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Isaiah 9:1–6
Psalm 96: 1–2, 2–3, 11–12, 13
Titus 2:11–14
Luke 2:10–11

CALL TO WORSHIP
BELLS AND CHIMES

INTRODUCTORY RITES
OPENING SONG
O Come, All Ye Faithful

LITURGY OF THE WORD
RESPONSORIAL PSALM
Psalm 96: Today Our Savior Is Born, Jaime Cortez

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte
Verse 6

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST
PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS AND ALTAR
Infant Holy, Infant Lowly, W ZLOBIE LEZY, Polish carol; additional lyrics by Dan Schutte

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER: ACCLAMATIONS
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte
Lamb of God: verse 7

COMMUNION SONGS
O Come, Little Children
Away in a Manger
Angels We Have Heard on High
Silent Night

CONCLUDING RITES
SENDING FORTH
Hark! The Herald Angels Sing, Felix Mendelssohn

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THE SEASON OF Christmas
Christmas Vigil Mass
DECEMBER 24, 2007, 11:00 PM

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Isaiah 9:1–6
Psalm 96: 1–2, 2,–3, 11–12, 13
Titus 2:11–14
Luke 2:10–11

PRELUDE & CALL TO WORSHIP (10:45)

O Come, O Come Emmanuel, arr. Roc O’Connor, SJ
Comfort, Comfort, O My People
Lo, How A Rose E’er Blooming
Of the Father’s Love Begotten

BELLS AND CHIMES

CHRISTMAS PROCLAMATION

INTRODUCTORY RITES

OPENING SONG
O Come, All Ye Faithful

GLORY TO GOD
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte

LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM
Psalm 96: Today Is Born a Savior, Jaime Cortez

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

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EUCHARISTIC PRAYER: ACCLAMATIONS
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte

COMMUNION SONGS
It Came Upon a Midnight Clear, CAROL, Richard S. Willis
Angels We Have Heard on High
Silent Night

CONCLUDING RITES

SENDING FORTH
Hark! The Herald Angels Sing, Felix Mendelssohn
READINGS

[16]
Isaiah 52:7–10
Psalm 98:1, 2–3, 3–4, 5–6
Hebrews 1:1–6
John 1:1–18

CALL TO WORSHIP

BELLS AND CHIMES

INTRODUCTORY RITES

OPENING SONG
O Come, All Ye Faithful

GLORY TO GOD
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte

LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM
Psalm 98: All the Ends of the Earth, David Haas and Marty Haugen

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS AND ALTAR
Angels We Have Heard on High

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER: ACCLAMATIONS
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte

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CONCLUDING RITES

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### CALL TO WORSHIP

**BELLS AND CHIMES**

### INTRODUCTORY RITES

**OPENING SONG**

*Angels We Have Heard on High*  
*GC 347*

**GLORY TO GOD**

*Mass of God's Promise, Dan Schutte*  
*BINDER (Service Music)*

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

*Psalm 128: Blest Are Those Who Love You, Marty Haugen*  
*WA*  
*GC 125*

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

*Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte*  
*BB 888*  
*BINDER (Service Music)*  
*Verse 1*

### LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

**PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS AND ALTAR**

*The Colossian Call, Tony Ward*  
*WA*  
*BINDER (Scores)*

**EUCHARISTIC PRAYER: ACCLAMATIONS**

*Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte*  
*BB 896*  
*BINDER (Service Music)*  
*Lamb of God: Verse 7*

**COMMUNION SONG**

*Gift of Finest Wheat, Robert E. Kreutz*  
*BB 322*  
*GC 815*

### CONCLUDING RITES

**SENDING FORTH**

*Infant Holy, Infant Lowly, W ZLOBIE LEZY, Polish carol; additional lyrics by Dan Schutte*  
*BINDER 73*

### NOTES
READINGS

[18]

Numbers 6:22-27
Psalm 67:2–3, 5, 6, 8
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Luke 2:16–21

CALL TO WORSHIP

BELLS AND CHIMES

INTRODUCTORY RITES

OPENING SONG
Sing a New Song, Dan Schutte

GLORY TO GOD
Mass of God's Promise, Dan Schutte

BINDER (Service Music)

LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM
Psalm 67: O God, Let All the Nations, Michael Guimont

BINDER 32

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte

BINDER (Service Music)
Verse 2

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS AND ALTAR

EUCARISTIC PRAYER: ACCLAMATIONS
Mass of God's Promise, Dan Schutte

BINDER (Service Music)
Lamb of God: Verse 7

COMMUNION SONG
Of the Father's Love Begotten, DIVINUM MYSTERIUM, , 11th c.

BINDER (Service Music)

CONCLUDING RITES

SENDING FORTH
I Sing a Maid, THE FLIGHT OF THE EARLS, text by M. D. Ridge

NOTES
READINGS  
[20]  
Isaiah 60:1–6  
Psalm 72:1–2, 7–8, 10–11, 12–13  
Ephesians 3:2–3a, 5–6  
Matthew 2:1–12

CALL TO WORSHIP  
BELLS AND CHIMES

INTRODUCTORY RITES

OPENING SONG
All the Ends of the Earth, David Haas and Marty Haugen  
BB 799  
GC 95

GLORY TO GOD
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte  
BINDER (Service Music)

LITURGY OF THE WORD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM
Psalm

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte  
BB 888  
BINDER (Service Music)  
Verse 8

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS AND ALTAR
What Child Is This, GREENSLEVES, English melody  
BB 105  
BINDER 79

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER: ACCLAMATIONS
Mass of God’s Promise, Dan Schutte  
BB 896  
BINDER (Service Music)  
Lamb of God: Verse 5

COMMUNION SONG
The First Nowell, English carol  
BB 102  
GC 377

CONCLUDING RITES

SENDING FORTH
Christ, Be Our Light, Bernadette Farrell  
BB 506  
BINDER (Scores)

NOTES
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- Isaiah 42:1–4, 6–7
- Psalm 29:1–2, 3–4, 3, 9–10
- Acts 10:34–38
- Matthew 3:13–17

## CALL TO WORSHIP

**BELLS AND CHIMES**

## INTRODUCTORY RITES

**OPENING SONG**

*Baptized in Water*, BUNESSAN, lyrics by Michael Saward  
BB 659  GC 798

**GLORY TO GOD**

*Mass of God's Promise*, Dan Schutte  
BINDER (Service Music)

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

*Psalm 29: The Lord Will Bless Us With Peace*, Janét Sullivan Whittaker  
BINDER 80

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

*Mass of God's Promise*, Dan Schutte  
BB 888  BINDER (Service Music)  
Verse 6

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

**PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS AND ALTAR**

*Now My Heart*, John Foley, SJ  
BB 533  BINDER (Scores)

**EUCHARISTIC PRAYER: ACCLAMATIONS**

*Mass of God's Promise*, Dan Schutte  
BB 896  BINDER (Service Music)  
Lamb of God: Verse 4

**COMMUNION SONG**

*O Christ, Our Life*, Tony Ward  
BINDER (Scores)

## CONCLUDING RITES

**SENDING FORTH**

*Joy to the World*  
BB 77  GC 343

## NOTES