

Propers and Music for
Feast of St. Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist
(Trinity XIV)
September 21, 2025

Mass Settings: Communion Service in D major (Everett Titcomb)

Organ Prelude

Improvisation on *Slane*

Nick Carlozzi

The Asperges

Pew booklet, p.3

Processional Hymn

No. 363: "Lord of All Hopefulness, Lord of All Joy"

Slane

Introit

THE mouth of the righteous is exercised in wisdom: and his tongue will be talking of judgement; the law of his God is in his heart. *Ps.* 37. Fret not thyself because of the ungodly: neither be thou envious against the evil doers *℣*. Glory be... The mouth of...

Kyrie eleison

Everett Titcomb

Gloria in excelsis

Titcomb

Collect

O ALMIGHTY God, who by thy blessed Son didst call Matthew from the receipt of custom to be an Apostle and Evangelist; Grant us grace to forsake all covetous desires, and inordinate love of riches, and to follow the same thy Son Jesus Christ, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, give unto us the increase of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain that which thou dost promise, make us to love that which thou dost command; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Prophetic Lesson

1 Kings 19:15

And the Lord said unto him, Go, return on thy way to the wilderness of Damascus: and when thou comest, anoint Hazael to be king over Syria: And Jehu the son of Nimshi shalt thou anoint to be king over Israel: and Elisha the son of Shaphat of Abelmeholah shalt thou anoint to be prophet in thy room. So he departed thence, and found Elisha the son of Shaphat, who was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen before him, and he with the twelfth: and Elijah passed by him, and cast his mantle upon him. And he left the oxen, and ran after Elijah, and said, Let me, I pray thee, kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow thee. And he said unto him, Go back again: for what have I done to thee? And he returned back from him, and took a yoke of oxen, and slew them, and boiled their flesh with the instruments of the oxen, and gave unto the people, and they did eat. Then he arose, and went after Elijah, and ministered unto him.

Gradual

Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord: he hath great delight in his commandments. V. His seed shall be mighty upon earth: the generation of the faithful shall be blessed.

Epistle

2 Corinthians iv. 1

BCP, p.250

Alleluia

Alleluia, alleluia. V. The glorious company of the Apostles praise thee, O Lord. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel

St. Matthew ix. 9

BCP, p.251

Nicene Creed

Hymn 720

Plainsong, 9th cent.

The Sermon

The Very Rev. Michael Erickson

The Offertory

Thou hast set, O Lord, a crown of pure gold upon his head: he asked life of thee, and thou gavest him a long life, alleluia.

Offertory Anthem

“Ah, Lord, Thy Dear Sweet Angels Send”

J.S. Bach

Preface of The Apostles

AND humbly we beseech thee, that thou, O Lord, eternal Shepherd, wilt never desert thy flock; but that through thy blessed Apostles, thou wilt keep it under thy continual protection: that it may be governed by those rulers, whom, in thy stead, thou settest over thy work as shepherds of thy people.

Sanctus and Benedictus

Titcomb

Agnus Dei

Titcomb

Communion Solo

“The Heart Worships”

Gustav Holst

Communion Hymn

No. 403: “Book of Books, Our People’s Strength”

Liebster Jesu

Communion Verse

His honour is great in thy salvation: glory and great worship shalt thou lay upon him, O Lord.

Post-Communion Collect

O LORD, who hast vouchsafed to make us partakers of this holy Sacrament: grant, we beseech thee, that at the intercession of thy blessed Apostle and Evangelist Saint Matthew, the sacrifice we have offered to the increase of his glory may be profitable unto us for the healing of our souls. Through... *Amen*.

WE beseech thee, O LORD: that we who have received the heavenly Sacrament; may thereby grow in grace to the attainment of our eternal redemption. Through... *Amen*.

Recessional Hymn

No. 133: "Come Sing, Ye Choirs Exultant"

Praetorius

Prayers after Mass

Pew Booklet, p.16

The Angelus

Pew Booklet, p.19

Organ Postlude

Liebster Jesu, wir sind hier BWV 730

Bach

Musicians of the Mass

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Bass: Adrien Redford

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