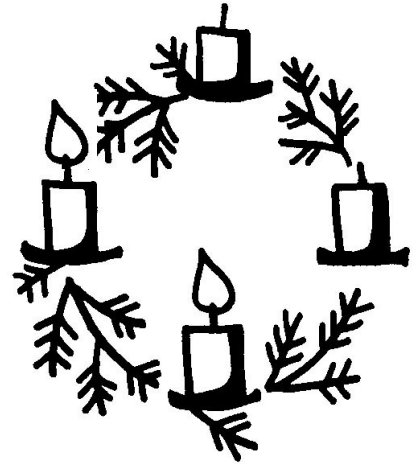


# The Second Sunday of Advent

Dec. 5/6, 2020



## Introductory Rites

### Processional Song

*Gift of God*  
M. Haugen

**Refrain**

Come to us, O Em - man - u - el.

**Verse**

Come to us, O Em - man - u - el.

Come to us, O Em - man - u - el,

Come to us, O Em - man - u - el,

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### Verses:

Make a highway in the desert:  
Lift the valleys, level mountains:  
Let God's glory be revealed

Though people fade and wither:  
Like the fragile grass and flowers:  
Still the Work of God endures.

**Greeting**

**Penitential Act**

**Collect**

## Liturgy of the Word

**First Reading**

Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11

**Responsorial Psalm**

Psalm 85: *Show Us Your Kindness*

Two staves of musical notation in 2/4 time, G major. The melody is: G4 (quarter), A4 (quarter), B4 (quarter), C5 (quarter), B4-A4 (beamed eighth notes), G4 (quarter), F4 (quarter), E4 (quarter), D4 (quarter), C4 (half). The lyrics are: "Show us your kind-ness, O God. Show us your kind-ness, O God." The first staff ends with a fermata over the final note, and the second staff begins with a fermata over the first note.

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**Second Reading**

2 Peter 3:8-14

## Gospel Acclamation



Hal-le - lu-jah, Hal - le-lu! Re-joice, the Lord is near.  
*Gospel Accl: Hal-le - lu-jah, Hal - le-lu! Hal-le, hal-le - lu-jah!*



Sing and be joy - ful! Ver - y soon the Sav - ior will ap - pear.  
*Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le-lu! Hal-le, hal-le - lu-jah!*

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## Gospel

Mark 1:1-8

## Homily

## Profession of Faith

*Nicene Creed*

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,

*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 of the Faithful

*Intercessory Response: "Come, Lord Jesus."*

# Liturgy of the Eucharist

## Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts

*Ready the Way*

Refrain

Read-y the way, read-y the way, read-y the way  
of the Lord. of the Lord.

Verse 1

1. Make straight the road, raise the val - leys, and  
1. moun-tains make low. Turn-ing from sin, let the bro-ken be whole,

to Refrain

1. and read-y the way of the Lord.

Verses 2, 3

2. As we wait for you, give us the strength to walk  
3. Let us see your face; in our hearts we pre-  
2. in your truth, so we may love more like you  
3. -pare a place. Come bring this world your mer - cy and grace

to Refrain

2. and } read-y the way for you, Lord.  
3. as we }

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## Prayer Over the Offerings

## Eucharistic Prayer

## Preface Acclamation



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.  
Heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the  
high - est. Bless-ed is he, bless-ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the  
high-est, ho - san-na in the high-est. Ho - san - na in the  
high - est, 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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## Great Amen

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

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## The Lord's Prayer

*recited*

## Greeting of the Peace

## Lamb of God

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

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## Invitation to Communion

# Song during Communion

Come, Lord Jesus

## Refrain



Ma - ra - na - tha! Come, Lord Je - sus. Ma-ra-na - tha!



God with us. Ma-ra-na - tha! Come, Lord Je - sus.



Come, Em - man - u - el, come, Em - man - u - el.

## Verses



1. You are light with - in our dark - ness:
2. Son of God, show us your mer - cy:
3. Send your Spir - it to those wait - ing:
4. Give your hope to all the na - tions:
5. As we gath - er at your ta - ble:



Ma-ra-na - tha! God with us.

You are light through -  
Son of Mar - y,  
Send your peace to  
Give your joy to  
Bless the ones who



out your king - dom:  
hold us close - ly:  
all here, gath - ered: Come, Em - man - u - el,  
all who love you:  
call up - on you:



come, Em - man - u - el.

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# Prayer after Communion

# Concluding Rites

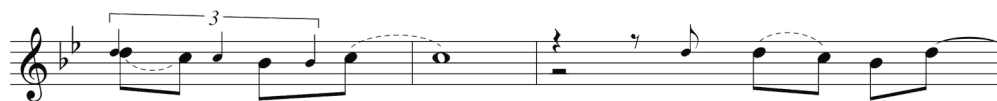
## Final Blessing and Dismissal

### Recessional Song

*Prepare! Prepare!*



1. Pre - pare the way, the
2. Make straight the path, 7
3. Jus - tice and peace, 7
4. Sing and re - joice! The
5. A vir - gin will bear a son, Em -



way of the Lord. Read - y your hearts.  
lev - el the hills, lift up the gates.  
kind - ness and truth shall come to the earth.  
Lord is near, I say re - joice!  
man - u - el: God with us!



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