



The Epiphany of the Lord

January 5, 2025

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church
80 Mansion St. | Cossackie, NY 12051

PROCESSIONAL HYMN [Please Stand]

AS WITH GLADNESS MEN OF OLD

DIX



1. As with glad-ness men of old Did the guid-ing
2. As with joy-ful steps they sped To that low-ly
3. As they of-fered gifts most rare At that man-ger
4. Ho-ly Je-sus, ev-'ry day Keep us in the
5. In the heav'n-ly coun-try bright Need they no cre-



1. star be-hold, As with joy they hailed its light,
2. man-ger-bed, There to bend the knee be-fore
3. rude and bare; So may we with ho-ly joy,
4. nar-row way; And, when earth-ly things are past,
5. at-ed light; Thou, its light, its joy, its crown,



1. Lead-ing on-ward, beam-ing bright, So, most gra-cious
2. Him whom heav'n and earth a-dore; So may we with
3. Pure and free from sin's al-loy, All our cost-liest
4. Bring our ran-somed souls at last Where they need no
5. Thou its sun which goes not down; There for ev-er



1. Lord, may we Ev-er-more be led to thee.
2. will-ing feet Ev-er seek the mer-cy-seat.
3. trea-sures bring, Christ! to thee, our heav'n-ly King.
4. star to guide, Where no clouds thy glo-ry hide.
5. may we sing Al-le-lu-ias to our King.

Text: 77 77 77; William C. Dix, 1837–1898.

Music: Conrad Kocher, 1786–1872; adapt. by William H. Monk, 1823–1889.

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GLORIA

Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry!

Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we a-dore you, we glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo - ry,

Lord God, heav-en - ly King, O God, al - might - y

Fa - ther. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son,

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, you take a -

way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us; you take a -

way the sins of the world, re-ceive our prayer; you are seat-ed at the right

hand of the Fa-ther, have mer-cy on us. For

you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,

you a-lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly

Spir-it, in the glo-ry of God the Fa - ther. Glo-ry!

Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the

high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will. A - men.

FIRST READING

Isaiah 60:1-6(20ABC)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 72: 1-2, 7-8, 10-11,12-13



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SECOND READING

Ephesians 3:2-3a,5-6

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION [Please stand]



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Verse: We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage. **R**

GOSPEL

Matthew 2:1-12

~ LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST ~

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

PREPARATION HYMN next page

WE THREE KINGS

KINGS OF ORIENT

Verses



1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are; Bear - ing gifts we
2. Born a King on Beth - le - hem's plain, Gold I bring to
3. Frank - in - cense to of - fer have I: In - cense owns a
4. Myrrh is mine; its bit - ter per - fume Breathes a life of
5. Glo - rious now be - hold him a - rise, King and God and



1. tra - verse a - far Field and foun - tain, Moor and moun - tain,
2. crown him a - gain, King for - ev - er, Ceas - ing nev - er
3. De - i - ty nigh; Prayer and prais - ing Glad - ly rais - ing,
4. gath - er - ing gloom; Sor - rowing, sigh - ing, Bleed - ing, dy - ing,
5. Sac - ri - fice; "Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!"

Refrain



1. Fol - low - ing yon - der star. O star of won - der,
2. O - ver us all to reign.
3. Wor - ship him, God on high.
4. Sealed in the stone - cold tomb.
5. Sounds through the earth and skies.



star of night, Star with roy - al beau - ty bright; West - ward



lead - ing, still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to thy per - fect light.

Text: 88 44 6 with refrain; based on Matthew 2:1-11.

Text and music: *Carols, Hymns and Songs*, 1863; John H. Hopkins, Jr., 1820-1891, alt.

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SANCTUS

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. Bless - ed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san-na, ho - san - na in the
high - est. Ho - san-na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

The musical score for 'SANCTUS' is written on five staves. The first staff is in 6/8 time, and the subsequent staves change to 9/8 and then 6/8. The lyrics are: '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. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho - san-na, ho - san - na in the high - est.'

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MYSTERY OF FAITH

We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res-ur-rec-tion
un-til you come a - gain, un-til you come a - gain.

The musical score for 'MYSTERY OF FAITH' is written on two staves in 4/4 time. The lyrics are: 'We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res-ur-rec-tion un-til you come a - gain, un-til you come a - gain.'

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GREAT AMEN



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LAMB OF GOD



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~COMMUNION RITE~

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

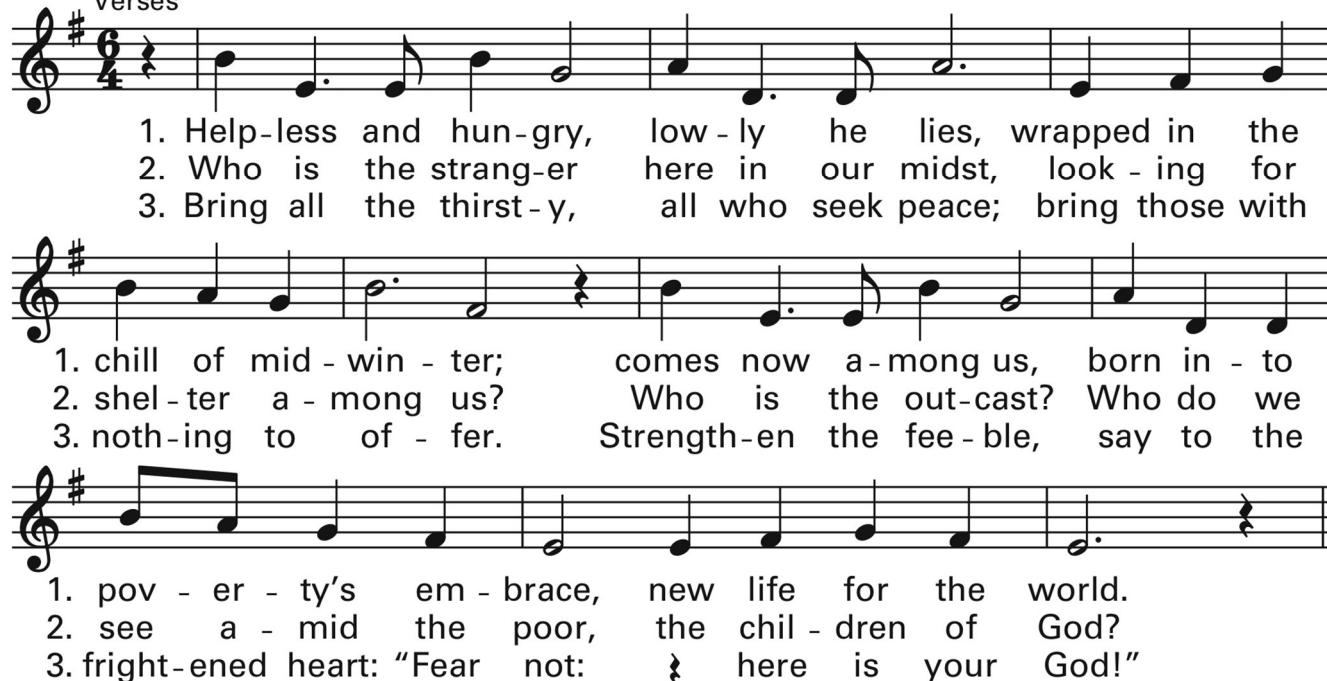
- V.** Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to the Supper of the Lord.
- R.** Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

(For the communion procession, we ask that you form two lines in the center aisle, starting from the front, one row at a time, and then return to your pew by the side aisles. All are welcome to join in the communion procession. If you are not Catholic, or for spiritual, medical, or other reasons receiving Communion is not the right choice for you today, you can still come forward for a blessing. Simply fold your arms across your chest as you approach the priest or deacon.)

CHILD OF THE POOR

Scott Soper

Verses

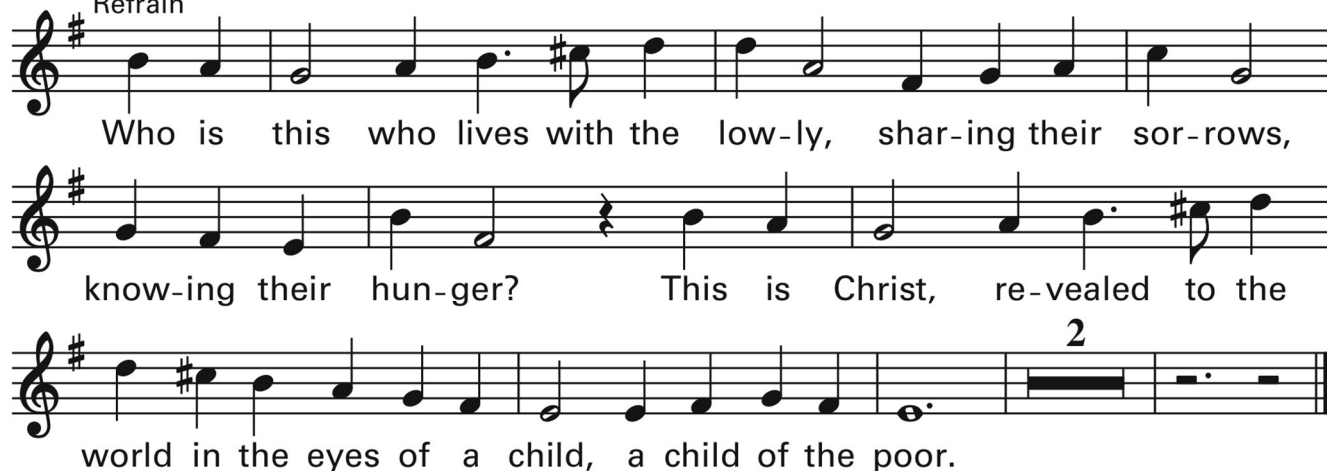


1. Help-less and hun-gry, low-ly he lies, wrapped in the
 2. Who is the strang-er here in our midst, look-ing for
 3. Bring all the thirst-y, all who seek peace; bring those with

1. chill of mid-win-ter; comes now a-mong us, born in-to
 2. shel-ter a-mong us? Who is the out-cast? Who do we
 3. noth-ing to of-fer. Strength-en the fee-ble, say to the

1. pov-er-ty's em-brace, new life for the world.
 2. see a-mid the poor, the chil-dren of God?
 3. fright-ened heart: "Fear not: here is your God!"

Refrain



Who is this who lives with the low-ly, shar-ing their sor-rows,
 know-ing their hun-ger? This is Christ, re-vealed to the
 world in the eyes of a child, a child of the poor.

This song may be combined with "What Child Is This." Use instructions in accompaniment books.
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RECESSIONAL HYMN

GO, TELL IT ON THE MOUNTAIN

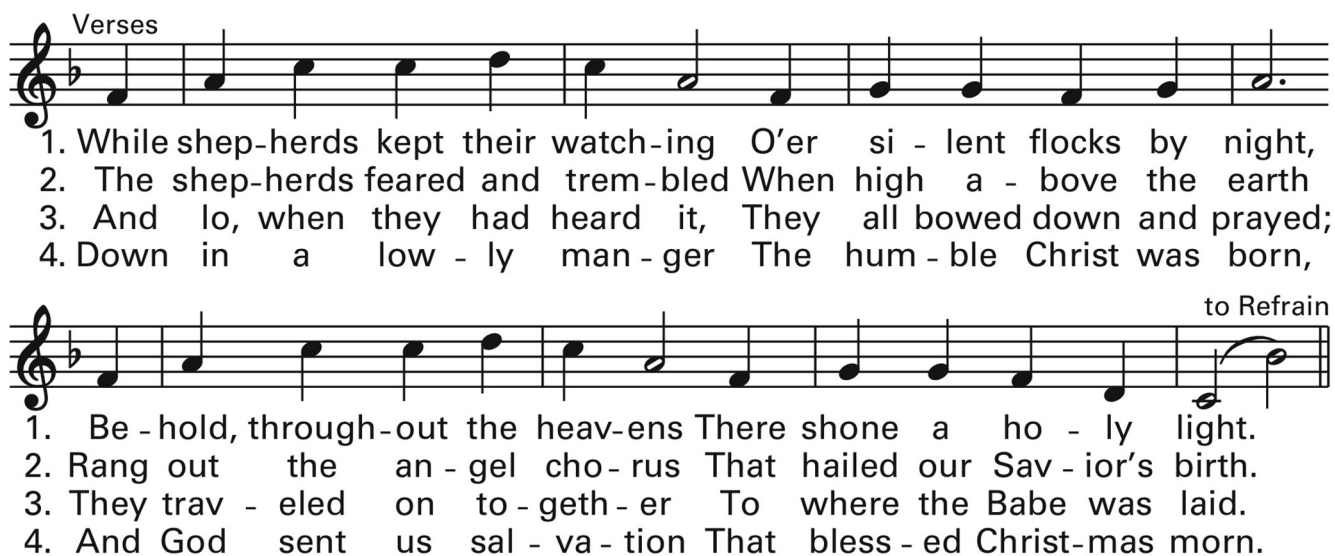
GO TELL IT

Refrain



Go, tell it on the moun - tain, O-ver the hills and ev - 'ry -
where; Go, tell it on the moun - tain That Je - sus Christ is born.

Verses



1. While shep-herds kept their watch-ing O'er si - lent flocks by night,
2. The shep-herds feared and trem-bled When high a - bove the earth
3. And lo, when they had heard it, They all bowed down and prayed;
4. Down in a low - ly man - ger The hum - ble Christ was born,
to Refrain

1. Be - hold, through-out the heav-ens There shone a ho - ly light.
2. Rang out the an - gel cho - rus That hailed our Sav - ior's birth.
3. They trav - eled on to - geth - er To where the Babe was laid.
4. And God sent us sal - va - tion That bless - ed Christ-mas morn.

Text: 76 76 with refrain; fr. *American Negro Songs and Spirituals*, 1940; John W. Work, Jr., 1872–1925, alt.
Music: Spiritual.

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