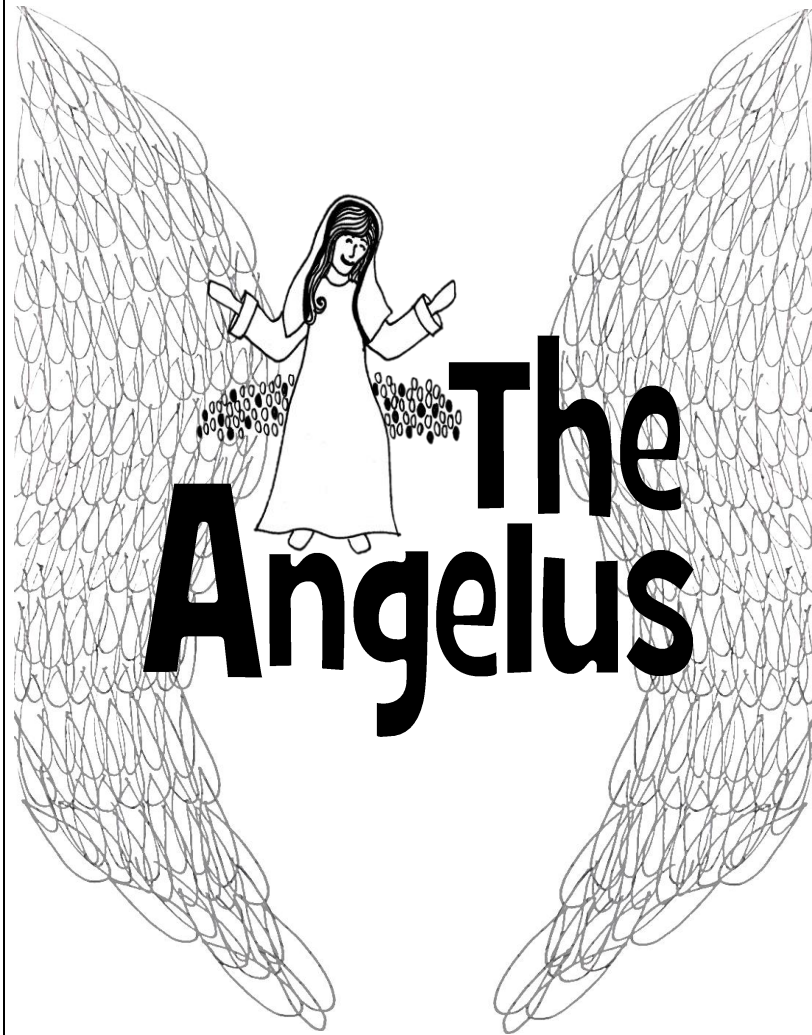


"Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you!" ~Luke 1:28



"Blessed are you among women,
and blessed is the fruit of your womb!" ~Luke 1:42

Name _____



Leader:

Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.

All:

that we may be made worthy
of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray:

Pour forth, we beseech Thee.

O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts;
that we, to whom the incarnation of
Christ, Thy Son, was made known by
the message of an angel, may by His
Passion and Cross be brought to the
glory of His Resurrection, through the
same Christ Our Lord. Amen.

Leader:

The angel of the Lord declared to Mary:

All:

and she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee;
blessed art thou among women
and blessed is the fruit
of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners now
and at the hour of our death.
Amen

The History of the Angelus

- Prayer that has been used for hundreds of years- dating back to around 1200 A.D.
- Traditionally said at six a.m., noon, and six p.m.
- The story of the Angelus can be found in the Gospel of Luke 1:26-38. The Angel Gabriel told Mary that God was going to become Man, she would be his Mother, and his name would be Jesus
- It is not said on Good Friday or Holy Saturday
- The Angelus is replaced by the Regina Coeli during Easter
Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia.
For He whom you did merit to bear, alleluia.
Has risen, as he said, alleluia.
Pray for us to God, alleluia.
Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.
For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.
Let us pray, O God, who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

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The Angelus: Awesome Words to Know

- conceived: the moment Jesus, the Son of God, became Man as an itty bitty baby inside of Mary
- handmaid: servant or helper, showing that Mary wanted to do only God's will
- be it done unto me: also called Mary's "Fiat" - She said Yes! to God
- The Word- name for God
(see John Chapter 1)
- dwelt: lived or stayed
- beseech: to ask for help
- grace: God's life within us
- incarnation: God became a man-
Jesus was like us in all things but sin
- Passion, Cross, Resurrection:
Jesus suffered, died, and rose again
to save us from our sins



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Leader:

Behold the handmaid of the Lord:

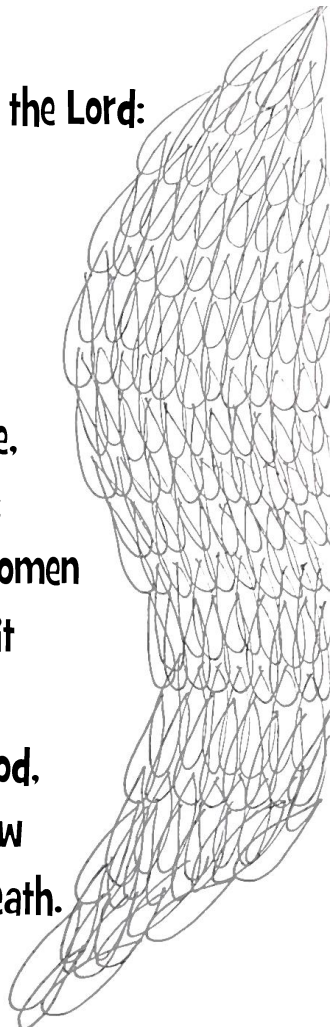
All:

Be it done unto me
according to Thy word.

Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee;
blessed art thou among women
and blessed is the fruit
of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners now
and at the hour of our death.

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Amen



Leader:

And the Word was made Flesh:

All:

And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee;
blessed art thou among women
and blessed is the fruit
of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners now
and at the hour of our death.

Amen

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