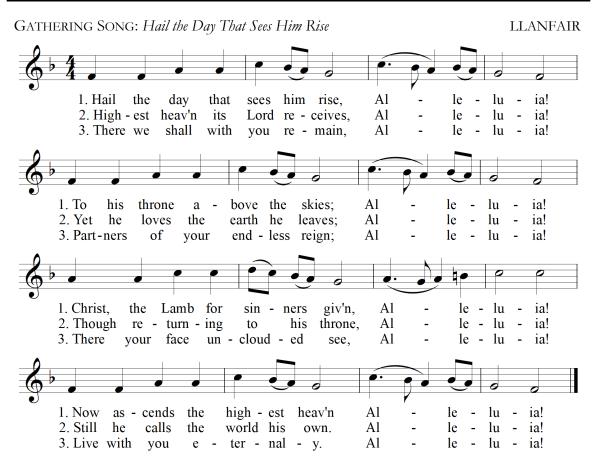
# THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

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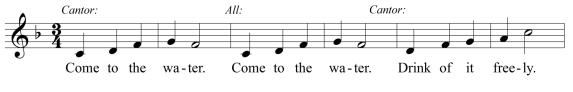


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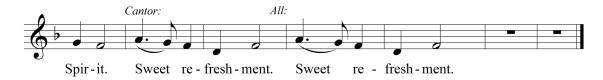
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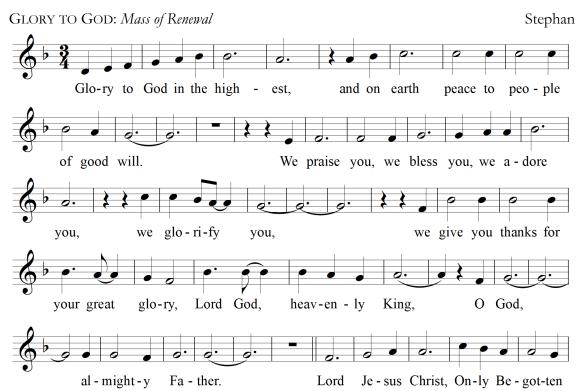






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## LITURGY OF THE WORD

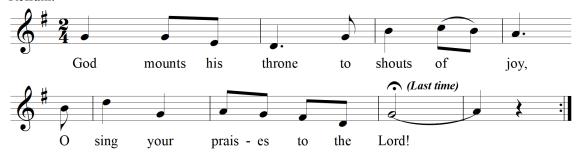
FIRST READING: Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11

As the Apostles were looking on, Jesus was lifted up.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 47: God Mounts His Throne

Haugen

Refrain:



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Psalm 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

All you peoples, clap your hands, shout to God in gladness, the Lord we must fear, king of all the earth. *R*/.

God goes up to shouts of joy, sound the trumpet blast.
Sing praise to our God,

praise unto our king! R/.

God is king of all the earth, sing with all your skill to the king of all nations,

God enthroned on high! *R*/.

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SECOND READING:

Ephesians 4:1-13

To the extent of the full stature of Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Festival Alleluia

Chepponis

Refrain:



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GOSPEL READING: Mark 16:15-20

The Lord Jesus was taken up into heaven and took his seat at the right hand of God.

#### APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

At the words that follow, up to and including the Virgin Mary, all bow: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I 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. Amen.

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS: Mass of Spirit and Grace Refrain:

Manalo



Lord, hear our prayer. De-us, ex-au-di nos. Se - ñor, es-cú-cha - nos.

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## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

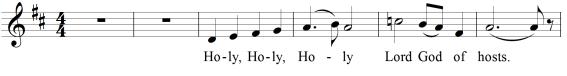
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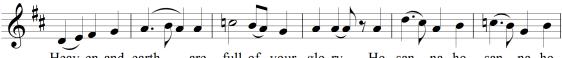
Instrumental

### EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

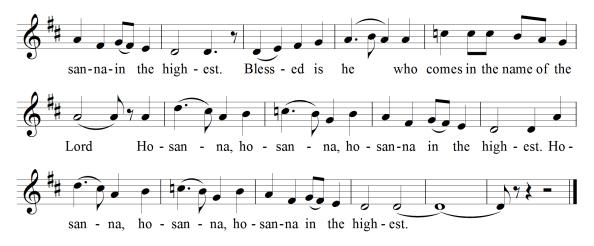
HOLY, HOLY, HOLY: Mass for the City

Proulx





Heav-en and earth full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, hoare



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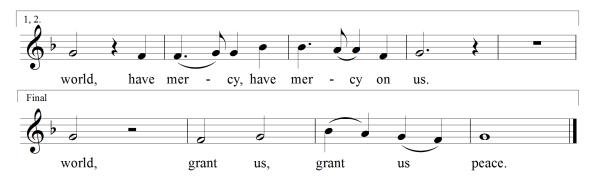
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## COMMUNION RITE



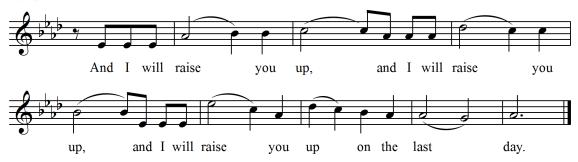


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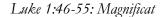
## COMMUNION SONGS: I Am the Bread of Life

Toolan

### Refrain:



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Chepponis



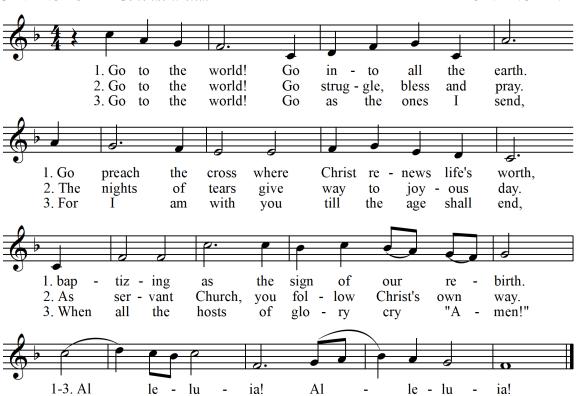
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# CONCLUDING RITE

SENDING FORTH: Go to the World!

SINE NOMINE



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