

**MASS PROPER: AUGUST 5, OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS**

MASS (*Salve, sancta Parens*) (white)

**INTROIT Sedulius**

Salve, sancta Parens, enixa puérpera  
Regem: qui cælum terrámque regit in  
sæcula sæculórum. Ps 44:2 Eructávit  
cor meum verbum bonum: dico ego  
ópera mea Regi. Glória Patri et Fílio  
et Spíritui Sancto, sicut erat in  
princípio, et nunc, et semper, et in  
sæcula sæculórum. Amen. Salve,  
sancta Parens, enixa puérpera  
Regem: qui cælum terrámque regit in  
sæcula sæculórum.

**COLLECT**

Concéde nos fámulos tuos,  
quæsumus, Dómine Deus, perpátua  
mentis et córporis sanitáte gaudére:  
et, gloriósa beátæ Maríæ semper  
Vírginis intercessióne, a præsentí  
liberári tristítia et æténa pérfrui  
lætítia. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum  
Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit  
et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti  
Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

**LESSON Ecclus 24:14-16**

Ab inítio et ante sæcula creáta sum, et  
usque ad futúrum sæculum non  
désinam, et in habitatióne sancta  
coram ipso ministrávi. Et sic in Sion  
firmáta sum, et in civitáte sanctificáta  
simíliter requiévi, et in Jerúsalem  
potéstas mea. Et radicávi in pópulo  
honorificáto, et in parte Dei mei  
heréditas illíus, et in plenitúdine  
sanctórum deténtio mea.

**GRADUAL**

Benedícta et venerábilis es, Virgo  
María: quæ sine tactu pudóris invénia  
es Mater Salvatóris. V. Virgo, Dei  
Génetrix, quem totus non capit orbis,  
in tua se clausit víscera factus homo.

Hail, holy Mother, thou who didst bring  
forth the King who rules heaven and  
earth for ever and ever. (Ps. 44: 2) My  
heart hath uttered a good word : I  
speak my works to the King. v. Glory  
be to the Father, and to the Son, and  
to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the  
beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen. Hail, holy  
Mother, thou who didst bring forth the  
King who rules heaven and earth for  
ever and ever.

Grant us Thy servants, we beseech  
Thee, O Lord God, to enjoy perpetual  
health of mind and body; and by the  
glorious intercession of blessed Mary  
ever Virgin, to be delivered from  
present sorrows and to enjoy  
everlasting gladness. Through our  
Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who  
liveth and reigneth with Thee in the  
unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever  
and ever.

From the beginning, and before the  
world, was I created, and unto the  
world to come I shall not cease to be,  
and in the holy dwelling place I have  
ministered before him. And so I was  
established in Sion, and in the holy  
city likewise I rested, and my power  
was in Jerusalem. And I took root in  
an honorable people, and in the  
portion of y God his inheritance, ad my  
abode is in the full assembly of saints.

Thou art blessed and venerable, O  
Virgin Mary, who with purity unstained  
was found to be the Mother of our  
Savior. V. Virgin Mother of God, He  
whom the whole world was unable to

**LESSER ALLELUIA**

Allelúja, allelúja. V. Post partum, Virgo, invioláta perí mansisti: Dei Génatrix, intercède pro nobis. Allelúja.

**GOSPEL Luke 11:27-28**

In illo témpore: Loquente Jesu ad turbas, extóllens vocem quædam mulier de turba, dixit illi: Beátus venter, qui te portávit, et úbera, quæ suxísti. At ille dixit: Quinímmo beáti, qui áudiunt verbum Dei, et custódiunt illud.

**OFFERTORY Luke 1:28, 42.**

Ave, María, grátia plena; Dóminus tecum: benedícta tu in mulieribus, et benedictus fructus ventris tui.

**SECRET**

Tua, Dómine, propitiátione, et beátæ Maríæ semper Vírginis intercessióne, ad perpétuam atque præsentem hæc oblátio nobis proficiat prosperitátem et pacem. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

**PREFACE OF THE BVM**

Vere dignum et justum est, æquum et salutáre, nos tibi semper et ubique grátias ágere: Dómine sancte, Pater omnípotens, ætérne Deus: Et te in Festivítate beátæ Maríæ semper Vírginis collaudáre, benedícere et prædicáre. Quæ et Unigénitum tuum Sancti Spíritus obumbratióne concépit: et, virginitátis glória permanénite, lumen ætérnum mundo effúdit, Jesum Christum, Dóminum nostrum. Per quem maiestátem tuam laudant Ángeli, adórant Dominatiónes, tremunt Potestátes. Cæli cælórúmque Virtútes ac beáta Séraphim sócia exultatióne

contain enclosed Himself in thy womb, being made man.

Alleluia, alleluia. After childbirth thou didst still remain an inviolate virgin: Mother of God, intercede for us. Alleluia.

At that time, as Jesus was speaking to the multitudes, a certain woman from the crowd, lifting up her voice, said to Him: Blessed is the womb that bore Thee and the paps that gave Thee suck. But He said: Yea, rather, blessed are they who hear the word of God and keep it.

Hail Mary, full of grace; the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb.

By Thy gracious mercy, O Lord, and the intercession of blessed Mary ever Virgin, may this offering be of avail to us for welfare and peace now and for evermore. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation that we should at all times and in all places, give thanks unto Thee, O holy Lord, Father almighty, everlasting God: and that we should praise and bless, and proclaim Thee, in this feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary, ever Virgin: Who also conceived Thine only-begotten Son by the overshadowing of the Holy Spirit, and the glory of her virginity still abiding, gave forth to the world the everlasting Light, Jesus Christ our Lord. Through Whom the Angels praise Thy Majesty, the Dominations

concélebrant. Cum quibus et nostras voces ut admítte iúbeas, deprecámur, súpplici confessióne dicéntes:

**COMMUNION**

Beáta viscera Maríæ Vírginis, quæ portavérunt ætérni Patris Fílium.

**POSTCOMMUNION**

Sumptis, Dómine, salútis nostræ subsidiis: da, quæsumus, beátæ Maríæ semper Vírginis patrocíniis nos ubíque prótegi; in cujus veneratióne hæc tuæ obtúlimus majestáti. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

worship it, the Powers stand in awe. The Heavens and the Heavenly hosts together with the blessed Seraphim in triumphant chorus unite to celebrate it. Together with them we entreat Thee, that Thou mayest bid our voices also to be admitted, while we say in lowly praise:

Blessed is the womb of the Virgin Mary, which bore the Son of the Eternal Father.

Having received, O Lord, these helps to our salvation, grant, we beseech Thee, that we may be ever protected by the patronage of blessed Mary ever Virgin, in whose honor we have made these offerings to Thy majesty. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.