

Christ the King Catholic Church

Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God
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Ave Maria (As We Kneel)

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**Ave Maria, gratia plena,
Dominus tecum, benedicta tu.**

As we kneel before you, as we bow our heads in prayer,
Take our hearts, make them yours and fill us with your love.

As we have we give you, ev'ry dream and wish is yours,
Mother of Christ, Mother of ours, present them to our Lord.

As we kneel before you, as we see your smiling face,
Ev'ry thought, every word is lost in your embrace.

Psalm 67 - May God Bless Us

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What Child Is This

Greensleeves/William C. Dix Arr. Sir John Stainer

What child is this who laid to rest, on Mary's lap is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet, while shepherds watch are keeping?

**This, this is Christ the King, whom shepherds guard and angels sing;
Haste, haste, to bring Him laud, the babe the son of Mary.**

Why lies He in such mean estate, where ox and ass are feeding?
Good Christian, fear, for sinners here the silent Word is pleading.

**Nails, spear shall pierce him through the cross be borne for me for you:
Hail, hail, the Word made flesh, the babe the son of Mary.**

So bring Him incense, gold, and myrrh, come peasant, king to own Him;
The King of Kings salvation brings, let loving hearts enthrone Him.

**Raise, raise, the song on high, the Virgin sings her lullaby;
Joy, Joy, for Christ is born, the babe, the son of Mary.**



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Act of Faith During 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.

Jesus Christ, Yesterday, Today and Forever

Jacques Berthier, Taizé ©1984

Jesus Christ, Jesus Christ, Yesterday, today and forever.



Hail Queen of Heaven, The Ocean Star

Text: John Lingard Music: STELLA Henri Frederick Hemy

Hail Queen of heav'n the ocean star
Guide of the wand'rer here below!
Tossed on life's sea we claim thy care
Save us from peril and from woe
Mother of Christ, Star of the Sea
Pray for the wanderer, pray for me!
Pray for the wanderer, pray for me!

O gentle chaste and spotless maid
We sinners make our prayers through thee.
Remind thy son that He has paid
The price of our iniquity.

Virgin most pure, Star of the Sea,
Pray for the sinner O pray for me!
Pray for the sinner O pray for me!

Sojourners in this vale of tears,
To thee, blest advocate, we cry;
Assuage our sorrows, calm our fears,
and soothe with hope our misery.
Refuge in grief, Star of the Sea,
Pray for the mourner, pray for me.
Pray for the mourner, pray for me.

And while to Him who reigns above
In Godhead one, in persons three,
The Source of life, of grace, of love,
Homage we pay on bended knee:
Do thou, bright Queen, O Star of the Sea,
Pray for thy children, pray for me.
Pray for thy children, pray for me.

Servant Song

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What do you want of me, Lord?
Where do you want me to serve you?
Where can I sing your praises.
I am your song.

**Jesus, Jesus, you are the Lord.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.**

I hear you call my name, Lord,
and I am moved within me.
Your Spirit stirs my deepest self.
Sing your songs in me.

**Jesus, Jesus, you are my Lord.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.**

Above, below, and around me.
Before, behind and all through me,
your Spirit burns deep within me.
Fire my life with your love.

**Jesus, Jesus, be warmth of my heart.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.**

You are the light in my darkness.
You are my strength when I'm weary.
You give me sight when I'm blinded.
Come see for me.

**Jesus, Jesus, you are my light.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.**

I am your song and servant,
singing your praise like Mary.
Surrendered to your Spirit,
"Let it be done to me."

**Jesus, Jesus, "Let it be done to me."
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.**

Hail Holy Queen

Traditional

Hail Holy Queen enthroned above, O Maria!
Hail Mother of Mercy and of love, O Maria!

**Triumph all ye Cherubim, sing with us ye Seraphim,
Heaven and earth resound the hymn:
Salve, Salve, Salve, Regina!**

Our life our sweetness here below, O Maria!
Our hope in sorrow and in woe, O Maria!