

January 5th

Morning Prayer with Mass



The Lord said to me; you are my Son;
I have begotten you, begotten you this day.

God speaks to the earth, the word speeds forth.
God speaks his word to Jacob, to Israel his laws and decrees.

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As we light our candle for peace we pray:

We pray for peace in the Holy Land, in Syria, Iraq, the Yemen and Sudan, and in all the troubled countries where people's lives are threatened or taken from them by violence and war.
We pray for refugees.
And ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

O God, come to our aid
O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory to the Father, glory to the Son,
glory to the Holy Spirit now and for ever. Amen.

Psalm 79

Response



God of hosts, bring us back; lead us and we shall be saved.

Verse 1



O shep - herd of Is - ra - el, hear us, shine
God of hosts, turn a - gain, we im - plore you;
Lay your hand on the man you have cho - sen, the



Glo - ry to the Fa - ther,
forth from your che - ru - bim throne. O Lord,
look down from heav - en and see. O vis - it this
one you have giv - en your strength. O Lord,
glo - ry to the Son, and to the

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rouse up your might, what your right hand has sown.
vine and pro - tect, we call on your name.
fill us with life, Spi - rit for ev - er more. A - men.

We pause for private prayer then continue with the Collect of the Mass

To welcome the Gospel we sing

Alleluia, alleluia. At various times in the past and in various different ways,
God spoke to our ancestors, God spoke through the prophets.
Now in our time he has spoken through his Son.
Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

Intercessions

Come, come, come to the manger, children, come to the children's King;
Sing, sing. chorus of angels, star of morning o'er Bethlehem sing.

He lies 'mid the beasts of the stall,
who is Master and Lord of us all;
the wintry wind blows cold and dreary,
see, he weeps, the world is weary;
Lord, have pity and mercy on me.
Come, come, come to the manger...

Sanctus Memorial Agnus Dei

Communion:

When we eat this bread, and we drink this cup,
We proclaim your death, Lord Jesus, Until you come.
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After communion

Blest be the Lord the God of Israel,
who came to us; and brought us back from sin.
God raised for us a Saviour who is mighty;
his Saviour-Son from David's house and line.
God promised this through holy men and women
who spoke for him down through the mists of time.

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