

The Baptism of the Lord (Year B)

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Entrance: When Jesus Comes to Be Baptized

1. When Jesus comes to be baptized, He leaves the hidden years behind,
The years of safety and of peace, to bear the sins of humankind.
2. The Spirit of the Lord comes down, Anoints the Christ to suffering,
To preach the word, to free the bound, and to the mourner, comfort bring.
3. He will not quench the dying flame, and what is bruised he will not break,
But heal the wound injustice dealt, and out of death his triumph make.

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Responsorial Psalm: “You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation.”

Owen Alstott.

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Prayer to St. Joseph:

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage and defend us from every evil.
Amen.

My beloved father, all my trust is in you. Let it be not said that I invoked
you in vain, and since you can do everything with Jesus and Mary, show
me that your goodness is as great as your power.

Preparation of Gifts: Flow River Flow

Refrain

Flow river flow, flow over me.
O living water, poured out for free;
O living water, flow over me.

1. You will be mine and I will be your God,
for I will wash you clean. And a new heart,
a heart of flesh and feeling, I will place within you
for your heart of stone.

2. The blind shall see, the mute shall find a voice,
the lame shall leap for joy. Rivers will flow
into dry and barren desert, flowers bloom in splendor,
glory fill the land.

3. Whoever drinks the water I will give
will never thirst again.
The drink I give is an ever-flowing river,
welling up within you to give eternal life.

Bob Hurd.

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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: Taste and See

Refrain

Taste and see the goodness of the Lord,
the goodness of the Lord.
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1. I will bless the Lord at all times. Praise will be on my lips.
My soul will glory in the Lord. The poor will hear and be glad.

2. I sought the Lord who answered me, delivered me from my fear.
Look to God that you might shine with the radiance of God's joy.

3. The Lord has eyes for justice, ears to hear your cry.
God knows your broken heart. The Lord redeems a loyal servant.
Take refuge in your God.

Steve Angrisano.

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Prayer to St. Michael:

Saint Michael, the Archangel:

Defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls.

Amen.

Recessional: Sing of the Lord's Goodness

1. Sing of the Lord's goodness, Father of all wisdom,
come to him and bless his name. Mercy he has shown us,
his love is forever, faithful to the end of days.

Refrain

Come, then, all you nations, sing of your Lord's goodness,
melodies of praise and thanks to God. Ring out the Lord's glory,
praise him with your music, worship him and bless his name.

2. Power he has wielded, honor in his garment,
risen from the snares of death. His word he has spoken,
one bread he has broken, new life he now gives to all.

Ernest Sands.

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