

## VESPERS INSERT FOR SATURDAY, JULY 16

Vespers today is based on the following Sunday, which is the Sixth Sunday after Pentecost. All is said as given in the main booklet until the Little Chapter.

### Little Chapter (Romans 11:33)

*The Officiant leads the Little Chapter:*

O Altitúdo divitiárum sapiéntiæ, et sciéntiæ Dei, † quam incomprehensibília sunt judícia ejus, et investigábiles viæ ejus!

℟. Deo grátias.

*O the depth of the riches of the wisdom and of the knowledge of God! How incomprehensible are his judgments, and how unsearchable his ways! ℟. Thanks be to God.*

### Hymn

*The Cantor leads the hymn:*

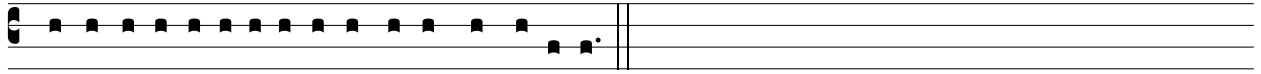
VIII  
J AM sol re-cé-dit ígne- us: Tu lux per-énis U-ni-tas, Nostris be- á- ta Trí- ni- tas Infún-de  
lumen córdi-bus. 2. Te ma-ne laudum cármi-ne, Te depre-cámur véspe-re: Digné-ris ut te súppli-ces  
Laudé- mus inter cé-li- tes. 3. Pa-tri simúlque Fí- li- o, Ti- bíque Sancte Spí- ri- tus, Si-cut fu- it, sit  
jú- gi- ter Sáeclum per omne gló-ri- a. A- men.

1. As fades the glowing orb of day, To thee, great source of light, we pray; Blest Three in One, to every heart Thy beams of life and love impart.

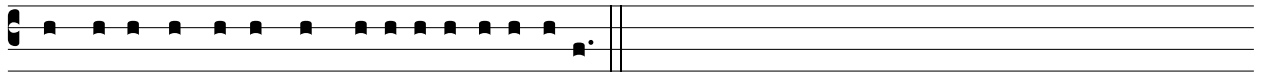
2. At early dawn, at close of day, To thee our vows we humbly pay; May we, mid joys that never end, With thy bright saints in homage bend.

3. To God the Father, and the Son, And Holy Spirit, Three in One, Be endless glory, as before The world began, so evermore. Amen.

*The Cantor says the following before all reply afterwards:*



Ÿ. Vesper-tí-na o-rá-ti-o ascéndat ad te, Dómi-ne- .

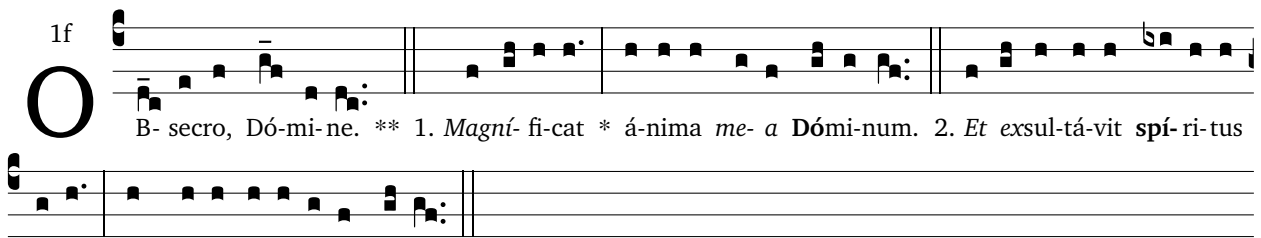


℞. Et descéndat su-per nos mi-se-ri-córdi-a tu-a- .

Ÿ. Let the evening prayer ascend unto thee, O Lord. ℞. And let there descend upon us thy mercy.

## Magnificat

*The Cantor intones the Magnificat and leads the first verse:*



B- secro, Dó-mi-ne. \*\* 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 ancillæ 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 \* tíméntibus 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.

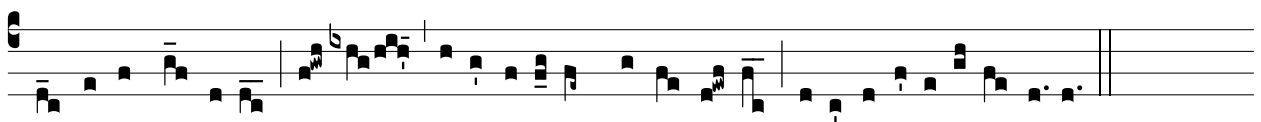
9. Suscépit Israël púerum suum, \* recordátus misericórdiæ suæ.

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 princípío, et nunc, et semper, \* et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

All sit and sing the antiphon together.



Ob-secro, Dó-mi-ne, au- fer i-niqui-tá-tem ser-vi tu- i, qui- a insi-pi- énter e-gi.

Ant. I beseech thee, O Lord, do away the iniquity of thy servant, for I have done very foolishly.

All stand for the reading of the collect prayer by the Officiant.

## Collect

*The Officiant leads the collect:*

℣. Dómine exáudi oratióne meam.  
℟. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.

Orémus. Deus virtútum, cujus est totum quod est óptimum: ínsere pectóribus nostris amórem tui nóminis, et præsta in nobis religiónis augméntum; ut, quæ sunt bona, nútrias, ac pietátis stúdio, quæ sunt nutríta, custódias. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum: qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǎcula sǎculórum. ℟. Amen.

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

Let us pray. Lord of all power and might, Who art the Author and Giver of all good things, graft in our hearts the love of thy Name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and, of thy great mercy, keep us in the same. 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.

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

## Commemoration of St. Alexius of Rome, Confessor (July 17)

Ant. I will liken him to a wise man that built his house upon a rock.

1.  I-mi-lá-bo e- um \* vi-ro sa- pi- énti, qui æ-di- fi-cá-vit domum su- am supra pe-tram.

℣. Amávit eum Dóminus, et ornávit eum.  
℟. Stolum glóriæ induit eum.

The Lord loved him and adorned him. ℟. He clothed him with a robe of glory.

Orémus. Deus, qui nos beáti Aléxii Confessóris tui ánnua solemnitate lætíficas: concéde propítius; ut cujus natalícia cólimus, étiam actiões imitémur. Per Dóminum.

Let us pray. O God, Who, year by year, dost gladden us by the solemn feast-day of thy blessed confessor Alexis, mercifully grant unto all who keep his birthday, grace to follow after the pattern of his godly conversation.

## Commemoration of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Ant. The glory of Lebanon shall be given unto it, the excellency of Carmel and Sharon, alleluia.

VIII  LÓ-ri- a Lí-ba-ni \* da-ta est e- i, de-cor Carmé-li et Sa-ron, al-le-lú-ia.

℣. Dignáre me laudáre te, Virgo sacráta.  
℟. Da mihi virtútem contra hostes tuos.

℣. The Lord loved him and beautified him. ℟. He clothed him with a robe of glory.

Orémus. Deus, qui beatíssimæ semper Vírginis et Genetrícis tuæ Mariæ singulári título Carméli órđinem decorásti: concéde propítius; ut, cujus hódie Commemoratiónem solémni celebrámus officio, ejus muníti præsídiis, ad gáudia sempitérna perveníre mereámur: Qui vivis et regnas cum Deo Patre, in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǎcula sǎculórum. ℟. Amen.

Let us pray. O Lord, Who hast given this excellency unto the Order of Carmel that the same should be especially styled the Order of the Most Blessed Mary, always a Virgin, thine Own Mother; mercifully grant that we who on this day do renew her memory in solemn worship, may worthily be shielded by her protection, and finally attain unto thine everlasting joy. Who livest and reignest with God the Father in the unity of the Holy

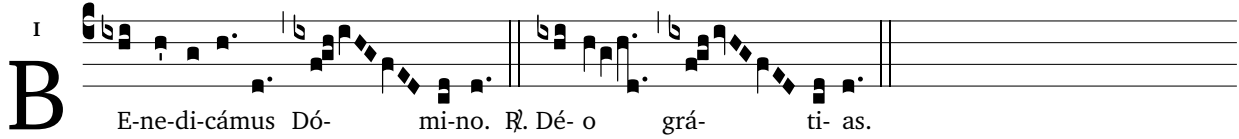
Spirit, God, world without end. *R.* Amen.

*The Officiant leads the following:*

℣. Dómine exáudi oratióem meam.  
℟. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.

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

*The Cantor leads the Benedicamus:*



*The Officiant leads the following prayers:*

℣. Fidélium ánimæ, per misericórdiam Dei, requiéscent in pace.  
℟. Amen.

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

Pater noster (*silently*).

Our Father . . .

℣. Dóminus det nobis suam pacem.  
℟. Et vitam ætérnam. Amen.

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

*The Cantor leads the Marian anthem: Salve Regina follows (no. 244 in the Traditional Roman Hymnal).*

*The Officiant leads the following:*

℣. Divínium auxílium máneat semper nobíscum.  
℟. Amen.

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