

Music in Today's Mass

Featuring music by Black composers

The **Preludes and Postlude** for Today's mass are settings of African-American Spirituals by composer **Dr. Calvin Taylor**. Dr. Taylor holds degrees from Oberlin College Conservatory of Music, The University of Michigan, and the University of Kentucky. He is known around the world as a performer, composer, and recording artist. His collections of Spiritual arrangements were commissioned by and dedicated to Dr. Marilyn Mason, who was for over 50 years the Chair of the organ program at UofM.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSES FOR THE MASS

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INTRODUCTORY RITES

Gloria:

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

**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.**

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.
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. Amen.**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

The readings for the day can be found [here](#).

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.

OR Nicene Creed:

**I believe in one God,
the Father 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;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
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.**

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Priest: Blessed are you, Lord God of all
creation,... (2x)

People: **Blessed be God for ever.**

Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters, that
my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable
to God, the almighty Father.

People: **May the Lord accept the
sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and
glory of his name, for our good, and the
good of all his holy Church.**

Acclamations during the Eucharistic Prayer:

Preface Dialogue:

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord,
our God.

People: **It is right and just.**

Sanctus:

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.

**Heaven and earth are full
of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

**Blessed is he who comes in the name
of the Lord.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Mystery of Faith:

Priest: The mystery of faith:

People: A – **We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.**

B – **When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.**

C – **Save us, Savior of the World, for by your Cross and Resurrection, you have set us free.**

Breaking of the Bread:

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. (2x)

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.