

The Season of Lent at Blessed Sacrament Church



The 1st Sunday of Lent

March 9, 2025

The Church divides the prayers we say at mass into the 'Ordinary' (those parts that are the same at each mass, like the Gloria, Holy Holy Holy, Lamb of God, etc.) and the 'Propers' (those prayers that are exclusive or 'proper' to a particular Sunday, feast or weekday, like the Psalm, and many of the prayers of the priest). The Entrance Antiphon is one the 'proper' parts. Usually it is replaced by a song, but for Lent we are going to sing the Antiphons set to a familiar hymn tune with the cantor singing the verses (much like the Responsorial Psalm). Each week the text of the Antiphon changes to reflect the specific Sunday.

Entrance Antiphon for the First Sunday of Lent

I an - swer when he calls on me, De - liv - er him be - cause he prays;
And glo - ry I will give to him, And I will grant him length of days.

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Penitential Rite

Priest: Have mercy on us, O Lord.

All: For we have sinned a - gainst you.

Priest: Show us, O Lord, your mercy.

All: And grant us your sal - va - tion.

All: A - men.

Repeat after the Cantor

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

Repeat after the Cantor

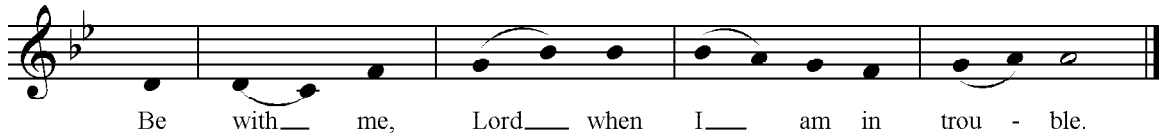
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(The Gloria is omitted during Lent)

Responsorial Psalm: **Be With Me, Lord** (Ps. 91) - *Jeff Ostrowski*



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Gospel Acclamation: **Praise To You Lord Jesus Christ** - Marty Haugen



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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,

(At the words that follow in bold, 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 forgive-
ness of sins and I look forward to the
resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

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Offertory: Lord Who Throughout These Forty Days

- 1) Lord, who throughout these forty days, For us did fast and pray,
Teach us to overcome our sins, and close by you to stay.
- 2) As you with Satan did contend, And did the vict'ry win,
O give us strength in you to fight, In you to conquer sin.
- 3) As you did hunger and did thirst, So teach us, gracious Lord,
To die to self, and so to live by your most holy word.
- 4) And through these days of penitence, And through your
Passiontide, For evermore, in life and death, O Lord, with us abide.

5) Abide with us,
that through this life
of doubts and hope
and pain,
An Easter of
unending joy we
may at last attain!

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.
Heav - en and earth are full of your glory. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bles - sed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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Mystery of Faith - Save Us, Savior of the World

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

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Amen: Mass of St. Philip Neri - Paul F. Jernberg

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

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Lamb of God: The Saint Chad Setting - David Saint

1st time: Cantor, 2nd and 3rd time: All

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

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Communion: Taste And See - James E. Moore, Jr.

Refrain: Taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

O taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.

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Recessional: Forty Days and Forty Nights

- 1) Forty days and forty nights, You were fasting in the wild;
Forty days and forty nights, Tempted and yet undefiled.
- 2) Shall not we your sorrow share, And from worldly joys abstain,
Fasting with unceasing prayer, Strong with you to suffer pain?
- 3) Then if Satan on us press, Flesh or spirit to assail,
Victor in the wilderness, Grant we may not faint nor fail!