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The Holy Mass

The Holy Mass is the renewing of the Passion and Death of our Lord Jesus Christ in an unbloody manner. Therefore let us follow this wonderful Mystery and its beautiful ceremonies, thinking about the sorrows and suffering of Jesus.

*Jesus Christ in the
Garden of Olives*



At the Beginning of the Mass

O my Jesus, Thou Who wast consol-
ed by an angel during Thy prayers,
grant me the grace to always pray
well, and to be always protected in
dangers by Thy angels.

*Jesus sweating
drops of blood*



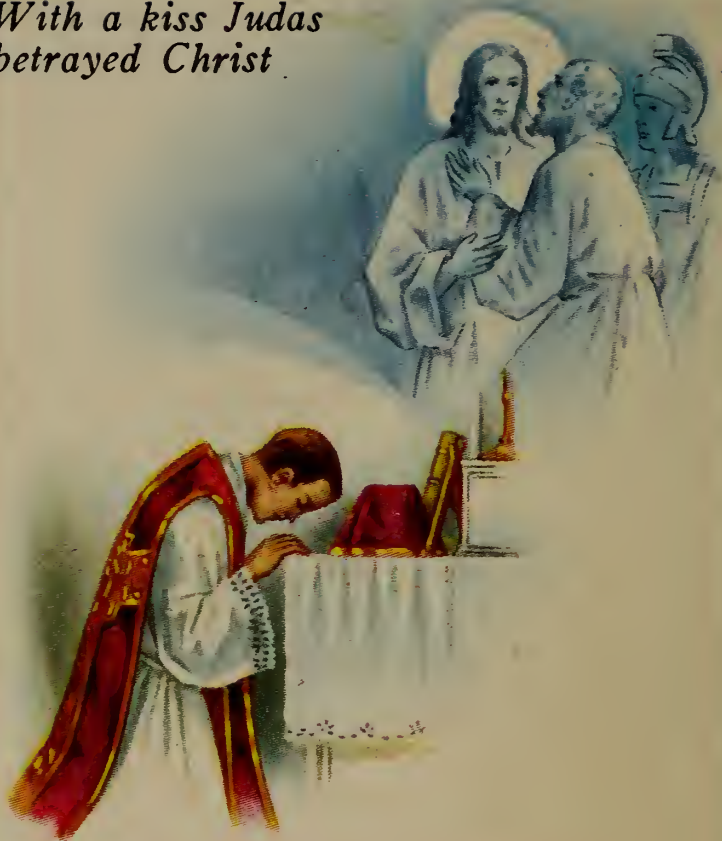
*(When the Priest
bows at the foot
of the altar)*



Confiteor

O my Jesus, Who hast suffered so much in the Garden of Olives, shedding Thy most Precious Blood, imprint upon my heart the remembrance of Thy sufferings so that I may weep over my sins and obtain forgiveness.

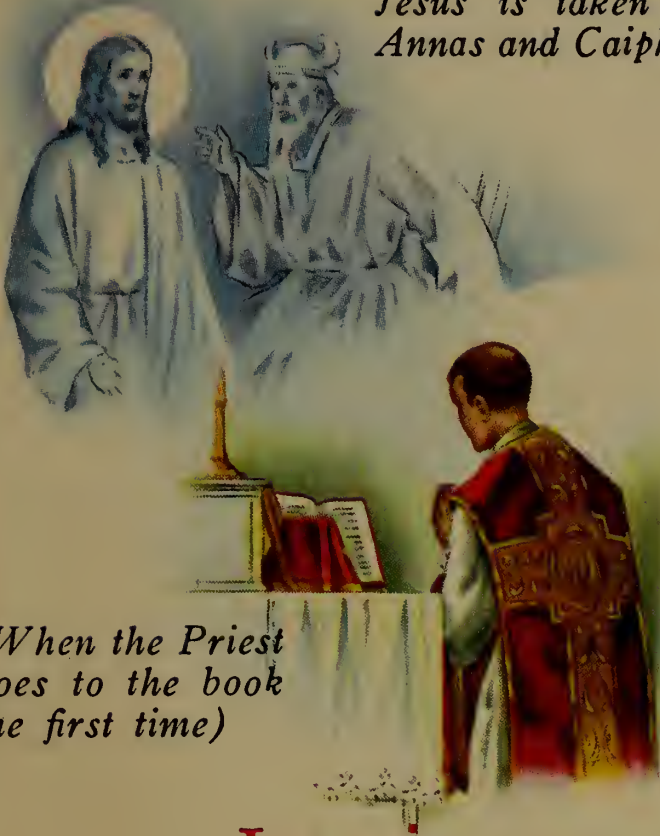
*With a kiss Judas
betrayed Christ.*



At The kissing of the Altar

O my Jesus, Who wast betrayed by
Judas, help me that I may always
love Thee with my whole heart, and
my enemies too, for love of Thee.

*Jesus is taken to
Annas and Caiphas*



*(When the Priest
goes to the book
the first time)*

Introit

O my Jesus, Who didst lovingly suffer great humiliations by permitting Thyself to be arrested and delivered into the hands of Annas and Caiphas, grant that I may also bear the insults and difficulties of my life.

*Jesus is denied by
Saint Peter*



*(When the Priest
goes to the center
of the altar)*

Kyrie

O my Jesus, Who wast denied three times by Thy disciple, give me the strength to suffer all things for love of Thee.

*Jesus is recognized
as God and Man*



(After the Kyrie)

Gloria

O my Jesus, Who amidst so many sufferings and humiliations hast always been true God and true Man, safeguard the true Faith which I received at the moment of my Baptism.

*Saint Peter
weeps bitterly*



*(When the Priest
turns to the people
extending his arms)*

Dominus Vobiscum **The Lord be with you**

O my Jesus, Who with Thy kind
look didst forgive Saint Peter his sins,
always look down with favor upon
my sinful heart.

*Jesus is accused
before Pilate*



Epistle

O my Lord Jesus Christ, Who didst allow Thyself to be accused before Pilate, help me to suffer with patience any offenses I might receive.

Barabbas is preferred to Christ



Gospel

O my dear Jesus, Who didst see a murderer preferred to Thee, the Savior, let me never be ashamed to practice my religion before other people.

*The scourging and
crowning with thorns*



Offertory

O my Jesus, I offer Thee the pure host of this holy Sacrifice in atonement for sins against the virtue of purity. And please give me the grace to avoid all sins of pride.

*Pilate washes his
hands*



A the Washing of the Fingers

My Lord Jesus Christ, unjustly condemned to death although Pilate had declared Thee innocent, grant me innocence of mind and body.

*Jesus is condemned
to death*



Orate fratres Pray, Brethren

O my Jesus, condemned to death
by Thy ungrateful people, grant
that I nevermore offend Thee by a
mortal sin.

*Jesus carrying
the Cross*



Preface and Sanctus

O Jesus, for love of me Thou hast carried the heavy Cross on Thy shoulders. Make me patient in my sorrows and difficulties.

*Jesus on the way
to Calvary*



Canon

O my Jesus, Who hast carried the Cross on account of my sins, grant, I beseech Thee, that I may always have true sorrow for my sins.

*Jesus hanging on
the Cross*



Elevation of the Host

My Lord and my God, nailed to the Cross for love of me, grant that I may live united with Thee for all eternity.

*The Heart of Jesus
opened with a spear*



Elevation of the Chalice

My Lord and my God, cleanse me by
Thy most Precious Blood, and protect
me in all temptations of the devil.

*Jesus promises
heaven to the
good thief*



Commemoration of the Dead

Dear Jesus, Thou didst promise heaven to the good thief; hear therefore the prayers I pour forth to holy souls in Purgatory, especially for the souls of my relatives and friends. O Mary, my dear Mother, pray for us and for the faithful departed.

*Jesus gives His
Mother to St. John*



Pater Noster Our Father

O Jesus, Who hast given to Saint John and us such a kind Mother, the Virgin Mary, I now thank Thee for this gift with an « Our Father ». Our Father, Who art in heaven...

« Truly, this is
the Son of God »



Agnus Dei Lamb of God

Through Thy five holy Wounds, O
dear Jesus, I beg Thee for the grace
of a holy death. Heart of Jesus
once in Agony, have mercy on me.

*Jesus is laid in
the Sepulchre*



Communion

Jesus was laid in the tomb. O my Jesus, grant that I may receive Thee many, many times with a pure and well-prepared heart, through the intercession of Thy blessed Mother. I believe that Thou art truly present in the Blessed Sacrament, Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity.

*Jesus arises from
the dead*



Prayers after Communion

O my Jesus, through Thy glorious Resurrection grant that at the Last Judgment my soul may be united with my body in all glory, and that I may live with Thee in heaven forever.

*After blessing His
disciples, Jesus
ascends into heaven*



The Blessing and the Last Gospel

O my sweet Jesus, Who ascended into haven by Thy own power, give me Thy blessings so that I may always observe Thy commandements faithfully to the very end of my life. Amen.

Last Prayers

After Mass the Priest kneels down at the foot of the altar and, together with all the faithful, says three *Hail Marys*, the *Hail Holy Queen*, and other prayers, for the intentions of the Holy Father.

