PROPER of the MASS

FRIDAY IN EMBER WEEK OF ADVENT

Ps. 118: 151, 152 INTROIT

PROPE es tu, Domine, et omnes viæ Thou art near, O Lord, and all Thy ways are tuæ veritas: initio cognovi de testi- truth: I have known from the beginning conmoniis tuis: quia in æternum tu es. Ps. cerning Thy testimonies, and Thou art for in lege Domini. Gloria Patri.

Beati immaculati in via: qui ambulant ever. Ps. Blessed are the undefiled in the way: who walk in the law of the Lord. Glory to the Father.

COLLECT

EXCITA, quæsumus Domine, poten- Stir up Thy might, we beseech Thee, O tiam tuam, et veni: ut hi, qui in tua Lord, and come: that they who trust in Thy pietate confidunt, ab omni citius loving kindness may be the more speedily adversitate liberentur: Qui vivis et freed from all adversity: Who livest and reigregnas.

torium renum ejus.

tuam: avertisti captivitatem Jacob.

Isaias 11:1-5 EPISTLE

HÆC dixit Dominus Deus: Egredie- Thus saith the Lord God: There shall come tur virga de radice Jesse, et flos de forth a rod out of the root of Jesse, and a radice ejus ascendet. Et requiescet flower shall rise up out of his root. And the super eum spiritus Domini: spiritus spirit of the Lord shall rest upon Him: the sapientiæ, et intellectus, spiritus con- spirit of wisdom and of understanding, the silii, et fortitudinis, spiritus scientiæ, spirit of counsel and of fortitude, the spirit et pietatis, et replebit eum spiritus of knowledge and of godliness, and He shall timoris Domini. Non secundum visi- be filled with the spirit of the fear of the onem oculorum judicabit: neque Lord. He shall not judge according to the secundum auditum aurium arguet: sight of the eyes, nor reprove according to sed judicabit in justitia pauperes, et the hearing of the ears; but He shall judge arguet in aguitate pro mansuetis the poor with justice, and shall reprove with terræ: et percutiet terram virga oris equity for the meek of the earth: and He sui, et spiritu laborum suorum inter-shall strike the ruthless with the rod of His ficiet impium. Et erit justitia cin- mouth, and with the breath of His lips He gulum lumborum ejus: et fides cinc- shall slay the wicked. And justice shall be the girdle of His loins: and faith the girdle of His reins.

Ps: 84. 8. 2 GRADUAL

OSTENDE nobis, Domine, miseri- Show us, O Lord, Thy mercy, and grant us cordiam tuam: et salutare tuum da Thy salvation. O Lord, Thou hast blessed nobis. Benedixisti, Domine, terram Thy land: Thou hast turned away the captivity of Jacob.

Luke 1: 37-47 GOSPEL

anima mea Dominum: et exsultavit God my Saviour. spiritus meus in Deo salutari meo.

Ps. 84: 7, 8 OFFERTORY

et salutare tuum da nobis.

clementer exaudi. Per Dominum Through our Lord. nostrum.

tutes ac beata Seraphim socia exultatione concelebrant. Cum quibus et nostras voces, ut admitti, jubeas, supplici confessione dicentes:

IN illo tempore: Exsurgens autem At that time Mary rising up went into the hill Maria in diebus illis, abiit in montana country with haste into a city of Juda: and cum festinatione, in civitatem Juda: she entered into the house of Zachary, and et intravit in domum Zachariæ, et saluted Elizabeth. And it came to pass, that salutavit Elisabeth. Et factum est, ut when Elizabeth heard the salutation of Mary, audivit salutationem Mariæ Elisabeth, the infant leaped in her womb: and Elizabeth exsultavit infans in utero ejus: et re- was filled with the Holy Ghost: and she cried pleta est Spiritu Sancto Elisabeth: et out with a loud voice, and said: Blessed art exclamavit voce magna, et dixit: Bene- thou among women, and blessed is the fruit dicta tu inter mulieres, et benedictus of thy womb. And whence is this to me, that fructus ventris tui. Et unde hoc mihi, the mother of my Lord should come to me? ut veniat Mater Domini mei ad me? For behold as soon as the voice of thy salu-Ecce enim, ut facta est vox saluta- tation sounded in my ears, the infant in my tionis tuæ in auribus meis, exsultavit womb leaped for joy. And blessed art thou in gaudio infans in utero meo. Et that hast believed, because those things shall beata, quæ credidisti, quoniam perfi- be accomplished that were spoken to thee by cientur ea, quæ dicta sunt tibi a the Lord. And Mary said: My soul doth mag-Domino. Et ait Maria: Magnificat nify the Lord: and my spirit hath rejoiced in

DEUS, tu conversus vivificabis nos, Thou wilt turn, O God, and bring us to life, et plebs tua lætabitur in te: ostende and Thy people shall rejoice in Thee: show nobis, Domine, misericordiam tuam, us, O Lord, Thy mercy, and grant us Thy salvation.

SECRET

MUNERIBUS nostris, quæsumus, Do- O Lord, receive, we beseech Thee, our gifts mine, precibusque susceptis: et cæles- and prayers: and both cleanse us by these tibus nos munda mysteriis, et heavenly Mysteries, and mercifully hear us.

COMMON PREFACE

VERE dignum et justum est, æquum It is truly meet and just, right and for our et salutare, nos tibi semper, et ubique salvation that we should at all times and in gratias agere: Domine sancte, Pater all places, give thanks unto Thee, O holy omnipotens, æterne Deus: per Chris-Lord, Father almighty, eternal God: tum Dominum nostrum. Per quem through Christ our Lord. through Whom majestatem tuam laudant Angeli, the Angels praise Thy Majesty, Dominaadorant Dominationes, tremunt tions worship, Powers stand in awe. The Potestates. Cœli, cœlorumque Vir- Heavens and the Heavenly hosts together with the blessed Seraphim in triumphant chorus unite to celebrate it. Together with them we entreat Thee, that Thou mayest bid our voices also to be admitted, while we say in lowly praise:

Zacharias 14: 5, 6 COMMUNION

cum eo: et erit in die illa lux magna.

ECCE Dominus veniet et omnes Sancti Behold the Lord shall come and all His Saints with Him: and there shall be in that day a great light.

POSTCOMMUNION

TUI nos, Domine, Sacramenti libatio May the holy receiving of Thy Sacrament, O sancta restauret: et a vetustate purga- Lord, revive us, and, cleansing us from our tos, in mysterii salutaris faciat transire former life, enable us to pass to the fellowconsortium. Per Dominum nostrum. ship of Thy saving Mystery. Through our Lord.