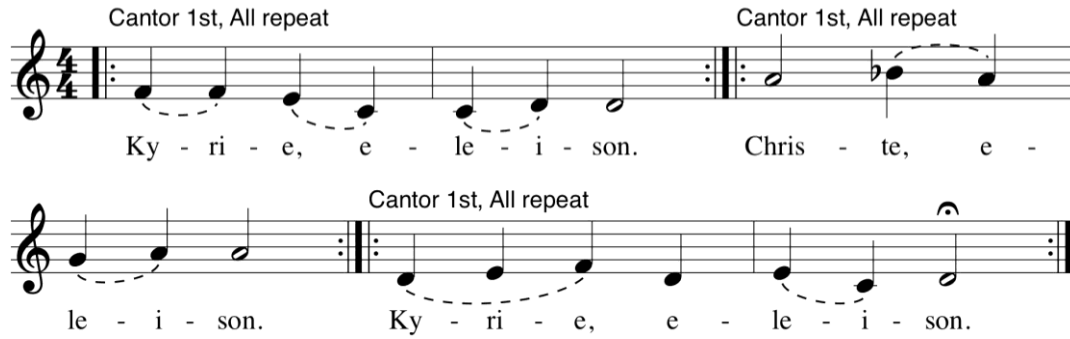
Assembly: **Amen.**

Presider: The Lord be with you.

Assembly: **And with your spirit.**

PENITENTIAL ACT

Cantor 1st, All repeat



Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son. Chris - te, e - le - i - son.

Cantor 1st, All repeat

le - i - son. Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son.

COLLECT

Presider: Let us pray.

THE PRIEST COLLECTS THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE. WE RESPOND.

Assembly: **Amen.**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

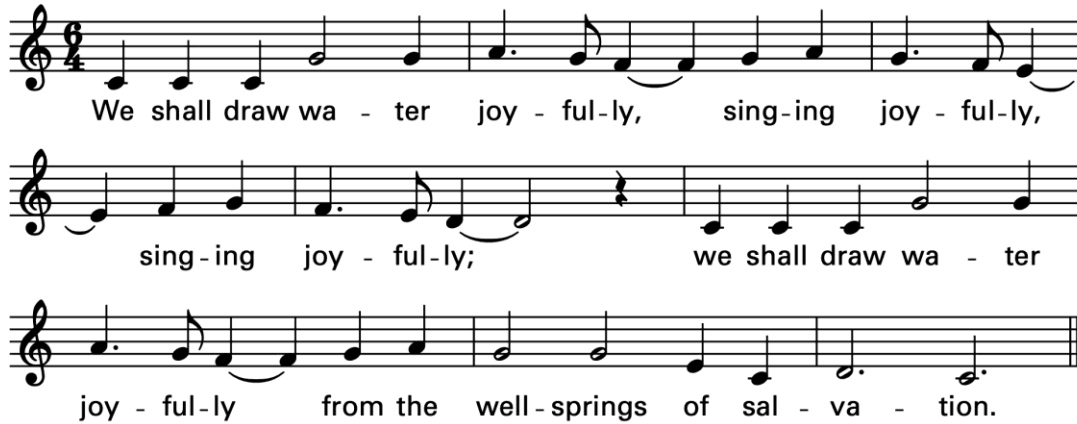
FIRST READING

ZEPHANIAH 3:14-18A

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

Assembly: **Thanks be to God**

PSALM 126



We shall draw wa - ter joy - ful-ly, sing-ing joy - ful-ly,
sing-ing joy - ful-ly; we shall draw wa - ter
joy - ful-ly from the well - springs of sal - va - tion.

1. Truly God is our salvation;
we trust, we shall not fear.
For the Lord is our strength,
the Lord is our song;
he became our Savior.
2. Give thanks, O give thanks to the Lord;
give praise to his holy name!
Make his mighty deeds known to
all of the nations; proclaim his greatness.
3. Sing a psalm, sing a psalm to the Lord
for he has done glorious deeds.
Make known his works to all of the earth;
people of Zion, sing for joy,
for great in your midst, great in your midst
is the Holy One of Israel.

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SECOND READING

PHILIPPIANS 4:4-7

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

Assembly: **Thanks be to God**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



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Cantor: The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor.

GOSPEL

ISAIAH 61:1

Presider: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

HOMILY



PROFESSION OF FAITH – APOSTLE’S CREED

**I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,**

At the words that follow, up to and including “the Virgin Mary,” all bow.

**who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL



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LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF GIFTS

CREATOR OF THE STARS OF NIGHT



All 1. Cre - a - tor of the stars of night,
 Lower Voices 2. In sor - row that the an - cient curse
 Higher Voices 3. When this old world drew on toward night,
 All 4. At your great Name, O Je - sus, now
 All 5. Come in your ho - ly might, we pray,
 All 6. To God the Fa - ther, God the Son,



Your peo - ple's ev - er - last - ing light,
 Should doom to death a u - ni - verse,
 You came; but not in splen - dor bright,
 All knees must bend, all hearts must bow:
 Re - deem us for e - ter - nal day;
 And God the Spir - it, Three in One,



O Christ, Re - deem - er of us all,
 You came, O Sav - ior, to set free
 Not as a mon - arch, but the child
 All things on earth with one ac - cord,
 De - fend us while we dwell be - low
 Praise, hon - or, might, and glo - ry be



We pray you hear us when we call.
 Your own in glo - rious lib - er - ty.
 Of Mar - y, blame - less moth - er mild.
 Like those in heav'n, shall call you Lord.
 From all as - saults of our dread foe.
 From age to age e - ter - nal - ly.

Text: *Creator alme siderum*, Latin 9th C., revised 1632; tr. *The Hymnal* 1982, alt., © 1985. The Church Pension Fund
 Tune: CONDITOR ALME SIDERUM, LM; Mode IV, Sarum, 9th C.; acc. by Gerard Farrell, OSB, 1919–2009

Presider: The Lord be with you.
Assembly: **And with your spirit**
Presider: Lift up your hearts.
Assembly: **We lift them up to the Lord.**
Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
Assembly: **It is right and just.**

SANCTUS

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho - ly, Lord God of hosts. Heav'n and earth are
full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est, Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro -
claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

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AMEN

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

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COMMUNION RITE

LORD'S PRAYER

Assembly: Our 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 daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us; and
lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

Presider: 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 Savior, Jesus Christ.

Assembly: For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.

SIGN OF PEACE

Presider: 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.

Assembly: Amen.

Presider: The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

Assembly: And with your spirit.

Presider: Let us offer each other a sign of peace.

WE EXCHANGE SOME SIGN OF PEACE WITH THOSE AROUND US.

LAMB OF GOD

Cantor or Choir: Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world,
All: have mer-cy on us. grant us peace.

Music: *Holy Cross Mass*, David Clark Isele, © 1979, GIA Publications, Inc.

COMMUNION SONG

OUR BLESSING CUP



Our bless-ing cup is a com-mun-ion with the blood of Christ;



and the bread we break, it is a shar-ing in the bod-y of the

Repeat first time only
(or ostinato as desired) Verses



Lord.

1. How can we make a re - turn
2. Pre-cious in - deed in your sight,
3. Gra-cious and mer - ci-ful God,
4. For you have heard my __ voice,



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| 1. for all the good-ness God has shown? | We will take the |
| 2. the life and death of those you love. | We__ are your |
| 3. we give you thanks and bless your name: | with__ all your |
| 4. for you have heard my plead - ing. | Though_ death sur- |

to Refrain (or Verse
if ostinato is sung)



1. cup of life, and __ call up - on God's name.
2. ser - vants, for __ you have set us free.
3. peo - ple, praise and glo - ry to your name.
4. round-ed me, you __ heard and an-swered me.

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Presider: Let us pray...

Assembly: **Amen.**

GREETING AND FINAL BLESSING

Presider: The Lord be with you.
Assembly: **And with your spirit.**
Presider: May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
Assembly: **Amen.**
Presider: Go in peace.
Assembly: **Thanks be to God!**



CLOSING HYMN

LET THE VALLEYS BE RAISED

Refrain

Let the val - leys be raised and the moun - tains made low. Ev-'ry mead -
 - ow and field o-ver-turn. Make the path - way straight
 and the high-way run smooth for the com - ing of God in our day.

Verses

1. God, _____ you come to your peo - ple as you prom-
 2. You, lit-tle _ child, go be - fore him like the proph-
 3. God, _____ you come like the morn - ing on the dark-

1. - ised of old. You have raised up a Sav-
 2. - ets of old, bring-ing news of his com-
 3. - ness of night, as a light to the peo-

to Refrain

1. - ior in the sight of us all.
 2. - ing by the mer - cy of God.
 3. - ple, like the break - ing of day.

Advent Prayer Service

Join us this Advent for a special prayer service as we prepare for the coming of the Lord.

Gather with us on
Wednesdays, December
4th, 11th, and 18th at 7 PM.

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Parish Mission Statement

Most Holy Redeemer Parish is a Roman Catholic Christian Community. The parish draws people from isolation to community, from searching to awakening, from indifference to concern, from selfishness to meaningful service, from fear in the midst of adversity to faith and hope in God.

The community of Most Holy Redeemer shares God's compassionate love with all people. The parish offers a spiritual home to all: senior citizens and youth, single people and families; those who are straight, gay, lesbian, and transgender; the healthy and the sick, particularly persons with HIV/AIDS.

As a parish community, we celebrate God's loving presence in our lives. In worship and sacrament, especially the Eucharist, we are nurtured and challenged to extend God's kingdom of justice, truth, love and peace by growing in the spirit of Jesus, the Most Holy Redeemer.



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