



MASS OF THE FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER
THE OPENING OF XAVIER'S 175TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR
TEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2021
ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL
NEW YORK, NEW YORK



PRESIDER

His Eminence,
Timothy Cardinal Dolan
Archbishop of New York

PRELUDE

Music for Organ & Brass

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

Kim Smith
Headmaster

POSTING OF THE COLORS

ACADEMIC PROCESSION

ENTRANCE HYMN

God of Hope

By J. Michael Thompson



1. God of hope, whose sum - mons dai - ly Calls your Church to preach your Name,
2. Son of Spain, a youth whose stu - dies Were a source of van - i - ty,
3. Learn - ing tongues and liv - ing sim - ply, Fran - cis lived the Good News free,
4. Glo - ry be to God the Fa - ther, Who has made us by his grace;



We give thanks for good St. Fran - cis, Who pro - claimed the Sa - vior's fame.
Turned to Christ by great Ig - na - tius Thus to serve hu - man - i - ty.
Bring - ing man - y souls to new birth In the Gos - pel's lib - er - ty.
Glo - ry be to God the Son, who pur - chased back our fall - en race.



Through - out In - dia's man - y pla - ces, On the Spice Isles' dis - tant shores,
One of sev - en ear - ly Jes - uits, Fran - cis soon was called to go
Tire - less tra - vels, end - less jour - neys, Far a - way from home and friends,
Glo - ry be to God the Spi - rit, fill - ing us with joy and peace;



In Ja - pan and then to Chi - na, Bring - ing grace from hea - ven's stores.
Preach - ing Jes - us and his mer - cy Where the Pope had told him so.
Fran - cis works for Christ, the Sav - ior E - ven at his own life's end.
Glo - ry to our God and bless - ing, Sing - ing praise that will not cease!

Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING

1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23
Leonardo Mannino '22
Student Leadership Council President

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Go Out to All the World

By Luke Mayernik



Go out to all the world and tell the Good News.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

Mark 16:15-20

HOMILY

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PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Giuseppe Quatela '22
Cadet Colonel of the Regiment

Liturgy of the Eucharist

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND GIFTS

These Alone are Enough

By Dan Schutte



1. Take my heart, O Lord, take my hopes and dreams.
2. Take my thoughts, O Lord, and my mem - o - ry.
3. I sur - ren - der, Lord, all I have and hold.
4. When the dark - ness falls on my fi - nal days,



Take my mind with all its plans and schemes.
Take my tears, my joys, my lib - er - ty.
I re - turn to you your gifts un - told
take the ver - y breath that sang your praise.



Give me noth - ing more than your love and grace.



These a - lone, O God, are e - nough for me.

EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS

Mass of Creation
Marty Haugen

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SIGN OF PEACE

FRACTION RITE

Lamb of God
Roman Missal

COMMUNION SONG

Canción de Francisco Javier

Text and Music: Cristóbal Fones, S.J.

When the world shuts the sun in darkness,
when all dreams are swallowed deep within the sea,
When no one is so caring to dare cross the ocean
that corners the poor and the broken,
Rise my light, my Jesus! Set me soaring, flying.
Let me trust your promises, let me do your will!

Jesus, fire in my heart. My heart aflame with love for the world!
Feels no limits, sees no boundaries, Only God, my hope!

Even if I gained the whole world, it's nothing to me if it takes me not to you.
May no tides pull me under, no dark swells
engulf me in lifting my gaze to your star.
There in the eyes of the hungry, I see you looking
back to me, and your love fills up my soul.
Now my soul sets sail!

Jesus, you give joy to your people;
Jesus, you free them with pardon and your peace.
It is such love that impels me, embracing a people
that longs for your kingdom to come.
All is yours that you've given me. None is mine, but all is grace.
In your hands take all of it. You're my land, my sea.

CLOSING THANKS

Jack Raslowsky P'16
President

FINAL BLESSING

His Eminence,
Timothy Cardinal Dolan
Archbishop of New York

CLOSING HYMN

Soli Deo Gloria

Text and Music: Marty Haugen



1. O God of bless - ings, all praise to you! Your love sur -
2. All praise for pro - phets, through grace in - spired To preach and
3. A bil - lion voic - es in one great song, Now soft and
rounds us our__ whole life through. You are the free - dom of those op -
wit - ness with hearts on fire. Your Spir - it choos - es the weak and
gen - tle, now deep and strong, In ev - 'ry cul - ture and style and
pressed; You are the com - fort of all dis - tressed. Come now, O
small to sing the new reign where might-y fall; With them may
key, From hill and val - ley, with sky and sea, With Christ we
ho - ly and wel - come guest; So - li De - o
we live your Gos - pel call: _____
praise you e - ter - nal - ly; _____
glo - ri - a! So - li De - o glo - ri - a!

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