# **Second Sunday of Advent**

Sunday, December 6, 10:00 am

Please place yourself in the presence of God at our traditional ringing of the gong.

Light a candle and place the Bible before you.

#### **PRELUDE**

INTRODUCTION

## THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

GATHERING SONG...... Release Your Love

Release your love on us we pray, as patiently we wait.

Help us prepare for your return as watchman at the gate.

Release your love on us we pray, forgiven we will be.

Cleanse us from sin and change our ways that we may live for Thee.

Release your love on us we pray, your light will be our guide.

In times of darkness let us trust that you are at our side.

Release your love on us we pray, free us to do your will.

May we say "yes" as Mary did, your work through us fulfill.

PENITENTIAL ACT
KYRIE ELEISON
OPENING PRAYER

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD





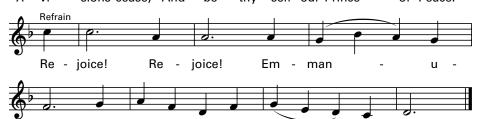
SECOND READING	
ALLELUIA	
GOSPEL	Luke 1:26-38; L689
HOMILY	
PRAYER OF THE F	AITHFUL
THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST	
PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS O Come, O Come Emmanuel	
	1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, And 2. O come, Thou Wis - dom from on high, Who 3. O come, O come, Thou Lord of might, Who 4. O come, Thou Rod of Jes - se's stem, From 5. O come, Thou Key of Da - vid, come, And 6. O come, Thou Day - spring from on high And 7. O come, De - sire of na - tions, bind In
	2. or-d'rest all things might - i - ly; To us the path of
	3. to thy tribes on Si - nai's height In an - cient times didst 4. ev - 'ry foe de - liv - er them That trust thy might - y
	5. o - pen wide our heav'n - ly home; Make safe the way that 6. cheer us by thy draw - ing nigh; Dis - perse the gloom - y
	7. one the hearts of all hu-man - kind; Bid thou our sad di-

ile ap - pear. here Un - til the Son of God 2. knowl - edge show, And teach in her ways us to go. and awe. 3. give law, In cloud and maj - es - ty

Shall come to thee, O

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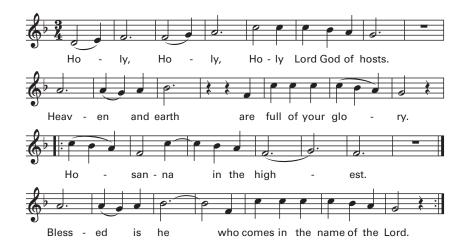
4. pow'r save, And give them vic-t'ry o'er the grave. 5. leads high, And close the path to mis er - y. night, And death's dark shad-ow put to flight. 6. clouds of 7. vi sions cease, And be thy - self our Prince of Peace.



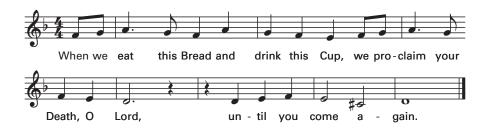
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# HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



## **MYSTERY OF FAITH**



#### **GREAT AMEN**

# THE COMMUNION RITE

## LORD'S PRAYER



#### LAMB OF GOD



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#### **HOLY COMMUNION**

## **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.

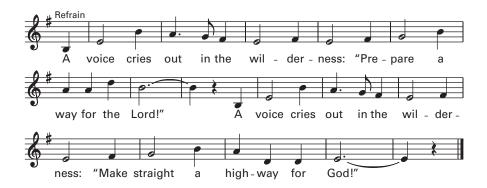
COMMUNION CHANT ...... To You, O Lord



#### **PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

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## THE CONCLUDING RITES



#### **POSTLUDE**

Please stay tuned for a special Advent video by Dan Schutte You can find the video at

Release Your Love: Text: Marilyn Robb; Music: J.B.Dykes

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