

SUNDAY VESPERS

First Sunday of Advent



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SUNDAY AT VESPERS

All stand for the beginning of Vespers.

INVITATORY

Make the Sign of the Cross (✠) with the Officiant as he intones:

Officiant:

All:

✠.

D E-us in adjutó-ri-um mé-um inténde. R̃. Dómine
(bow)

ad adjuvándum me festína. Gló-ri-a Pátri, et Fí-li-o,
(upright)

et Spi-rí-tu-i Sáncto. Sicut érat in princípi-o, et nunc, et

semper, et in saécu-la saecu-lórum. Amen. Alle-lú-ia.

*O God, come to my assistance.
✠ Glory be to the Father, and
to the Son, and to the Holy
Spirit. As is was in the
beginning, is now, and ever
shall be, Amen. Alleluia*

ANTIPHON 1

All make the sign of the cross as Officiant begins.

Officiant:

* All:

1. Ant.
8. G

I N il-la dí-e * stillábunt móntes dulcédinem, et cól-
les flú-ent lac et mel, alle-lú-ia.

*Ant. In that day * the mountains shall drop down sweet wine, and the hills shall flow with milk and honey. Alleluia.*

PSALM 109

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor:

* Cantors

All sit.

1. Dí-xit Dóminus Dómino mé- o : * Séde a dextris mé- is.

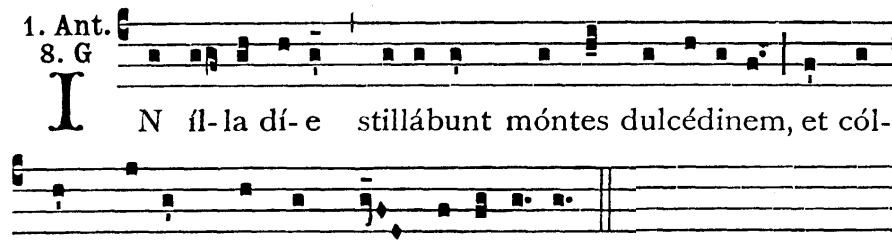
1. Dí-xit Dóminus Dómino mé- o : * Séde a dextris mé- is.
2. (All) Donec pónam inimícos **túos**, *
scabéllum *pédum tuórum*.
3. Vírgam virtútis **túae** emíttet Dóminus ex **Sion**: *
domináre in médio inimicórum *tuórum*.
4. Técum princípium in **die** virtútis **túae** in splendóribus
sanctórum: *
ex útero ante luciférum *génui* te.
5. Jurávit Dóminus, et non pænitébit **éum**: *
Tu es sacérdos in *æternum* secúndum *órdinem*
Melchisedech.
6. Dóminus a dextris **túis**, *
confrégit in **die** *iræ suae* **réges**.
7. Judicábit in natió nibus, implébit ruínas: *
conquassábit cápita in *tér*ra **multórum**.
8. De torrén te in **vía** **bíbet**: *
proptérea exaltábit **cáput**.
9. (bow) Glória Pátri, et **Fílio**, *
et Spíritui **Sáncto**.
10. (sit upright) Sicut érat in princípío, et núnc, et **sémper**, *
et in *sæcula sæculórum*. Amen.

Psalm 109

1. The Lord said to my Lord:
Sit thou at my right hand:
 2. Until I make thy enemies *
thy footstool.
 3. The Lord will send forth the
sceptre of thy power out of
Sion: * rule thou in the midst
of thy enemies.
 4. With thee is the principality
in the day of thy strength: in
the brightness of the saints: *
from the womb before the day
star I begot thee.
 5. The Lord hath sworn, and
he will not repent: * Thou art
a priest for ever according to
the order of Melchisedech.
 6. The Lord at thy right hand *
hath broken kings in the day of
his wrath.
 7. He shall judge among
nations, he shall fill ruins: *
he shall crush the heads in the
land of many.
 8. He shall drink of the torrent
in the way: * therefore shall
he lift up the head.
- Glory be to the Father, and to
the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
As is was in the beginning, is
now, and ever shall be. Amen.

All:

1. Ant.
8. G



I N fl-la dí-e stillábunt mόνtes dulcédinem, et cól-
les flú-ent lac et mel, alle-lú-ia.

ANTIPHON 2

Cantors:

* All:

2. Ant.
8. G*



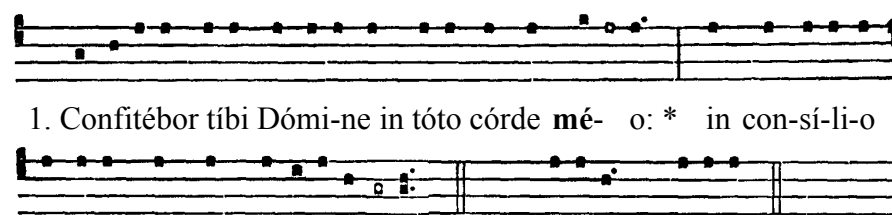
U cundá- re * fí-li-a SÍ-on, exsúlta sa-
tis fí-li-a Jerúsa-lem, alle-lú-ia.

PSALM 110

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor:

* Cantors:



1. Confitébor tibi Dómi-ne in tóto córde mé- o: * in con-sí-li-o

justórum et congrega-ti-ó- ne. Flex : su-órum †

2. (All) Mágna opera Dómini: *
exquisita in ómnes voluntátes éjus.

3. Conféssio et magnificéntia ópus éjus: *
et justítia éjus mánet in sæculum sæculi.

4. Memóriam fécit mirábili-um suórum, † miséricors et
miserátor Dóminus: *
éscam dédit timéntibus se.

5. Mémor érit in sæculum testaménti súi: *
virtútem opérum suórum annuntiábit pópulo súo:

*Ant. In that day * the mountains shall drop down sweet wine, and the hills shall flow with milk and honey. Alleluia.*

*Ant. Sing, O daughter of Zion, * and rejoice with all the heart, O daughter of Jerusalem. Alleluia.*

Psalm 110

1. I will praise thee, O Lord, with my whole heart; * in the council of the just, and in the congregation.

2. Great are the works of the Lord: * sought out according to all his wills.

3. His work is praise and magnificence: * and his justice continueth for ever and ever.

4. He hath made a remembrance of his wonderful works, being a merciful and gracious Lord: * he hath given food to them that fear him.

5. He will be mindful for ever of his covenant: * he will shew forth to his people the power of his works.

6. Ut det illis hæreditatem **géntium**: *
opera mánuum éjus véritas *et iudícium*.
7. Fidélia ómnia mandáta éjus: † confirmáta in sæculum
saéculi: *
fácta in veritáte *et æquitáte*.
8. Redemptiónem mísit pópulo **súo**: *
mandávit in ætérnum testaméntum **súum**.
9. (bow head) Sánctum et terríbile nómen éjus: *
(sit upright) inítium sapiéntiæ **tímor Dómini**.
10. Intelléctus bonus ómnibus faciéntibus **éum**: *
laudátio éjus mánet in sæculum **saéculi**.
11. (bow) Glória Pátri, et **Fílio**, *
et Spirítui **Sáncto**.
12. (sit upright) Sicut érat in princípío, et nunc, et **sémper**, *
et in sæcula sæculórum. **Amen**.

All:

2. Ant.
8. G*

Ucundá-re fí-li-a Sí-on, exsúlta sa-
tis fí-li-a Jerúsa-lem, alle-lú-ia.

ANTIPHON 3

Cantors:

* All:

3. Ant.
5. a

Cce Dóminus véni-et,* et ómnes sáncti éjus cum
é-o : et é-rit in dí-e ílla lux mágna, alle-lú-ia.

PSALM 111
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6. That he may give them the inheritance of the Gentiles: * the works of his hands are truth and judgment.

7. All his commandments are faithful: confirmed for ever and ever, * made in truth and equity.

8. He hath sent redemption to his people: * he hath commanded his covenant for ever.

9. Holy and terrible is his name: * the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.

10. A good understanding to all that do it: * his praise continueth for ever and ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As is was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.

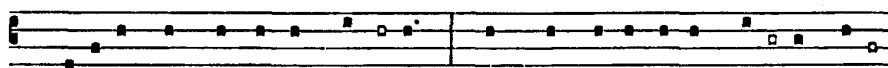
Ant. Sing, O daughter of Zion, * and rejoice with all the heart, O daughter of Jerusalem. Alleluia.

Ant. Behold, the Lord shall come, * and all His saints with Him; and it shall come to pass in that day that the light shall be great. Alleluia.

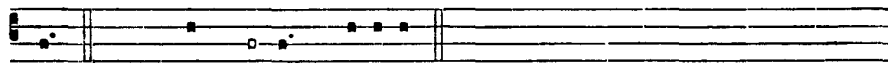
Psalm 111

Cantors:

* Cantors:



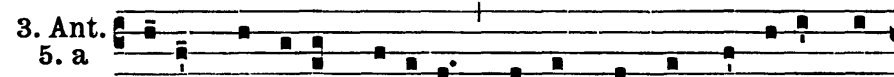
1. Be-átus vir qui tímet **Dóminum**: * in mandá-tis é-jus **vó-** let **ní-**



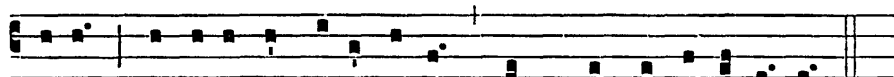
mis. *Flex* : cómmodat, †

2. (*All*) Pótens in térra érit semen **éjus**: *
generátio rectórum **benedicétur**.
3. Glória et divítiae in dómo **éjus**: *
et justítia **éjus** mánet in **sæculum sæculi**.
4. Exórtum est in ténebris lúmen **réctis**: *
miséricors, et miserátor, et **jústus**.
5. Jucúndus hómo qui miserétur et cómmodat, † dispónet
sermónes súos in **judício**: *
quia in ætérnum non **commovébitur**.
6. In memória ætérra érit **jústus**: *
ab auditióne mála **non timébit**.
7. Parátum cor **éjus** speráre in **Dómino**, † confirmátum est cor
éjus: *
non commovébitur dónec despíciat inimícos **súos**.
8. Dispérsit, dédit paupéribus: † justítia **éjus** mánet in **sæculum**
sæculi: *
córnú **éjus** exaltábitur in **glória**.
9. Peccátor vidébit, et irascétur, † déntibus súis frémet et
tabéscet: *
desidérium peccatórum períbit.
10. (*bow*) Glória Pátri, et **Fílio**, *
et **Spirítui Sáncto**.
11. (*sit upright*) Sícút érat in princípíio, et nunc, et **sémper**, *
et in **sæcula sæculórum**. Amen.

All:



3. Ant. 5. a. **C**ce Dóminus véni-et, et ómnes sáncti **éjus** cum



é-o : et é-rit in dí-e ílla lux mágna, alle-lú-ia.

1. Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord: he shall delight exceedingly in his commandments.

2. His seed shall be mighty upon earth: * the generation of the righteous shall be blessed.

3. Glory and wealth shall be in his house: * and his justice remaineth for ever and ever.

4. To the righteous a light is risen up in darkness: * he is merciful, and compassionate and just.

5. Acceptable is the man that sheweth mercy and lendeth: he shall order his words with judgment: * because he shall not be moved for ever.

6. The just shall be in everlasting remembrance: * he shall not fear the evil hearing.

7. His heart is ready to hope in the Lord: his heart is strengthened, * he shall not be moved until he look over his enemies.

8. He hath distributed, he hath given to the poor: his justice remaineth for ever and ever: * his horn shall be exalted in glory.

9. The wicked shall see, and shall be angry, he shall gnash with his teeth and pine away: * the desire of the wicked shall perish.

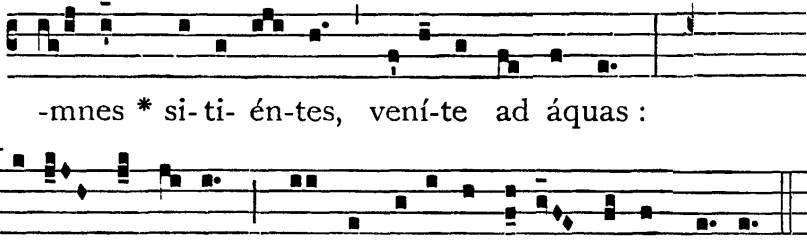
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.

Ant. Behold, the Lord shall come, * and all His saints with Him; and it shall come to pass in that day that the light shall be great. Alleluia.

ANTIPHON 4

Cantors: * All

4. Ant. 7. c



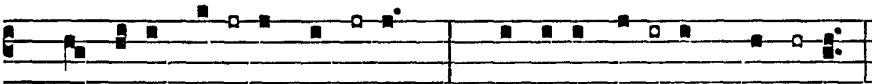
O -mnes * si-ti-én-tes, vení-te ad águas :
quaéri-te Dómi-num, dum invení-ri pótest, alle- lú-ia.

Ant. Lo, every one that thirsteth * come ye to the waters: seek ye the Lord while He may be found. Alleluia.

PSALM 112

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor: * Cantors:



1. Laudáte **pú-e-ri Dóminum** : * laudáte **nó- men Dómi-ni**.
2. (bow) (All) Sit nómen Dómini **benedíctum**, *
(sit upright) ex hoc nunc, et **úsque in sæculum**.
3. A sólis órtu usque **ad occásu**m, *
laudábile **nómen Dómini**.
4. Excélsus super ómnes **géntes Dóminus**, *
et super cælos **glória éjus**.
5. Quis sicut Dóminus Déus nóster, qui in **áltis hábitat**, *
et humília respícit in cælo et in **tér**ra?
6. Súscitans a **tér**ra **ínopem**, *
et de stércore érigens **páuperem**:
7. Ut collócet éum **cum** princípibus, *
cum princípibus **pópuli súi**.
8. Qui habitáre fácit **stérilem in dómo**, *
mátrem filiórurum **lætántem**.
9. (bow) Glória **Pátri**, et **Fílio**, *
et **Spirítui Sáncto**.
10. (sit upright) Sicut érat in princípío, et **nunc**, et **sémper**, *
et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

Psalm 112

1. Praise the Lord, ye children: * praise ye the name of the Lord.
 2. Blessed be the name of the Lord, * from henceforth now and for ever.
 3. From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same, * the name of the Lord is worthy of praise.
 4. The Lord is high above all nations; * and his glory above the heavens.
 5. Who is as the Lord our God, who dwelleth on high: * and looketh down on the low things in heaven and in earth?
 6. Raising up the needy from the earth, * and lifting up the poor out of the dunghill:
 7. That he may place him with princes, * with the princes of his people.
 8. Who maketh a barren woman to dwell in a house, * the joyful mother of children.
- Glory be to the Father, to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.

All:

4. Ant.
7. c

-mnes si-ti-én-tes, vení-te ad águas :
quáeri-te Dómi-num, dum invení-ri pótest, alle- lú- ia.

ANTIPHON 5

Cantors:

* All:

5. Ant.
4. A *

Cce véni- et * Prophéta mágnus, et ípse reno-
vá-bit Jerúsa-lem, alle-lú-ia.

PSALM 113

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor:

* Cantors:

1. In éxi-tu Isra-el de Aegý-pto, * dómus Jácob de pópu-lo bárbaro.

Flex : palpabunt : †

2. (All) Facta est Judaéa sanctificátio éjus, *
Israel potéstas éjus.
3. Máre vídit, et fúgit: *
Jordánis conversus est retrórsum.
4. Móntes exsultavérunt ut aríetes, *
et cólles sicut ágni óvium.
5. Quid est tíbi mare quod fugísti? *
et tu Jordánis, quia convérsus es retrórsum?

Ant. Lo, every one that thirsteth * come ye to the waters: seek ye the Lord while He may be found. Alleluia.

Ant. Behold, a great Prophet * shall arise, and He shall build up a new Jerusalem. Alleluia.

Psalm 113

1. When Israel went out of Egypt, * the house of Jacob from a barbarous people:

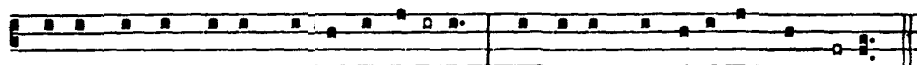
2. Judea was made his sanctuary, * Israel his dominion.

3. The sea saw and fled: * Jordan was turned back.

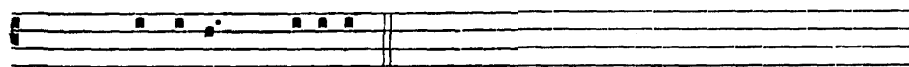
4. The mountains skipped like rams, * and the hills like the lambs of the flock.

5. What ailed thee, O thou sea, that thou didst flee: * and thou, O Jordan, that thou wast turned back?

All:



6. Mōntes exsultāstis sicut **arí**-etes, * et cōlles sic-ut **ági** ó- vi-um?



Flex : palpabunt : †

7. A fácie Dómini móta est **tér**ra, *
a fácie **Déi Jácob**:
8. Qui convértit pétam in stágna **aquá**rum: *
et rúpem in **fóntes aquá**rum.
9. Non nóbis, Dómine, non **nó**bis, *
sed nómini **túo da glóriam**:
10. Super misericórdia túa et veritáte **túa**: *
nequándo dicant géntes: Ubi est **Déus eórum**?
11. Déus autem nóster in **cælo**: *
ómnia quæcúmque **vóluit, fé**cit.
12. Simulácra géntium argéntum et **áurum**, *
ópera **mánuum hó**minum.
13. Os hábent, et non **loquéntur**: *
óculos hábent, et non **vidébunt**.
14. Aures hábent, et non **áudient**: *
náres hábent, et non **odorábunt**.
15. Mánus hábent, et non palpábunt: † pédes hábent, et non
ambulábunt: *
non clamábunt in **gútture súo**.
16. Símites illis fiant qui **fáciunt éa**: *
et ómnes qui **confidunt in éis**.
17. Dómus Israel sperávit in **Dómino**: *
adjútor eórum et **protéctor eórum** est.
18. Dómus Aaron sperávit in **Dómino**: *
adjútor eórum et **protéctor eórum** est.
19. Qui tíment Dóminum speravérunt in **Dómino**: *
adjútor eórum et **protéctor eórum** est.
20. Dóminus mémor **fúit nóstri**: *
et **benedíxit nóbis**.

6. Ye mountains, that ye
skipped like rams, * and ye
hills, like lambs of the flock?

7. At the presence of the Lord
the earth was moved, * at the
presence of the God of Jacob:

8. Who turned the rock into
pools of water, * and the stony
hill into fountains of waters.

9. Not to us, O Lord, not to us;
* but to thy name give glory.

10. For thy mercy, and for thy
truth's sake: * lest the
Gentiles should say: Where is
their God?

11. But our God is in heaven:
* he hath done all things
whatsoever he would.

12. The idols of the Gentiles
are silver and gold, * the
works of the hands of men.

13. They have mouths and
speak not: * they have eyes
and see not.

14. They have ears and hear
not: * they have noses and
smell not.

15. They have hands and feel
not: they have feet and walk
not: * neither shall they cry
out through their throat.

16. Let them that make them
become like unto them: * and
all such as trust in them.

17. The house of Israel hath
hoped in the Lord: * he is
their helper and their
protector.

18. The house of Aaron hath
hoped in the Lord: * he is
their helper and their
protector.

19. They that fear the Lord
have hoped in the Lord: * he
is their helper and their
protector.

20. The Lord hath been
mindful of us, * and hath
blessed us.

21. Benedíxit dómui **Israel**: *
benedíxit dómui **Aaron**.
22. Benedíxit ómnibus qui *timent* **Dóminum**, *
pusíllis cum majóribus.
23. Adjíciat **Dóminus** **súper** vos: *
super vos, et super *fílios* **véstros**.
24. Benedicti vos a **Dómino**, *
qui fécit *cælum* et **térram**.
25. *Cælum cæli* **Dómino**: *
térram autem dédit *filiis* **hóminum**.
26. Non mórtui laudábunt te **Dómine**: *
neque ómnes qui descéndunt in **inférnum**.
27. Sed nos qui vívimus, benedícimus **Dómino**, *
ex hoc nunc et *úsque* in **sæculum**.
28. (*bow*) Glória **Pátri**, et **Fílio**, *
et **Spirítui Sáncto**.
29. (*sit upright*) Sicut érat in princípíio, et *nunc*, et **sémp**er, *
et in *sæcula* **sæculórum**. **Amen**.

All:

5. Ant.
4. A* 

Cce véni- et Prophéta mágnus, et ípse reno-

vá-bit Jerúsa-lem, alle-lú-ia.

All Stand

LITTE CHAPTER *Romans 13:11*

Officiant:

Fratres: Hora est jam nos de somno súrgere: † nunc enim
próprior est nostra salus, * quam cum credídimus.

All: **Deo grátias**.

21. He hath blessed the house
of Israel: * he hath blessed the
house of Aaron.

22. He hath blessed all that
fear the Lord, * both little and
great.

23. May the Lord add
blessings upon you: * upon
you, and upon your children.

24. Blessed be you of the Lord,
* who made heaven and earth.

25. The heaven of heaven is
the Lord's: * but the earth he
has given to the children of
men.

26. The dead shall not praise
thee, O Lord: * nor any of
them that go down to hell.

27. But we that live bless the
Lord: * from this time now
and for ever.

Glory be to the Father, to the
Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As
it was in the beginning, is
now, and ever shall be. Amen.

Ant. . Behold, a great Prophet
* shall arise, and He shall
build up a new Jerusalem.
Alleluia.

Chapter *Romans 13:11*

And that knowing the season;
that it is now the hour for us to
rise from sleep. For now our
salvation is nearer than when
we believed.

Thanks be to God.

HYMN
Creator Alme Siderum

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantors:

Hymn.

4. **C** Re-átor álme síderum, Ætérna lux credénti-um,

Jésu, Redémptor ómni-um, Inténde vó-tis súpli-cum.

(All:)

2. Qui daémonis ne fráudibus Per-í-ret ór-bis, ímpe-tu

(Cantors:)

Amó-ris áctus, lánguidi Múndi medé-la fáctus es. 3. Com-

múne qui múndi né-fas Ut expi-áres, ad crúcem E Vír-

(All:)

ginis sacrá-ri-o Intácta pródis víctima. 4. Cújus poté-

stas gló-ri-ae, Noménque cum primum sónat, Et caéli-tes

(Cantors:)

et ínfe-ri Tremén-te curvántur génu. 5. Te deprecámur,

últimae Mágnum di-é-i Júdi-cem, Armis supérnae grá-

(Bow) (All:)

ti-ae Defénde nos ab hóstibus. 6. Vír-tus, hónor, laus, gló-

Hymn:

Creator of the Stars

1. Dear Creator of the stars,
Eternal light of faithful souls,
Jesus, Redeemer of mankind,
Our humble prayers vouchsafe
to mind.

2. Lest by demonic deceptions
the world would perish; Thou,
by an act of love, became the
cure for the world.

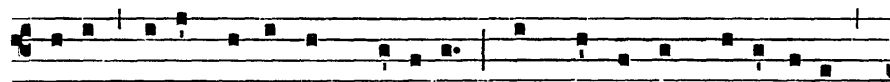
3. Who, that thou mightst our
ransom pay And wash the
stains of sin away, Wouldst
from a Virgin's womb proceed
And on the cross a victim
bleed.

4. Whose glorious power,
whose saving name No sooner
any voice can frame, But
heaven and earth and hell
agree To honour them with
trembling knee.

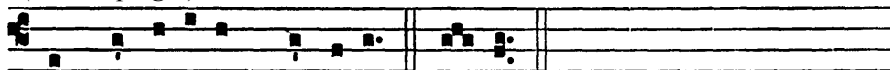
5. Thee, Christ, who at the
latter day Shalt be our Judge,
we humbly pray Such arms of
heavenly grace to send As may
thy Church from foes defend.

6. Be glory given and honour
done To God the Father and
the Son And to the Holy Ghost
on high, From age to age
eternally.

Amen.

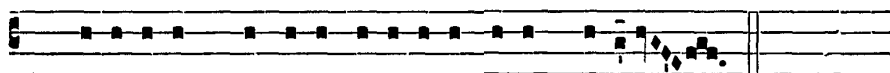


ri-a Dé-o Pátri cum Fí-li-o, Sáncto simul Parácli-to,
(stand upright)



In saeculorum saecu-la. Amen.

Cantors:



Rorate cæli désuper, et nubes plúant jús-tum.

All:



Aperiátur térra, et gérmínet Salvató-rem.

Remain standing.

*V. Drop down, ye heavens,
from above,*

*R. And let the earth be opened,
and bud forth the Savior.*

MAGNIFICAT ANTIPHON AND TONE

ANTIPHON

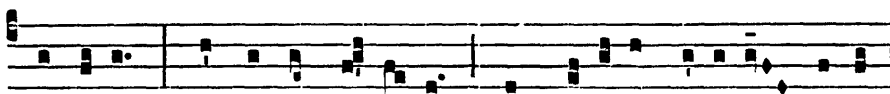
Cantors:

** All:*

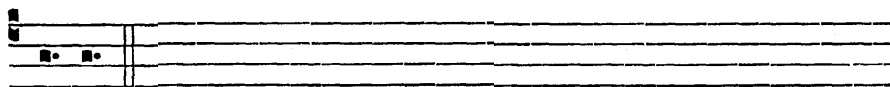
**At Magn.
Ant. 8. G**

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E tíme- as * Marí- a, invenísti grá- ti- am apud



Dóminum : ecce concí- pi- es, et pá-ri- es fí-li- um, alle-



lu- ia.

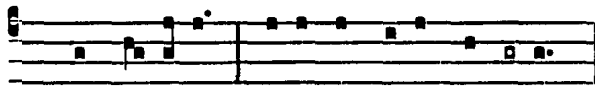
*Ant. Fear not, Mary, * for
thou hast found grace with the
Lord; behold, thou shalt
conceive in thy womb, and
bring forth a son. Alleluia.*

MAGNIFICAT
Canticle of the Blessed Virgin - Luc. 1:46-55

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor:

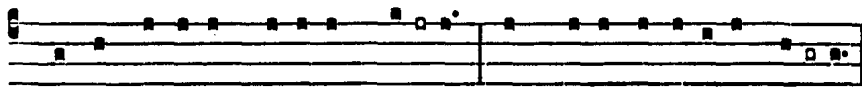
* Cantors:



✠ Make the
sign of the cross.

1. Magní- ficat * á nima mé-a Dóminum.

All:



2. Et exsultávit spí-ritus mé- us * in Dé-o salu-tá-ri mé- o.

3. (Cantors) Quia respéxit humilitátem ancillæ súæ: *
ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dícent ómnes generatiónes.

4. Quia fécit míhi mágna qui pótens est: *
(bow) et sánctum nómen éjus.

5. (rise) Et misericórdia éjus a progénie in progénies *
timéntibus éum.

6. Fécit poténtiam in bráchio súo: *
dispérsit supérbos ménte córdis súi.

7. Depósuit poténtes de séde, *
et exaltávit húmiles.

8. Esuriéntes implévit bónis: *
et dívites dimísit inánes.

9. Suscépit Israel púerum súum, *
recordátus misericórdiæ súæ.

10. Sicut locútus est ad pátres nóstros, *
Abraham et sémini éjus in saécula.

11. (bow) Glória Pátri, et Fílio, *
et Spirítui Sáncto.

12. (rise) Síc ut érat in princípío, et nunc, et sémper, *
et in saécula saeculórum. Amen.

(Canticle of the Blessed Virgin
Luke 1:46-55)

1. My soul (✠) * doth
magnify the Lord.

2. And my spirit hath rejoiced
* in God my Saviour.

3. Because he hath regarded
the humility of his handmaid;
* for behold from henceforth
all generations shall call me
blessed.

4. Because he that is mighty,
hath done great things to me;
* and holy is his name.

5. And his mercy is from
generation unto generations, *
to them that fear him.

6. He hath shewed might in his
arm: * he hath scattered the
proud in the conceit of their
heart.

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

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

9. He hath received Israel his
servant, * being mindful of his
mercy:

10. As he spoke to our fathers,
* to Abraham and to his seed
for ever.

11. Glory be to the Father,
and to the Son, and to the
Holy Spirit.

12. As is was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be.
Amen.

All:

At Magn.
Ant. 8. G

N E tíme- as Marí- a, invenísti grá- ti- am apud
Dóminum : ecce concí- pi- es, et pá- ri- es fí- li- um, alle-
lú- ia.

COLLECT (Remain standing)

Officiant: Dóminus vobíscum.

All: **Et cum spíritu túo.**

Officiant: Orémus.

Excíta, quæsumus Dómine, poténtiam tuam, et veni: † ut ab imminéntibus peccatórum nostrórum perículis, te mereámur protegénte éripi, * te liberánte salvári. Qui vivis et régnas cum Deo Patri in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, * per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

All: **Amen.**

CONCLUSION

Officiant: Dóminus vobíscum.

All: **Et cum spíritu tuo.**

Cantors:

6.

B Enedi-cá-mus Dó- mi-no.

All:

R. Dé- o grá- ti- as.

Officiant (in recto tono): Fidélium ánimæ per misericórdiam Dei requiæscant in pace.

All: **Amen.**

*Ant. Fear not, Mary, * for thou hast found grace with the Lord; behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son. Alleluia.*

Prayer (the Proper of the season)

R. The Lord be with you.

V. And with thy spirit.

R. Let us pray

Stir up, O Lord, we pray thee, thy strength, and come among us, that whereas through our sins and wickedness we do justly apprehend thy wrathful judgments hanging over us, thy bountiful grace and mercy may speedily help and deliver us; Through our Lord Jesus Christ Thy Son: Who with Thee lives and reigns in the unity of the Holy Spirit: through all the ages of ages.

V. Amen.

V. The Lord be with you.

R. And with your spirit.

V. Let us bless the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

V. May the souls of the faithful through the mercy of God rest in peace.

R. Amen.

BENEDICTION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

All kneel.

The Blessed Sacrament is taken out of the tabernacle and placed in the monstrance and exposed to the view of the people (Exposition).

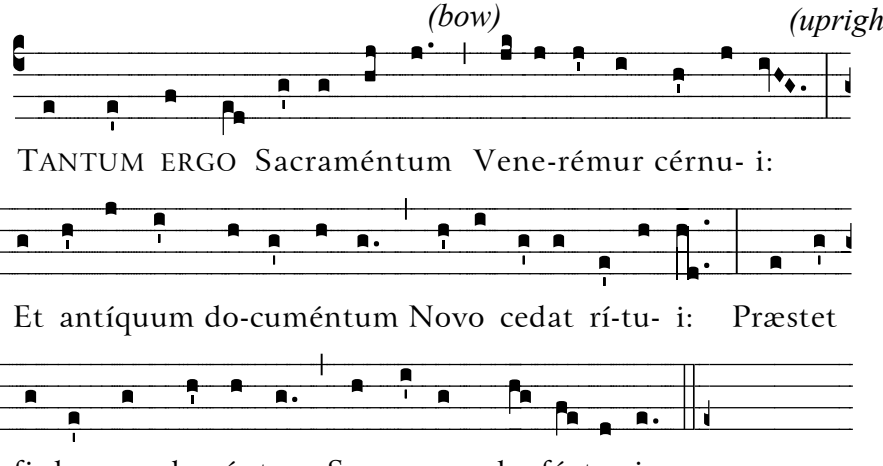
All:

VIII



O Sa-lu-tá-ris Hósti-a, Quæ cæ-li pandis
ó-sti-um, Bel-la premunt hostí-li-a, Da ro-bur, fer
au-xí-li-um. 2. U-ni tri-nóque Dómi-no Sit sempi-
térna gló-ri-a, Qui vi-tam si-ne térmi-no No-bis donet
in pátri-a. A-men.

After a period of meditation and reflection the Tantum ergo is sung:



(bow) (upright)

TANTUM ERGO Sacraméntum Vene-rémur cérnu-i:
Et antíquum do-cuméntum Novo cedat rí-tu-i: Præstet
fi-des suppléméntum Sensu-um de-féctu-i.

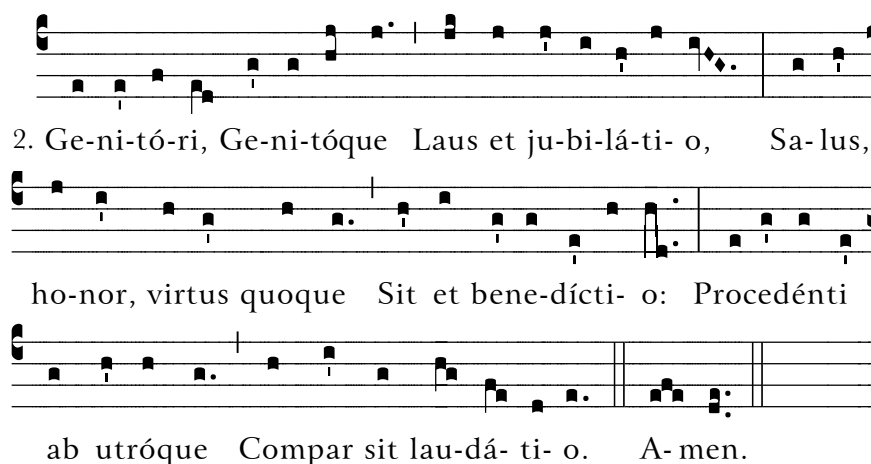
Hymn: O Saving Victim

1. O Saving Victim, opening wide
The gate of heav'n to man below;
Our foes press on from every side;
Thine aid supply, Thy strength bestow.

2. To thy great name be endless praise,
Immortal Godhead, One in Three;
O grant us endless length of days
In our true native land with Thee. Amen.

Hymn: Tantum ergo

1. Therefore we, before him bending,
This great Sacrament revere;
Types and shadows have their ending,
For the new rite is here;
Faith, our outward sense befriending,
Makes the inward vision clear.



2. Ge-ni-tó-ri, Ge-ni-tó-que Laus et ju-bi-lá-ti- o, Sa-lus,
 ho-nor, virtus quoque Sit et bene-dícti- o: Procedénti
 ab utróque Compar sit lau-dá- ti- o. A- men.

Officiant: Panem de cælo præstitisti eis.

All: **Omne delectaméntum in se habéntem.**

Officiant: Orémus: Deus, qui nobis sub Sacraménto mirábili
 passiónis tuæ memóriam reliquisti: † tribue, quaésumus, ita nos
 córporis et sánguinis tui sacra mystéria venerári; ut
 redemptiόνis tuæ fructum in nobis júgiter sentiámus. Qui vivis
 et regnas in saécula sæculórum.

All: **Amen.**

*The celebrant will then bless all present with the Blessed Sacrament.
 The celebrant descends the steps and while kneeling all recite The
 Divine Praises.*

THE DIVINE PRAISES

Blessed be God.
 Blessed be his Holy Name.
 Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.
 Blessed be the Name of Jesus.
 Blessed be his most Sacred Heart.
 Blessed be his most Precious Blood.
 Blessed be Jesus in the most holy Sacrament of the Altar.
 Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.
 Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy.
 Blessed be her holy and Immaculate Conception.
 Blessed be her glorious Assumption.
 Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.
 Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.
 Blessed be God in his Angels and in his Saints.

*2. Glory let us give, and
 blessing To the Father and the
 Son; Honor, might, and praise
 addressing, While eternal ages
 run; Ever too his love
 confessing, Who from both,
 with both is one. Amen.*

*V. You gavest them Bread
 from heaven.*

*R. Containing within itself all
 sweetness.*

*V. Let us pray. Lord Jesus
 Christ, you gave us the
 Eucharist as the memorial of
 your suffering and death. May
 our worship of this sacrament
 of your body and blood, help
 us to experience the salvation
 won for us and the peace of
 the kingdom, where you live
 with the Father and the Holy
 Spirit, one God, for ever and
 ever.*

R. Amen.

REPOSITION

Cantors:

* All:

V
A D-o-rémus * in æ-térnum sanctíssimum Sacra-
méntum. Ps. Laudá-te Dómi-num omnes gentes: * laudá-te
e-um omnes pópu-li. Quó-ni-am confirmá-ta est super
nos mi-se-ri-córdi-a e-jus: * et vé-ri-tas Dómi-ni manet
in æ-térnum. Adorémus.
Gló-ri-a Patri et Fí-li-o, * et Spi-rí-tu-i Sancto.
Sic-ut e-rat in princí-pi-o, et nunc, et semper: * et in
sæcu-la sæcu-ló-rum. Amen. Adorémus.

Hymn:

Let us worship forever the most holy Sacrament. Ps. O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise Him, all ye people. For His mercy is confirmed upon us: and the truth of the Lord remaineth for ever. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

All stand and sing the Marian Antiphon Alma Redemptoris Mater.

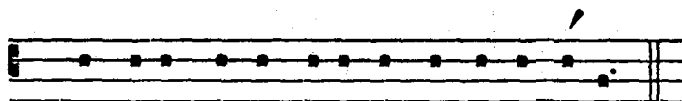
ALMA REDEMPTORIS MATER

Cantor:

** All*

V

A L-ma * Redemptó-ris Ma-ter, quæ pérvī-a cæ-li
 porta manes, Et stella ma-ris, succúrre cadénti súrge-
 re qui cu-rat pópu-lo: Tu quæ genu-ísti, na-tú-ra mi-
 rante, tu-um sanctum Ge-ni-tó-rem: Virgo pri-us ac po-
 sté-ri-us, Gabri-é-lis ab o-re sumens illud Ave, pecca-
 tó-rum mi-se-ré-re.



Officiant: Ángelus Dómini nuntiávit Ma-rí-ae.

All: Et concépit de Spíritu San-cto.

COLLECT

Officiant: Oremus.

Grátiam tuam, quaésumus, Dómine, méntibus nostris infúnde:
 ut qui, Angelo nuntiánte, Christi Filii tui incarnatiónem
 cognóvimus; per passióem eius et crucem, ad resurrectióis
 glóriam perducámur. Per eundem Christum Dóminum nostrum.

All: **Amen.**

Officiant (recto tono): Divínus auxiliúm máneat semper
 nobíscum.

All: **Amen.**

*Holy Mother of our Redeemer,
 thou gate leading to heaven
 and star of the sea; help the
 falling people who seek to
 rise, thou who, all nature
 wondering, didst give birth to
 thy holy Creator. Virgin
 always, hearing that Ave from
 Gabriel's lips, take pity on us
 sinners.*

*V. The angel of the Lord
 declared unto Mary.*

*R. And she conceived of the
 Holy Spirit.*

V. Let us pray.

*Pour forth, we beseech Thee,
 O Lord, Thy grace into our
 hearts: that as we have known
 the incarnation of Thy Son
 Jesus Christ by the message of
 an Angel, so too by His Cross
 and passion may we be
 brought to the glory of His
 resurrection.*

R. Amen.

*V. May the divine assistance
 remain always with us.*

R. Amen.

