



The Baptism of the Lord

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When Jesus Comes to Be Baptized-Sung by Cantor

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on
us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;

You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone
are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Almighty ever-living God, who, when Christ had been baptized in the River Jordan and as the Holy Spirit descended upon him, solemnly declared him your beloved Son, grant that your children by adoption, reborn of water and the Holy Spirit, may always be well pleasing to you. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for

FIRST READING

Isaiah 55:1-11

A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah

Thus says the LORD: All you who are thirsty, come to the water!
You who have no money, come, receive grain and eat; come, without
paying and without cost, drink wine and milk! Why spend your
money for what is not bread, your wages for what fails to satisfy?

Heed me, and you shall eat well, you shall delight in rich fare.
Come to me heedfully, listen, that you may have life. I will renew
with you the everlasting covenant, the benefits assured to David.
As I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander of
nations, so shall you summon a nation you knew not, and nations
that knew you not shall run to you, because of the LORD, your God,
the Holy One of Israel, who has glorified you.

Seek the LORD while he may be found, call him while he is near.
Let the scoundrel forsake his way, and the wicked man his thoughts;
let him turn to the LORD for mercy; to our God, who is generous in
forgiving. For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways
my ways, says the LORD. As high as the heavens are above the earth
so high are my ways above your ways and my thoughts above your
thoughts.

For just as from the heavens the rain and snow come down and do
not return there till they have watered the earth, making it fertile and
fruitful, giving seed to the one who sows and bread to the one who
eats, so shall my word be that goes forth from my mouth; my word
shall not return to me void, but shall do my will, achieving the end
for which I sent it.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Sung by Cantor) Isaiah 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6

You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation.

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| 1.) God indeed is my savior; I am confident and unafraid. My strength and my courage is the LORD, and He has been my savior. With joy you will draw water at the fountain of salvation. | 2.) Give thanks to the LORD, acclaim His name; among the nations make known His deeds, proclaim how exalted is His name. |
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3.) Sing praise to the LORD, for His glorious achievement; let this be known throughout all the earth.
Shout with exultation, O city of Zion,
for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel!

SECOND READING

1 John 5:1-9

A reading from the first Letter of Saint John

Beloved: Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ is begotten by God, and everyone who loves the Father loves also the one

begotten by him. In this way we know that we love the children of God when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whoever is begotten by God conquers the world. And the victory that conquers the world is our faith. Who indeed is the victor over the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is the one who came through water and blood, Jesus Christ, not by water alone, but by water and blood. The Spirit is the one who testifies, and the Spirit is truth. So there are three that testify, the Spirit, the water, and the blood, and the three are of one accord. If we accept human testimony, the testimony of God is surely greater. Now the testimony of God is this, that he has testified on behalf of his Son.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (Recited by Cantor)

Alleluia, alleluia. *R/. Alleluia, alleluia.*

>>John saw Jesus approaching him, and said: Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. *R/.*

GOSPEL

Mark 1:7-11

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Glory to you, O Lord.

This is what John the Baptist proclaimed: "One mightier than I is coming after me. I am not worthy to stoop and loosen the thongs of his sandals. I have baptized you with water; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit."

It happened in those days that Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized in the Jordan by John. On coming up out of the water he saw the heavens being torn open and the Spirit, like a dove, descending upon him. And a voice came from the heavens, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased."

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

HOMILY

RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL PROMISES

V. Do you reject Satan?

R. I do.

V. And all his works?

R. I do.

V. And all his empty promises?

R. I do.

**V. Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty,
creator of heaven and earth?**

R. I do.

**V. Do you believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was
born of the Virgin Mary, was
crucified, died, and was buried, rose from the dead, and is now
seated at the right hand of the Father?**

R. I do.

**V. Do you 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?**

R. I do.

**V. God, the all-powerful Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has given
us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and forgiven all our
sins. May He also keep us faithful to our Lord Jesus Christ for ever
and ever.**

R. Amen.

SPRINKLING

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
Of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the
Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from
God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made,
consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he
came down from heaven,

(all bow)

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

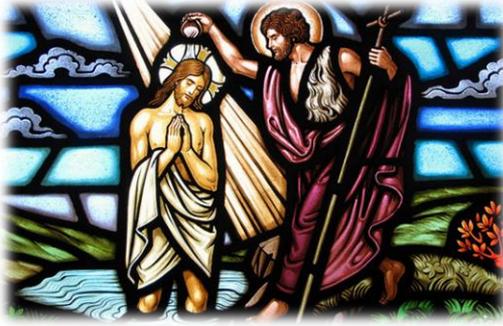
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Loving God, You have made us in Your image and likeness, and for this we shall praise You forever. Through Baptism You invite us to serve as Your Son, Jesus served. We call to mind the Priests and Consecrated Religious whose lives have been instruments of holiness. Thank You, Lord, for the gift and inspiration each of them has been, proving that Your steadfast love endures forever. Through the intercession of the Blessed Mother and Saints Peter and Paul, we pray to You, Lord Jesus, that more men and women will open their hearts to Your loving plan. We pray especially for those whom You are calling to serve the Church as Priests, Deacons, Sisters, and Brothers. Help them to hear and answer Your call to discipleship. Bless our families, Lord, that we may become instruments of Your holiness and peace. Let us give thanks to the Lord for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever. Amen.



Baptized in Water-Sung by Cantor

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*Behold the One of whom John said: I have seen and testified that
this is the Son of God.*



ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most
Blessed Sacrament. I love you above all things and
I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot now receive You Sacramentally,
come at least into my heart. I embrace You as if You have already
come, and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



Spirit and Grace-Sung by Cantor

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection
against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;
And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast
into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world,
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



HAIL, HOLY QUEEN

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness, and our hope! To Thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve; to Thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn, then, most gracious advocate, Thine eyes of mercy toward us; and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!

Pray for us, O holy Mother of God,

R/. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

St. Joseph, the Worker,

Pray for us.



They'll Know We Are Christians-Sung by Cantor



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