

St. Mary the Virgin

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The Sunday after the Ascension Day

12 May 2024

Choral Mass

Processional

Diademata

Hymn 352

George J. Elvey. 1868



1. Crown him with ma - ny crowns, The Lamb up - on the throne;
2. Crown him the Son of God Be - fore the worlds be - gan,
3. Crown him the Lord of life, Who tri - umphed o'er the grave,
4. Crown him of lords the Lord, Who o - ver all doth reign,
5. Crown him the Lord of heav'n, En - throned in worlds a - bove;



Hark! how the heav'n - ly an - them drowns All mu - sic but its own:
And ye, who tread where he hath trod, Crown him the Son of man;
And rose vic - to - rious in the strife For those he came to save;
Who once on earth, the in - car - nate Word, For ran - somed sin - ners slain,
Crown him the King, to whom is giv'n The won - drous name of Love.



A - wake, my soul, and sing Of him who died for thee,
Who ev - 'ry grief hath known That wrings the hu - man breast,
His glo - ries now we sing Who died, and rose on high,
Now lives in realms of light, Where saints with an - gels sing
Crown him with ma - ny crowns, As thrones be - fore him fall,



And hail him as thy matchless King Through all e - ter - ni - ty.
And takes and bears them for his own, That all in him may rest.
Who died, e - ter - nal life to bring, And lives that death may die.
Their songs be - fore him day and night, Their God, Re - deem - er, King.
Crown him, ye kings, with ma - ny crowns, For he is King of all.

Matthew Bridges, 1851

The Coronation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Blessing of the Floral Crown

ALMIGHTY God, we beseech thee to ✠ Bless this Floral Crown fashioned in Honor and Memory of the most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Jesus Christ our Risen Lord and Saviour, and that we may at her Intercession obtain Grace in this present life, and Everlasting Glory in that which is to come. Through the same Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Procession to the Shrine

Hymn 117

Pleading Saviour

Plymouth Collection, New York, 1855



1. Sing of Ma - ry, pure and low - ly, Vir - gin - moth - er un - de - filed,



Sing of God's own Son most ho - ly, Who be - came her lit - tle child.



Fair - est child of fair - est moth - er, God the Lord who came to earth,



Word made flesh, our ve - ry broth - er, Takes our na - ture by his birth.

The Crown is placed upon the Statue of the Blessed Mother, and the Lady Shrine is censed.

Devotions at the Lady Shrine

Celebrant: O Queen of Heaven, be Joyful,

All: Alleluia

Celebrant: For he whom so meetly thou Barest,

All: Alleluia

Celebrant: Hath Arisen, as He Promised,

All: Alleluia

Celebrant: Pray for us to the Father.

All: Alleluia

℣: Rejoice and be Glad, O Virgin Mary

All: Alleluia

℞: For the Lord is Risen indeed.

All: Alleluia

O God, who by the Resurrection of thy Son Jesus Christ didst vouchsafe to give Gladness unto the world: grant, we beseech thee, that we, being aided by the Prayers of the Blessed Virgin Mary his Mother, may attain unto the Joys of Everlasting Life. Through the same Christ our Lord. *Amen.*



2. Sing of Je-sus, son of Ma-ry, In the home at Na-za-reth.
3. Glo-ry be to God the Fa-ther; Glo-ry be to God the Son;



Toil and la-bor can-not wea-ry Love en-dur-ing un-to death.
Glo-ry be to God the Spi-rit; Glo-ry to the Three in One.



Con-stant was the love he gave her, Though he went forth from her side,
From the heart of bles-sed Ma-ry, From all saints the song a-scends,



Forth to preach, and heal, and suf-fer, Till on Cal-va-ry he died.
And the Church the strain re-ech-oes Un-to earth's re-mo-test ends. Amen.

Anonymous, c. 1914

Collect for Purity

BCP 67

Introit

Summary of the Law

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Kyrie Eleison

Hymn 710

Healey Willan, 1928



Lord, have mer-cy up-on us. Lord, have mer-cy up-on us.



Lord, have mer-cy up-on us. Christ, have mer-cy up-on us.



Christ, have mer-cy up-on us. Christ, have mer-cy up-on us.



Lord, have mer-cy up-on us. Lord, have mer-cy up-on us.



Lord, have mer-cy up-on us.

Gloria in Excelsis

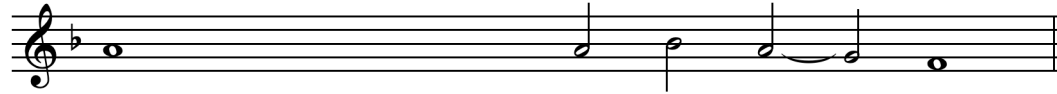
Hymn 739
Old Scottish Chant



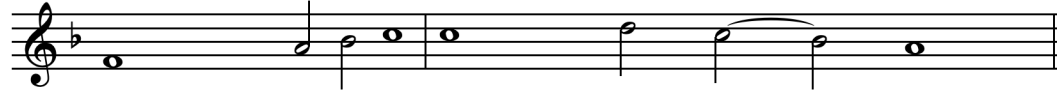
Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men.



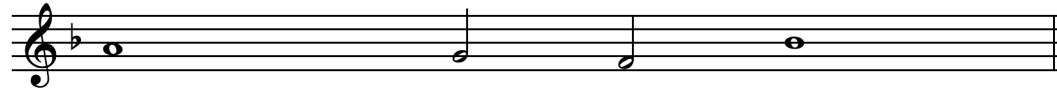
We praise thee, we bless thee, we wor - ship thee,



we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glo - ry,



O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Al - migh - ty.



O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - - - ther,



that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy up - on us.



Thou that takest away the sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer.



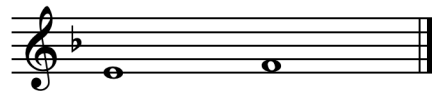
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Fa-ther, have mercy up-on us.



For thou on - ly art ho - ly; Thou on - ly art the Lord;



Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Fa - ther.



A - men.

Collect for the Sunday after Ascension Day

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O GOD, the King of glory, who hast exalted thine only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph unto thy kingdom in heaven; We beseech thee, leave us not comfortless; but send to us thine Holy Ghost to comfort us, and exalt us unto the same place whither our Saviour Christ is gone before, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the same Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

Collect for the Ascension Day

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GRANT, we beseech thee, Almighty God : that like as we do believe thy only begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ to have ascended into the heavens ; so we may also in heart and mind thither ascend, and with him continually dwell. Who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

Collect for All Mothers Departed**The Lesson*****Proverbs 31:10-31***

Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies. The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her, so that he shall have no need of spoil. She will do him good and not evil all the days of her life. She seeketh wool, and flax, and worketh willingly with her hands. She is like the merchants' ships; she bringeth her food from afar. She riseth also while it is yet night, and giveth meat to her household, and a portion to her maidens. She considereth a field, and buyeth it: with the fruit of her hands she planteth a vineyard. She girdeth her loins with strength, and strengtheneth her arms. She perceiveth that her merchandise is good: her candle goeth not out by night. She layeth her hands to the spindle, and her hands hold the distaff. She stretcheth out her hand to the poor; yea, she reacheth forth her hands to the needy. She is not afraid of the snow for her household: for all her household are clothed with scarlet. She maketh herself coverings of tapestry; her clothing is silk and purple. Her husband is known in the gates, when he sitteth among the elders of the land. She maketh fine linen, and selleth it; and delivereth girdles unto the merchant. Strength and honour are her clothing; and she shall rejoice in time to come. She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue is the law of kindness. She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness. Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her. Many daughters have done virtuously, but thou excellest them all. Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the Lord, she shall be praised. Give her of the fruit of her hands; and let her own works praise her in the gates.

Magnificat (St. Luke i. 46.)

Hymn 746 / BCP 26

[My soul doth magnify the Lord,] * and my spirit hath rejoiced | in God my Saviour.

For he | hath regarded * the lowliness | of his handmaiden.

For he | hath hold from henceforth * all generations | shall call me blessed.

For he that is mighty hath | magnified me; * | and holy is • his Name.

And his mercy is on | them that fear him * throughout | all generations.

He hath showed strength | with his arm; * he hath scattered the proud in the ima|gination of • their hearts.

He hath put down the mighty | from their seat, * and hath exalted | the humble and meek.

He hath filled the hungry | with good things; * and the rich he | hath sent empty • away.

He remembering his mercy hath holpen his | servant Israel. * as he promised to our forefathers, Abraham and | his seed for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and | to the Son, * | and to the Ho•ly Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and | ever shall be * | world without end • Amen.

The Epistle

I St. Peter 4:7-11

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DEARLY beloved: The end of all things is at hand: be ye therefore sober, and watch unto prayer. And above all things have fervent charity among yourselves: for charity shall cover the multitude of sins. Use hospitality one to another without grudging. As every man hath received the gift, even so minister the same one to another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God. If any man speak, let him speak as the oracles of God; if any man minister, let him do it as of the ability which God giveth: that God in all things may be glorified through Jesus Christ, to whom be praise and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

Alleluia

The Gospel

St. John 15:26-27 & 16:1-4

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Glo - ry be to thee, O Lord.

AT that time, Jesus said unto his disciples, When the Comforter is come, whom I will send unto you from the Father, even the Spirit of truth, which proceedeth from the Father, he shall testify of me: and ye also shall bear witness, because ye have been with me from the beginning. These things have I spoken unto you, that ye should not be offended. They shall put you out of the synagogues: yea, the time cometh, that whosoever killeth you will think that he doeth God service. And these things will they do unto you, because they have not known the Father, nor me. But these things have I told you, that when the time shall come, ye may remember that I told you of them.



Praise - be to thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

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I BELIEVE in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible:

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man: And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets: And I believe one Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism

for the remission of sins: And I look for the Resurrection of the dead: And the Life of the world to come. *Amen.*

Announcements

Sermon Hymn

Coronae

Hymn 105

William H. Monk, 1871



1. Look, ye saints, the sight is glo - rious; See the Man of Sor - rows now;
2. Crown the Sa - viour, an - gels, crown him; Rich the tro - phies Je - sus brings;
3. Sin - ners in de - ri - sion crowned him, Mock - ing thus Mes - si - ah's claim;
4. Hark! those bursts of ac - cla - ma - tion! Hark! those loud tri - um - phant chords!



From the fight re - turned vic - to - rious, Ev - 'ry knee to him shall bow:
In the seat of power en - throne him, While the vault of hea - ven rings:
Saints and an - gels throng a - round him, Own his ti - tle, praise his Name:
Je - sus takes the high - est sta - tion; O what joy the sight af - fords!



Crown him! crown him! Crowns be - come the vic - tor's brow.
Crown the Sa - viour King of kings.
Spread a - broad the vic - tor's fame!
King of kings, and Lord of lords.

Thomas Kelly, 1809

Sermon

The Rt. Rev. Anthony F. Rasch

Offertory Verse and Sentences

Offertory Hymn

St. Magnus

Hymn 106

Jeremiah Clark, 1709



1. The head that once was crowned with thorns Is crowned with glo - ry now;
2. The high - est place that heav'n af - fords Is his, is his by right,
3. The joy of all who dwell a - bove, The joy of all be - low,
4. To them the cross with all its shame, With all its grace is giv'n;
5. They suf - fer with their Lord be - low, They reign with him a - bove,
6. The cross he bore is life and health, Though shame and death to him:



A roy - al di - a - dem a - dorns The migh - ty vic - tor's brow.
The King of kings, and Lord of lords, And heav'n's e - ter - nal Light;
To whom he man - i - fests his love And grants his Name to know.
Their name, an ev - er - last - ing name; Their joy, the joy of heav'n.
Their pro - fit and their joy to know The mys - tery of his love.
His peo - ple's hope, his peo - ple's wealth, Their ev - er - last - ing theme.

Thomas Kelly, 1820

Doxology (Hymnal 139, 1st verse)



Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; Praise him, all crea-tures here be - low;



Praise him above, ye heav'n-ly host: Praise Father, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost. Amen.

Bidding Prayers

Orate, Fratres

Celebrant: Brethren, pray that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the Father Almighty.

People: The Lord receive this sacrifice at thy hands, to the praise and glory of his Name; both to our benefit and that of all his holy Church. *Amen.*

Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church

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General Confession

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ALMIGHTY God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men; We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, Which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, By thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty, Provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; The remembrance of them is grievous unto us; The burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution

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The Comfortable Words

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Sursum Corda

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The Lord be with you. And with thy spirit.



Lift up your hearts



We lift them up unto the Lord

Priest

Let us give _____ thanks un - to our Lord God.

All

It is meet _____ and right so _____ to do _____

Preface

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Sanctus and Benedictus

Hymn 797
Healey Willan, 1928

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - - - ly, Lord God of hosts,
heav-en and earth are full _____ of thy glo - ry:
Glo - - - ry be to thee, oh Lord most High.
Bless - ed _____ is he that com - eth _____ in the
name _____ of the Lord, Ho - san - na in the _____ high - est.

Prayer of Consecration

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Celebrant: Let us pray : And now, as our Saviour Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say:
The Lord's Prayer

Hymn 722

Traditional, very ancient



Our Fa-ther, who art in hea-ven, Hal-low-ed be thy Name. Thy king-dom come.



Thy will be done, On earth as it is in hea-ven. Give us this day our dai-ly bread.



And for-give us our tres-pass-es, As we for-give those who tres-pass a- gainst us.



And lead us not in - to temp-ta - tion, But de-liv - er us from e - vil.



For thine is the king-dom, And the pow'r, and the glo-ry, for ev-er and ev - er.



A - men. —

The Fracture

The Peace

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

People: And with thy spirit.

Agnus Dei

Hymn 712
Healey Willan, 1928

O Lamb of God, that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.

O Lamb of God, that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.

O Lamb of God, that ta-kest a-way the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

Prayer of Humble Access

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Communion of the Faithful

Celebrant: Behold the Lamb of God; behold Him that taketh away the sins of the world.

People: (3x) Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof, but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.

For those attending in person, we have resumed the custom of kneeling or standing at the Altar Rail to Receive. Here are the various Ways of Receiving:

- 1. Receive the Host into your hands, or directly onto the tongue.
Receive directly from the Chalice, guiding it gently by the base.*
- 2. Receive by Intinction, receiving the Host into your hands and leaving it there; the Deacon will take it and dip it in the Chalice and place it onto your tongue.*
- 3. You may receive only the Host of itself, either in your hands or on your tongue. Our Lord is equally present in either Form.*

As a precaution and courtesy to others and for your own safety, we respectfully request that in the event you are currently suffering from a cold or other communicable illness, please refrain from receiving from the Chalice.

For those attending remotely: Please take a moment of silence to realize the presence of Jesus Christ in your soul and make your spiritual communion.

In union, O Dear Lord, with the faithful at every Altar of Thy Church, where Thy blessed Body and Blood have been offered to the Father, I desire to offer Thee praise and thanksgiving. I present to Thee my soul and body, with the earnest wish that I may ever be united to Thee. And since I cannot now receive Thee sacramentally, I beseech Thee to come spiritually into my heart. I unite myself to Thee, and embrace Thee with all the affections of my soul. O let nothing ever separate me from Thee. Let me live and die in Thy love. Amen.

Grant, O Lord Jesus Christ, that as the hem of Thy garment, touched in faith, healed the woman who could not touch Thy Body, so the soul of Thy servant may be healed by like faith in Thee, Whom I cannot now sacramentally receive; through Thy tender mercy, Who livest and reignest with the Father in the unity of the Holy Ghost ever one God. Amen.

Communion Hymn

Hymn 115

Old Hundred Twentieth

Thomas Est's *Whole Book of Psalmes*, 1592



1. Hail to the Lord who comes, Comes to his tem - ple gate;
 2. But, borne up - on the throne Of Ma - ry's gen - tle breast,
 3. There Jo - seph at her side In rev' - rent won - der stands;
 4. O Light of all the earth, Thy chil - dren wait for thee!



Not with his an - gel host, Not in his king - ly state;
 Watched by her du - teous love, In her fond arms at rest,
 And, filled with ho - ly joy, Old Sim - eon in his hands
 Come to thy tem - ples here, That we, from sin set free,



No shouts pro - claim him nigh, No crowds his com - ing wait; A - men.
 Thus to his Fa - ther's house He comes, the heav'n - ly guest.
 Takes up the prom - ised child, The glo - ry of all lands.
 Be - fore thy Fa - ther's face May all pre - sen - ted be!

John Ellerton, 1880, alt.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

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Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee, for that thou dost vouchsafe to feed us who have duly received these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favour and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of thy everlasting kingdom, by the merits of his most precious death and passion. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

Post-Communion Prayers

Dismissal

Episcopal Blessing

Bishop: Blessed be the name of the Lord

People: From this time forth forever more.

Bishop: Our help is in the name of the Lord

People: Who hath made heaven and earth.

Bishop: The Peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: And the ✠Blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

Retiring Processional:

Llanfair

Hymn 104, 2nd Tune

Robert Williams, 1817



1. Hail the day that sees him rise, Al - le - lu - ia!
2. There the glo-rious tri - umph waits; _____
3. See! he lifts his hands a - bove; _____
4. Lord be-yond our mor - tal sight, _____



Glo - rious to his na - tive skies; Al - le - lu - ia!
Lift your heads, e - ter - nal gates! _____
See! he shows the prints of love: _____
Raise our hearts to reach thy height, _____



Christ, a - while to mor - tals giv'n, Al - le - lu - ia!
Wide un - fold the ra - dant scene; _____
Hark! his gra - cious lips be - stow, _____
There thy face un - cloud - ed see, _____



En - ters now the high - est heav'n! Al - le - lu - ia! A - men.
Take the King of glo - ry in! _____
Bless-ings on his Church be - low. _____
Find our heav'n of heav'ns in thee. _____

Charles Wesley, 1739, alt.

Announcements

Celebrant

The Right Reverend Anthony F. Rasch

Assisting

The Reverend Deacon John Yeager

Epistoler

Robert Jones

Lector

Acolyte

Tony Shehata

Acolyte in Training

Robert Yeager

Placing of the Floral Crown

Kathryn Shehata

Zoom Wrangler

Robert Jones

Altar Guild

Gretchen Martin

Midweek Mass will be celebrated this week on Wednesday at 10 am (Octave of the Ascension).

Next Sunday is Pentecost Sunday. Wear something Red!

Happy Mothers' Day!

Robert Jones has made Mothers' Day cards for our Mothers today!

❖ REQUIESCAT IN PACE ❖

Today being Mothers' Day, the following Mothers departed this life will be remembered today by their Christian Names during the Canon of the Mass:

Deceased Parishioners:

Edna Batisti, **Suzanne** Beam, **Darlene** Bush, **Joan** Cerny,
Sande Gleason, **Maggie** Greco, **Mavis** Horsman, **Madeleine** Hugard, **Terri** Lynch, **Catherine** Mabbett,
Beatrice Mares, **Alma** McKowan, **Enid** Miller, **Kitty** Pike, **Helen** Rangel, **Vivian** Southern, **BJ**
Smitley, **Jo Ann** Stipkovich, **Agnes** Talley, **Cecelia** Tomney, **Virginia** Watson, **Ruth** Zuber.

Deceased Relatives:

Eva Turner, **Ernestine** Ziegler, **Katherine** Bowyer, **Lola** Brown, **Pauline** Durst, **Dorothy** Eisenhart,
Nancy Menard, **Bernadine** White, **Marci** Jones, **Clone** McIntosh, **Gerturde** Mueller, **Sally** Fuller,
Anna King, **Diane** Howard, **Lori** Mitchell, **Alice** Ingram, **Tula** Martin, **Lura** McLain, **Martha**
Fishchlein, **Eileen** Smith, **Madeline** McGregor, **Lillian** Van Rhyn, **Madeline** Whelan, **Alice** Allnut,
Gwenyth George, **Kathleen** Mollie Dempsey, **Helen** Hinkle, **Bette** Liston, **Diane** Schroeder,
Jacqueline Yeager, **Ida** Parker, **Dorothy** Rasch.
Manela