# Father Frederick Damien Hoesli, O.P.



Funeral Vigil • Funeral Mass

St. Francis de Sales Parish

Holland Michigan

Sunday June 14 7:30pm • Monday June 15 11:00am

## Frederick Damien Hoesli's Sacramental Record

Baptism 11/19/1929, St. Mary's Church, Hemlock, MI
Confirmation 5/19/1941, St. Francis Xavier, Petoskey, MI
Simple Profession, August 16, 1958, St. Joseph Priory, Somerset, OH
Solemn Profession, August 16, 1961, Monmouth, NJ
Ordained Deacon 6/5/1964, National Basilica of the Immaculate Conception,
Washington, DC

Ordained Priest 6/11/1964, St. Dominic Church, Washington, DC



#### **O**BITUARY

Father Hoesli was born Oct. 26, 1929, in Hemlock, MI, to Frederick Daniel Hoesli and Sara Josephine (née Collier) Hoesli and named Frederick Thomas. He attended St. Francis Xavier Grammar School in Petoskey, MI, Petoskey High School, and then Hope College in Holland, MI, and Aquinas College in Grand Rapids, MI, earning a Bachelors degree in History and Political Science in 1956.

He entered the Dominican Novitiate in August of 1957 at St. Joseph, Somerset, OH, and received the religious name Damien. He made his first profession at St. Joseph's on August 16, 1958 and his solemn profession at Sacred Heart Church in Monmouth Beach, NJ in August of 1961. He studied Philosophy in Dover, MA, and Theology at the PFIC in Washington, DC. On June 11, 1964 he was ordained a priest at St. Dominic's Church in Washington, DC. After ordination, Fr. Hoesli was assigned to Sacred Heart Priory in Jersey City, NJ, where he served on the parish staff for two years.

In March of 1967, Fr. Hoesli was assigned to St. Vincent Ferrer Priory in New York
City where he would serve for the next thirty years. He was intimately involved in the
administration of the Priory, St. Vincent Parish, and St. Vincent High School. He served as
a parochial vicar for the parish, as subprior and procurator of the community, as Director
and Financial Advisor of St. Vincent Ferrer High School, and as moderator for Club
Dominicana. Although busy with St. Vincent Ferrer, he also served the province on the
Economic Council and the Retirement Allowance Committee. He was beloved especially by
faculty and students for his work not only maintaining the physical plant of the high school
but also with fund raising and alumae relations as well. Upon his departure, an alumae of
St. Vincent Ferrer High School praised him for his dedication and noted that for her "Saint
Vincent Ferrer and Father Hoesli—the two were to be synonymous."

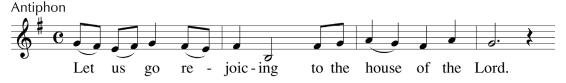
In 1997, he returned to Holland, MI, and began assisting at St. Francis de Sales Catholic Parish and serving the local church in parishes, hospitals, and local prisons.

# RECEPTION AT THE CHURCH

## Greeting

#### **Entrance Procession**

Psalm 122: Let Us Go Rejoicing





#### Verses

- 1. I rejoiced when I heard them say: "Let us go to the house of the Lord." And now our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem.
- 2. Jerusalem is a city built with unity and strength. It is there, it is there that the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord.
- 3. For Israel's law is to praise God's name and there to give God thanks. There are set the judgment thrones for all of David's house.
- 4. Pray for the peace of Jerusalem! "May those who love you prosper. May peace ever reign within your walls, and wealth within your buildings!"
- 5. For love of my family and love of my friends, I pray that peace be yours. For love of the house of the Lord our God I pray for your good.

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# **Placing of Christian Symbols**

Book of the Gospels - Representing the Gospel that he Preached and lived.

Cross - Symbol of Christ's sacrifice.

Chalice - Symbol of his Priestly ministry.

Prayer Book - Symbol of his devotion to prayer.

Images of St. Dominic - Symbol of Fr. Fred's life in the order founded by St. Dominic.

## Prayer

# VIGIL SERVICE

## Hymn

## I Heard the Voice of Jesus



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Tune: KINGSFOLD, CMD; English melody; harm. by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872–1958

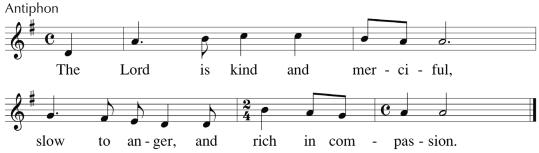
#### LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading 1 John 3:1-2

at the conclusion of the reading: Lector: The Word of the Lord All: **Thanks be to God** 

## Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 103



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Gospel John 14:1-6

Presider: The Lord be with you All: **And with your Spirit** 

Presider: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

at the conclusion of the gospel
Presider: The Gospel of the Lord
All: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

# **Homily**

#### **Intercessions**

Response: Lord, have mercy

# **Lord's Prayer**

## **Concluding Prayer**

## **Blessing**

Everyone is invited to trace the sign of the cross on Fr. Fred's forehead or shoulder as a tangible expression of farewell and gratitude.



## FUNERAL MASS

## **Introductory Rites**

#### **Sprinkling with Holy Water**

## Placing of the Pall

#### **Entrance Procession**



- 1. O God be-yond all prais-ing, we wor-ship you to day \*2. The flow'r of earth-ly splen-dor in time must sure -ly die,
- 3. Then hear, O gra-cious Sav ior, ac cept the love we bring,



And sing the love a - maz-ing that songs can-not re - pay; Its frag - ile bloom sur - ren - der to you, the Lord most high; That we who know your fa - vor may serve you as our King;



For we can on-ly won-der at ev-'ry gift you send, But hid - den from all na - ture the e - ter - nal seed is sown, And wheth - er our to-mor-rows be filled with good or ill,



At bless-ings with out num-ber and mer-cies with-out end. Though small in mor - tal stat-ure to heav-en's gar-den grown. We'll tri-umph through our sor-rows and rise to bless you still,



We lift our hearts be - fore you and wait up - on your word; For Christ, the man from heav - en, from death has set us free, To mar - vel at your beau - ty and glo - ry in your ways,



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## **Opening Prayer**

#### Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

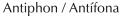
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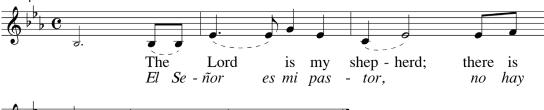
sac - ri - fice of praise.

at the conclusion of the reading: Lector: The Word of the Lord All: **Thanks be to God** 

#### **Responsorial Psalm**

Psalm 23







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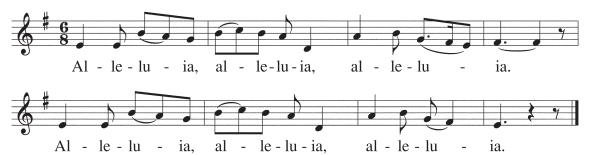
## **Second Reading**

Acts 10:34-43

at the conclusion of the reading: Lector: The Word of the Lord All: **Thanks be to God** 

<sup>\*</sup>May be omitted.

## **Gospel Acclamation**



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**Gospel** *Luke 1:68-79* 

Presider: The Lord be with you All: **And with your Spirit** 

Presider: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

at the conclusion of the Gospel
Presider: The Gospel of the Lord
All: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

## **Homily**

Reverend John Farren, O.P.

#### **General Intercessions**

Response: Lord, hear our prayer

#### LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

#### **Eucharistic Prayer**

Presider: The Lord be with you All: **And with your Spirit**Presider: Lift up your hearts
All: **We lift them up to the Lord** 

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right and just

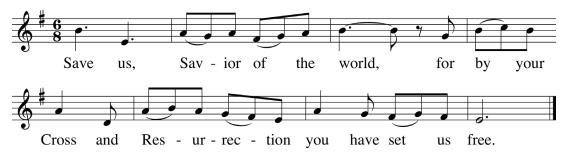
## **Holy Holy**



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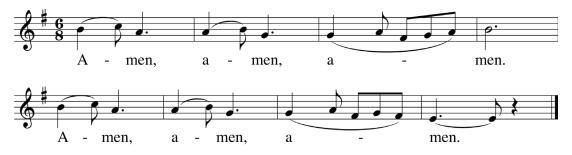
#### **Memorial Acclamation**



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#### Amen



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# COMMUNION RITE

# Lord's Prayer

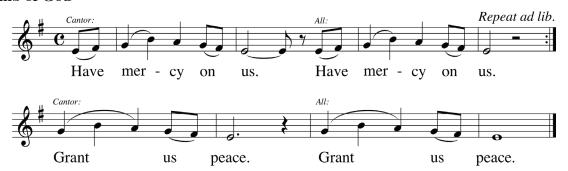
# **Sign of Peace**

Presider: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And with your Spirit

At this time all exchange a symbol of Christ's peace with those close by. This could be a hug, handshake or some other sign.

#### Lamb of God



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Presider: Behold the Lamb of God... 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.

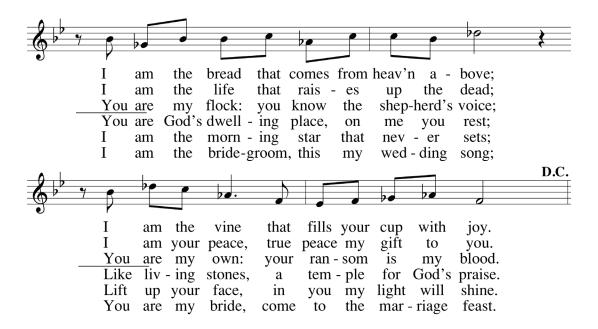
## **Communion Hymns**

Very Bread - Randoph Currie

deSales Chorale

Very bread, Good Shepherd, tend us;
Jesu, of Thy love befriend us;
Thou refresh us, Thou defend us,
Thine eternal goodness send us
In the land of life to see:
Thou who all things canst and knowest,
Who in earth such food bestowest,
Grant us with Thy saints, though lowest,
Where the heav'nly feast Thou showest,
Fellow heirs and guests to be.





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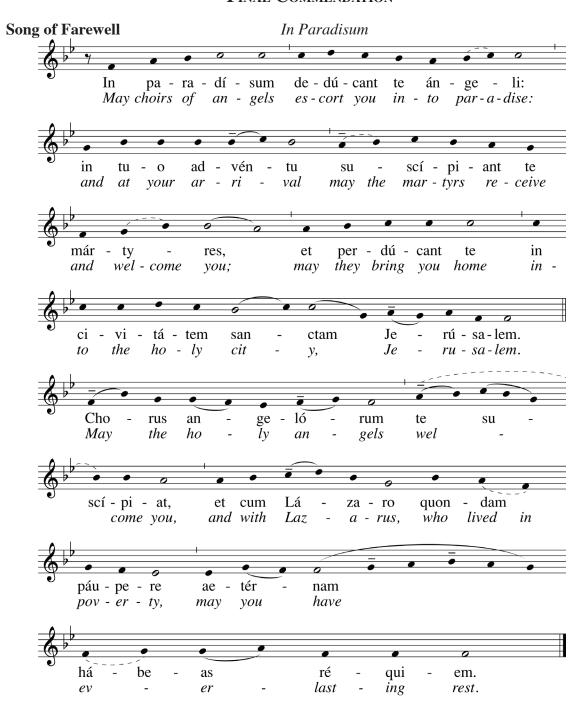
#### In The Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful



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Tune: Jacques Berthier, 1923–1994 © 1986, 1991, 2011, Les Presses de Taizé, GIA Publications, Inc., agent

## FINAL COMMENDATION



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## **Prayer of Commendation**

#### Recessional



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## **PARTICIPANTS**

## **Presider**

Very Reverend Kenneth Letoile, O.P. - Prior Provincial, Saint Joseph Province

# **Principal Concelebrants**

Reverend Monsignor William H. Duncan - Vicar General Diocese of Grand Rapids

Very Reverend Charles D. Brown, Pastor St. Francis de Sales

Reverend John Farren, O.P. - Friend and Classmate

## **Other Participants**

Members of the Parish family of St. Francis de Sales

The deSales Chorale and Chamber orchestra

Phillip W. Konczyk - Director Robert J. Batastini - Assistant Director



