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Galatians 6: 14: Psalm 141: 2 INTROIT

ego mundo. Ps. Voce mea ad Dominum clamavi: voce mea ad Dominum deprecatus sum. Gloria Patri.

beatíssimi Francísci passiónis tuæ sacra stígmata renovásti: concéde propítius: ut ejus méritis et précibus crucem júgiter ferámus, et dignos fructus pœniténtiæ faciámus: Qui vivis et regnas.

Galatians 6: 14-18 EPISTLE

cifíxus est, et ego mundo. In Christo enim Jesu neque circumcísio áliquid valet, neque præpútium, sed nova creatúra. Ét quicúmque hanc régulam secúti fúerint, pax super illos, et misericórdia, et super Israël Dei. De fratres. Amen.

MIHI autem absit glorilári, nisi in But God forbid that I should glory, save in cruce Dómini nostri Jesu Christi: per the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ: by quem mihi mundus crucifíxus est, et Whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. Ps. I cried to the Lord with my voice: with my voice I made supplication to the Lord. Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT

DÓMINE Jesu Christe, qui frigiscente Lord Jesus Christ, Who, when the world mundo, ad inflammándum corda was growing cold, didst renew the sacred nostra tui amóris igne, in carne marks of Thy passion in the flesh of the most blessed Francis, to inflame our hearts with the fire of Thy love, graciously grant that by his merits and prayers we may continually bear the cross and bring forth fruits worthy of penance. Who livest and reignest.

FRATRES, Mihi autem absit glorilári, But God forbid that I should glory, save in nisi in cruce Dómini nostri Jesu the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ: by Christi: per quem mihi mundus cru- Whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision availeth anything, nor uncircumcision, but a new creature: and whosoever shall follow this rule, peace on them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God. cétero nemo mihi moléstus sit: ego From henceforth let no man be troubleenim stígmata Dómini Jesu in cór- some to me; for I bear the marks of the pore meo porto. Grátia Dómini nos- Lord Jesus in my body. The grace of Our tri Jesu Christi cum spíritu vestro, Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brethren, Amen.

Psalm 36: 30-31 GRADUAL

plantabúntur gressus ejus.

Allelúia.

Matthew 16: 24-27 GOSPEL

perdet eam: qui autem perdíderit ánimam suam propter me, invéniet eam. Quid enim prodest hómini, si mundum univérsum lucrétur, ánimæ vero suæ detriméntum patiátur? Aut quam dabit homo commutatiónem ventúris est in glória Patris sui cum every man according to his works. Angelis suis: et tunc reddet unicuíque secundum ópera ejus.

tábitur cornu ejus.

purífica. Per Dóminum.

omnipotens, æterne Deus: per Christum Dominum nostrum. Per quem majestatem tuam laudant Angeli, adorant Dominationes, tremunt

Os justi meditábitur sapiéntiam, et The mouth of the just shall meditate wislingua ejus loquétur judicium. Lex dom, and his tongue shall speak judgment. Dei ejus in corde ipsíus: et non sup- The law of his God is in his heart: and his steps shall not be supplanted.

ALLELUIA

ALLELÚIA, allelúia. Francíscus pau- Alleluia, alleluia. The poor and lowly Franper et húmilis, cœlum dives ingrédicis entereth Heaven abounding in riches; tur: hymnis cœléstibus honorátur. he is acclaimed with celestial hymns. Alleluia.

IN illo témpore: Dixit Jesus discipulis At that time: Jesus said to His disciples: If suis: Si quis vult post me venire, áb- any man will come after Me, let him deny neget semetipsum, et tollat crucem himself, and take up his cross, and follow suam, et sequátur me. Qui enim Me. For he that will save his life, shall lose volúerit ánimam suam salvam fácere, it: and he that shall lose his life for My sake, shall find it. For what doth it profit a man, if he gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? Or what exchange shall a man give for his soul? For the Son of man shall come in the glory of His Father with pro ánima sua? Fílius enim hóminis His angels: and then will He render to

Psalm 88: 25 OFFERTORY

VERITAS mea, et misericórdia mea My truth and My mercy shall be with him: cum ipso: et in Nómine meo exal- and in My name shall his horn be exalted.

SECRET

MÚNERA tibi, Dómine, dicáta sanc- Sanctify, O Lord, the gifts we offer Thee; tífica: et, intercedente beáto Fran- and by the intercession of blessed Francis císco, ab omni nos culpárum labe cleanse us from every stain of sin. Through our Lord.

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 Lord, Father almighty, eternal God: through Christ our Lord. through Whom the Angels praise Thy Majesty, Dominations worship, Powers stand in awe. The plici confessione dicentes:

mensúram.

quæsumus; devotiónis suæ semper exémpla sectári, et assídua ejúsdem crucis meditatione muniri. Per Dominum.

Potestates. Cedi, cedorumque Vir- Heavens and the Heavenly hosts together tutes ac beata Seraphim socia exulta- with the blessed Seraphim in triumphant tione concelebrant. Cum quibus et chorus unite to celebrate it. Together with nostras voces, ut admitti, jubeas, supthem we entreat Thee, that Thou mayest bid our voices also to be admitted, while we say in lowly praise:

Luke 12: 42 COMMUNION

FIDÉLIS servus et prudens, quem A faithful and wise steward, whom the constituit Dóminus super familiam Lord set over His family: to give them suam, ut det illis in témpore trítici their measure of wheat in due season.

POSTCOMMUNION

DEUS, qui mira crucis mystéria in O God, Who didst in many ways demonbeáto Francisco Confessóre tuo mul-strate in blessed Francis, Thy Confessor, tifórmíter demonstrásti: da nobis, the mysteries of the cross: grant us, we beseech Thee, ever to follow the examples of his devotion and to be fortified by constant meditation upon the same cross. Through our Lord.