

Proper Prayers of the Mass  
Feast of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist  
Provided Courtesy of Una Voce Orange County

GOSPEL: LUKE 1. 57 - 68

dierant in corde suo, dicentes: Quis, putas, puer iste erit? Etenim manus Dómini erat cum illo. Et Zachariás pater ejus replétus est Spíritu Sancto, et prophetávit, dicens: Benedictus Dóminus Deus Israël, quia visitávit et fecit redemptionem plebes suæ. CREDO

had heard them, laid them up in their heart, saying: What a one, think ye, shall this child be? For the hand of the Lord was with him. And Zachary his father was filled with the Holy Ghost; and he prophesied, saying: Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, because He hath visited and wrought the redemption of His people. CREED

OFFERTORY: PS. 111. 13

Justus ut palma florébit: sicut cedrus, quæ in Líbano est, multiplicábitur.

The just shall flourish like the palm-tree; he shall grow up like the cedar of Libanus.

SECRET

Tua, Dómine, munéribus altária cumulámus: illius nativitétem honóre débito celebránte, qui Salvatórem mundi et cécinit adfutúrum et adesse monstrávit, Dóminum nostrum Jesum Chistum Fílium tuum: Qui tecum vivit et regnat.

We heap up our gifts upon Thine altars, O Lord, that we may with due honour celebrate the birthday of him who both foretold the coming of the Saviour of the world and pointed Him out, when He came, our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son: who with Thee liveth.

PREFACE OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY  
PLEASE SEE RED MISSAL

COMMUNION: LUKE 1. 76

Tu, puer, prophéta Altíssimi vocáberis: præbis enim ante faciém Dómini paráre vias ejus.

Thou, child, shalt be called the prophet of the Most High; for thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare His ways.

POSTCOMMUNION

Sumat Ecclésia tua, Deus, beáti Joánnis Baptístæ generatióne lætítiam: per quem suæ regeneratiónis cognóvit auctórem, Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum Fílium tuum: Qui tecum vivit.

Let Thy Church, O God, be glad at the birth of blessed John the Baptist; through whom she knew the Author of her new birth, our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son: who with Thee liveth and reigneth.

