

and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and saying:

**All Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*The Priest continues* Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness; grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit, and according to your holy will, these gifts of bread and wine may be to us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ;

who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to them, saying: Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

Great is the mystery of faith:

**All Christ has died:  
Christ is risen:  
Christ will come again.**

*The Priest continues* And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross, his perfect sacrifice made once for the sins of the whole world; rejoicing in his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming in glory, we celebrate this memorial of our redemption.

As we offer you this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, we bring before you this bread and this cup and we thank you for counting us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you.

Send the Holy Spirit on your people and gather into one in your kingdom all who share this one bread and one cup, so that we, in the company of the Ever-Blessed Virgin Mary, Blessed Thomas, Blessed Nicholas, and all the saints, may praise and glorify you for ever,

through Jesus Christ our Lord; by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory be yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*Priest* And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

**All Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

*The priest breaks the bread.*

*Priest* Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
**All Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

*Priest* Behold the Lamb of God.  
Behold him who takes away the sin of the world.  
Happy are they who are called to the supper of the Lamb.

*All receive Communion.*

*Post-Communion Prayer*

**All Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have  
graciously accepted us as living members of  
your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have  
fed us with spiritual food in the sacrament of  
his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world  
in peace, and grant us strength and courage to  
love and serve you with gladness and  
singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**

*Blessing*

*Dismissal*

## A Service of Intercession & Eucharist

St Thomas's Parish, Newark, Delaware

Epiphany



*Salutation*

*Priest* Blessed be God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
**All And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever.  
Amen.**

*Priest* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Collect*

*Introit*

*Gospel*

*The  
Litany* God the Father,  
**have mercy on us.**

God the Son,  
**have mercy on us.**

God the Holy Spirit,  
**have mercy on us.**

Holy, blessed and glorious Trinity,  
**have mercy on us.**

From all evil and mischief; from pride, vanity and  
hypocrisy; from envy, hatred and malice; and from  
all evil intent,  
**good Lord, deliver us.**

From sloth, worldliness and love of money; from  
hardness of heart and contempt for your word and  
your laws,  
**good Lord, deliver us.**

From sins of body and mind; from the deceits of the  
world, the flesh and the devil,  
**good Lord, deliver us.**

In all times of sorrow; in all times of joy; in the  
hour of death, and at the day of judgement,  
**good Lord, deliver us.**

Hear our prayers, O Lord our God.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Govern and direct your holy Church; fill it with love  
and truth; and grant it that unity which is your will.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Give us boldness to preach the gospel in all the  
world, and to make disciples of all the nations.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Enlighten Kevin our Bishop and all who minister  
with knowledge and understanding, that by their  
teaching and their lives they may proclaim your  
word.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Give your people grace to hear and receive your  
word, and to bring forth the fruit of the Spirit.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Bring into the way of truth all who have erred and  
are deceived.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Strengthen those who stand; comfort and help the  
faint-hearted; raise up the fallen; and finally beat

down Satan under our feet.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Guide the leaders of the nations into the ways of  
peace and justice.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Endue all our elected leaders with wisdom and  
understanding.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Bless those who administer the law, that they may  
uphold justice, honesty and truth.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Give us the will to use the resources of the earth to  
your glory, and for the good of all creation.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Bless and keep all your people.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Bring your joy into all families; strengthen and  
deliver those in childbirth, watch over children and  
guide the young, bring reconciliation to those in  
discord and peace to those in stress.  
**Hear us, good Lord.**

Help and comfort the lonely, the bereaved and the  
oppressed.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

Keep in safety those who travel, and all who are in  
danger.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

Heal the sick in body and mind, and provide for the  
homeless, the hungry and the destitute.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

Pour out your mercy on [*Prayer List*] and all who  
have been entrusted to our prayers.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

Show your pity on prisoners and refugees, and all  
who are in trouble.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

Forgive our enemies, persecutors and slanderers,  
and turn their hearts.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

Hear us as we remember those who have died in  
the peace of Christ, especially those who have gone  
before us in this church, those we remember today  
[Prayer List], those who have confessed the faith  
and those whose faith is known to you alone, and  
grant us with them a share in your eternal  
kingdom.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

**Holy God,  
holy and strong,  
holy and immortal,  
have mercy upon us.**

*Peace*  
*Priest*  
**All**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
**And also with you.**

*Offertory*  
*Priest*

Blessed are You, O Lord God, Ruler of the universe,  
that we have this bread to offer, which earth has  
given and human hands have made: it will become  
for us the bread of life.

**All**

**Blessed be God forever.**

*Priest*

Blessed are You, O Lord God, Ruler of the universe,  
that we have this wine to offer, fruit of the vine and  
work of human hands: it will become for us the cup  
of salvation.

**All**

**Blessed be God forever.**

*The Canon*

*Priest*

The Lord be with you.

**All**

**And also with you.**

*Priest*

Lift up your hearts.

**All**

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

*Priest*

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All**

**It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

*The Priest continues* Father, we give you thanks and praise  
through your beloved Son Jesus Christ, your living Word, through  
whom you have created all things; who was sent by you in your  
great goodness to be our Savior. By the power of the Holy Spirit  
he took flesh; as your Son, born of the blessed Virgin, he lived on  
earth and went about among us; he opened wide his arms for us  
on the cross; he put an end to death by dying for us; and revealed  
the resurrection by rising to new life; so he fulfilled your will and  
won for you a holy people. Therefore with angels and archangels,