

FIRST VESPERS

Saints Peter and Paul



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FIRST VESPERS
SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

All stand for the beginning of Vespers.

INVITATORY

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

Officiant:

All:

ꝝ.
D E-us in adjutó-ri-um mé- um inténde. R. Dómi-
(bow)
ne ad adjuvándum me festí-na. Gló-ri-a Pátri, et Fí-
(upright)
li-o, et Spi- rí-tu-i Sáncto. Sicut érat in princípi-o,
et nunc, et semper, et in saécula saeculó-rum. 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:*

8G

Etrus et Jo-ánnes * ascendébant in templum,

ad ho- ram o-ra-ti- ó-nis no-nam.

PSALM 109

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor:

** Cantors*

All sit.

1. Di-xit Dóminus Dómino **me-** o : * Sede a dextris **me-** is :
2. (*All*) Donec pónam inimícos **túos**, *
scabéllum pédum tuórum.
3. Vírgam virtútis túae emítte Dóminus ex **Sion**: *
domináre in médio inimicórum tuórum.
4. Técum princípium in díe virtútis túae in splendóribus
sanctórum: *
ex útero ante luciférum **génuite**.
5. Jurávit Dóminus, et non pænitébit éum: *
Tu es sacérdos in ætérnum secúndum órdinem
Melchísedech.
6. Dóminus a déxtris **túis**, *
confrégit in díe íræ *suae* **réges**.
7. Judicábit in natióibus, implébit ruínas: *
conquassábit cápita in térra **multórum**.
8. De torrénte in vía **bíbet**: *
proptérea exaltábit **cáput**.
9. (*bow*) Glória Pátri, et **Fílio**, *
et Spirítui **Sáncto**.
10. (*sit upright*) Sicut érat in princípicio, et núc, et **sémper**, *
et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Peter and John * went up together into the Temple at the hour of prayer, being the ninth hour.

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:

8G

P Etrus et Jo-ánnes ascendébant in templum,
ad ho- ram o-ra-ti- ó-nis no-nam.

Ant. Peter and John * went up together into the Temple at the hour of prayer, being the ninth hour.

ANTIPHON 2

Cantors:

7B

A Rgén-tum * et aurum non est mi- hi:
quod au-tem hábe-o, hoc ti-bi do.

PSALM 110

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor:

* Cantors:

1. Confi-tébor ti-bi, Dómi-ne, in to-to cor-de me- o : *
in consí-li-o justó-rum, et congrega- ti- ó- ne. Flex
su-ó-rum †

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

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

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

Ant. Silver and gold have I none, * but such as I have, give I thee.

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.*

Cantors:

5. Me-mor e-rit in sácu-lum testamén- ti su- i : *

virtú-tem ópe-rum su-ó-rum annunti- á-bit pópu-lo su- o :

Flex e-jus †

6. (All) Ut det illis hæreditátem géntium: * opera mánuum éjus véritas et judícium.
7. Fidélia ómnia mandáta éjus: † confirmáta in sáculum saéculi: * fácta in veritáte et aequitáte.
8. Redemptiónem mísit pópulo súo: * mandávit in æténum 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 sáculum saéculi.
11. (bow) Glória Pátri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sáncto.
12. (sit upright) Sicut érat in princípio, et nunc, et sémpre, * et in sácula sáculórum. Amen.

All:

Rgén-tum et aurum non est mi- hi:

quod au-tem hábe-o, hoc ti-bi do.

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

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. Silver and gold have I none, * but such as I have, give I thee.

ANTIPHON 3

Cantors:

* *All:*

Ix-it Ange-lus ad Petrum: * Circúmda ti-bi
vestiméntum tu- um, et sé-que-re me.

PSALM 111

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor:

* *Cantors:*

1. Beá-tus vir, qui timet Dóminum : * in mandá-tis
e-jus vo-let ni- mis. Flex cómodat , †

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 cómodat, † dispónet
sermónes súos in judício: *
quia in æténum non commovébitur.

6. In memória aetérna érit jústus: *
ab auditíone mála non timébit.

7. Parátum cor éjus speráre in Dómino, † confirmátum est cor
éjus: *
non commovébitur dó nec despíciat inimícos súos.

8. Dispérsit, dédit paupéribus: † justítia éjus mánet in sæculum
sæculi: *
córnu éjus exaltábitur in glória.

Ant. The Angel said unto Peter: * Cast thy garment about thee, and follow me.

Psalm 111

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. Peccátor vidébit, et irascétur, † déntibus suis frémet et tabéscet: *
desidérium peccatórum períbit.
10. (bow) Glória Pátri, et Fílio, *
et Spirítui Sáncto.
11. (sit upright) Sicut érat in princípio, et nunc, et sémpér, *
et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

All:

8C

D

Ix-it Ange-lus ad Petrum: Circúmda ti-bi
vestiméntum tu- um, et sé-que-re me.

ANTIPHON 4

Cantors:

* All:

7C2

M

I-sit Dóminus * Ange-lum su- um, et
li-be-rá-vit me de manu He-ró-dis, al-le- lú-ia.

PSALM 112

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor:

* Cantors:

1. Laudá-te, pú-e-ri, Dóminum : * laudá-te no- men Dómi-ni.
2. (bow) (All) Sit nómen Dómini benedictum, *
(sit upright) ex hoc nunc, et úsque in sæculum.
3. A sólis órtu usque ad occásum, *
laudáibile nómen Dómini.

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 Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Ant. The Angel said unto Peter: * Cast thy garment about thee, and follow me.

Ant. The Lord hath sent * His Angel, and hath delivered me out of the hand of Herod. Alleluia.

Psalm 112

1. Praise the Lord, ye children: * praise ye the name of the Lord.

2. (bow head) 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. Excélsus super ómnes géntes Dóminus, *
et super cælos glória éjus.
5. Quis sicut Dóminus Déus nôster, qui in áltis hábitat, *
et humília respícit in cælo et in térra?
6. Súscitans a térra ínopem, *
et de stércore érigens páuperem:
7. Ut collócket éum cum princípibus, *
cum princípibus pôpuli súi.
8. Qui habitáre fácit stérilem in dômo, *
mátre filiòrum lætántem.
9. (bow) Glória Pátri, et Fílio, *
et Spirítui Sáncto.
10. (sit upright) Sicut érat in princípio, et nunc, et sémpre, *
et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

All:

7C2

I-sit Dóminus Ange-lum su- um, et
li-be-rá-vit me de manu He-ró-dis, al-le- lú-ia.

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, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.*

Ant. *The Lord hath sent * His Angel, and hath delivered me out of the hand of Herod. Alleluia.*

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ANTIPHON 5

Cantors:

** All:*

7C

U es Pe-trus, * et super hanc pe-tram

ædi- fi-cábo Ecclé-si- am me- am.

Ant. Thou art Peter * and upon this Rock I will build My Church.

PSALM 116

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantor:

** Cantors:*

1. Laudá-te Dóminum, om-nes gen- tes : * laudá-te
e-um, om-nes pópu-li :

Psalm 116

1. Praise the Lord, all ye nations: * praise him, all ye people.

2. For his mercy is confirmed upon us: * and the truth of the Lord remaineth 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.

2. (All) Quóniam confirmáta est súper nos misericórdia éjus: * et véritas Dómini mánet in æténum.
3. (bow) Glória Pátri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sáncto.
4. (sit upright) Sicut érat in princípio, et nunc, et sémpre, * et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen

All:

7C

U es Pe-trus, et super hanc pe-tram

ædi- fi-cábo Ecclé-si- am me- am.

Ant. Thou art Peter * and upon this Rock I will build My Church.

All stand.

LITTE CHAPTER
Act 12:1-3

Officiant:

Mísit Heródes rex manus, ut affligeret quosdam de ecclesia †
Occídit autem Jacobum fratrem Joánnis gládio. * Videns autem
quia pláceret Judæis, appósuit ut apprehéderet et Petrum.

All: Deo grátias.

*Chapter
Act 12:1-3*

Herod the King stretched forth his hands, to vex certain of the Church. And he killed James, the brother of John, with the sword. And because he saw it pleased the Jews, he proceeded farther to take Peter also.

Thanks be to God.

HYMN
Decor lux aeternitatis

Alternate verses Cantors and All

Cantors:

D 4

E- cō-ra lux æ-terni- tā-tis áure- am Di-

em be- á-tis ir-ri-gá-vit ígnibus, A- poste- ló-rum

quæ co-ró-nat Prínci-pes, Re- ísque in astra lí-be-ram pan-

(All:)

dit vi- am. 2. Mun- di Ma- gíster, atque cæ- li Já-ni-tor,

Romæ pa-réntes, arbi-trí-que génti- um, Per' ensis il-

le, hic per cru-cis victor necem, Vi-tæ sená-tum

(Cantors:)

laure- á-ti póssi-dent. 3. O Ro-ma fe-líx, quæ du- ó-

Hymn:

The beauteous light of God's eternal majesty.

1. The beauteous light of God's eternal majesty Streams down in golden rays to grace this holy day Which crowned the princes of the Apostles' glorious choir, And unto guilty mortals showed the heavenward way.

2. The teacher of the world and keeper of heaven's gate, Rome's founders twain and rulers too of every land, Triumphant over death by sword and shameful cross, With laurel crowned are gathered to the eternal band.

rum Príncipum Es consecrá-ta glo-ri- ó-so sángui-ne:
 Ho- rum cru- ó-re purpu-rá-ta cé-te-ras Excéllis orbis
 (Bow) (All:) una pulchri-tú-di-nes. 4. Sit Tri-ni- tá-ti sempi- té-
 na gló-ri- a, Honor, po-téstas, atque ju-bi- lá-ti- o,
 In' uni- tá-te quæ gu-bérrnat ó-mni- a, Per uni-vérsa
 (stand upright) æ-terni-tá-tis sácu-la. A-men.

Cantors:

In ómnem térram exívit sónus eó-rum.

All:

Et in fínes órbis térræ vérba eó-rum.

Remain standing.

3. *O happy Rome! who in thy martyr princes' blood, A twofold stream, art washed and doubly sanctified.*

All earthly beauty thou alone outshinest far, Empurpled by their outpoured life-blood's glorious tide.

4. *All honour, power, and everlasting jubilee To him who all things made and governs here below,*

To God in essence One, and yet in persons Three, Both now and ever, while unending ages flow. Amen.

V. Their sound hath gone forth into all the earth:

R. And their words unto the ends of the world.

MAGNIFICAT ANTIphon AND TONE

ANTIPHON

Cantors:

* All:

T 1F

U es pastor óvi- um, * Prin- ceps Apo-sto-
ló-rum: ti-bi trá-di-tæ sunt cla- ves regni cæ-ló-rum.

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-fi-cat * á-nima mé- a Dómi-num.

All:

Et exultávit spí- ri-tus mé- us * in Dé-o sa-lu-tá-ri
mé- o.

3. (Cantors) Quia respéxit humilitátem ancillæ súæ: * ecce enim ex hoc beatam me dícent ómnes generatiónes.
4. Quia fécit míhi magna qui pótens est: * (bow) et sánctum nónmen 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.

Prayer {the Proper of the season] for the Magnificat Antiphon, the Magnificat, and the Collect.

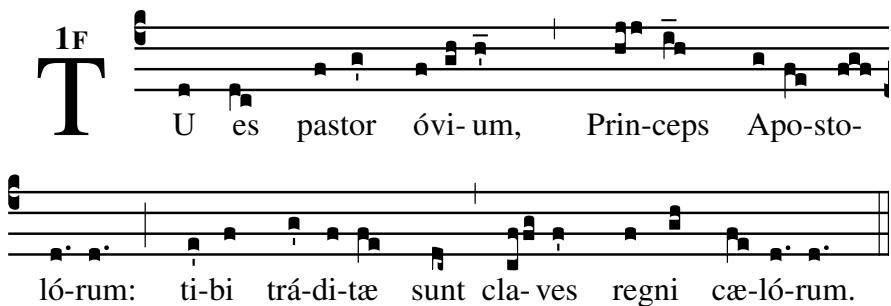
Ant. Thou art the Shepherd of the sheep * and the Prince of the Apostles, and unto thee are given the keys of the kingdom of heaven.

(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. Esuriéntes *implévit bónis*: *
et dívites dimísit *inánes*.
9. Suscépit Israel *púerum súum*, *
recordátus misericórdiae *súae*.
10. Sicut locútus est *ad pátres nóstros*, *
Abraham et sémini éjus *in sæcula*.
11. (*bow*) Glória Pátri, et Fílio, *
et Spirítui Sáncto.
12. (*rise*) Sicut érat in princíprio, *et nunc, et sémp*er, *
et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

All:



(*Remain standing*)

COLLECT

Officiant: Dóminus vobíscum.

All: **Et cum spíritu túo.**

Officiant: Orémus.

Deus, qui nobis sub Sacraménto mirábili passiónis tuae memóriam reliquisti: † tríbue, quaésumus, ita nos córporis et sanguinis tui sacra mystéria venerári; * ut redemptiónis tuae fructum in nobis iúgiter sentiámus: Qui vivis et regnas cum Deo Patre, in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, * per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

All: **Amen.**

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

Ant. *Thou art the Shepherd of the sheep * and the Prince of the Apostles, and unto thee are given the keys of the kingdom of heaven.*

R. *The Lord be with you.*

V. *And with thy spirit.*

R. *Let us pray*

O God, Who didst hallow this day by the Testifying of thine Holy Apostles Peter and Paul, grant unto thy Church, whose foundations Thou wast pleased to lay by their hands, the grace always in all things to remain faithful to their teaching. Through Jesus Christ, thy Son our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.

V. Amen.

CONCLUSION

Officiant: Dóminus vobíscum.

All: **Et cum spíitu tuo.**

Cantors:

2.
B Ene-di-cámus Dó- mi-no.

The musical notation consists of two staves. The first staff begins with a large capital letter 'B' followed by the text 'Ene-di-cámus Dó-'. The second staff begins with a small 'm' followed by 'mi-no.'. Both staves are in common time and feature various note heads (black, white, and diamond) and rests.

All:

Ry. Dé- o grá- ti- as.

The musical notation consists of two staves. The first staff begins with 'Ry.' followed by 'Dé-'. The second staff begins with 'o' followed by 'grá-'. Both staves are in common time and feature various note heads and rests.

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

All: **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).

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All:

VIII

O Sa- lu- tár- is Hóstí- 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-
térra gló- ri- a, Qui vi-tam si-ne térmí-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 cérnui:
Et antíquum do-cuméntum Novo cedat rí-tu- i: Præstet
fi-des suppléméntum Sensu- um de- fectu- i.
2. Ge-ni-tó-ri, Ge-ni-tóque 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.

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. *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.*

Officiant: Panem de cælo præstítisti eis.

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

Officiant: Orémus: Deus, qui nobis sub Sacraménto mirábili passiónis tuæ memóriam reliquísti: tibi quæsumus, ita nos córporis et sanguinis tui sacra mystéria venerári; ut redemptiōnis tuæ fructum in nobis jùgiter sentiámus. Qui vivis et regnas in saécula sæculórum.

All: **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.

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.

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

säcu-la säcu-ló-rum. Amen. Adorémus.

All stand and sing the Marian Antiphon Salve Regina.

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.

SALVE REGINA

Cantor:

* All:

V
S Alve Re-gí-na, * ma-ter mi-se-ri-córdi- æ, Vi-ta, dul-
cé- do, et spes nostra, salve. Ad te clamámus, éxsu-
les, fí-li- i Hevæ. Ad te suspi-rámus, geméntes et flen-
tes in hac lacrimá-rum valle. E-ia ergo, Advo-cá-ta
nostra, illos tu- os mi-se-ri-córdes ó-cu- los ad nos con-
vér-te. Et Je-sum, be-ne-dictum fructum ventris tu- i,
no-bis post hoc exsí- li- um osténde. O cle- mens:
O pi- a: O dulcis Virgo Ma- rí- a.

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Officiant: Ora pro nobis Sancta Dei Gé-netrix.

All: Ut digni efficiámur promissiónibus Chri- sti.

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope! To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve; to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, O most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be worthy of the promises of Christ.

COLLECT

Officiant: Oremus.

Omnípotens sempiterne Deus, qui gloriósae Vírginis Matris Mariae corpus et ánimam, ut dignum Fílii tui habitáculum éffici mereréatur, Spíritu Sancto cooperánte, praeparásti: da, ut cuius commemorationé laetámur; eius pia intercessióne, ab instántibus malis, et a morte perpétua liberémur. Per eundem Christum Dóminum nostrum.

All: **Amen.**

Officiant (recto tono): Divínum auxílium máneat semper nobíscum.

All: **Amen.**

V. Let us pray.

Almighty, everlasting God, who by the cooperation of the Holy Spirit, didst prepare the body and soul of the glorious Virgin-Mother Mary to become a worthy dwelling for Thy Son; grant that we who rejoice in her commemoration may, by her loving intercession, be delivered from present evils and from the everlasting death.

R. Amen.

V. May the divine assistance remain always with us.

R. Amen.

