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September 14 The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

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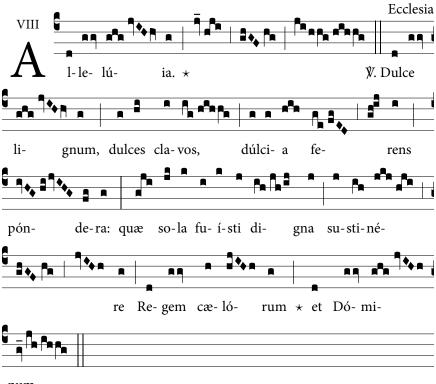
We ought to glory in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, in whom is our salvation, life, and resurrection; by whom we are saved and delivered. V. May God have mercy on us, and bless us; may He let His face shine upon us, and have mercy on us.

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Christ became for us obedient unto death, even to death on a cross. V. Therefore God also has exalted Him and has given Him the name that is above every name.

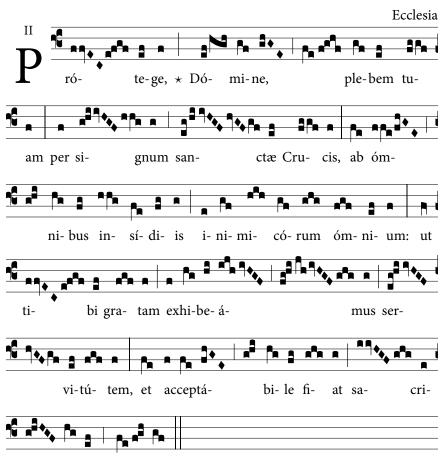
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Sweet wood, sweet nails, bearing a sweet weight, which alone were worthy to bear the King of heaven and the Lord.

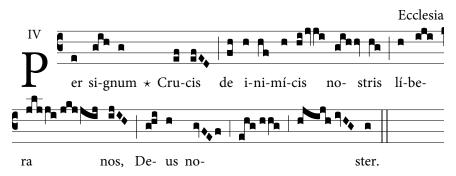
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Protect Your people, O Lord, by the sign of the holy cross, from the snares of all enemies, that we may exhibit to You all-pleasing service, and our sacrifice may become acceptable.

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By the sign of the cross deliver us from our enemies, O You who are our God.