

PALM SUNDAY

APRIL 2, 2023

3 HAIL MARYS

V. Pray for us, Virgin Most Sorrowful.

***R.* That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.**

Priest: O Lord, our good Redeemer, who, meekly seated on the back of a tame beast, didst of thy own free will approach thy Passion by a road all strewn with leafy branches in thy honor, amid the waving of triumphal palms, and with songs of praise in Thy ears: we beseech Thy divine majesty to accept our tribute of praise. Grant that we too may put forth green leaves and bear good fruit, so that when Thou returnest at Thy second coming, we may be found worthy to give Thee joyful welcome, bearing the palms of victory, O Saviour of the world, Who with the Father and the Holy Ghost art God,* living and reigning, world without end. ***R. Amen.***

Priest & People: St. Michael the Archangel, / defend us in battle; / be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. / May God rebuke him, / we humbly pray, / and do thou, / O prince of the heavenly host, / by the power of God, / cast into hell, Satan, / and all the evil spirits, / who wander about the world, / seeking the ruin of souls. / Amen.

V. Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, ***R. Have mercy on us.***

V. Holy Child Jesus, Doctor of the Sick, ***R. Have mercy on us.***

V. Mother of Good Counsel, ***R. Pray for us.***

V. Our Lady of Consolation, ***R. Pray for us.***

V. Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, ***R. Pray for us who have recourse to thee.***

V. Pure Heart of St. Joseph, ***R. Pray for us.***

V. St. Francis de Sales, ***R. Pray for us.***

V. May the Divine assistance remain always with us.

***R.* And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN:

RIDE ON! RIDE ON IN MAJESTY

1. Ride on! ride on in majesty!
Hark! all the tribes hosanna cry;
Thy humble beast pursues his road
With palms and scattered garments strowed.

2. Ride on! ride on in majesty!
In lowly pomp ride on to die:
O Christ, Thy triumphs now begin
O'er captive death and conquered sin.