gratias exhibentes, intercedente beato Andrei, Confessore tuo atque Pontifice, beneficia potiora sumamus. Per Dominum.

### POSTCOMMUNION

PRÆSTA, quæsumus, omnipotens Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, Deus: ut, de perceptis muneribus that, we who give thanks for the gifts we have received, may through the intercession of blessed Andrew, Thy Confessor and Bishop, obtain still greater blessings. Through our Lord.

# PROPER of the MASS

# ST ANDREW CORSINI

## February 4

Ecclesiasticus 45: 30: Ps. 131: 1 INTROIT

Memento Domine, David: et omnis mansuetudinus ejus. Gloria Patri.

DEUS, qui in Ecclesia tua nova sempopulo tuo beati Andreæ Confessoris ut assequatur et praemia. Per Dominum.

Ecclesiasticus 44: 16-27; 45: 3-20 EPISTLE

est reconciliatio. Non est inventus similis illi, qui conservavit legem Excelsi. Ideo jurejurando fecit illum Dominus crescere in plebem suam. Benedictionem omnium gentium dedit illi, et testamentum suum confirmavit super caput ejus. Agnovit eum gratiam coram oculis Domini. Magnificavit eum in conspectus regum: et dedit illi coronam gloriæ. Statuit illi testamentum æternum, et dedit illi sacerdotium magnum: et beatificavit illum in gloria. Fungi sacerdotio, et habere laudem in nomine ipsius, et offerre illi incensum dignum in odorem suavitatis.

STATUIT ei Dominus testamentum The Lord made to him a covenant of pacis, et principem fecit eum: ut sit peace, and made him a prince: that the illi sacerdotii dignitas in æternum. Ps. dignity of priesthood should be to him for ever. Ps. O Lord, remember David: and all his meekness. Glory be to the Father.

### COLLECT

Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, per instauras exempla virtutem: da that the venerable solemnity of blessed Andrew, Thy Confessor and Bishop, may tui atque Pontificis ita sequi vestigia; both increase our devotion and promote our salvation. Through our Lord.

ECCE sacerdos magnus, qui in diebus Behold, a great priest, who in his days suis placuit Deo, et inventus est jus- pleased God, and was found just; and in tus: et in tempore iracundiæ factus the time of wrath he was made a reconciliation. There was not found the like to him who kept the law of the most High. Therefore by an oath the Lord made him to increase among his people He gave him the blessing of all nations, and confirmed His covenant upon his head. He acknowlin benedictionibus suis: conservavit edged him in His blessings; He preserved illi misericordiam suam: et invenit for him His mercy; and he found grace before the eyes of the Lord. He glorified him in the sight of kings, and gave him a crown of glory. He made an everlasting covenant with him, and gave him a great priesthood: and made him blessed in glory. To execute the office of the priesthood, and to have praised in His name, and to offer him a worthy incense for an odour of sweetness.

Ecclus 44: 16, 20 GRADUAL

celsi.

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Psalm 109: 4 ALLELUIA

chisedech. Alleluia.

ALLELUIA, alleluia. Tu es sacerdos in Alleluia, alleluia. Thou art a priest forever æternum, secundum, ordinem Mel- according to the order of Melchisedech. Alleluia.

> After Septuagesima, the Alleluia and the Verse Tu es sacerdos are omitted and the following is said instead:

> > Psalm 111: 1-3 TRACT

BEATUS vir, qui timet Dominum: in mandatis eius cupit nimis. Potens in terra erit semen ejus: generatio rectorum benedicetur. Gloria et divitiae in domo eius: et justitia eius manet in saeculum saeculori.

Matthew 25: 14-23 GOSPEL

tradidit illis bona sua. Et uni dedit quinque talenta, alii autem duo, alii vero unum, unicuique secundum propriam virtutem, et profectus est statim. Abiit autem qui quinque talenta acceperat, et operatus est in eis, et lucratus est alia quinque. Similiter et qui duo acceperat, lucratus est alia duo. Qui autem unum acceperat, abpecuniam domini sui. Post multum vero temporis venit dominus servorum illorum, et posuit rationem cum eis. Et accedens qui quinque talenta acceperat, obtulit alia quinque talenta, dicens: Domine, quinque talenta tradidisti mihi, ecce alia quinque superlucratus sum. Ait illi dominus te constituam: intra in gaudium do-

Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord: he shall delight exceedingly in His commandments. His seed shall be mighty upon earth: the generation of the righteous shall be blessed. Glory and wealth shall be in his house: and his justice remaineth for ever and ever.

IN illo tempore: Dixit Jesus discipulis At that time, Jesus spoke this parable to suis parabolam hanc: Homo peregre His disciples: A man going into a far counproficiscens, vocavit servos suos, et try called his servants, and delivered to them his goods. And to one he gave five talents, and to another two, and to another one, to every one according to his proper ability: and immediately he took his journev. And he that had received the five talents went his way, and traded with the same, and gained another five. And in like manner he that had received the two iens fodit in terram, et abscondit gained other two. But he that had received the one, going his way, digged into the earth and hid his lord's money. But after a long time the lord of those servants came and reckoned with them. And he that had received the five talents coming, brought other five talents, saying: Lord, thou didst deliver to me five talents, behold I have ejus: Euge serve bone, et fidelis, quia gained other five over and above. His lord super pauca fuisti fidelis, super multa said to him: Well done, good and faithful servant, because thou has been faithful mini tui. Accessit autem et qui duo over a few things, I will place thee over

talenta acceperat, et ait: Domine, duo many things: enter thou into the joy of thy talenta tradidisti mihi, ecce alia duo lord. And he also that had received the two lucratus sum. Ait illi dominus ejus: talents came and said: Lord, thou deliver-Euge, serve bone et fidelis, quia super pauca fuisti fidelis, super multa te constituam: intra in gaudium domini tui.

Psalm 88: 21-22 OFFERTORY

mea auxiliabitur ei, et brachium me- shall help him, and My arm shall um confortabit eum.

Per Dominum.

omnipotens, æterne Deus: per Christum Dominum nostrum. Per quem majestatem tuam laudant Angeli, adorant Dominationes, tremunt Potestates. Cœli, cœlorumque Virtutes ac beata Seraphim socia exultasupplici confessione dicentes:

mensuram.

hast been faithful over a few things, I will place thee over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord. INVENI David servus meum, oleo I have found David My servant, with My sancto meo unxi eum: manus enim holy oil I have anointed him: for My hand

est two talents to me, behold I have gained

other two. His lord said to him: Well done,

good and faithful servant, because thou

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strengthen him.

SANCTI tui, quæsumus, Domine, nos May Thy Saints, we beseech Thee, O Lord, ubique lætificent: ut, dum eorum me- in all places bring us joy; that while we rita recolimus, patrocinia sentiamus. recall their merits, we may experience their patronage. Through our Lord.

COMMON PREFACE

VERE dignum et justum est, æquum It is truly meet and just, right and for our et salutare, nos tibi semper, et ubique salvation that we should at all times and in gratias agere: Domine sancte, Pater all places, give thanks unto Thee, O holy Lord, Father almighty, eternal God: through Christ our Lord. through Whom the Angels praise Thy Majesty, Dominations worship, Powers stand in awe. The Heavens and the Heavenly hosts together tione concelebrant. Cum quibus et with the blessed Seraphim in triumphant nostras voces, ut admitti, jubeas, chorus unite to celebrate it. Together with them we entreat Thee, that Thou mayest bid our voices also to be admitted, while we say in lowly praise:

Luke 12: 42 COMMUNION

FIDELIS servus et prudens, quem This is the faithful and wise steward, constituit dominus super familiam whom his lord setteth over his family: to suam: ut det illis in tempore tritici give them their measure of wheat in due season.