



Liturgy Planning Guide
to observe *Pro Orantibus Day*

**Memorial in honor of the Presentation
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
Saturday, November 21, 2009

Introductory Rites

Processional Hymn

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

Rev 3:1-6, 14-22

Psalm Response

R. *I will seat the victor beside me on my throne.*

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel Reading

Lk 19:1-10

Homily

See Homily Notes

General Intercessions

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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Gifts

Preface

Holy, Holy, Holy

Memorial Acclamation

Great Amen

The Lord's Prayer

Communion Hymn

Concluding Rites

Prayer after Communion

Blessing and Dismissal

Recessional Hymn

Prayer in Support of the Cloistered Life

Eternal Father,

We praise and thank you for those sisters and brothers who have embraced the gift of the cloistered and monastic life. Their hidden presence in our world is indispensable to the Church's life and mission.

As we celebrate the Presentation of Mary in the Temple, let us honor the holiness and glory of the Blessed Virgin. May she intercede so that many young people might dedicated themselves entirely to prayer and to living on what they receive from Providence.

May all of us always be mindful of the spiritual and material needs of those who commit their lives to seeking God by fixing their gaze on those things which are eternal.

We ask this through Our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

