

# 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent

St. Michael Church

February 21, 2021

Gathering Hymn

Into the Desert

Stephan/Hart



*Cantor:* 1. Come, be - lov - ed, and rest your mind;  
2. Stay, be - lov - ed, and lose your fear;  
3. From this des - ert your life will bloom;



leave the things of this world be - hind.  
there is heal - ing and mer - cy here.  
out of de - spair is hope re - newed.



Here I will be your dai - ly bread, all that you need.  
Here I will be a liv - ing stream, all that you need.  
And from this death you shall a - rise, a - rise with me.



*All:* In - to the des - ert I will lead; here in the si -



- lence my word will speak. And you will find the peace you



seek here in the des - ert.

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**Sign of the Cross/Greeting  
Penitential Act**

I confess to almighty God  
and to you, my brothers and sisters,  
that I have greatly sinned,  
in my thoughts and in my words,  
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,  
through my fault, through my fault,  
through my most grievous fault;  
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,  
all the Angels and Saints,  
and you, my brothers and sisters,  
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

**Kyrie**

Browning

*Cantor:*      *All:*



Ký-ri - e,      Ký-ri - e, e - lé - i - son,      Ký-ri - e, e - lé - i - son.  
Chri - ste,      Chri - ste, e - lé - i - son,      Chri - ste, e - lé - i - son.  
Ký-ri - e,      Ký-ri - e, e - lé - i - son,      Ký-ri - e, e - lé - i - son.

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**Opening Prayer**




**1<sup>st</sup> Reading**

Genesis 9:8-15

**Responsorial Psalm**

Psalm 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Kelly



Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth      to those who keep your cov-e-nant.

Your ways, O Lord, make known to me;  
teach me your paths,  
Guide me in your truth and teach me,  
for you are God my savior.

Remember that your compassion, O Lord,  
and your love are from of old.  
In your kindness remember me,  
because of your goodness, O Lord.

Good and upright is the Lord,  
thus he shows sinners the way.  
He guides the humble to justice,  
and he teaches the humble his way.

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**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**

1 Peter 3:18-22

**Gospel Acclamation**

Mass of the Angels and Saints

Janco

Glo-ry, praise and hon-or to you, Lord Je - sus Christ.

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**Gospel Reading**

Mark 1:12-15

**Homily**

**Profession of Faith**

*Apostles' Creed*

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.

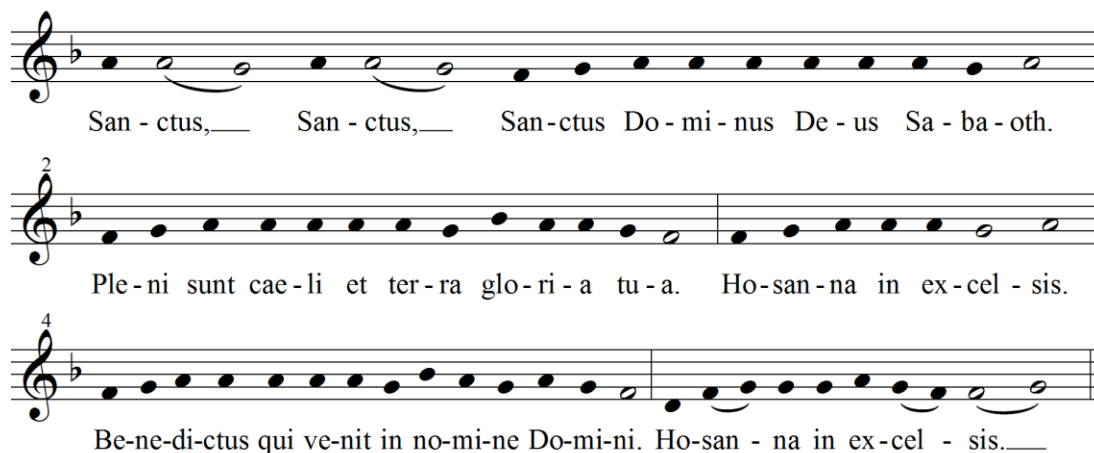
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting. Amen.

**Universal Prayer**

**Preparation of the Gifts**

## Eucharistic Prayer

### *Sanctus*

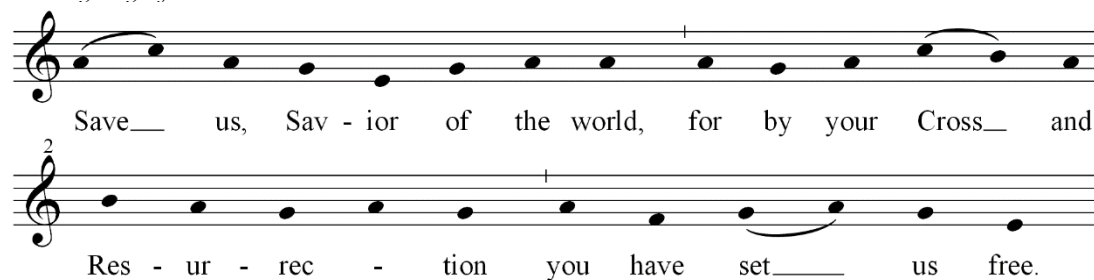


San - ctus,\_\_\_ San - ctus,\_\_\_ San-ctus Do - mi - nus De - us Sa - ba - oth.

Ple - ni sunt cae - li et ter - ra glo - ri - a tu - a. Ho - san - na in ex - cel - sis.

Be - ne - di - ctus qui ve - nit in no - mi - ne Do - mi - ni. Ho - san - na in ex - cel - sis.---

### *The Mystery of Faith*



Save\_\_\_ us, Sav - ior of the world, for by your Cross\_\_\_ and

Res - ur - rec - tion you have set\_\_\_ us free.

### *Great Amen*

Haugen



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

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## The Lord's Prayer

### Sign of Peace

### Lamb of God

Mass of the Angels and Saints

Janco

## Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,  
    come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Communion Procession

Return to the Lord

Tate

*Cantor:*

Re - turn to the Lord with all your heart,

*All:*

Re - turn to the Lord with

with fast - ing and weep - ing and mourn - ing.

all your heart, with

The Lord is gra - cious,

fast - ing and weep - ing and mourn - ing. The

full of mer - y, slow to an - ger,

Lord is gra - cious, full of mer - y,

rich in love.

slow to an - ger, rich in love.

Verses (cantor):

Blow the trumpet in Zion!  
Gather the people, sound the alarm!  
The day of the Lord is near.  
Come, and be cleansed.

Text: Based on Joel 2:1, 12-18, 26

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**Prayer after Communion**

**Final Blessing & Dismissal**

**Closing Hymn**

Jerusalem, My Destiny

Cooney

I have fixed my eyes on your hills, Je - ru - sa - lem, my  
des - ti - ny! Though I can - not see the end for me, I  
can - not turn a - way. We have set our hearts for the  
way; this jour - ney is our des - ti - ny. Let  
no - one walk a - lone. The jour - ney makes us one.  
Oth - er spir - its, less - er gods, have court - ed me with lies. \_\_\_\_\_  
Here a - mong you I have found a truth which bids me rise. D.C.

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