

# Christ the King



## *Dedication on the Solemnity of Christ the King*

Jesus Christ is King of the universe. On this last Sunday in ordinary time, we recognize this sublime reality. Today, we are invited to dedicate ourselves to live as a disciple, and under His Lordship, for the next 12 months.

*Hosted By: Sursum Corda Community*

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### **Welcome and Introduction**

#### **Exposition**

Kneel: When the presider (priest or deacon) goes to the tabernacle and when he opens it, all kneel.

**Sing:** O Salutaris Hostia once the celebrant has reached the front of the altar and kneels

O Salutaris Hostia  
Quae caeli pandis ostium;  
Bella premunt hostilia,  
Da robur, fer auxillium.

Uni trinoque Domino  
Sit sempiterna gloria,  
Qui vitam sine termino  
Nobis donet in patria. Amen.

### **Gospel Reading**

#### **Song: Jesus, my Lord, my God, my All**

Jesus, my Lord, my God, my all!  
How can I love Thee as I ought?  
And how revere this wondrous gift,  
So far surpassing hope or thought?

*Sweet Sacrament, we Thee adore!  
Oh, make us love Thee more and more.  
Oh, make us love Thee more and more.*

Had I but Mary's sinless heart  
With which to love Thee, dearest King,  
Oh, with what ever fervent praise,  
Thy goodness, Jesus, would I sing!

Thy Body, Soul and Godhead, all!  
O mystery of love divine!  
I cannot compass all I have,  
For all Thou hast and art is mine!

Sound, then, His praises higher still,  
And come, ye angels, to our aid;  
For this is God, the very God  
Who hath both men and angels made!

### **Adoration**

Silent Prayer (15 minutes)

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### **Rejection of Satan**

V. Do you reject Satan? **R. I do.**

V. And all his works? **R. I do.**

V. And all his empty promises? **R. I do.**

V. Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth? **R. I do.**

V. Do you believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was born of the Virgin Mary was crucified, died, and was buried, rose from the dead, and is now seated at the right hand of the Father? **R. I do.**

V. Do you 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?

**R. I do.**

V. God, the all-powerful Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and forgiven all our sins. May he also keep us faithful to our Lord Jesus Christ for ever and ever.

**R. Amen.**

### **Invocation of the Holy Spirit**

#### **Song: Come, Holy Ghost**

Come, Holy Ghost, Creator blest,  
And in our hearts take up thy rest;  
Come with thy grace and heav'nly aid  
To fill the hearts which thou hast made (2X)

O Comforter, to thee we cry,  
O heav'nly gift of God Most High,  
O fount of life and fire of love,  
And sweet anointing from above. (2X)

**Dedication:** *All present that are prepared to dedicate themselves to live under the lordship of Jesus Christ, stand and state your name out loud (all at once).*

*Then kneel before the Blessed Sacrament.  
Say the following prayer in unison.*

*Father, I offer you all my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings this year, in union with the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the sacrifice of the mass throughout the world. In my baptism, I became your adopted child, and I was anointed as priest, prophet, and king. May I live up to the dignity of this reality. Help me order this year according to your will.*

*Jesus, help me live as your disciple, and under your Lordship as I offer you all that I have and all that I am. I offer you my time, my gifts, my relationships, and my resources. Please order them for the building up of your Kingdom. Jesus, I love you and I trust in you!*

*Holy Spirit, I invite you into my life and heart. Please pour out your grace on me and give me the gifts I need to live this year as a disciple. Help me accept and understand your love and mercy for me, and to recognize my sin and turn from any sinful habits and inclinations. May I live for you by honoring and building-up each person I encounter, and may my life draw others closer to you.*

*Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I love you and I give you my whole life. Please surround me with brothers and sisters that are also striving to live as disciples, that together, we can be a visible witness of your Goodness, Truth and Beauty in the world. Amen.*

#### **Song: To Jesus Christ our Sov'reign King**

To Jesus Christ, our Sov'reign 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,

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In endless jubilation.

### **Benediction**

*The celebrant goes to the altar, genuflects, and kneels. All kneel and join in singing Tantum Ergo.*

#### **Tantum ergo Sacramentum**

Tantum ergo Sacramentum  
Veneremur cernui,  
Et antiquum documentum  
Novo cedat ritui;  
Praestet fides supplementum  
Sensuum defectui.

Genitori Gentioque  
Laus et jubilatio,  
Salus, honor, virtus quoque  
Sit et benedictio;  
Procedenti ab utroque  
Compar sit laudatio. Amen.

*All remain kneeling when the presider stands and says*

Priest/Deacon: You have given them Bread from heaven

**ALL: Having all sweetness within it.**

Priest/Deacon: Let us pray! O God, who in this wonderful Sacrament have left us a memorial of your Passion, grant us, we pray, so to revere the sacred mysteries of your Body and Blood that we may always experience in ourselves the fruits of your redemption. Who live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

**ALL: Amen.** The celebrant will then bless all present with the Eucharist.

*After the presider has blessed everyone, he will come back in front of the altar and kneel and lead everyone in the Divine Praises.*

Blessed be God.

Blessed be his holy name.

Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true man.

Blessed be the name of Jesus.

Blessed be his most Sacred Heart.

Blessed be his most Precious Blood.

Blessed be Jesus in the most holy sacrament of the altar.

Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.

Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy.

Blessed be her holy and Immaculate Conception.

Blessed be her glorious Assumption.

Blessed be the name of Mary, virgin and Mother.

Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.

Blessed be God in his angels and in his saints.

Amen.

### **Reposition**

*When the priest or deacon has blessed everyone he then replaces the Blessed Sacrament in the tabernacle and genuflects, all stand and join in singing.*

#### **Holy God, we praise thy name**

Holy God, we praise thy name;

Lord of all, we bow before thee;

All on earth thy scepter claim;

All in heaven above adore thee.                      2X

Infinite thy vast domain,

Everlasting is thy reign!

Hark, the loud celestial hymn;

Angel choirs above are raising;

Cherubim and Seraphim,

In unceasing chorus praising,                      2X

Fill the heavens with sweet accord:

“Holy, holy, holy, Lord!”