



*A Prayer Service Celebrating the*  
**MARIANIST BICENTENNIAL**  
**ICON TRIPTYCH**



MARIANIST PROVINCE OF THE UNITED STATES



Hymn

Let Your Will Be Done through Our Lives

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REFRAIN

We will go where-ev - er you lead us. We will  
do what-ev - er you would have us do. Like the  
one whose "yes" bears your prom - ise, may our  
souls pro - claim your ho - ly name. Let your  
will be done through our lives for the world.

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VERSES 1, 4

*Cantor:*

1. Make your hearts God's dwell - ing place,  
4. Like a lav - ish wed - ding feast,

*All:*

1., 4. Let your will be done through our lives.

*Cantor:*

1. Ves - sels of God's love and grace:  
4. Where God wel - comes last and least,

*All:*

1., 4. Let your will be done through our lives.

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*Cantor:*

1. Bring to birth on earth God's ho - ly face:  
4. Fill the lives of all with love and peace:

*All:*

1., 4. Let your will be done through our lives. to REFRAIN

## Introductory remarks

### Opening Prayer

*Presider:* O God of abundant mercy and love,  
 you always provide us with more than we ever imagined.  
 Responding to the need brought to his  
 attention by Mary,  
 your Son Jesus turned water into wine  
 at the wedding feast at Cana.  
 Those overflowing jars are a symbol of your  
 prodigal love for us.  
 As we reflect on our Founders  
 and two centuries of Marianist life and activity,  
 open our hearts ever more to the life you offer.  
 Imperfect jars though we may be,  
 make us unafraid to come before your Son  
 with our fears and limitations.  
 Open our eyes to the needs of the world around us,  
 and prompt our hearts to cooperate with you.  
 Take the good will and generosity that we display  
 and multiply it a hundred fold for others.  
 We ask this in the name of your Son,  
 who turned water into wine,  
 Jesus Christ, the worker of miracles.  
 He is Lord forever and ever.

*All:* Amen.



## Psalm 104

Antiphon:

Servants **of** the LORD, *[omit B and C]*  
bless the **LORD** forever.



### Psalm 104: 1-7, 24-34

Bless the LORD, **O** my soul!  
O LORD my God, how **great** you are,  
clothed in majesty and honor,  
wrapped in light as **with** a robe!

You stretch out the heavens **like** a tent.  
On the waters you est**ablish** your dwelling.  
You make the **clouds** your chariot;  
you ride on the wings **of** the wind. \_\_\_  
You make the **winds** your messengers; *[omit B and C]*  
flame and **fire** your servants.

You set the earth on **its** foundation,  
immovable from **age** to age.  
You wrapped it with the depths **like** a cloak;  
the waters stood higher **than** the mountains. \_\_\_  
At your threat they **took** to flight; *[omit B and C]*  
at the voice of your th**under** they fled.

How many are your **works**, O LORD!  
In wisdom you have **made** them all. *[omit C]*  
The earth is full **of** your creatures.

Vast and wide is the span **of** the sea,  
with its creeping **things** past counting. *[omit C]*  
living things **great** and small. \_\_\_  
The ships are **moving** there, *[omit B and C]*  
and Leviathan you **made** to play with.

Tone 1

Howard Hughes, SM



All of these **look** to you  
to give them their food **in** due season.  
You give it, they **gather** it up;  
you open wide your hand, they **are** well filled.

You hide your face, they **are** dismayed;  
you take away their **breath**, they die, [omit C]  
returning to the dust from **which** they came. —  
You send forth your spirit, and they **are** created, [omit B and C]  
and you renew the face **of** the earth.

May the glory of the LORD **last** forever!  
May the LORD rejoice **in** his works!  
He looks on the earth **and** it trembles;  
he touches the mountains **and** they smoke.

I will sing to the LORD **all** my life,  
sing psalms to my God **while** I live.  
May my thoughts be **pleasing** to him.  
I will rejoice **in** the LORD.

Glory to the Father, and **to** the Son,  
and to the **Holy** Spirit;  
as it was in the **beginning**, is now,  
and will be for **ever**. Amen.

Antiphon:  
Servants **of** the LORD, [omit B and C]  
bless the **LORD** forever.

Reading

John 2:1–11



## Reflecting on the Triptych

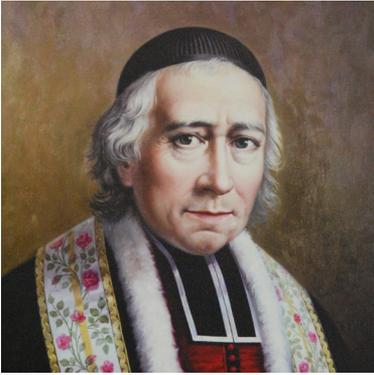
All Who Hunger

TEXT: Sylvia Dunstan; TUNE: Bob Moore



Taste and see the grace e - ter - nal. Taste and see that God is good.

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## Venerating the Icon

Marianist Doxology

TUNE: Howard Hughes, SM

Musical notation for the Marianist Doxology. It consists of three staves of music in a single treble clef with a key signature of two flats. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff contains the first line of the doxology, the second staff the second line, and the third staff the third line. The third staff includes a triplet of eighth notes over the words 'through the Im'.

May the Fa - ther and the Son and the Ho - ly

Spir - it be glo - ri - fied in all pla - ces

through the Im - mac - u - late Vir - gin Ma - ry.

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My Soul Rejoices in God  
TUNE: Howard Hughes, SM

**Antiphon**



My soul re-joices in God, all my be-ing bles-ses God's name.

**Verses**



*Cantor / Choir:* *All:*  
My soul re-joices in God.



*Cantor / Choir:* *All:*  
All my be-ing bles-ses God's name.

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**Intercessions**

*Response:* Mary, full of grace, intercede for us.

**Lord's Prayer**

**Closing Prayer**

*Presider:* O Lord, gathered together in your name,  
we give thanks for these two hundred years  
of Marianist religious life  
of which we are heirs and joyful witnesses.  
You, who inspired in Blessed William Joseph Chaminade,  
together with Venerable Adele de Trenquelléon,  
the foundation of our institutes,  
grant us the grace to live the spirit which animated  
their lives,  
the strength of their faith and their apostolic courage.  
Help us, who follow their footsteps,  
to know, love and serve passionately,  
in alliance with Mary,  
the mission confided to her in the history of salvation,  
that of forming in faith a multitude  
of brothers and sisters of your Son.

*All:* Virgin Mary, Mother of Jesus, our Mother,  
we entrust to your maternal care the fruits  
of this Jubilee Year.  
Help us renew our life and our mission.  
Awaken in us a passion for the Kingdom of God,  
for which your son gave his life.  
Fill us with your merciful love,  
attentive to all the needs of the men and women  
with whom we share this time in history.  
Like you, we sense our poverty and weakness,  
but we trust in the power of the Spirit to strengthen us.  
Make our communities a home for love,  
for justice and for peace.  
So, in your name, we will continue bearing witness  
to the presence of Christ  
and we will show, as our founders desired,  
that even today the Gospel can be lived  
with the full rigor of its letter and its spirit.  
Amen.

## **Blessing**

*Presider:* For all that God can do within us,  
for all that God can do without us,

*All:* Thanks be to God.

*Presider:* For all in whom Christ lived before us,  
for all in whom Christ lives beside us,

*All:* Thanks be to God.

*Presider:* For all the Spirit wants to bring us,  
for where the Spirit wants to send us,

*All:* Thanks be to God.

*Presider:* Listen, Christ has promised to be with us in the world as  
in our worship.

*All:* Amen. We go to serve him.  
Thanks be to God!



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