

Cathedral of Saint Matthew the Apostle

Washington, District of Columbia



Feast of St. Matthew (Observed)

Apostle and Evangelist

Sept 20, 2020

10:00 am

Celebration of the Eucharist

*Please take a moment before the liturgy to silence your phone
and remove as many distractions as possible from your attention.*

ORGAN PRELUDE

Prelude, BWV 541

J.S. Bach

ENTRANCE HYMN

YE WATCHERS AND YE HOLY ONES



1. Ye watch - ers and ye ho - ly ones, Bright
 2. O high - er than the cher - u - bim, More
 3. Re - spond, ye souls in end - less rest, Ye
 4. O friends, in glad - ness let us sing, Su -



ser - aphs, cher - u - bim, and thrones, Raise the
 glo - rious than the ser - a - phim, Lead their
 pa - tri - archs and proph - ets blest: "Al - le -
 per - nal an - thems ech - o - ing: "Al - le -



glad strain: "Al - le - lu - ia!" Cry out, do - min - ions, prince - doms,
 prais - es: "Al - le - lu - ia!" O bear - er of the e - ter - nal
 lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!" Ye ho - ly twelve, ye mar - tyrs
 lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!" To God the Fa - ther, God the



pow'rs, Vir - tues, arch - an - gels, an - gels' choirs:
 Word, Most gra - cious, mag - ni - fy the Lord:
 strong, All saints tri - um - phant, raise the song:
 Son, And God the Spir - it, Three in One:



"Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!" Al - le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Text: John A. Riley, 1858–1945

Tune: LASST UNS ERFREUEN, LM with alleluias; *Geistliche Kirchengesänge*, Cologne, 1623; harm. by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872–1958

GLORY TO GOD

*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.*

OPENING PRAYER

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Worship 1178

The Lord is kind and merciful.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

ALLELUIA

Murray/Nowak

PREPARATION

If Thou Would Suffer God to Guide Thee

J.S. Bach



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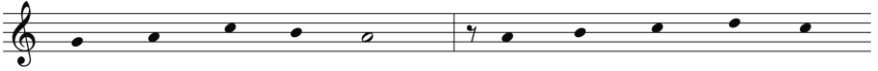
MASS FOR THE CITY

Proulx

COMMUNION HYMN AS STARS ADORN THE NIGHT-VEILED SKY



1. As stars a - dorn the night-veiled sky, Ar - rayed like
2. The light saints bear is not their own But shines through
3. Through saints we glimpse the light of Christ, The Morn - ing
4. That light is ours to claim and share, Not mere - ly
5. The saints in - spire and chal - lenge us Our ho - ly



jew - els rare and bright, So shine God's saints in
them as gift and sign: To show how God can
Star that crowns the night, Whose ris - ing her - alds
praise or gaze up - on: For all who are bap -
call - ing to em - brace: To bear Christ's light in



ev - 'ry age To give the world new hope, new light.
use and bless Frail hu - man means for ends di - vine.
God's new day, The prom - ised dawn of life and light.
tized be - come Light - bear - ers through the Ris - en One.
our own day, To be the ves - sels of God's grace.

Text: Carl P. Daw, Jr., b.1944, © 1997, Hope Publishing Company
Tune: JESU DULCIS MEMORIA, LM; Mode I; acc. by Richard Proulx, 1937-2010

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RECESSIONAL

BY ALL YOUR SAINTS STILL STRIVING



1. By all your saints still striv - ing, For all your saints at rest,
 *2. A - pos - tles, proph - ets, mar - tyrs, And all the no - ble thron - g
 3. Then let us praise the Fa - ther And wor - ship God the Son



Your ho - ly Name, O Je - sus, For - ev - er - more be blessed.
 Who wear the spot-less rai - ment And raise the cease-less song:
 And sing to God the Spir - it, E - ter - nal Three in One,



You rose, our King vic - to - rious, That they might wear the crown
 For them and those whose wit - ness Is on - ly known to you,
 Till all the ran-somed num - ber Who stand be - fore the throne



And share the light of glo - ry Re - flect - ed from your throne.
 By walk - ing in their foot - steps We give you praise a - new.
 As - cribe all pow'r and glo - ry And praise to God a - lone.

stanza 2 may be replaced by an appropriate stanza taken from the following.

Verse 2

We praise you, Lord, for Matthew,
 Whose gospel words declare
 That, worldly gain forsaking,
 Your path of life we share.
 From all unrighteous mammon,
 O raise our eyes anew,
 That we, whate'er our station
 May rise and follow you.

POSTLUDE

Postlude and Fugue BWV 541

J.S. Bach

Cathedral Organ Recital Series Continues

Wednesday, Sept. 30 at 12:40 pm: Live organ recital with [Colin MacKnight](#) on the completed Lively-Fulcher Great Organ of St. Matthew's Cathedral, 1725 Rhode Island Ave NW WDC 20036 in a 40 minute concert. Featured works include Fantasia and Fugue in G, Op. 188 - C. Hubert H. Parry, Fantasia and Fugue in C minor, BWV 537 - Johann Sebastian Bach, Fantasia in F minor, K. 594 - Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart and Étude Héroïque, Op. 38 - Rachel Laurin. Mask and social-distancing will be observed. Also to be [live-streamed](#). For more information, visit the Cathedral [website](#).

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