MATERNAL HEART of MARY

Traditional Latin Mass Parish, Lewisham

PROPER of the MASS

ST MATTHIAS

February 24 or 25

Psalm 138: 17, 1, 2 INTROIT

novísti sessiónem meam, et resurrectiónem meam. Gloria Patri.

tribue, quæsumus; ut eius interventione, tuæ circa nos pietatis semper viscera sentiamus. Per Dominum.

Acts 1: 15-26 EPISTLE

turba hominum simul, fere centum viginti): Viri fratres, oportet impleri Scripturam, quam prædixit Spiritus Sanctus per os David de Juda, qui fuit dux eorum qui comprehenderunt Jesum: qui connumeratus erat in nobis, et sortitus est sortem ministerii hujus. Et hic quidem possedit agrum de mercede iniquitatis, et sussunt omnia viscera ejus. Et notum factum est omnibus habitantibus Jerusalem, ita ut appellaretur ager ille, lingua eorum, Haceldama, hoc est, ager sanguinis. Scriptum est enim in libro Psalmorum: Fiat commoratio eorum deserta, et non sit qui inhabitet in ea: et episcopatum ejus accip-

MIHI autem nimis honoráti sunt To me, Thy friends, O God, are made examíci tui, Deus: nimis confortátus est ceedingly honourable: their principality is principátus eórum. Ps. Dómine, pro-exceedingly strengthened. Ps. Lord, Thou básti me, et cognovísti me: tu cog- hast proved me, and known me: Thou hast known my sitting down, and my rising up. Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT

DEUS, qui beatum Matthiam Apos- O God, who didst join blessed Matthias to tolorum tuorum collegio sociasti: the company of Thine Apostles: grant, we beseech Thee, that by his intercession, we may ever experience Thy tender mercy towards us. Through our Lord.

IN diebus illis exsurgens Petrus in In those days, Peter rising up in the midst medio fratrum, dixit (erat autem of the brethren said (now the number of persons together was about hundred and twenty): Men and brethren, the Scripture must needs be fulfilled which the Holy Ghost spoke before by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who was the leader of them that apprehended Jesus; who was numbered with us, and had obtained part of this ministry. And he indeed pensus crepuit medius: et diffusa hath possessed a field of the reward of iniquity; and, being hanged, burst asunder in the midst; and all his bowels gushed out. And it became known to all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, so that the same field was called in their tongue Haceldama, that is to say, the field of blood. For it is written in the book of Psalms: Let their habitation

tempore, quo intravit et exivit inter nos Dominus Jesus, incipiens a baptismate Joannis usque in diem, qua assumptus est a nobis, testem resurrectionis ejus nobiscum fieri unum ex istis. Et statuerunt duos, Joseph, qui vocabatur Barsabas, qui cognominaantes dixerunt: Tu, Domine, qui elegeris ex his duobus unum, accipere locum ministerii hujus, et apostolatus, de quo prævaricatus est Judas, ut abiret in locum suum. Et dederunt sortes eis, et cecidit sors super Matthiam, et annumeratus est cum undecim Apostolis.

Psalm 138: 17-18 GRADUAL

arenam multiplicabuntur.

Psalm 20: 3-4 TRACT

in benedictionibus dulcedinis. Posuisti in capite ejus coronam de lapide pretioso.

Matthew 11: 25-30 GOSPEL

sapientibus, et prudentibus, et revelasti ea parvulis. Ita Pater: quoniam sic fuit placitum ante te. Omnia mihi tradita sunt a Patre meo. Et nemo novit Filium, nisi Pater: neque Patrem quis novit, nisi Filius, et cui

iat alter. Oportet ergo ex his viris, qui become desolate, and let there be none to nobiscum sunt congregati in omni dwell therein: and his bishopric let another take. Wherefore of these men, who have companied with us, all the time that the Lord Jesus came in and went out among us, beginning from the baptism of John until the day wherein He was taken up from us, one of these must be made a wittus est Justus, et Matthiam. Et or- ness with us of His Resurrection. And they appointed two; Joseph called Barsabas, corda nosti omnium, ostende, quem who was surnamed Justus, and Matthias. And praying they said: Thou Lord, who knowest the hearts of all men, show whether of these two Thou hast chosen, to take the place of this ministry and apostleship, from which Judas hath by transgression fallen, that he might go to his own place. And they gave them lots, and the lot fell upon Matthias, and he was numbered with the eleven apostles.

NIMIS honorati sunt amici tui, Deus: Thy friends, O God, are exceedingly honnimis confortatus est principatus ourable; their principality is exceedingly eorum. Dinumerabo eos, et super strengthened. I will number them, and they shall be multiplied above the sand.

DESIDERIUM animæ ejus tribuisti ei: Thou hast given him his heart's desire; and et voluntate labiorum ejus non frau- hast not withholden from him the will of dasti eum. Quoniam prævenisti eum his lips. For Thou hast prevented him with blessings of sweetness. Thou hast set on his head a crown of precious stones.

IN illo tempore: Respondens Jesus, At that time, Jesus answered and said: I dixit: Confiteor tibi, Pater, Domine confess to thee, O Father, Lord of heaven cœli et terræ, quia abscondisti hæc a and earth, because thou hast hid these things from the wise and prudent, and hast revealed them to the little ones. Yea, Father; for so hath it seemed good in Thy sight. All things are delivered to me by my Father. And no one knoweth the Son, but voluerit Filius revelare. Venite ad me the Father: neither doth any one know the omnes, qui laboratis, et onerati estis, Father, but the Son, and he to whom it et ego reficiam vos. Tollite jugum shall please the Son to reveal him. Come meum super vos, et discite a me, quia to me, all you that labour, and are burmeum leve.

Psalm 44: 17-18 OFFERTORY

generatione.

per quam nos expiari facias, et defendi. Per Dominum.

exorare, ut gregem tuum pastor æterne, non deseras: sed per beatos Apostolos tuos continua protectione custodias. Ut iisdem rectoribus gubernetur, quos operis tui vicarios eidem contulisti præesse pastores. Et ideo cum Angelis et Archangelis, sine fine dicentes:

tribus Israel.

et pacem. Per Dominum.

mitis sum et humilis corde: et in- dened, and I will refresh you. Take up my venietis requiem animabus vestris. yoke upon you, and learn of me, because I Jugum enim meum suave est, et onus am meek, and humble of heart: and you shall find rest to your souls. For my yoke is sweet and my burden light.

CONSTITUES eos principes super om- Thou shalt make them princes over all the nem terram: memores erunt nominis earth: they shall remember Thy name, O tui, Domine, in omni progenie et Lord, in every progeny and generation.

SECRET

HOSTIAS tibi, Domine, quas nomini May the prayer of Thy holy Apostle Mattuo sacrandas offerimus, sancti Mat- thias, accompany the sacrifice which we thiæ Apostoli tui prosequatur oratio: offer to Thy name O Lord, and that through it we may be both purified and defended. Through our Lord.

PREFACE OF THE APOSTLES

VERE dignum et justum est, æquum It is truly meet and just, right and for our et salutare. Te Domine suppliciter salvation, to entreat Thee humbly, O Lord, that Thou wouldst not desert Thy flock. O everlasting Shepherd; but through Thy blessed Apostles, wouldst keep it under Thy constant protection; that it may be governed by those same rulers, whom as vicars of Thy work, Thou didst set over it cum Thronis et Dominationibus, to be its pastors. And therefore with Ancumque omni militia cœlestis exerci- gels and Archangels, with Thrones and tus, hymnum gloriæ tuæ canimus, Dominations, and with all the hosts of the heavenly army, we sing the hymn of The glory, evermore saving:

Matthew 19: 28 COMMUNION

Vos, qui secuti estis me, sedebitis You who have followed Me shall sit on super sedes, judicantes duodecim seats judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

POSTCOMMUNION

PRÆSTA, quæsumus omnipotens Grant, we beseech Thee, O almighty God, Deus: ut per hæc sancta, quæ sump- that by these holy mysteries which we have simus, interveniente beato Matthia received, through the intercession of Thine Apostolo tuo, veniam consequamur, blessed Apostle Matthias, we may obtain both pardon and peace. Through our Lord.