

A. Christe eleison,
 P. Christe eleison.
 A. Christe eleison,
 P. Kyrie eleison,
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A. Christ, have mercy,
 P. Christ, have mercy,
 A. Christ, have mercy,
 P. Lord, have mercy,
 A. Lord, have mercy,
 P. Lord, have mercy.

(H.M. If the Gloria in excelsis is to be said and the choir has not finished the Kyrie eleison, the priest pauses till it is ended.)

THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS.

This is omitted in Lent and Advent (except on feast days) and in Masses for the dead.

(H.M. It is sung by the choir, the priest chanting the first* few words, then usually sitting down till the choir completes it.)

GLORIA in excelsis Deo ; et in terra pax hominibus bonæ voluntatis. Laudamus te ; benedicimus te ; adoramus te ; glorificamus te. Gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam. Domine Deus, Rex cœlestis, Deus Pater omnipotens, Domine Fili unigenite, Jesu Christe : Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis : qui tollis peccata mundi, suscipe deprecationem nostram : qui sedes ad dexteram Patris, miserere nobis. Quoniam tu solus sanctus : tu solus Dominus : tu solus Altissimus, Jesu Christe, cum Sancto, Spiritu in gloria Dei Patris. Amen.

GLORY be to God on high, and on earth peace to men of good will. We praise thee ; we bless thee ; we adore thee ; we glorify thee. We give thee thanks for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son : O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, who takest away the sins of the world, have mercy on us : thou who takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayers ; thou who sittest at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For thou only art holy : thou only art the Lord ; thou only, O Jesus Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Then he reads (or in H.M. sings) the Collects or

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH UNIVERSAL,

which vary with the day.

P. Dominus vobiscum.
 A. Et cum spiritu tuo.
 P. Oremus.

P. The Lord be with you.
 A. And with thy spirit.
 P. Let us pray.

P. OMNIPOTENS, sempiternæ Deus, qui dedisti famulis tuis in confessione veræ fidei, æternæ Trinitatis gloriam agnoscere, et in potentia majestatis adorare unitatem ; quæsum-

P. ALMIGHTY, everlasting God, who hast granted to thy servants, in the confession of the true faith to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of thy majesty