**PSALM 148**

Laudete Dominum de caelis.

*All creatures are invited to praise their Creator.*

Alleluia.

**1** Praise ye the Lord from the heavens: praise ye him in the high places.

**2** Praise ye him, all his angels, praise ye him, all his hosts.

**3** Praise ye him, O sun and moon: praise him, all ye stars and light.

**4** Praise him, ye heavens of heavens: and let all the waters that are above the heavens

**5** praise the name of the Lord. For he spoke, and they were made: he commanded, and they were created.

**6** He hath established them for ever, and for ages of ages: he hath made a decree, and it shall not pass away.

**7** Praise the Lord from the earth, ye dragons, and all ye deeps:

**8** Fire, hail, snow, ice, stormy winds, which fulfil his word:

**9** Mountains and all hills, fruitful trees and all cedars:

**10** Beasts and all cattle: serpents and feathered fowls:

**11** Kings of the earth and all people: princes and all judges of the earth:

**12** Young men and maidens: let the old with the younger, praise the name of the Lord:

**13** for his name alone is exalted.

**14** The praise of him is above heaven and earth: and he hath exalted the horn of his people. A hymn to all his saints to the children of Israel, a people approaching to him. Alleluia.