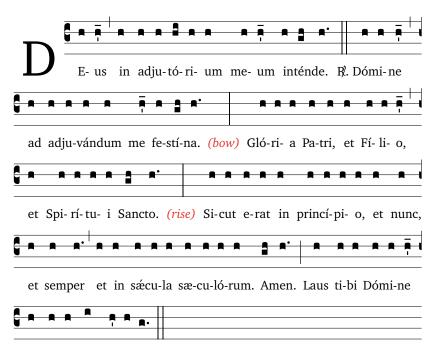
SECOND VESPERS OF ST. JOSEPH

When the leader kneels, all **kneel** and pray silently. Then, when the leader stands, all **stand** and say silently one *Pater noster* (Our Father) and *Ave Maria* (Hail Mary). Then all make the sign of the cross with the leader as he intones:



Rex æ-térnæ gló-ri-æ.

O God, come to my assistance. Y. O Lord, make haste to help me. 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. Praise to Thee, O Lord, King of endless glory.

Psalm 109

Ant. 1. The parents of Jesus were wont to go every year to Jerusalem at the feast of the Passover. Ps. The Lord said to my Lord: Sit thou at my right hand.

All remain standing throughout the first antiphon. After the psalm is intoned by the Cantor, all **sit** at the asterisk.



me- o: * Se-de a dextris me- is:

- 2. Donec ponam ini**mí**cos **tu**os, * scabéllum pe*dum tu***ó**rum.
- 3. Virgam virtútis tuæ emíttet Dómi**nus** ex **Si**on: * domináre in médio inimicó*rum tu***ó**rum.
- 4. Tecum princípium in die virtútis tuæ in splendóri**bus** sanc**tó**rum: * ex útero ante lucíferum *génui* te.
- 5. Jurávit Dóminus, et non pœni**té**bit **e**um: * Tu es sacérdos in ætérnum secúndum órdi*nem Melchí*sedech.
- 6. Dóminus a **dex**tris **tu**is, * confrégit in die iræ *suæ* **re**ges.
- 7. Judicábit in natiónibus, im**plé**bit ruínas: * conquassábit cápita in ter*ra mul*tórum.

- 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 the many.
- 8. He shall drink of the torrent in the way: therefore shall he lift up the head. Glory be.

8. De torrénte in **vi**a **bi**bet: * (*stand*) proptérea exal*tábit* **ca**put.

(bow) Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

(rise) Sicut erat in princípio, et **nunc**, et **sem**per, * et in sæcula sæculórum.

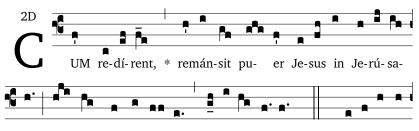
Amen.

The antiphon is repeated: *Ibant...*

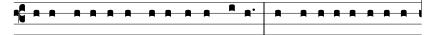
Psalm 110

Ant. 2. When they were returning, the Boy Jesus remained in Jerusalem, and His parents did not know it. Ps. I will praise thee, O Lord, with my whole heart; in the council of the just: and in the congregation.

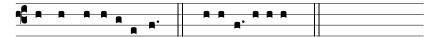
All **stand** as the cantor intones the antiphon, then at the asterisk **sit** and join in singing. The same postures are followed for each of the following psalms.



lem, et non cogno-vé- runt pa-réntes e- jus. ** 1. Confi- té-bor



ti-bi, Dómi-ne, in to-to corde me- o: * in consí- li- o justó-rum,



et congre-ga-ti- ó-ne. Flex: su- ó-rum, †

- 2. Magna ópera **Dó**mini: * exquisíta in omnes voluntá*tes* **e**jus.
- 3. Conféssio et magnificéntia opus ejus: * et justítia ejus manet in séculum séculi.
- 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. Memóriam fecit mirabílium suórum, † miséricors et miserátor Dóminus: * escam dedit timéntibus
- 5. Memor erit in séculum testaménti sui: * virtútem óperum suórum annuntiábit pópulo suo:
- Ut det illis hereditátem géntium: * ópera mánuum ejus véritas, et iudícium.
- 7. Fidélia ómnia mandáta ejus: † confirmáta in sæculum sæculi, * facta in veritate et æquitate.
- Redemptiónem misit pópulo suo: * mandávit in ætérnum testaméntanHoly and terrible is his name: the fear SIIIIM
- Sanctum, et terríbile nomen 9. ejus: * inítium sapiéntiæ timor Dómini.

- 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. 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.
- 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.
- 10. Intelléctus bonus ómnibus faciéntibus eum: * (stand) laudátio ejus manet in sæculum sæculi.

(bow) Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

(rise) Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et **sem**per, * et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

The antiphon is repeated: Cum redirent...

Psalm 111

Ant. 3. Not finding Jesus, they returned to Jerusalem seeking Him, and after three days they found Him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the doctors, hearing them and asking them questions. Ps. Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord: he shall delight exceedingly in his commandments.



requi- réntes e- um: et post trí-du- um inve-né-runt il-lum in tem-



plo se-déntem in mé-di- o doctó-rum, audi- éntem et interro-gán-



tem e- os. ** 1. Be- á-tus vir, qui timet Dó-mi-num: * in mandá-



tis e-jus vo-let ni-mis. Flex: cómmo-dat, †

- 2. Potens in terra erit **se**men **e**jus: * generátio rectórum be**ne**di**cé**tur.
- 3. Glória, et divítiæ in **do**mo **e**jus: * et justítia ejus manet in **s**æculum **s**æculi.
- 4. Exórtum est in ténebris **lu**men **rec**tis: * miséricors, et mise**rá**tor, et **jus**tus.
- 5. Jucúndus homo qui miserétur et cómmodat, † dispónet sermónes suos **in** ju**dício**: * quia in ætérnum non **com**mo**vé**bitur.

- 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. In memória ætérna **e**rit **jus**tus: * ab auditióne mala **non** ti**mé**bit.
- 7. Parátum cor ejus speráre in Dómino, † confirmátum **est** cor ejus: * non commovébitur donec despíciat ini**mí**cos **su**os.
- 8. Dispérsit, dedit paupéribus: † justítia ejus manet in **s**æculum **s**æculi, * (*stand*) cornu ejus exaltábitur in **gló**ria.

(bow) Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

(rise) Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula sæculórum. Amen.

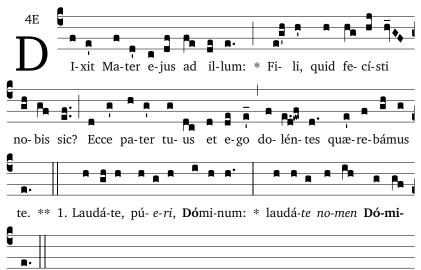
- 6. The just shall be in everlasting remembrance: he shall not fear the evil hearing.
- 7. His heart is ready to hope in the Lord: his heart is strengthened, he shall not be moved until he look over his enemies.
- 8. He hath distributed, he hath given to the poor: his justice remaineth for ever and 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.

The antiphon is repeated: Non invenientes...

Psalm 112

Ant. 4. And His Mother said to Him: Son, why hast Thou done so to us? Behold, Thy father and I have been seeking Thee sorrowing. Ps. Praise the Lord, ye children: praise ye the name of the Lord.



ni.

- 2. Sit nomen Dómini benedíctum, * ex hoc nunc, et usque in sæculum.
- 3. A solis ortu usque *ad occá*sum, * laudábi*le nomen* **Dómi**ni.
- 4. Excélsus super omnes *gentes* **Dó**minus, * et super cælos *glória* **e**jus.
- 5. Quis sicut Dóminus, Deus noster, qui in *altis* **há**bitat, * et humília réspicit in cælo et in **ter**ra?
- 6. Súscitans a *terra* **ín**opem, * et de stércore *érigens* **páupe**rem:
- 7. Ut cóllocet eum *cum princ*ípibus, * cum princípibus *pópuli* **su**i.
- 8. Qui habitáre facit stérilem in **do**mo, * *(stand)* matrem fili*órum læ***tán**tem.

- 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.

(bow) Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

(rise) Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula sæculórum. Amen.

The antiphon is repeated: Dixit Mater ejus ad illum...

Psalm 116

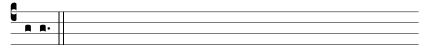
Ant. 5. Jesus went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was subject to them. Ps. O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise him, all ye people.



et e- rat súbdi-tus il-lis.



1. Laudá-te Dómi-num, omnes Gentes: * laudá-te e- um, omnes pó-



pu-li:

- 2. Quóniam confirmáta est super nos misericórdia ejus: * (stand) et véritas Dómini manet in ætérnum.
- (bow) Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

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

Glory be.

(rise) Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula sæculórum. Amen.

The antiphon is repeated: Descendit...

Little Chapter (Proverbs 28:20, 27:18)

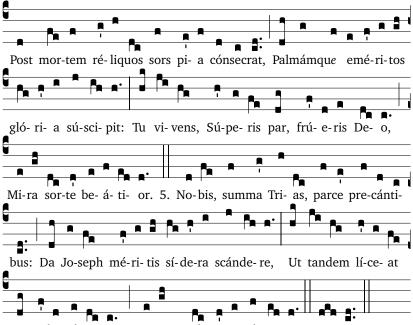
The Officiant leads the Little Chapter:

Vir fidélis multum laudábitur. * Et | A faithful man shall be much praised, and qui custos est Dómini sui, glorificábitum the that is the keeper of his Lord, shall be glorified. R. Thanks be to God.

Hymn

The Cantor leads the hymn:

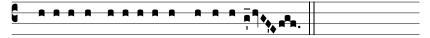




nos ti-bi pérpe- tim Gra-tum pró-me-re cán-ti- cum. A- men.

- 1. Let Angels chant thy praise, pure spouse of purest Bride, While Christendoms sweet choirs the gladsome strains repeat, To tell thy wondrous fame, to raise the pealing hymn, Wherewith we all they glory greet.
- 2. When doubts and bitter fears thy heavy heart oppressed, And filled thy righteous soul with sorrow and dismay, An Angel quickly came, the wondrous secret told, And drove thy anxious griefs away.
- 3. Thy arms thy new-born Lord, with tender joy embrace; Him then to Egypts Land thy watchful care doth bring; Him in the Temples courts once lost thou dost regain, And 'mid thy tears dost greet thy King.
- 4. Not till deaths pangs are oer do others gain their crown, But, Joseph, unto thee the blessed lot was given While life did yet endure, thy God to see and know, As do the Saints above in heaven.
- 5. Grant us, great Trinity, for Josephs holy sake, In highest bliss and love, above the stars to reign, That we in joy with him may praise our loving God, And sing our glad eternal strain.

The Cantor says the following before all reply afterwards:



℣. Gló-ri- a et di-ví- ti- æ in domo e-jus.



R. Et jus-tí-ti- a e-jus ma-net in sécu-lum sécu-li.

V. Glory and riches are in his house. R. And his jutice endureth forever.

Magnificat

Ant Magn. Behold a faithful and prudent servant, whom the Lord has set over His household. Cant. My soul doth magnify the Lord: and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

After the Cantor intones up to the asterisk, all sit and join in singing.

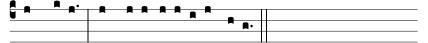


Dómi-nus su-per famí-li- am su- am.

All **stand** and make the sign of the cross with the Cantor.



1. Magní- fi-cat * á-nima me- a Dómi-num. 2. Et exsul-tá-vit spí-ri-



tus me- us * in De- o sa-lu-tá-ri me- o.

- 3. *Quia* respéxit humilitátem ancíllæ **su**æ: * ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes gene*rati***ó**nes.
- 4. *Quia* fecit mihi magna qui **pot**ens est: * et sanctum *nomen* **e**jus.
- 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

- 5. *Et mis*ericórdia ejus a progénie in pro**gé**nies * timén*tibus* **e**um.
- 6. *Fecit* poténtiam in bráchio **su**o: * dispérsit supérbos mente *cordis* **su**i.
- 7. *Depó*suit poténtes de **se**de, * et exal*távit* **hú**miles.
- 8. *Esu*riéntes implévit **bo**nis: * et dívites dimísit in**á**nes.
- 9. *Suscé*pit Israël púerum **su**um, * recordátus misericór*diæ* **su**æ.
- 10. Sicut locútus est ad patres **nos**tros, * Abraham et sémini ejus in **s**écula.

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.
 Glory be.

(bow) Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

(rise) Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula sæculórum.
Amen.

All **sit** and repeat the antiphon: *Non turbetur*..., then **stand** for the prayer.

Collect

The Officiant leads the collect:

V. Dómine exáudi oratiónem meam. R. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.

Orémus. Sanctíssimæ Genitrícis tuæ Sponsi, quæsumus Dómine, méritis adjuvémur: ut quod possibilita Spouse of Thy most holy Mother, so that nostra non óbtinet, ejus nobis intercessidate we cannot obtain of ourselves, may donétur. Qui vivis et regnas cum Deo Patre in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum. R. Amen.

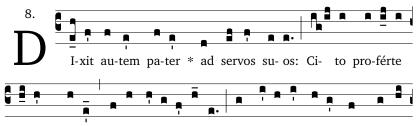
Lord, hear my prayer. R. And let my cry come unto Thee.

Let us pray. We beseech Thee, O Lord. that we may be heped by the merits of the be given to us through his intercession. Who livest and reignest with the Father in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. R. Amen.

For commemorations, the Cantor intones the antiphon and says the responsorial prayer afterwards. The Officiant prays the associated collect.

Commemoration of the Sunday

Ant. But the father said to his servants: bring forth quickly the first robe, and put it on him, and put a ring on his finger, and shoes on his feet.



sto-lam primam, et indú- i-te il-lum, et da-te ánnu-lum in ma-nu



e-jus, et calce- amén-ta in pe-des e-jus.

N. Angelis suis Deus mandávit de te. R. Ut custódiat te in ómnibus viis tuis.

Orémus. Ouésumus, omnípotens Deus, vota humílium réspice: atque ad defensiónem nostram, déxteram He hath given his angels charge over thee. R. To keep thee in all thy ways.

Let us pray. We beseech You, almighty God, hear the prayers of the humble and stretch forth the right hand of Your majesty to protect us. Through Jesus tuæ majestátis exténde. Per Dóminum Christ, thy Son our Lord, Who liveth and nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum: qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sécula seculórum.

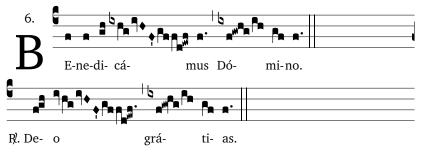
reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end.

R. Amen.

V. Dómine exáudi oratiónem meam. R. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.

R. Amen. V. Lord, hear my prayer. R. And let my cry come unto Thee. V. Let us bless the Lord. R. Thanks be to God.

The Cantor leads the Benedicamus:



The Officiant leads the following responsorial prayers:

V. Fidélium ánimæ, per misericórdiam May the souls of the faithful departed, Dei, requiéscant in pace.

R. Amen.

Pater noster (silently).

À Dóminus det nobis suam pacem.

R. Et vitam ætérnam. Amen.

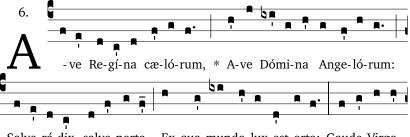
through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Rl. Amen.

Our Father...

May the Lord grant us his peace. R. And life eternal. Amen.

Marian Anthem

The Cantor leads the Marian Anthem and responsorial prayers afterwards, while the Officiant leads the ending collect:



Salve rá-dix, salve porta, Ex qua mundo lux est orta: Gaude Virgo



glo-ri- ó-sa, Su-per omnes spe-ci- ó-sa: Va-le, o valde de-có- ra,



Et pro no- bis Chri-stum ex-ó- ra.

Hail, O Queen of Heaven enthroned. Hail, by angels mistress owned. Root of Jesse, Gate of Morn whence the world's true light was born.

Glorious Virgin, Joy to thee, loveliest whom in heaven they see; fairest thou, where all are fair, plead with Christ our souls to spare.

V. Dignáre me laudáre te, Virgo sacráta.

R. Da mihi virtútem contra hostes tuos.

Orémus. Concéde, miséricors Deus, fragilitáti nostræ præsídium: ut qui sanctæ Dei Genitrícis memóriam ágimus; intercessiónis ejus auxílio, a nostris iniquitátibus resurgámus. Per eúmdem Christum Dóminum nostrum. R. Amen.

The Officiant leads the following:

½ Divínum auxílium máneat semper nobíscum.

Vouchsafe that I may praise thee, O sacred Virgin. R. Give me stength against thine enemies.

Let us pray. Grant, O merciful God, to our weak natures Thy protection, that we who commemorate the holy Mother of God may, by the help of her intercession, arise from our iniquities. Through the same Christ our Lord. R! Amen.

May the divine assistance remain always with us. R. Amen.

R. Amen.

After the Office, all **kneel** and pray in silence for a time.