FEAST OF THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEDICATION OF THE METROPOLITAN CATHEDRAL OF CACERES
27 APRIL 2021 • WHITE

The **Anniversary** of the **Dedication of the Metropolitan** Cathedral is celebrated as a Feast in all parishes, chapels and oratories within the Archdiocese of Caceres. Because of its rank in Table of Liturgical Precedence, it replaces the proper Easter Weekday Mass of Tuesday in the Fourth Week. Once the sun has set, the vigil Mass for the Feast of Anniversary of Dedication is celebrated. For the Feast of the Anniversary of the Dedication, ordained ministers wear white vestments. The Glory to God is sung at this celebration. The Profession of Faith is omitted. The Homily may expound on the theology of the Church and the Archdiocese. The Church is God's People, the Mystical Body of Christ, the Temple of the Holy Spirit, the Temple made up of living stones with Jesus as the cornerstone, and the church building as the special symbol of the Christian community. The Homily may also explain what the Archdiocese is all about and to give attention to its Anniversary.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

Introduction

C — My dear brothers and sisters, we celebrate today the Feast of the Anniversary of the Dedication of the Metropolitan Cathedral of Caceres. Together with Saint John the Patron of our Cathedral and the beloved Apostle and Evangelist, let us thank God for the Cathedral of our Archdiocese, the Mother Church of Caceres, stands as a symbol of the faith as Catholics in Bicol. Let us pray that as we gather around this one altar, we may draw nearer to Christ, the living stone, in whom we become God's holy temple.

Entrance Antiphon

(Cf. Rev 21, 3) (Said when there is no Entrance Hymn)

Behold God's dwelling with the human race. He will dwell with them and they will be his people, and god himself with them will be their God, alleluia.

Greeting (Stand)

P — In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C — Amen.

P — The Lord be with you.

C — And with your spirit.

Penitential Act

P — Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves celebrate the sacred mysteries.

All — I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God. May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring everlasting life.

P — May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

C — Amen.

Kyrie, eleison

P — Lord, have mercy.

C — Lord, have mercy.

P — Christ, have mercy.

C — Christ, have mercy.

P — Lord, have mercy.

C — Lord, have mercy.

Gloria

All — Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Collect

P — Let us pray.

O God, who were pleased to call your Church the Bride, grant that the people that serves your name may revere you, love you and follow you, and may be led by you to attain your promises in heaven. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

B — Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

(Acts 7, 44-50) (Seated)

A reading from the Acts of the **Apostles**

"Our fathers in the desert had the meeting tend as God prescribed it when he spoke to Moses, ordering him to make it according to the pattern he had

seen. The next generation of our fathers inherited it. Under Joshua, they brought it into the land during the conquest of those peoples whom God drove out to make room for our fathers. So it was until the time of David, who found favor with God and begged that he might 'find a dwelling place for' the 'Jacod.' It was house of Solomon who ultimately constructed the building for the house. Yet the Most High does not dwell in buildings made by human hands, for as the prophet says: 'The heavens are my throne, the earth is my footstool; What kind of house can you build me? Asks the Lord. What is my resting-place to be like? Did not my hand make all these things?""

Word of the Lord. **All** — **Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm

(Psalm 84, 3. 4. 5-6. 8. 11)

R — How lovely is your dwelling place, Lord, mighty God!

- 1. My soul yearns and pines for the courts of the LORD. My heart and my flesh cry out for the living God. (R)
- 2. Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest in which she puts her young? Your altars, O LORD of hosts, my king and my God! (R)
- 3. I had rather one day in your courts than a thousand elsewhere; I had rather lie at the threshold of the house of my God than dwell in the tents of the wicked. (R)

Second Reading

(Eph 2, 19-22)

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Ephesians

You are strangers and aliens no longer. No, you are fellow citizens of the saints and members of the household of God. You form a building which rises on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the capstone. Through him the whole structure is fitted together and takes shape as a

holy temple in the Lord; in him you are being built into this temple, to become a dwelling place for God in the Spirit.

Word of the Lord.

All — Thanks be to God.

Acclamation

(Ezekiel 37, 27) (Stand) (Said when the Acclamation is not sung)

Alleluia! Alleluia! My dwelling-place shall be with them, says the Lord, and I will be their God and they will be my people. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Gospel

(John 2, 13-22)

P — The Lord be with you.

C — And with your spirit.

P — ★ A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

C — Glory to you, O Lord.

As the Jewish Passover was near, Jesus went up Jerusalem. In the temple precincts he came upon people engaged in selling oxen, sheep and doves, and others seated changing coins. He made a [kind of] whip of cords and drove them all out the temple area, sheep and oxen alike, and knocked over the money-changers' table, spilling their coins. He told those who were selling doves: "Get them out of here! Stop turning my Father's house into a marketplace!" His disciples recalled the words of Scripture: "Zeal for your house consumes me." At this the Jews responded, "What sign can you show us authorizing you to do these things?" "Destroy this temple," was Jesus' answer, "and in three days I will raise it up." They retorted, temple took forty-six years to build, you are going to 'raise it up in three days'!" Actually he was talking about the temple of his body. Only after Jesus had been raised from the dead did his disciples recall that he had said this, and come to believe the Scripture and the word he had spoken.

P — The Gospel of the Lord. C — Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily (Seated)

The Creed is not said.

Prayer of the Faithful

P — As we celebrate the Dedication of the Metropolitan Cathedral of Caceres, let us bring our prayers to the Father who had called us to be living stones.

R — Lord, hear our prayer.

- 1. That the holy Church in every place may offer worthy and reverent worship. Let us pray to the Lord. (R)
- 2. That all who gather in the community of the Church may find grace and peace. Let us pray to the Lord. (R)
- 3. That those who care for the church may persevere in their service. Let us pray to the Lord. (**R**)
- 4. That we may always revere and respect every sanctuary of God. Let us pray to the Lord. (R)
- 5. That the departed members of the church may enjoy eternal light and peace. Let us pray to the Lord. (R)

P — Father, as we celebrate the dedication of our Cathedral, grant the petitions of our community gathered once more before your altar. Through Christ our Lord.

C — Amen.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory (Seated)

(Said when there is no Offertory Song)

P — Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become for us the bread of life.

C — Blessed be God for ever.

P — Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the wine we offer you: fruit of the vine and work of human hands, it will become our spiritual drink.

C — Blessed be God for ever.

P — (*Stand*) Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

C — May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Prayer over the Offerings

P — Accept, we pray, O Lord, the offering made here and grant that by it those who seek your favor may receive in this place the grace of the Sacraments and an answer to their prayers. Through Christ our Lord.

B — Amen.

Preface

The mystery of the Church, the Bride of Christ and Temple of the Spirit.

P — The Lord be with you.

C — And with your spirit.

P — Lift up your hearts.

C — We lift them up to the Lord.

P — Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C — It is right and just.

It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God.

For in your benevolence you are pleased to dwell in this house of prayer in order to perfect us as the temple of the Holy Spirit, supported by the perpetual help of your grace and resplendent with the glory of a life acceptable to you.

Year by year you sanctify the Church, the Bride of Christ, foreshadowed in visible buildings, so that, rejoicing as the mother of countless children, she may be given her place in you heavenly glory.

And so, with all the Angels and Saints, we praise you, as without end we acclaim:

All — Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Eucharistic Prayer (Kneel)

P — Mystery of Faith.

C — We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

P — Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, for ever and ever.

C — Amen.

COMMUNION RITE

Lord's Prayer (Stand)

P — At the Savior's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

All — Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

P — Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

C — For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.

P — Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.

C — Amen.

Sign of Peace

P — The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C — And with your spirit.

P — Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

Lamb of God

C — Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of

the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Invitation to Communion (Kneel)

P — Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All — Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Communion Antiphon

(Cf. Mt 21,13; Lk 11,10) (Said when there is no Communion Hymn)

My house shall be a house of prayer, says the Lord: in that house, everyone who asks receives, and the one who seeks finds, and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened, alleluia.

Prayer after Communion (Stand)

P — Let us pray.

O God, who chose to foreshadow for us the heavenly Jerusalem through the signs of your Church in earth, grant, we pray, that by our partaking of this Sacrament we may be made the temple of your grace and may enter the dwelling place of your glory. Through Christ our Lord.

C — Amen.

CONCLUDING RITES

Solemn Blessing

P — The Lord be with you.

C — And with your spirit.

P — Bow your head and pray for God's Blessing

May God, who adorns you with a royal priesthood, grant that, as you exercise it in holiness, you may share worthily the sacrifice of Christ.

C — Amen.

P — And ay he, who gathers you at one table and renews you with one Bread, make you one heart and one soul.

C — Amen.

P — By the example of your love may you draw to Christ those to whom you proclaim him.

C — Amen.

 ${f P}$ — And may the blessing of almighty God, the Father, 🛧 and of the Son, \(\mathbb{Y}\) and of the Holy ★ Spirit, come down on you and remain with you forever.

C — Amen.

P — Go in peace.

B — Thanks be to God.



PAMIBI PARA SA TAON KAN MISION SA MGA NACION

O Dios, mamomomoton niamong Ama, pinadara mo an saimong Bogtong na Aki sa kinaban tanganing iharubay an Marahay na Bareta nin kaligtasan sa gabos: sa mga makasâlan, sa mga dukha, sa mga inaapi, sa mga naghehelang, sa mga hinaboan, sa mga pinabayaan. Idinusay niya an saiyang buhay sa Cruz para samo. Asin nabuhay-liwat sa bagong buhay tanganing iligtas kami asin makipag-olian saimo. Ipinadara mo an saimong Espiritu Santo sa mga Apostoles tanganing ipadagos an gibo kan saimong Aki asin darahon an gabos sa kaligtasan.

Nagpapasalamat kami saimo Ama, sa pagdara samo gikan sa kadikloman pasiring sa kaliwanagan. Huli kan saimong mamomoton na plano, limang gatos na taon na an nakaagi, nag-abot sa samong ronâ an mga misionero tanganing iharubay sa samong mga kamagurangan an Evangelio ni Jesus, saimong Aki, Huli kaini kami nagin saimong banwaan asin Simbahan. An balaog nin pagtubod an samong antabay sa kadikloman asin sa kaliwanagan, sa mga kadaogan asin kapangganahan kan samong kasayasayan bilang saimong banwaan. An samong pagtubod nagin tunay na liwanag na nagbabanaag sa kadikloman.

Bagoha samo an biyaya kan saimong Espiritu na nagsasadol samo na magin mga saksi ni Jesus saimong Aki, sa kinaban na baranga huli sa kapasloan, violencia, injusticia, kahelangan asin pagtios.

An samong pagtubod makadara lugod samo sa pagkasararo bilang mga aki mo na atamanon asin kamotan an lambang sarô. An Espiritu Santo magpakusog logod samo tanganing kami magin mga paraharubay kan Marahay na Bareta sa samong mga tugang sa Asia asin sa gabos na mga nacion. Tawe kami nin odok sa boót na kamawotan na tabangan an samong kapwa na madara sinda sa pagtubod sa Kagurangnan na si Jesus tanganing makahiras sinda sa saimong kaogmahan asin buhay.

Antabayan asin ipamibi lugod kami ni Nuestra Señora de Peñafrancia, an Bitoon kan Pagharubay kan Marahay na Bareta, sa samong buhay asin sa paghiras kan samong pagtubod sa samong kapwa. Lugod an samong lipotok na pagkamoot asin devocion saiya, samuyang Mahal na Ina, maghubog samo na magin mga tunay na disipulos asin mga saksi ni Jesus sa gabos, andam sa gabos na panahon na magin makinuyog-kuyog sa anuman na hagadon ni Jesus samo.

Ini hinahagad mi sa ngaran ni Jesu Cristo, saimong Aki, na nabubuhay asin naghahade, kasarô kan Espiritu Santo, Dios, sa kapanahonan kan mga panahon. Amen.



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