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# 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

March 5, 2023

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## Entrance Hymn

Transform Us #878

## Responsorial Psalm #1019

Psalm 33: Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

## Communion Hymns

How Lovely #2049

Psalm 33: Let Your Mercy Be on Us #44

Psalm 25: To You, O Lord #39

## The 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.

## St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel,  
defend us in battle. Be our  
protection against the wickedness  
and snares of the Devil. May God  
rebuke him, we humbly pray,  
and do thou, O prince of the  
heavenly hosts, by the power of  
God, cast into hell Satan, and all  
evil spirits, who prowl about the  
world seeking the ruin of souls.  
Amen.

## Readings

#1019

### First Reading:

Genesis 12:1-4a

### Second Reading:

2 Timothy 1:8b-10

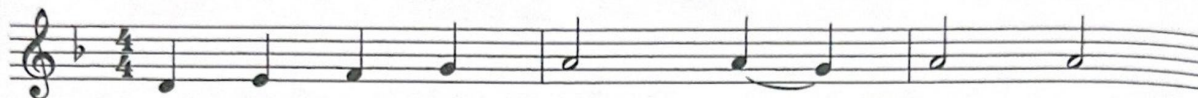
### Gospel:

Matthew 17:1-9

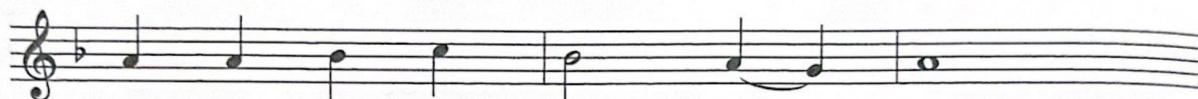


# Entrance Hymn

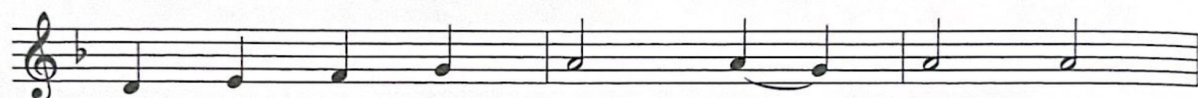
## 878 Transform Us



1. Trans - form us as you, trans - fig - ured,  
2. Trans - form us as you, trans - fig - ured,  
3. Trans - form us as you, trans - fig - ured,



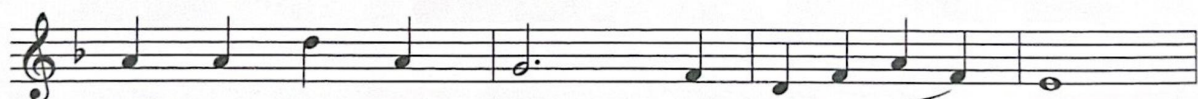
Stood a - part on Ta - bor's height.  
Once spoke with those ho - ly ones.  
Would not stay with - in a shrine.



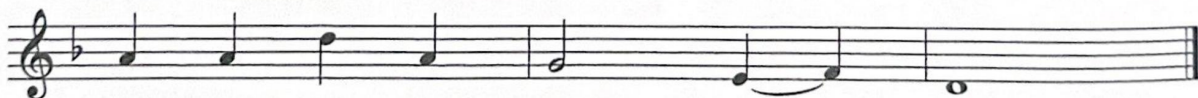
Lead us up our sa - cred moun - tains,  
We, sur - round - ed by the wit - ness  
Keep us from our great temp - ta - tion—



Search us with re - veal - ing light.  
Of those saints whose work is done,  
Time and truth we quick - ly bind.



Lift us from where we have fall - en,  
Live in this world as your Bod - y,  
Lead us down those dai - ly path - ways



Full of ques - tions, filled with fright.  
Cho - sen daugh - ters, cho - sen sons.  
Where our love is not con - fined.

## READING I

*Genesis 12:1-4a / 25*

The LORD said to Abram: "Go forth from the land of your kinsfolk and from your father's house to a land that I will show you.

"I will make of you a great nation,  
and I will bless you;  
I will make your name great,  
so that you will be a blessing.  
I will bless those who bless you  
and curse those who curse you.  
All the communities of the earth  
shall find blessing in you."

Abram went as the LORD directed him.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22*

Lord, let your mer-cy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

The word of the LORD is faithful,  
and all his works to be trusted.

The LORD loves justice and right,  
and his merciful love fills the earth. *R.*

Yes, the LORD's eyes are on those who  
fear him,  
who hope in his merciful love,

to rescue their souls from death,  
to keep them alive in famine. *R.*

Our soul is waiting for the LORD.  
He is our help and our shield.  
May your merciful love be upon us,  
as we hope in you, O LORD. *R.*

## READING II

*2 Timothy 1:8b-10*

Beloved: Bear your share of hardship for the gospel with the strength that comes from God.

He saved us and called us to a holy life, not according to our works but according to his own design and the grace bestowed on us in Christ Jesus before time began, but now made manifest through the appearance of our savior Christ Jesus, who destroyed death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel.

## GOSPEL

*Matthew 17:1-9*

Jesus took Peter, James, and John his brother, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light. And behold, Moses and Elijah appeared to them, conversing with him. Then Peter said to Jesus in reply, "Lord, it is good that we are here. If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud cast a shadow over them, then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." When the disciples heard this, they fell prostrate and were very much afraid. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Rise, and do not be afraid." And when the disciples raised their eyes, they saw no one else but Jesus alone.

As they were coming down from the mountain, Jesus charged them, "Do not tell the vision to anyone until the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

# Communion Hymns

## How Lovely


2049

Sr. Stacy Whitfield, S.G.L.

Cal - va - ry and heav'n - ly ban - quet,  
both made pres - ent to me.  
One same Lord is still in - vit - ing,  
Oh, taste and see. How  
love - ly, how love - ly, how love - ly is this place.  
Let me live here be - hold - ing your  
face. Let me live here, fill - ing my  
gaze with your beau - ty. I have  
tast - ed. I see.

# 44 Psalm 33: Let Your Mercy Be on Us / Señor, Que Tu Misericordia

## Refrain I



Let your mer - cy be on us, O God,  
Se - ñor, que tu mi - se - ri - cor - dia



as we place our trust in you.  
ven-ga so - bre no - so - tros.

*To verses*

## Refrain II



The earth is full of the good-ness of  
La mi - se - ri - cor - dia de nues - tro



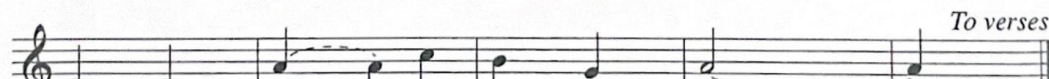
God, the good - ness of our God.  
Dios lle - na la tie - rra.

*To verses*

## Refrain III



Hap - py are the peo - ple the Lord has  
Di - cho - so el pue - blo que el Se - ñor se es - co -



cho - sen, cho - sen to be his own.  
gió co - mo he - re - dad.

*To verses*

## Verses

1. Your words, O God, are truth indeed, and all your works are ever faithful; you love justice and right, your compassion fills all creation.
2. See how the eye of God is watching, ever guarding all who wait in hope, to deliver them from death and sustain them in time of famine.
3. Exult, you just, in the Lord, for praise is the song of the righteous! How happy the people of God, the ones whom God has chosen!
4. Our soul is waiting for God, for God is our help and our shield. May your kindness, O God, be upon us who place our hope in you.

## 39 Psalm 25: To You, O Lord

### Refrain

To you, O Lord, I lift my soul, to you, I lift my soul.

### Verses

1. Lord, make me know your ways, teach me your paths  
and keep me in the way of your truth, for you are God, my Savior.
2. For the Lord is good and righteous, revealing the way to those who wander,  
gently leading the poor and the humble.
3. To the ones who seek the Lord, who look to God's word, who live God's love,  
God will always be near, and will show them mercy.

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