



Our Lady of Sorrows

Traditional Catholic Mission Central Texas

Upcoming Mass Details:

Date/Time/Location:

Sunday, December 4, 2022 – Confession 5:30pm, Mass 6:00pm

The Austin Venue - 18619 Hamilton Pool Rd, Austin, TX 78738

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Note From Father:

Dear Faithful,

It was a wonderful Forty Hours celebration here at St. Hugh. All our hours of adoration were covered, not that I ever doubted we would be able to...it just is encouraging and edifying each year to see everyone come together to spend time adoring our Eucharistic Lord. Despite being a relatively small parish, we are able to give these ceremonies their proper solemnity and devotion. Thank you to everyone helped make this Forty Hours happen, no matter how large or small your role.

Before arriving for Forty Hours, I was up in Grand Forks, ND. Bp. McGuire met me up there on Monday to confer the Sacrament of Confirmation upon our faithful. There were quite a few confirmands. Unfortunately, a number of them were battling against a nasty bug which was working its way through the families. However, young and old, those who were under the weather but scheduled for confirmations toughed it out and were made Soldiers of Christ.

A couple of days later, the whole of Grand Forks would be blanketed in a thick cover of white, as it snowed Thursday into Friday. It didn't quite measure up to the predictions of the weather prophets of doom, who predicted over a foot. However, it was enough to mark the unofficial start of winter up there.

This upcoming week, we celebrate the feasts of both St. Gertrude the Great and St. Hugh of Lincoln. St. Gertrude's day will be the ordination anniversary of both Bp. McGuire (17) and Fr. Lehtoranta (11). Please keep them both in your prayers.

In Christ,

Fr. McKenna



Act of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Hail, Most Glorious Body, and most precious Blood of my Lord Jesus Christ, here truly present beneath these sacramental species; I adore thee with all that devotion and awe wherewith the nine choirs of angels worship and adore thee. I prostrate myself before thee in the spirit of humility, believing and professing that thou, my Lord and my God, are herein most truly contained.

Hail, most glorious Body of Jesus Christ my Savior, true Victim immolated upon the cross. I adore Thee in union with that adoration with which thy Humanity adored thy Godhead, and I give thee thanks with all the love of all thy creatures, that thou dost deign to remain hidden in this tabernacle for our salvation.

Hail, compassionate Jesus, Word of the Father, Brightness of his glory, Ocean of pity, Salvation of the world, most august and sacred Victim. Hail, Jesus Christ, Splendor of the Father, Prince of Peace, Gate of Heaven, True Bread, Son of the Virgin, Shrine of the Godhead.

I most firmly believe that thou, my God, are here present, and that thou are looking out upon me from behind the veil of the sacrament, and dost behold all the most secret recesses of my heart. I believe that under this species of bread are contained not only thy Flesh and thy Blood, but also thy Divinity and thy Humanity. And although this mystery surpasses my understanding, I nevertheless believe it so firmly that I am ready to give my life and my blood in defense of its truth.

– St. Gertrude the Great

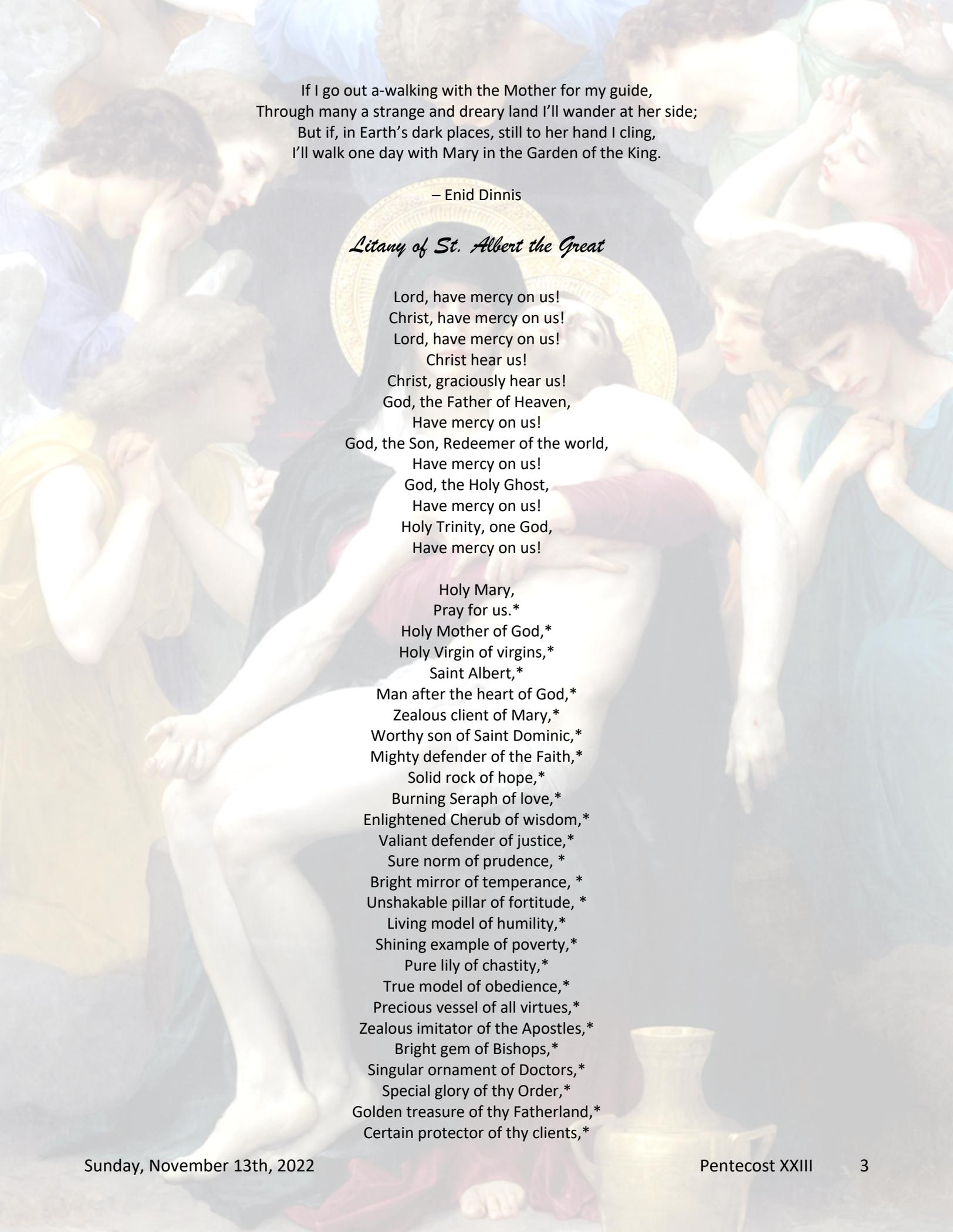
If I Went Out Walking

If I went out a-walking with the Mother of my King,
We'd hide not to the mystic grove to hear the night-bird sing.
She'd take me to a village scorned where nothing good can dwell,
And bid me (if she loved me) bear the water from this well.

If I went out a-walking with the Mother of my King,
When swiftly to His Presence I would fain be hastening;
She'd lead me through the city's streets, and up its crooked ways,
Nor would she find her Son for me until we'd sought three days.

If I went out a-walking with the Mother of my King,
The King whom in His beauty the saints stand worshipping,
She'd guide me to a crowded place, and to the fore she'd press,
And leave me with Veronica to lave unloveliness.

If I went out a-walking with the Mother of my King,
She'd lure me from the solitudes where Cedron's waters spring,
And set me there on Calvary's height to watch the nails indriven,
If I dared to go a-walking with the valiant Queen of Heaven.



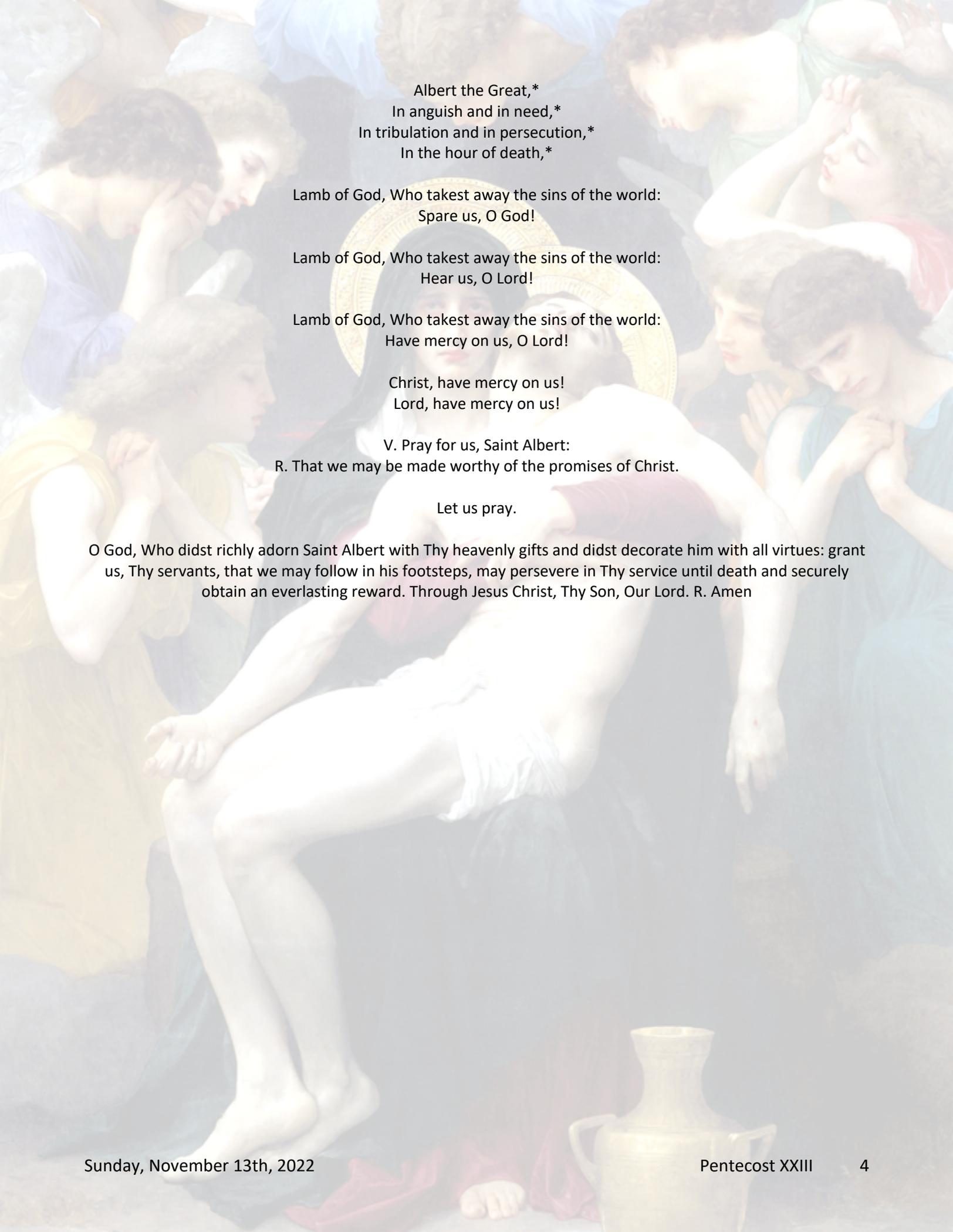
If I go out a-walking with the Mother for my guide,
Through many a strange and dreary land I'll wander at her side;
But if, in Earth's dark places, still to her hand I cling,
I'll walk one day with Mary in the Garden of the King.

– Enid Dinnis

Litany of St. Albert the Great

Lord, have mercy on us!
Christ, have mercy on us!
Lord, have mercy on us!
Christ hear us!
Christ, graciously hear us!
God, the Father of Heaven,
Have mercy on us!
God, the Son, Redeemer of the world,
Have mercy on us!
God, the Holy Ghost,
Have mercy on us!
Holy Trinity, one God,
Have mercy on us!

Holy Mary,
Pray for us.*
Holy Mother of God,*
Holy Virgin of virgins,*
Saint Albert,*
Man after the heart of God,*
Zealous client of Mary,*
Worthy son of Saint Dominic,*
Mighty defender of the Faith,*
Solid rock of hope,*
Burning Seraph of love,*
Enlightened Cherub of wisdom,*
Valiant defender of justice,*
Sure norm of prudence,*
Bright mirror of temperance,*
Unshakable pillar of fortitude,*
Living model of humility,*
Shining example of poverty,*
Pure lily of chastity,*
True model of obedience,*
Precious vessel of all virtues,*
Zealous imitator of the Apostles,*
Bright gem of Bishops,*
Singular ornament of Doctors,*
Special glory of thy Order,*
Golden treasure of thy Fatherland,*
Certain protector of thy clients,*



Albert the Great,*
In anguish and in need,*
In tribulation and in persecution,*
In the hour of death,*

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world:
Spare us, O God!

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world:
Hear us, O Lord!

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world:
Have mercy on us, O Lord!

Christ, have mercy on us!
Lord, have mercy on us!

V. Pray for us, Saint Albert:

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

Let us pray.

O God, Who didst richly adorn Saint Albert with Thy heavenly gifts and didst decorate him with all virtues: grant us, Thy servants, that we may follow in his footsteps, may persevere in Thy service until death and securely obtain an everlasting reward. Through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Our Lord. R. Amen