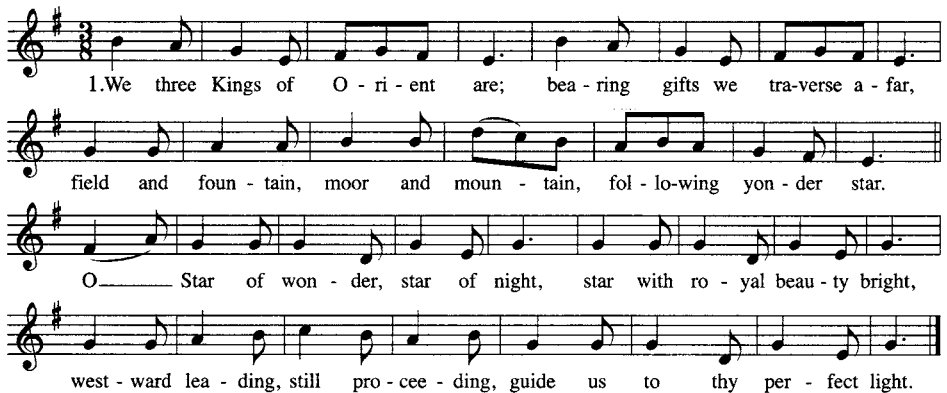


Sunday Mass in English

on SATURDAY 3th January 2026
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

ORGANIST: Willem Stroman * CANTOR/CELLO: Vincent de Lange

ENTRANCE SONG



- 2 Born a King on Bethlehem plain,
gold I bring, to crown him again,
King for ever, ceasing never,
over us all to reign.
- 3 Frankincense to offer have I,
Incense owns a Deity nigh.
Prayer and praising, all are raising,
worship him, God most high.

- 4 Myrrh is mine, its bitter perfume
breathes a life of gathering gloom;
sorrowing, sighing, bleeding, dying,
sealed in the stone-cold tomb.
- 5 Glorious now behold him arise,
King and God and sacrifice.
'Alleluia, alleluia!'
earth to heaven replies.

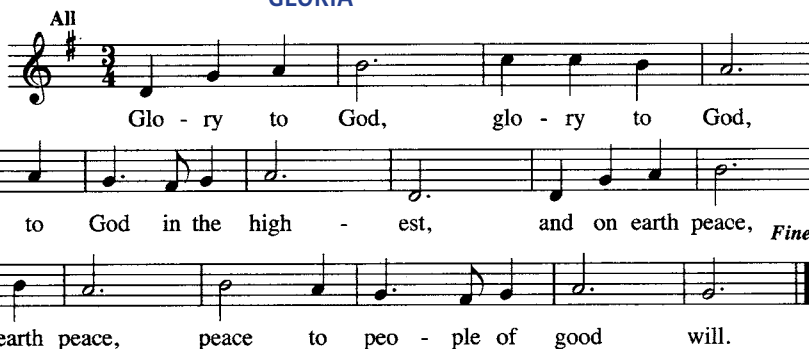
KYRIE



Refrain

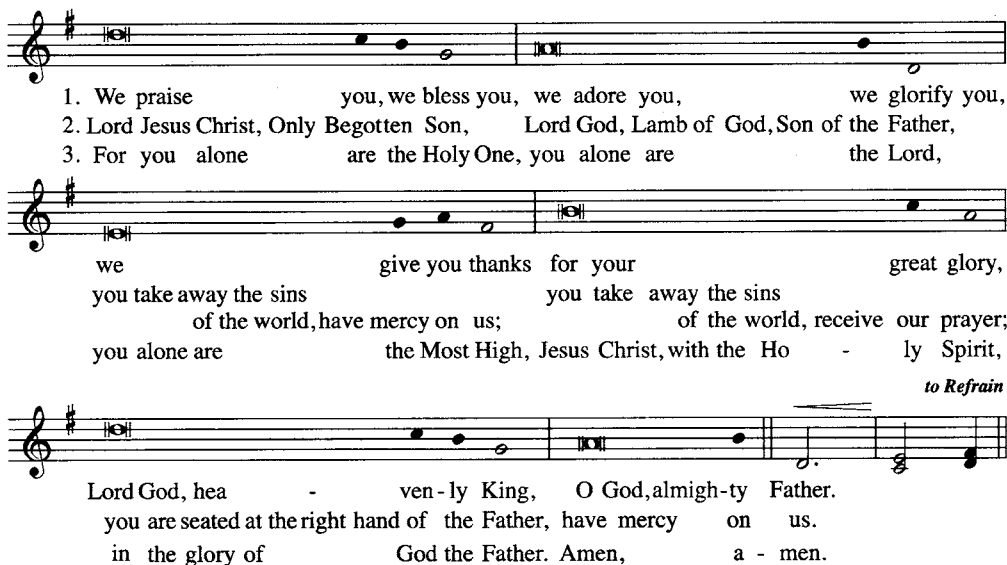
GLORIA

All



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

Verses Unison



1. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
 2. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
 3. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
 we give you thanks for your great glory,
 you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
 you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
to Refrain
 Lord God, hea - ven - ly King, O God, almighty Father.
 you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
 in the glory of God the Father. Amen, a - men.

PRAYER

FIRST READING ISAIAH 60:1-6

R: Arise, shine out, Jerusalem, for your light has come, the glory of the Lord is rising on you, though night still covers the earth and darkness the peoples. Above you the Lord now rises and above you his glory appears. The nations come to your light and kings to your dawning brightness. Lift up your eyes and look round: all are assembling and coming towards you, your sons from far away and your daughters being tenderly carried. At this sight you will grow radiant, your heart throbbing and full; since the riches of the sea will flow to you, the wealth of the nations come to you; camels in throngs will cover you, and dromedaries of Midian and Ephah; everyone in Sheba will come, bringing gold and incense and singing the praise of the Lord.

PSALM 72



Lord, ev-ery na-tion on earth will a - dore you.



R. Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.

Give the king your justice, O • God,
and your righteousness to a king's • son.
May he judge your • people with righteousness,
and your • poor with justice. **R.**

In his days may righteousness • flourish
and peace abound, until the moon is no • more.
May he have dominion from • sea to sea,
and from the River to the • ends_of the earth. **R.**

May the kings of Tarshish and of the isles render him • tribute,
may the kings of Sheba and Seba bring • gifts.
May all kings fall • down be-fore_him,
all nations • give him service. **R.**

For he delivers the needy one who • calls,
the poor and the one who has no • helper.
He has pity on the • weak_and the needy,
and saves the • lives_of the needy. **R.**

SECOND READING EPHESIANS 3:2-3,5-6

R: You have probably heard how I have been entrusted by God with the grace he meant for you, and that it was by a revelation that I was given the knowledge of the mystery. This mystery that has now been revealed through the Spirit to his holy apostles and prophets was unknown to any men in past generations; it means that pagans now share the same inheritance, that they are parts of the same body, and that the same promise has been made to them, in Jesus Christ, through the gospel.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! We saw his star as it rose
and have come to do the Lord homage. Alleluia, alleluia!

GOSPEL MATTHEW 2:1-12

After Jesus had been born at Bethlehem in Judaea during the reign of King Herod, some wise men came to Jerusalem from the east. 'Where is the infant king of the Jews?' they asked. 'We saw his star as it rose and have come to do him homage.' When King Herod heard this he was perturbed, and so was the whole of Jerusalem. He called together all the chief priests and the scribes of the

people, and enquired of them where the Christ was to be born. 'At Bethlehem in Judaea,' they told him 'for this is what the prophet wrote: *And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, you are by no means least among the leaders of Judah, for out of you will come a leader who will shepherd my people Israel.*' Then Herod summoned the wise men to see him privately. He asked them the exact date on which the star had appeared, and sent them on to Bethlehem. 'Go and find out all about the child,' he said 'and when you have found him, let me know, so that I too may go and do him homage.' Having listened to what the king had to say, they set out. And there in front of them was the star they had seen rising; it went forward, and halted over the place where the child was. The sight of the star filled them with delight, and going into the house they saw the child with his mother Mary, and falling to their knees they did him homage. Then, opening their treasures, they offered him gifts of gold and frankincense and myrrh. But they were warned in a dream not to go back to Herod, and returned to their own country by a different way.

HOMILY

THE CREED

Refr: **I believe in God, the father almighty, in Jesus Christ his Son, and in the Holy Spirit.**

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

THE PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL



Let us pray.



Let us pray, in the si - lence of our hearts.



May love move our soul to do so.

COLLECTION

All the finances for the Krijtberg have to come from the weekly collections. There are no subsidies from the government or from the diocese – on the contrary: the churches pay taxes like everybody else.

We can balance our budget when all adult visitors - who can afford that - give at least five Euros every celebration.

Our ushers will come with the collection tray, and at the entrance of the church is an electronic paying device. Or use the QR-code. Thank you for your kindness.

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THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts._____

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts._____

Heav - en and earth are full,_____ full_____ of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

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

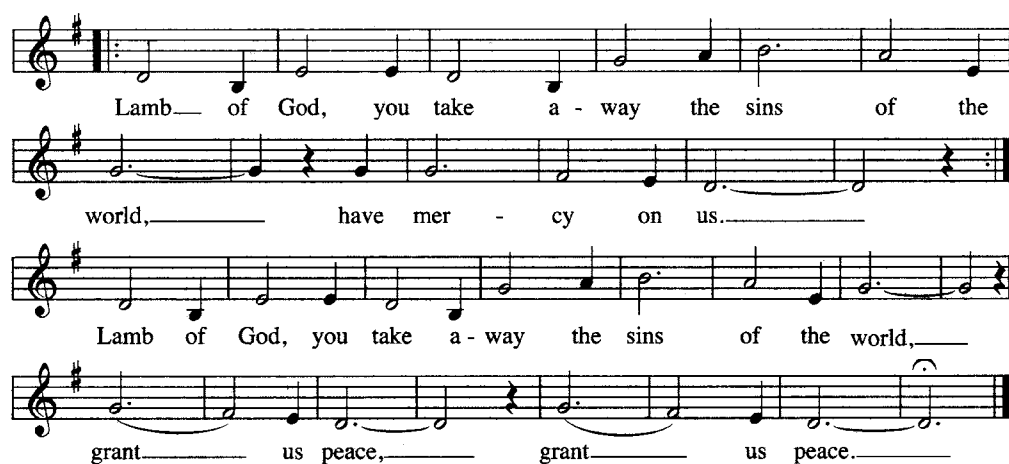
THE COMMUNION RITE

THE LORD'S PRAYER



Our Fa-ther, who art in heav'n, hal-lowed be thy name, thy king-dom come, thy
will be done, on earth as it is in heav'n. Give us this day our dai-ly bread,
and for-give us our tres-passes, as we for-give those who tres-pass a-gainst us;
and lead us not in-to temp-ta-tion, but de-li-ver us from e-vil.
For the king-dom, the power, and the glo-ry are yours, now and for e-ver.

LAMB OF GOD



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

COMMUNION

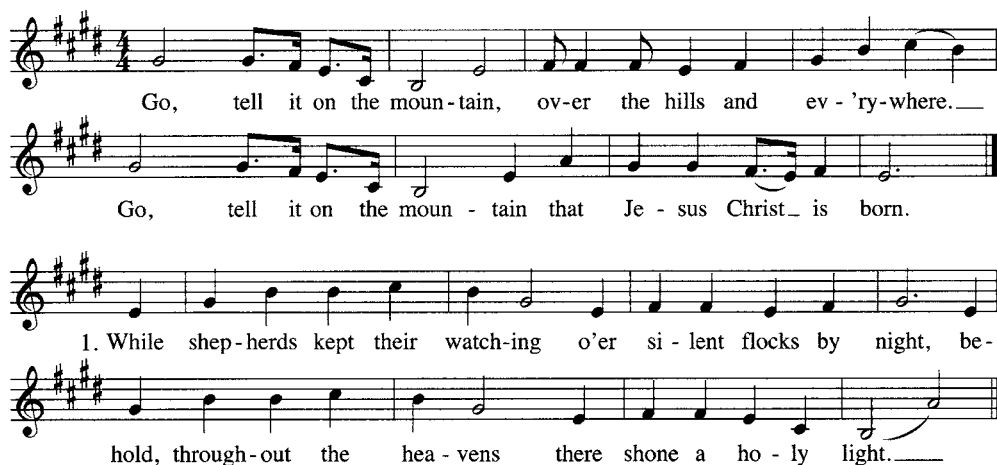
PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE CONCLUDING RITES

BLESSING

FINAL SONG



Go, tell it on the moun-tain, ov-er the hills and ev - 'ry-where. —

Go, tell it on the moun - tain that Je - sus Christ_ is born.

1. While shep - herds kept their watch-ing o'er si - lent flocks by night, be -

hold, through-out the hea - vens there shone a ho - ly light. —

And lo, when they had seen it,
they all bowed down and prayed,
they travelled on together
to where the Babe was laid.

Down in a lowly manger
the humble Christ was born
and God sent us salvation
that blessed Christmas morn.

Next week, on Sunday, January 11th, we celebrate two festivities:

**in Holy Mass at 12:30 p.m.,
Father Peter van Dael SJ will celebrate his 50th anniversary as a priest.**

**In Holy Mass at 5:15 p.m.,
Bishop Hendriks will be our guest for the baptism and confirmation of
Bart de Bruin, Benthe de Meijer, Derk Pík, and Koen Idema.**