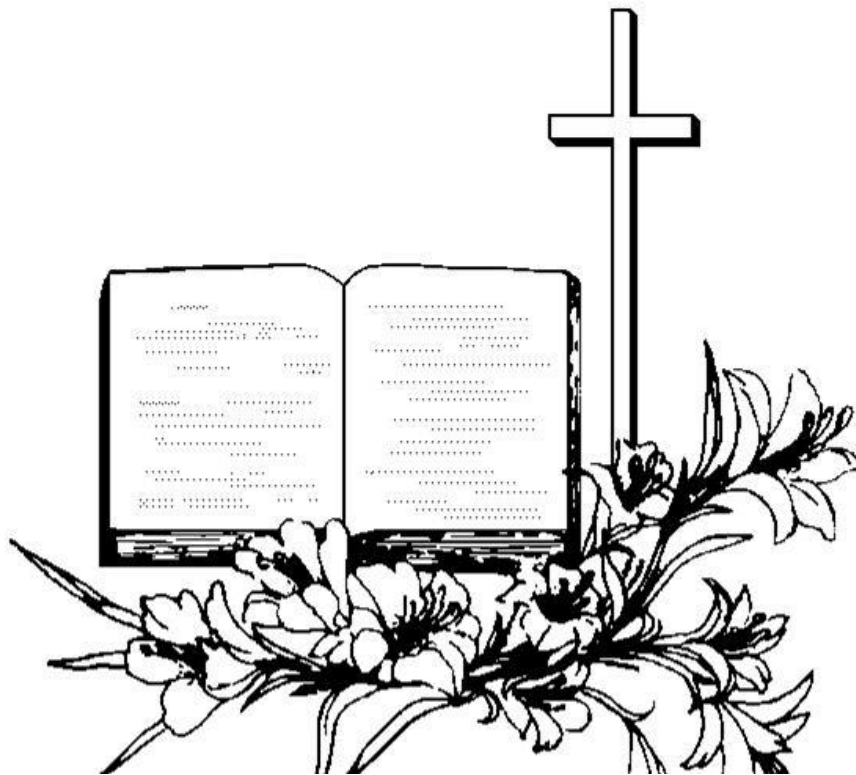


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PRELUDE:

Sung as a solo by the choir or soloist as the family enters the church.

If there is no vocalist or choir, the prelude will be instrumental (organ).

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#578 How Great Thou Art

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#724 I Heard the Voice Of Jesus Say

#777 Here I Am Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALMS:

- #34 Psalm 23 My Shepherd Is The Lord
- #35 Psalm 23 Shepherd Me O God
- #41 Psalm 27 The Lord Is My Light And My Salvation
- # 80 Psalm 116 refrain III In The Land Of The Living

PREPARATION OF GIFTS:

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- #910 Shepherd of Souls
- #930 Taste and See
- #932 One Bread, One Body
- #945 I Am The Bread Of Life

INCENSING OF THE CASKET or URN: - sung by the choir or soloist

- #510 Jesus Remember Me
- #692 May The Angels
- #977 In Paradisum / May Choirs of Angels – English or Latin

RECESSIONAL HYMNS:

#519 Sing to The Mts
#527 I Know That My Redeemer Lives
#539 Sing With all The Saints In Glory (tune= Ode to Joy)
#576 Canticle of The Sun (vs. 6 needed to be appropriate)
#578 How Great Thou Art
#607 Sing A New Song
#663 Lord Of All Hopefulness
#680 We Walk By Faith
#689 Though The Mts May Fall
#691 On Eagles Wings
#645 Amazing Grace
#724 I Heard The Voice Of Jesus Say
#777 Here I am Lord
#871 We Shall Rise Again
#884 For All The Saints
#945 I Am The Bread of Life

CHOIR SOLOS:

Ave Maria – Motet
Be Thou My Vision
Beautiful Savior
Come O Jesus Come To Me (Veni, Veni Amor Mi)
Jesus, Jesus Come To Me
Jesus My Lord, My God, My All
O Lord I am Not Worthy
On This Day O Beautiful Mother
Panis Angelicus – Motet
Seek Ye First
Soul OF My Savior

NOTE: *These vocals require a soloist*

Ave Maria (Shubert)
Panis Angelicus (Franck)