

# *The Baptism of the Lord*

Welcome to Our Celebration  
on this the  
10<sup>th</sup> day of January 2021

*The Co-Cathedral of St. Robert Bellarmine*

# *Entrance Hymn*

Please turn to

**Song # 111**

In your Hymn Book

*When Jesus Comes To Be Baptized*

# *When Jesus Comes To Be Baptized (#111)*

**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.**

**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.**

# *When Jesus Comes To Be Baptized (#111)*

**O Spirit help us be like Christ:  
To live in love and charity,  
To walk in truth and justice now,  
And grow in Christian dignity.**



# *Penitential Act:*

**I confess to almighty God  
and to you, my brothers and sisters,  
that I have greatly sinned,  
in my thoughts and in my words,  
in what I have done and in what  
I have failed to do,  
through my fault, through my fault,  
through my most grievous fault;  
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,  
all the Angels and Saints,  
and you, my brothers and sisters,  
to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

*Amen*



# *Gloria*

**Glory to God in the highest,  
and *on earth peace to people of good will. (Refrain)***

***We praise you,  
we bless you,  
we adore you,  
we glorify you,  
we give you thanks  
for your great glory,***

***Lord, God, heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father, (Refrain)  
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
Son of the Father,***



***you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us,  
you take away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer,  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,  
have mercy on us. (Refrain)***  
**For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
You alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
With the Holy Spirit,  
In the Glory of God the Father (refrain)**

***Amen***



# *Responsorial Psalm*

*You will draw water joyfully from  
the springs of salvation.*



# *Nicene Creed*

**I believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
*of all things visible and invisible.***

**I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the *Only begotten* son of God,  
*born of the Father before all ages.***

**God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, *consubstantial with the Father;***

**T**hrough him all things were made.

**For us men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven:**

**(bow your heads for the next two lines)**

***and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate  
of the Virgin Mary, and became man.***

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he *suffered death* and was buried,  
*and rose again on the third day*  
*in accordance* with the Scriptures.**

**He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

***He*** will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.

***I*** believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
*who* with the Father and the Son  
*is adored* and glorified.

***Who*** has spoken through the Prophets.

***I*** believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church  
*I* confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
***And I*** look forward to the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come.

***Amen***





# *Offertory Hymn*

Please turn to

**Song #603**

In your Hymn Book

*Come To The Water*

# *Come To The Water (#603)*

**And let all who seek, Let them come to the water.  
And let all who have nothing,  
Let them come to the Lord:  
Without money, without strife,  
Why should you spend your life, except for the Lord?**

**And let all who toil, Let them come to the water.  
And let all who are weary,  
Let them come to the Lord:  
All who labor, without rest,  
How can your soul find rest, except for the Lord?**



# *The Mystery of Faith*

**Priest:**

*The mystery of faith.*

**People:**

*When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,  
We proclaim your death, O Lord,  
Until you come again.*



# *Communion Hymn*

Please turn to

**Song #643**

In your Hymn Book

***Wade In The Water***

# *Wade In The Water (#643)*

## **Refrain**

**Wade in the water, wade in the water,  
children now. Wade in the water,  
God's gonna trouble the water.**

**John was a-preachin'  
by the shores of Jordan stream:  
"Repent of your sins and let  
the water wash you clean. "**

# *Wade In The Water (#643)*

## **Refrain**

**Wade in the water, wade in the water,  
children now. Wade in the water,  
God's gonna trouble the water.**

**Jesus came to be baptized by John;  
and when it was done  
a voice from the heavens said:  
“This is my beloved Son.”**



# *Wade In The Water (#643)*

## **Refrain**

**Wade in the water, wade in the water,  
children now. Wade in the water,  
God's gonna trouble the water.**

**“My favor rests upon him,”  
said a voice from above.  
The crowd saw the Spirit  
in the form of a snow white dove.**

# *Wade In The Water (#643)*

**Refrain**

**Wade in the water, wade in the water,  
children now. Wade in the water,  
God's gonna trouble the water.**

**Come to the river where  
the living waters rise:  
if you want to follow Jesus,  
you must come and be baptized.**

# *Communion Hymn*

Please turn to

**Song #600**

In your Hymn Book

***Rain Down***

# *Rain Down (#600)*

***Refrain:***

**Rain down, rain down, rain down**

**Your love on your people. Love, God of Life.**

**Faithful and true is the word of our God,**

**All of God's works are so worthy of trust.**

**God's mercy falls on the just and the right;**

**Full of God's love is the earth. *Refrain***

**God of creation, we long for your truth;**

**You are the water of life that we thirst.**

**Grant that your love and your peace touch our**

**hearts, All of our hope lies in you. *Refrain:***



# *Recessional Hymn*

Please turn to

**Song #562**

In your Hymn Book

***Sign of the Lord's Goodness***