

VESPERS INSERT FOR SATURDAY, APRIL 23

Vespers today is based on the following Sunday, which is the first after Easter, also called Low Sunday. All is said as in the Eastertide booklet until the Little Chapter, except that the antiphon is sung in full before the psalms, as follows:

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A l-le-lú-ia, * al-le-lú-ia, al-le-lú-ia. ** 1. Be-ne-díctus Dómi-nus, De-us me-us, qui do-cet ma-nus me-as ad **præli-** um, * et dí-gi-tos me-os ad **bel-** lum.

Little Chapter (1 John 5:4)

The Officiant leads the Little Chapter:

Caríssimi: Omne, quod natum est ex Deo, vincit mundum: † et hæc est victoria, quæ vincit mundum, * fides nostra. R. Deo gratias.

Beloved: Whatsoever is born of God, overcometh the world: and this is the victory which overcometh the world, our faith. R. Thanks be to God.

Hymn

The hymn *Ad cenam agni providi* and versicle *R. Mane nobiscum...* are said as given in the booklet for Eastertide.

Magnificat

Ant. Magn. When it was late that same day, the first of the week, though the doors where the disciples gathered had been closed, Jesus stood in the midst and said to them: Peace be to you, alleluia.

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

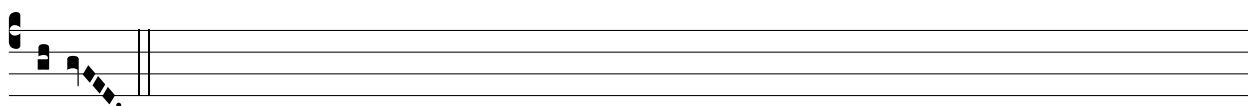
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C UM esset se-ro * di-e il-la u-na sab-ba-tó-rum, et fo-res essent clausæ, u-bi e-rant di-scí-pu-li congre-gá-ti, ste-tit Je-sus in mé-di-o, et di-xit e-is: Pax vo-bis, al-le-lú-ia.

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 suæ: * ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes generatiónes.

4. Quia fecit mihi magna qui potens est: * et sanctum nomen ejus.

5. Et misericórdia ejus a progénie in progénies * timéntibus eum.

6. Fecit poténtiam in bráchio suo: * dispérsit supérbos mente cordis sui.

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

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

9. Suscépit Israël púerum suum, * recordátus misericórdiæ suæ.

10. Sicut locútus est ad patres nostros, * Abraham et sémini ejus in sæcula.

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

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

All **sit** and repeat the antiphon: *Cum esset sero...*, then **stand** for the prayer.

Collect

The Officiant leads the collect:

℣. Dómine exáudi oratióne meam.

℟. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.

Orémus. Præsta, quæsumus, omnipotens Deus: ut, qui paschália festa perégimus, hæc, te largiénte, móribus et vita teneámus. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum: qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum. ℟. Amen.

℣. Dómine exáudi oratióne meam.

℟. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.

The Cantor leads the Benedicamus:



The Officiant leads the following prayers:

℣. Fidélium ánimæ, per misericórdiam Dei, requiéscant in pace.

℟. Amen.

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

Let us pray. Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, that we who have celebrated the Paschal Feast, may, by Thy bounty, retain its fruits in our daily habits and behavior. Through Jesus Christ, thy Son our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. ℟. Amen.

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

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. ℟. Amen.

Pater noster (*silently*).

℣. Dóminus det nobis suam pacem.

℟. Et vitam ætérnam. Amen.

Our Father...

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

The Cantor leads the Marian anthem: The Marian anthem *Regina Caeli* follows (no. 221 in the *Traditional Roman Hymnal*).

The Officiant leads the following:

℣. Divínium auxílium máneat semper nobíscum.

℟. Amen.

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