SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, THE UNIVERSAL KING [LAST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME]

Cycle B

ENTRANCE HYMN

Hail, Redeemer, King divine!
 Priest and Lamb, the throne is thine,
 King, whose reign shall never cease,
 Prince of everlasting peace.

Angels, saints and nations sing: "Praised be Jesus Christ, our King; Lord of life, earth, sky and sea, King of love on Calvary."

- King whose name creation thrills, rule our minds, our hearts, our wills, till in peace each nation rings with thy praises, King of kings.
- King most holy, King of truth, guide the lowly, guide the youth; Christ thou King of glory bright, be to us eternal light.



7:13-14

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.

FIRST READING

A reading from the prophet Daniel His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty.

I gazed into the visions of the night.

And I saw, coming on the clouds of heaven, one like a son of man.

He came to the one of great age and was led into his presence.

On him was conferred sovereignty, glory and kingship, and men of all peoples, nations and languages became his servants. His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty which shall never pass away,

nor will his empire be destroyed.

The word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 92:1-2. 5. R] v. 1

- R. The Lord is king, with majesty enrobed.
- The Lord is king, with majesty enrobed; the Lord has robed himself with might, he has girded himself with power. (R.)
- The world you made firm, not to be moved; your throne has stood firm from of old. From all eternity, O Lord, you are. (R.)
- Truly your decrees are to be trusted.
 Holiness is fitting to your house,
 O Lord, until the end of time.

 (R.)

SECOND READING

A reading from the book of Apocalypse 1:5-8

Ruler of the kings of the earth ... he made us a line of kings, priests to serve his God.

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the First-born from the dead, the Ruler of the kings of the earth. He loves us and has washed away our sins with his blood, and made us a line of kings, priests to serve his God and Father; to him, then, be glory and power for ever and ever. Amen. It is he who is coming on the clouds; everyone will see him, even those who pierced him, and all the races of the earth will mourn over him. This is the truth. Amen. 'I am the Alpha and the Omega' says the Lord God, who is, who was, and who is to come, the Almighty.

The word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Mk 11:9. 10

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David! Alleluial

GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

18:33-37

It is you who say that I am a king.

'Are you the king of the Jews?' Pilate asked. Jesus replied, 'Do you ask this of your own accord, or have others spoken to you about me?' Pilate answered, 'Am I a Jew? It is your own people and the chief priests who have handed you over to me: what have you done?' Jesus replied, 'Mine is not a kingdom of this world; if my kingdom were of this world, my men would have fought to prevent my being surrendered to the Jews. But my kingdom is not of this kind.' 'So you are a king then?' said Pilate. 'It is you who say it' answered Jesus. 'Yes, I am a king. I was born for this, I came into the world for this: to bear witness to the truth; and all who are on the side of truth listen to my voice.'

The Gospel of the Lord.



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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;

(All bow)

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

- Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
 O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation. All you who hear, now to his altar draw near, join in profound adoration.
- Praise to the Lord, let us offer our gifts at his altar; let not our sins and transgressions now cause us to falter. Christ, the High Priest, bids us all join in his feast; victims with him on the altar.

COMMUNION HYMNS

- Alleluia, sing to Jesus!
 his the sceptre, his the throne:
 Alleluia! his the triumph,
 his the victory alone.
 Hark the songs of holy Zion
 thunder like a mighty flood:
 'Jesus out of every nation
 hath redeemed us by his blood!'
- Alleluia! not as orphans are we left in sorrow now: Alleluia! he is near us; faith believes, but knows not how. Though the cloud from sight received him whom the angels now adore, shall our hearts forget his promise, 'I am with you evermore'?

- 3. Alleluia! bread of heaven, here on earth our food, our stay: Alleluia! here the sinful come to you from day to day. Intercessor, friend of sinners, earth's redeemer, plead for me, where the songs of all the sinless sweep across the crystal sea.
- 4. Alleluia! King eternal, thee, the Lord of lords we own; Alleluia! born of Mary, earth thy footstool, heaven thy throne: thou, within the veil hast entered, robed in flesh, our great high priest; Thou on earth both Priest and Victim in the Eucharistic Feast.
- He is Lord, he is Lord.
 He is risen from the dead and he is Lord.
 Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

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- He is King, he is King.
 He is risen from the dead and he is King.
 Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess that Jesus Christ is King.
- He is love, he is love.
 He is risen from the dead and he is love.
 Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess that Jesus Christ is love.
- Christ be beside me, Christ be before me, Christ be behind me, King of my heart Christ be within me, Christ be below me Christ be above me, never to part.
- Christ on my right hand, Christ on my left hand, Christ all around me, shield in the strife Christ in my sleeping, Christ in my sitting Christ in my rising, light of my life.
- 3. Christ be in all hearts thinking about me Christ be in all tongues telling of me Christ be the vision in eyes that see me in ears that hear me, Christ ever be.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

- To Jesus Christ, our Sovereign King Who is the world's salvation, All praise and homage do we bring, And thanks and adoration.
 - Christ Jesus Victor, Christ Jesus Ruler! Christ Jesus, Lord and Redeemer!
- Thy reign extend, O King benign, To ev'ry land and nation, For in Thy kingdom, Lord divine, Alone we find salvation.
- To Thee and to Thy Church, great King, We pledge our hearts' oblation, Until before Thy throne we sing, In endless jubilation.