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Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish

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Director of music: mrs. bobbie hoffmann

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Mr. Ron Goguen, Superintendent . Guardian Staff on-site for service hours Mon.-Fri., 9 AM—3 PM, April through November. The Cemetery Office is located at the parish rectory on 270 Elliot St, Newton Upper Falls and is open Monday-Friday, 9:0AM - 3:00 PM Telephone: <u>781-235-1841</u>

saintmaryscemetery.org

Mass Schedule <u>Sunday:</u> Novus Ordo 4:00 P. M. (Saturday Vigil), 7:30 & 9:00 A. M. Traditional Latin 11:00 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.

<u>Weekdays:</u> Novus Ordo Mon-Tue-Thu-Fri 7:30 A. M. *Traditional Latin* Mon-Wed-Fri 12:30 PM; Thu 5:30 P. M. Sat 9:00 A. M.

Holy Days Ascension Thursday (40 days after Easter); Assumption of Our Lady (August 15th); All Saints Day (November 1st); December 8th (Immaculate Conception of Our Lady) If falling on Mon-Fri— Novus Ordo, 7:30 A. M. & 5:30 P. M. Traditional Latin, 12:30 & 7:30 P. M. If falling on Saturday— Novus Ordo, 7:30 A.M. Traditional Latin, 9:00 & 11:00 A. M.

(Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, and January 1st, as announced)

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ABOUT OUR PARISH

Welcome, New Parishioners and Sunday Visitors:

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish is a canonically open parish of the Archdiocese of Boston, which has a Traditional Latin Mass Apostolate as a major part its parish mission. It has the blessing of His Eminence Sean Cardinal O'Malley, Archbishop of Boston. We encourage new parishioners to please register in the parish and to introduce yourselves to the Pastor. We are always glad to welcome Sunday visitors here to our beautiful, historic church. We look forward to your coming again.

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO FILL OUT A PARISH REGISTRATION FORM, EITHER ON-LINE OR BY USING THE PAPER REGISTRATION FORM IN THE PAMPHLET RACK IN THE FRONT VESTIBULE OF THE MAIN CHURCH.



Parish Mission Statement

"What then is a parish? It is the smallest section of the one universal flock which has been entrusted to Peter by the Lord. Under the authority of a responsible

priest who has received the care of souls from his bishop, the parish is, within the Church of Jesus Christ, the first community of Christian life; it is a community cut to human dimensions, in which the shepherd can know his flock and the flock can know their shepherd ... At the heart of this area, we find the parish church with its bell-tower, its baptistery, its confessional, its altar and tabernacle, a symbol of unity and the centre of community life."

> (Pope Saint Paul VI, reigned 1964-1978) Raised to the Altars October 14th, 2018 Feast Day: May 29th

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes (Formerly St. Mary's Parish, 1870-1910) Newton/Needham, Massachusetts Newton & Needham's Oldest Roman Catholic Parish

Immaculate Conception Chaldean-Rite Mission at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Church: Mass offered according to the Chaldean-Rite on designated Sundays at 1:30 P.M. Deacon Sermed Ashkouri

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism for infants and children under 7 years of age is scheduled upon request. Please contact the Parish Office (617-244-0558) to request a date.

PENANCE: Confessions regularly heard – SUNDAY, 10:00-11:00 A.M., 5:00-5:30 P. M. MONDAY-WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY, before and after the 12:30 P. M. Mass. THURSDAY, before and after the 5:30 P.M. Mass. SATURDAY, 8:00-9:00 A. M./ 3:30-4:00 P. M.

MATRIMONY: Engaged couples should make arrangements with the parish church so as to allow for adequate sacramental preparation (six months), including a Pre-Cana program.

Pastoral Care of the Sick <u>SACRAMENT OF THE SICK</u>, also known as <u>EXTREME UNCTION</u>

Communion of the Sick for the Homebound

Please contact Father Higgins at the Parish Office (617-244-0558)

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+ JUNE IS THE MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS+

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Greetings and Best Wishes to all of our parish fathers!



Pastor's Note



Fr. Higgins ON THE 80th ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIONS of D-DAY

In the wake of the very moving commemorations of the D-Day

landing of June 6th, 1944, I would like to highlight two aspects of memory which have come forth.

The first was expressed in the *Houses of Worship* essay, *"God's Place in D-Day's Great Crusade" (Michael Snape, <u>The Wall Street</u> <u>Journal, Friday, June 7th, 2024).</u> Current-day cynicism and secularism have projected back an atmosphere of widespread religious indifference to the time of World War II. This is historical amnesia. That was not the reality of the time.*

General Eisenhower's order to the troops on the eve of D-Day "hailed the cross-channel invasion as a 'Great Crusade' and invoked 'the blessing of Almighty God upon this great and noble undertaking'..."

And, "As news of the D-Day invasion spread, house of worship filled for services, perhaps 'the greatest wave of mass intercession in history,' as one magazine described it."

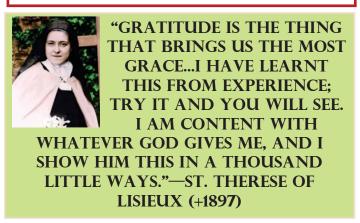
"For our own generation, D-Day may seem to have scant connection with religion, beyond its lingering association with some terminology embarrassing to modern ears. Yet to many contemporaries, it marked a decisive moment in a life-or-death struggle between the Judeo-Christian democracies of the West and the malignant pagan forces of Nazi Germany. The success of D-Day, like that of the Dunkirk evacuation four years earlier, was naturally and widely taken as providential."



The second aspect of memory has to do with the blessings of peace and tranquility of order.



Weekly Holy Hours: Fridays, 6:30-7:30 AM 11:30 AM-12:30 PM Saturdays, 8:00-9:00 AM



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Also in *The Wall Street Journal*, there appeared on the 80th-anniversary day itself an essay about the 20th Anniversary documentary Dwight D. Eisenhower had done with Walter Cronkite, broadcast in June, 1964. (Rob Greene, "Ike Returns to Normandy", June 6th, 2024.)

As described, Eisenhower is driving a jeep along the Normandy beach and he says to Cronkite: "You see these people out sailing in their pleasure boats, and you see them all along here. And the people have been swimming ... taking advantage of the nice weather and the lovely beach. It is almost unreal to look at it today. There's no smoke and fire and all the rest of it. It's a wonderful thing. To remember this was what the fellows were fighting for, and sacrificing for. That these people could do this."

For Eisenhower, to behold the ordinary pleasures of human life on a summer beach was a tangible fruit of victory. He knew how not to underestimate the value of the blessings of peace and the tranquility of order.

G.K. Chesterton once wrote: "The end of all human endeavor is to be happy at home." Let us not take for granted the blessings of such a post-war peace as we now still enjoy, 80 years on. And as we remember the war-dead and all of the veterans who returned but whose time is passing on, may we pray for wars to cease wherever they now rage around the globe, and may we pray with real fervor that petition we make after the Lord's Prayer at Mass: "Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days ..."



"IF YOU ARE WILLING TO SERENELY BEAR THE TRIAL OF BEING DISPLEASING TO YOURSELF, THEN YOU WILL BE FOR JESUS A PLEASANT PLACE OF SHELTER."—ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX (+1897)

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STEWARDSHIP





SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS FOR THE SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH AND THE WIDER CHURCH MISSION "What return can I make to the Lord for all His kindness to Me?"

OFFERTORY for SUNDAY, JUNE 2nd, A.D. 2024, \$9,076.00 + OTHER OFFERINGS, \$893.00: = \$9.969.00



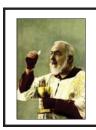
ON-LINE GIVING for the MONTH of MAY, 2024: \$ 10,580.00

"Glorify the Lord generously, and do not stint the first fruits of your hands. With every gift show a cheerful face, and dedicate your tithe with gladness. Give to the Most High as He has given, and as generously as your hand has found. For the LORD is the One who repays, and He will repay you sevenfold."—Sirach 35

Calendar of Masses (Intention of the Mass—Special Remarks—Requested by)						
SUNDAY June l6th	4:00 PM (Vigil)	+Alfred G. Kerr, Jr.	57th Anniv. Mem.	Alicia Kerr		
		Pro Populo				
THE 4th SUNDAY after PENTECOST రా the 11th SUNDAY of	7:30 AM	David Botsolis	Birthday Intention	Botsolis Family		
the Year (Tempus-per- annum)	9:00 AM	For the Preservation of the Free Exercise of				
,	11:00 AM	the Latin Mass in the Life of the Church				
A CONTRACTOR		Father's Day Intention Pino Family (Extended) +Mich. J. Hout. (10/30) In Honor of St. Anthony Frs. LeBlanc & Rivera Chris (2/7) Nicoloro Family Nancy Wright &	Living & Deceased Living & Deceased Memorial Special Intention 8th Anniv. Ordin. Special Intention Special Intention	Nick Pino Nicholas Jude Houtmeyers Choy Family Donor DiDuca Family Kasper Family		
		Scott Hines +Marg. T. McDonough +John P. McEnaney, Sr. All Seminarians Stephanie Whiting (3/4) Joseph DeTellis (3/3) Kevin Begg (3/3) Intention of the Donor	Memorial Birthday Memorial Father's Day Mem. Special Intention Special Intention Special Intention Special Intention	David Wright Eileen McEnaney Eileen McEnaney Donor Stephanie Whiting Stephanie Whiting Stephanie Whiting Bob Tonelli		
		Christopher Sarikos Geraldine Jean Pierre Ted Arcidi +Dominico Vu Tran Frs. Higgins & LeBlanc "Our Spiritual Fathers" Fathers: Angelucci,	Special Intention Special Intention Birthday Intention Memorial Special Intention Special Intention	Lita Uilaoghaire Lita Ulaoghaire Camille Arcidi Duong Family Donor Izakovic Family		
		Gianfrancesco, Hood & Lombardi Family Pedro Arthur Ramos Ines Casa de Mont Pope/Priests/Bishops Divine Will/Peace on	Living & Deceased Special Intention Special Intention Special Intention	Anthony & Victoria Angelucci Edineusa Pinto Edineusa Pinto MPA		
		Earth	Special Intention	мра		

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SUNDAY June 16th (USA: Father's Day Sunday)	11:00 AM	Bishops & Priests Maria Jaber (7/10)	Courage/Fidelity/ Perseverance Special Intention	Donor Donor
	5:30 PM	Fathers of Frs. H./LeBl.		Mary McCarthy
MONDAY June 17th ^{Feria}	7:30 AM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes	Memorial	
	12:30 PM	+Norman Hobbib	Memorial	Hobbib Family
TUESDAY June 18th ^{Feria}	7:30 AM	Theresa Ryan (6/7)	Health of the Sick	Goguen Family
WEDNESDAY June 19th St. Juliana Falconieri	12:30 PM	Nicoloro Family In Honor of +Angelo Nicoloro	Special Intention	Nicoloro Family
THURSDAY June 20th ^{Feria}	7:30 AM	+Deceased Priests of the Archdiocese of Boston	Memorial	
	5:30 PM	Intention of the Donor		Juhasz Family
FRIDAY June 21st St. Aloysius Gonzaga	7:30 AM Health of the Sick	+Dr. Joseph Arcidi	Birthday Memorial	Camille Arcidi
	12:30 PM	+Mary McCarthy	Birthday Memorial	Mary McCarthy
SATURDAY June 22nd St. Paulinus (Vigil of the Nativity og St. John the Baptist)	9:00 AM	+All Souls (4/4) Eric Procopio & Sarah	Memorial	MTT
		Carden (2/3) Intention of the Donor	Special Intention	Mike & Annie Procopio David DeVito
	+1 Pl M	+Michael Jude Houtmey. Philip Arcidiacono Marc & Alondra Fathers of Frs. H./LeBl.	Memorial (11/30) Birthday Intention Special Intention	Nicholas Jude Houtmeyers Camille Arcidi Mario Jabra Mary McCarthy
1000		Pope/Priests/Bishops Divine Will/Peace	Special Intention	MPA
		On Earth	Special Intention	MPA
	4:00 PM (Vigil)	Theresa Ryan (1/10)	Health of the Sick	Brett Manssur



"It would be easier for the earth to carry on without the sun than without the Holy Mass." —Padre Pio

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Music Programs for this Sunday's Mass

Mass of Pope Paul VI (Novus Ordo) 4:00 PM (*Vigil*), 7:30 & 9:00 AM

11th Sunday Tempus-per-annum

Prelude: Laudem Dicite Deo

(John Sheppard, manuscript ca.1575)

Praise our God, all ye His servants, and ye that fear Him, both small and great. for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth. Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to Him: ye are a chosen generation, a holy nation Be mindful of God and praise Him. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

<u>Introit</u>: Psalm 26(27):7, 9 Exaudi Domine

O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to You; be my help. Do not abandon or forsake me, O God, my Savior. (TODAY'S MISSAL, Page 4)

(7:30 AM & 9:00 AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass VIII De Angelis

Kyrie, Gloria, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei: Parish Book of Chant, no. 64ff./pp. 82-84 Credo III (English)

<u>Offertory:</u> Faith Of Our Fathers (Frederick William Faber, composed in 1849)

Mysterium Fidei (The Mystery of Faith): Mortem tuam annuntiamus, Domine, et tuam Resurrectionem confitemur, donec venias. ("We proclaim Your death, O Lord, and profess Your Resurrection

until You come again.")

<u>Communion</u>: John 17:11 Pater sancte

Holy Father, keep in Your Name those You have given Me, that they may be one as We are One, says the Lord. (TODAY'S MISSAL, Page 100)

Communion Meditation:

Ad Te Clamamus (Salve Regina) (Christopher Tye, manuscript 1580 in Dow Partbooks, no.14)

Recessional Hymn:

For The Beauty Of The Earth (Worship II Hymnal, **No.81**)

Postlude: Laetamini In Domino

(Jean Richafort, first published 1540 in Selectissimarum mutetarum) Be glad, O ye righteous, and rejoice in the Lord: and be joyful, all ye that are true of heart. Mass of St. Gregory the Great (Usus Antiquior)

4th Sunday after Pentecost

11:00 AM (5:30 P.M.)

Prelude: Laudem Dicite Deo (John Sheppard, manuscript ca.1575)

Choir Hymn (11:00 Mass): Salve Regina Asperges me, Parish Book of Chant, no. 22/pg. 34

Introit: Psalm 26:1, 2, 3. Dóminus illuminátio mea et salus mea, quem timébo? Dóminus defénsor vitae meæ, a quo trepidábo? Qui tríbulant me inimíci mei, ipsi infirmáti sunt et cecidérunt. (Psalm 26: 3) Si consístant advérsum me castra, non timébit cor meum. V. Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto. Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper, et in saecula saeculorum. Amen. Dominus illuminatio ...

(11AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass VIII De Angelis

Kyrie, Gloria, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei: Parish Book of Chant, no. 64ff./pp. 82-84 Credo III: Parish Book of Chant, no. 119/pg. 114

<u>Gradual</u>: Psalm 78:9, 10. Propítius esto, Dómine, peccátis nostris, ne quando dicant gentes: Ubi est Deus eorum? V. Adjuva nos, Deus salutáris noster: et propter honórem nóminis tui, Dómine, líbera nos. <u>Alleluia</u>: Psalm 9:5, 10. Deus, qui sedes super thronum, et júdicas æquitátem: esto refúgium páuperum in tribulatióne. Allelúja.

<u>Offertory</u>: (11AM) Psalm 12:4-5. Illúmina óculos meos, ne umquam obdórmiam in morte: nequándo dicat inimícus meus: Præválui advérsus eum.

<u>Communion</u>: Psalm 17:3. Dóminus firmaméntum meum, et refúgium meum, et liberátor meus: Deus meus, adjútor meus.

<u>Communion Meditation: (11:00 AM)</u>

Ad Te Clamamus (Salve Regina) (Christopher Tye, manuscript 1580 in Dow Partbooks, no.14)

<u>Recessional Hymn</u>:

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Angelus

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We welcomed back Fr. John Rizzo (PHOTO right, with Fr. Higgins) last Sunday, during his home visit from Australia, his first since 2019!



+Angelo Christopher Edward Nicoloro: Dec. 12th,

2019 -June 19th,

2021







"I REJOICE TO BE LITTLE, BECAUSE ONLY CHILDREN AND THOSE WHO ARE LIKE THEM WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE HEAVENLY BANQUET"—ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX (+1897)

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4th Sunday after Pentecost/11th Sunday of the Year Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts

SCRIPTURE READINGS for the 11th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (YEAR B)

Today's Missal, pp. 25-27

Lesson (First Reading): Ezekiel 17:22-24

"And all the trees of the field shall know that I, the LORD, bring low the high tree, lift high the lowly tree, wither up the green tee, and make the withered tree bloom."

Epistle (Second Reading): Second Corinthians 5:6-10

"We are always courageous, although we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord, for we walk by faith, not by sight."

Gospel Lesson: Parables of the Kingdom Mark 4:26-34

"With many such parables He spoke the word to them as they were able to understand it."



LATIN MASS PROPERS: FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

INTROIT: Psalm 26: 1, 2 The Lord is my light and my salvation: whom shall I fear? The Lord is the protector of my life: of whom shall I be afraid? My enemies that trouble me have themselves been weakened and have fallen. *Psalm 26: 3* If armies in camp should stand together against me, my heart shall not fear. *V.* Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT Grant, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by Thee, that Thy Church may joyfully serve Thee in quiet devotion. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE: Romans 8: 18-23 Brethren, I reckon that the sufferings of this time are not worthy to be compared with the glory to come, that shall be revealed in us. For the expectation of the creature waiteth for the revelation of the sons of God. For the creature was made subject to vanity, not willingly, but by reason of Him that made it subject in hope; because the creature also itself shall be delivered from the servitude of corruption, into the liberty of the glory of the children of God. For we know that every creature groaneth, and travaileth in pain, even till now; and not only it, but ourselves also, who have the first-fruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, waiting for the adoption of the sons of God, the redemption of our body; in Christ Jesus our Lord.

GRADUAL: Psalm 78: 9, 10 Forgive us our sins, O Lord, lest the Gentiles should at any time say: Where is their God? V. Help us, O God, our Saviour; and for the honour of Thy name, O Lord, deliver us. ALLELUIA: Psalm 9: 5, 10 Alleluia, alleluia. V. O God, who sittest upon the throne, and judgest justice, be Thou the refuge of the poor in tribulation. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: Luke 5: 1-11 **A**t that time, when the multitudes pressed upon Jesus to hear the word of God, He stood by the lake of Genesareth. And He saw two ships standing by the lake; but the fishermen were gone out of them, and were washing their nets; and going up into one of the ships that was Simon's, He desired him to draw back a little from the land: and sitting He taught the multitudes out of the ship. Now when He had ceased to speak, He said to Simon: Launch out into the deep, and let down your nets for a draught. And Simon, answering, said to Him: Master, we have laboured all the night, and have taken nothing, but at Thy word I will let down the net. And when they had done this, they enclosed a very great multitude of fishes; and their net broke: and they beckoned to their partners that were in the other ship, that they should come and help them; and they came, and filled both the ships, so that they were almost sinking. Which when Simon Peter saw, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying: Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord. For he was wholly astonished, and all that were with him, at the draught of fishes which they had taken: and so were also James and John the sons of Zebedee, who were Simon's partners. And Jesus saith to Simon: Fear not, from henceforth thou shalt be fishers of men. And having brought their ships to land, leaving all things they followed Him.

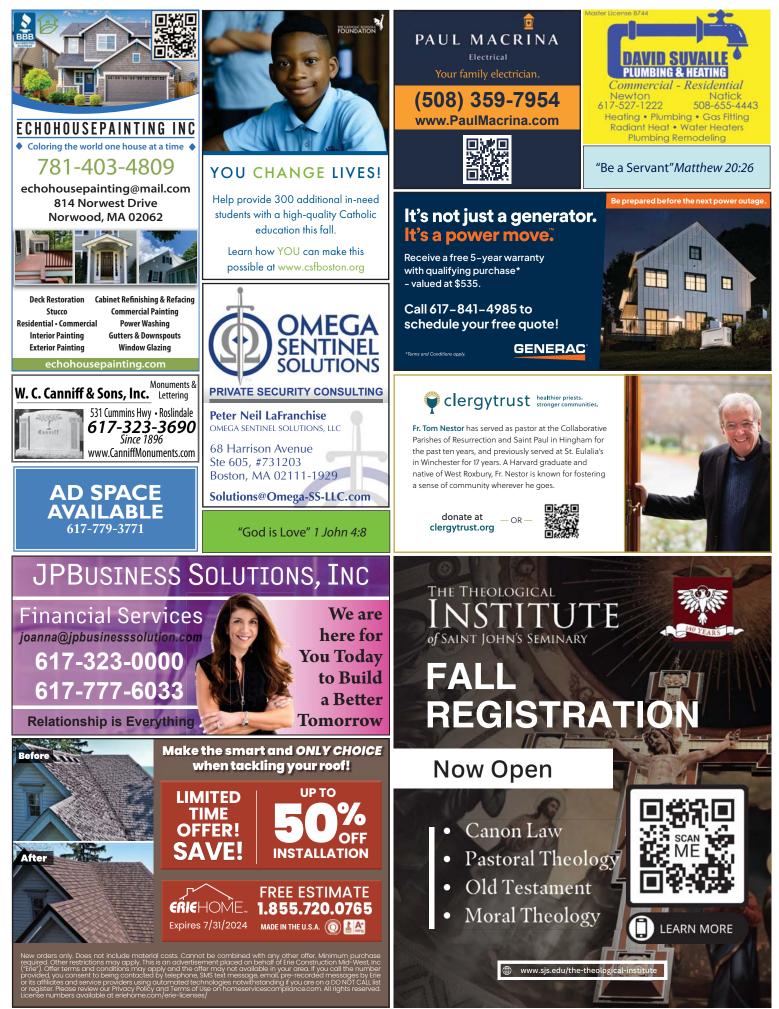
OFFERTORY: Psalm 12: 4-5 Enlighten my eyes, that I never sleep in death; lest at any time my enemy say: I have prevailed against him.

Preface of the Holy Trinity

SECRET We beseech Thee, O Lord, be pleased to accept these our offerings; and in Thy mercy draw even our rebellious wills unto Thee. Through our Lord.

COMMUNION The Lord is my firmament, and my refuge, and my deliverer, my God is my helper.

POSTCOMMUNION May the mysteries which we have received, O Lord, purify our hearts, and by their power may we be defended. Through our Lord.



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