- **31** In like manner also the chief priests mocking, said with the scribes one to another: He saved others; himself he cannot save.
- **32** Let Christ the king of Israel come down now from the cross, that we may see and believe. And they that were crucified with him reviled him.
- **33** And when the sixth hour was come, there was darkness over the whole earth until the ninth hour.
- **34** And at the ninth hour, Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying: Eloi, Eloi, lamma sabacthani? Which is, being interpreted, My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?
- **35** And some of the standers by hearing, said: Behold he calleth Elias.
- **36** And one running and filling a sponge with vinegar, and putting it upon a reed, gave him to drink, saying: Stay, let us see if Elias come to take him down.
- **37** And Jesus having cried out with a loud voice, gave up the ghost.
- **38** And the veil of the temple was rent in two, from the top to the bottom.
- **39** And the centurion who stood over against him, seeing that crying out in this manner he had given up the ghost, said: Indeed this man was the son of God.
- **40** And there were also women looking on afar off: among whom was Mary Magdalen, and Mary the mother of James the less and of Joseph, and Salome:
- 41 Who also when he was in Galilee followed him, and ministered to him, and many other women that came up with him to Jerusalem.
- **42** And when evening was now come, (because it was the Parasceve, that is, the day before the sabbath,)
- **43** Joseph of Arimathea, a noble counsellor, who was also himself looking for the kingdom

- of God, came and went in boldly to Pilate, and begged the body of Jesus.
- 44 But Pilate wondered that he should be already dead. And sending for the centurion, he asked him if he were already dead.
- **45** And when he had understood it by the centurion, he gave the body to Joseph.
- 46 And Joseph buying fine linen, and taking him down, wrapped him up in the fine linen, and laid him in a sepulchre which was hewed out of a rock. And he rolled a stone to the door of the sepulchre.
- **47** And Mary Magdalen, and Mary the mother of Joseph, beheld where he was laid.

Chapter 16

And when the sabbath was past, Mary Magdalen, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome, bought sweet spices, that coming, they might anoint Jesus.

- 2 And very early in the morning, the first day of the week, they come to the sepulchre, the sun being now risen.
- **3** And they said one to another: Who shall roll us back the stone from the door of the sepulchre?
- 4 And looking, they saw the stone rolled back. For it was very great.
- **5** And entering into the sepulchre, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, clothed with a white robe: and they were astonished.
- **6** Who saith to them: Be not affrighted; you seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified: he is risen, he is not here, behold the place where they laid him.
- 7 But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he goeth before you into Galilee; there you shall see him, as he told you.
 - 8 But they going out, fled from the sepulchre.

For a trembling and fear had seized them: and they said nothing to any man; for they were afraid.

- **9** But he rising early the first day of the week, appeared first to Mary Magdalen, out of whom he had cast seven devils.
- 10 She went and told them that had been with him, who were mourning and weeping.
- 11 And they hearing that he was alive, and had been seen by her, did not believe.
- 12 And after that he appeared in another shape to two of them walking, as they were going into the country.
- 13 And they going told it to the rest: neither did they believe them.
- 14 At length he appeared to the eleven as they were at table: and he upbraided them with their incredulity and hardness of heart, because they did not believe them who had seen him after he was risen again.
- 15 And he said to them: Go ye into the whole world, and preach the gospel to every creature.
- 16 He that believeth and is baptized, shall be saved: but he that believeth not shall be condemned.
- 17 And these signs shall follow them that believe: In my name they shall cast out devils: they shall speak with new tongues.
- 18 They shall take up serpents; and if they shall drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them: they shall lay their hands upon the sick, and they shall recover.
- 19 And the Lord Jesus, after he had spoken to them, was taken up into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God.
- 20 But they going forth preached every where: the Lord working withal, and confirming the word with signs that followed.

The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ, According to St. Luke

Chapter 1

Forasmuch as many have taken in hand to set forth in order a narration of the things that have been accomplished among us;

- **2** According as they have delivered them unto us, who from the beginning were eyewitnesses and ministers of the word:
- 3 It seemed good to me also, having diligently attained to all things from the beginning, to write to thee in order, most excellent Theophilus,
- 4 That thou mayest know the verity of those words in which thou hast been instructed.
- 5 There was in the days of Herod, the king of Judea, a certain priest named Zachary, of the course of Abia; and his wife was of the daughters of Aaron, and her name Elizabeth.
- **6** And they were both just before God, walking in all the commandments and justifications of the Lord without blame.
- **7** And they had no son, for that Elizabeth was barren, and they both were well advanced in years.
- **8** And it came to pass, when he executed the priestly function in the order of his course before God.
- **9** According to the custom of the priestly office, it was his lot to offer incense, going into the temple of the Lord.

- 10 And all the multitude of the people was praying without, at the hour of incense.
- 11 And there appeared to him an angel of the Lord, standing on the right side of the alter of incense.
- 12 And Zachary seeing him, was troubled, and fear fell upon him.
- 13 But the angel said to him: Fear not, Zachary, for thy prayer is heard; and thy wife Elizabeth shall bear thee a son, and thou shalt call his name John:
- 14 And thou shalt have joy and gladness, and many shall rejoice in his nativity.
- 15 For he shall be great before the Lord; and shall drink no wine nor strong drink: and he shall be filled with the Holy Ghost, even from his mother's womb.
- 16 And he shall convert many of the children of Israel to the Lord their God.
- 17 And he shall go before him in the spirit and power of Elias; that he may turn the hearts of the fathers unto the children, and the incredulous to the wisdom of the just, to prepare unto the Lord a perfect people.
- 18 And Zachary said to the angel: Whereby shall I know this? for I am an old man, and my wife is advanced in years.
- 19 And the angel answering, said to him: I am Gabriel, who stand before God: and am sent