

VESPERS II: THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER, 2025

LECTIONARY

INTRODUCTION

STAND

D E-us in adju-tó-ri- um me- um inténde. R. Dómine ad adjuvándum me fe-stí-na. Gló-
ri- a Patri, et Fí-li- o, et Spi- rí- tu- i Sancto. Sic-ut e-rat in princí-pi- o, et nunc, et semper,
et in saécu-la saecu-ló-rum. Amen. Alle-lú-ia.

HYMN: "AD CENAM AGNI PROVIDI"

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Hymn
A s we a- wait the Lamb's high feast in snow- white robes of sav- ing grace,
we sing to Christ, our Prince and Head, for we have crossed the Red Sea tide.
2. His ho- ly Bod- y, parched and seared upon the altar of the Cross, his crimson Blood,
outpoured for us, we taste and so we live for God.
3. Pro- tected on the paschal eve from dev- asta- ting angel sword, we were de- liv- ered
and set free from Pharaoh's harsh and bit- ter rule.
4. And now, our Pasch is Christ himself, the pure and spotless Lamb once slain, unleav-

ened bread of truthfulness, who gives his flesh in sacri- fice.

5. O worthy Vic- tim, real and true, who rends and breaks the pow'r of hell, the cap- tives there have been redeemed and now enjoy the prize of life.

6. Christ ris- es from the tomb indeed, tri- umphant Victor from the depths, who thrusts the ty- rant down in chains and clears the way to Par- a- dise.

7. O Je- sus, be for mind and heart our ev- erlasting paschal joy and gather us, re- born by grace, to share your tri- umphs ev- ermore.

8. To you, Lord Je- sus, glo- ry be, who shine in vict'ry o- ver death, with God the Father, ev- er blest, and lov- ing Spir- it, ev- er one.

A-men.

PSALMODY

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Psalm 110[109]

Ant. 1
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P Urga- ti- ónem * pecca-tó-rum fa-ci- ens, se-det ad dexte-ram ma-ies-tá-tis, al-le- lú-ia.

Hebr 1, 3
Ps. 110

The Lord's re-ve-lation to my Master: † Sit on my right: * your foes I will put *beneath* your feet.

The Lord will wield from Zion †
your **scepter of** power: *
rule in the midst *of* all **your** foes.

A prince from the day of your birth †
on the **holy mountains**; *
from the womb before the dawn *I* begot you.

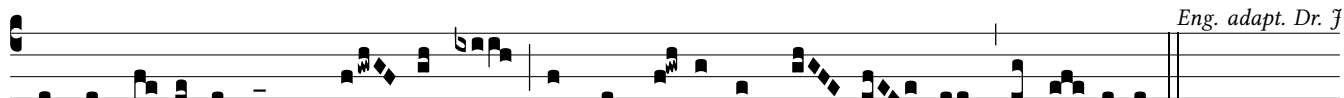
The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change. †
"You are a **priest** for ever, *
a priest like Melchizedek **of** old."

The Master standing **at** your **right** hand *
will shatter kings in the *day* of **his** wrath.

He shall drink from the **stream** by the **wayside** *
and therefore he shall *lift* up **his** head.

Gloria Patri, et Filio, * et Spiritui Sancto.
Sicut erat in principio, et **nunc**, et **semper**, *
et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.


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He has pur-i-fied us * from our sins, and is sea-ted at God's right hand, al-le-lú-ia.

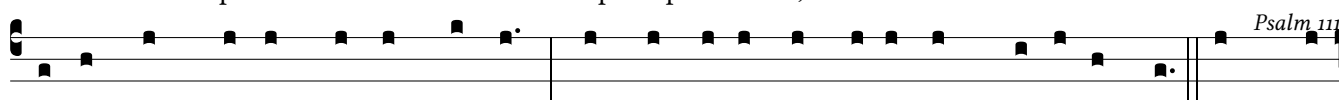
Psalm 111[110]

Ant. 2
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R ed-empti-ónem * mi-sit Dómi-nus pó- pu-lo su-o, al-le-lú-ia.

Psalm 111



I will thank the Lord with all **my** heart * in the mee-ting of the just and *their* assembly. *Flex.* to his
pe- ople; †-

Great are the works of **the** Lord, *
to be pondered by *all* who **love** them.

Majestic and glorious **his** work, *
his justice stands *firm* for **ever**.
He makes us remember his **wonders**. *
The Lord is *compassion and* love.

He gives food to those who **fear** him; *
keeps his covenant ever **in** mind.
He has shown his might to his **people** *
by giving them the lands *of* the **nations**.

His works are justice **and** truth, *
his precepts are *all* of **them** sure,

standing firm for ever and **ever**; *
they are made in *uprightness and* truth.

He has sent deliverance to his people †
and established his covenant for **ever**. *
Holy his *name*, to **be** feared.

To fear the Lord is the first stage of wisdom; †
all who do so prove *themselves* wise. *
His praise shall *last* for **ever**!

Gloria Patri, et Filio, * et Spiritui Sancto.
Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et **semper**, *
et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.



The Lord * has re-deemed his people, al-le-lú-ia.

Canticle: Wedding Feast of the Lamb

Ap 19, 1

VIII

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L-le-lú-ia, * audí-vi qua-si vo-cem magnam turbá-rum multá-rum in cæ-lo di-cénti-um :

Alle-lú-ia, al-le-lú-ia.

Cant.

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alvation, glo-ry and power to our God, R. Alle- lú-ia. V.

His judgments are honest and true. R. Alle-lú-ia. Alle- lú-ia. V.

Sing praise to our God, all you his ser-vants. R. Alle- lú-ia. V.

All who worship him rev-er-ently, great and small. R. Alle-lú-ia. Allé- lu-ia. V.

The Lord our all-powerful God is King. R. Alle- lú-ia. V.

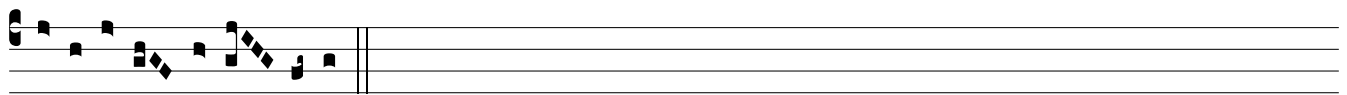
Let us re-joice, sing praise, and give him glo-ry. R. Alle-lú-ia. Alle- lú-ia. V.

The wedding feast of the Lamb has be-gun, R. Alle- lú-ia. V.

and his bride is pre-pared to welcome him. R. Alle-lú-ia. Alle- lú-ia. V.

Gló-ri-a Patri, et Fí-li-o, R. Alle- lú-ia. V. et Spi-rí-tu-i Sancto. R. Alle-lú-ia. Alle- lú-ia. V.

Si-cut e-rat in princi-pi-o, et nunc et semper, R. Alle- lú-ia. V. et in sæcu-la sæcu-ló-rum. Amen. R.

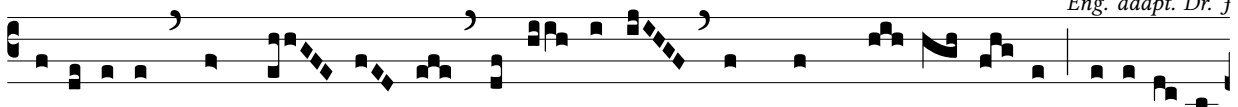


Alle-lú-ia. Alle- lú-ia.

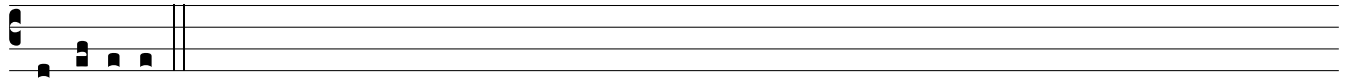
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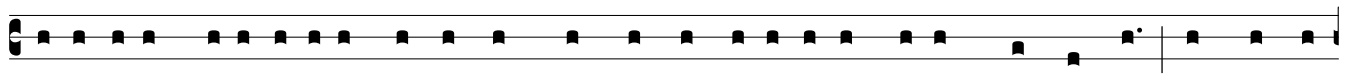


L-le-lú-ia, * our Lord is king; let us re-joyce and give glo- ry to- him, Alle-lú-ia,

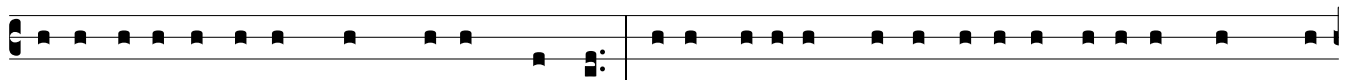


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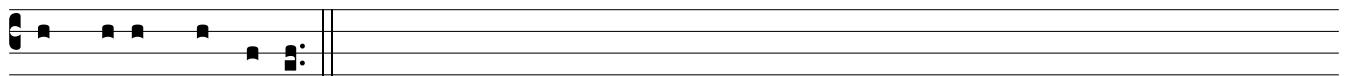
READING: HEBREWS 10:12-14



Je-sus offered one sacri-fice for sins and took his seat for-ev-er at the right *hand of God*; now he waits



until his e-nemies are placed beneath **his** feet. By one offer-ing he has fo-re-ver perfected those who

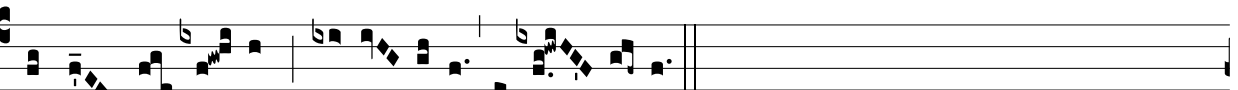


are be- ing sancti-fied.

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he Lord is ri- sen, * Alle- lú-ia, al-le- lú- ia.-



R. The Lord is ri- sen, * Alle- lú-ia, al-le- lú- ia.-



V. He has appeared to Si- mon. * Alle- lú-ia, al-le- lú- ia.



V. Gló-ri- a Pátri, et Fí- li- o, et Spi- rí- tu- i Sáncto.-



R. The Lord is ri- sen, * Alle- lú-ia, al-le- lú- ia.-

GOSPEL CANTICLE

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I- xit Je-sus * di-scí-pu-lis su- is : Af-fér- te de písci-bus quos prendi-dí- stis nunc. Ascéndit

autem Si-mon Pe-trus, et tra-xit re-te in terram, plenum magnis písci-bus, al-le-lú-ia.

Canticle of Mary, Luke 1:46-55

My ✠ soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord: † my spi-rit re-joices in God my sa- vior: * for He has
looked with fa-vor on His lowly servant.

From this day all generations will call me blessed: †
the Almighty has done great things **for** me, *
and holy is **his** Name.

He has mercy on those who **fear** him *
in every *generation*.

He has shown the strength of **his** arm, *
he has scattered the proud *in* their **conceit**.

He has cast down the mighty from **their** thrones, *
and has lifted *up* the **lowly**.

He has filled the hungry with **good** things, *
and the rich he has sent *away* **empty**.

He has come to the help of his servant **Israel** *
for he has remembered his *promise* of **mercy**,
the promise he made to our **fathers**, *
to Abraham and his *children* for **ever**.

Gloria Patri, et **Filio**, * et Spiritui **Sancto**.
Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et **semper**, *
et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.

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JE- sus said * to his disci- ples : Bring me some of the fish you have just caught. Simon Pe-ter went
aboard and hauled ashore the net, full of large fish, al-le-lú-ia.

INTERCESSIONS

With joy in our hearts, let us call upon Christ the Lord, who died and rose again, — and lives always

to intercede for pray:

Victorious King, hear our prayer.

With joy in our hearts, let us call upon Christ the Lord, who died and rose again,
— and lives always to intercede for us:
Victorious King, hear our prayer.

Light and salvation of all peoples, send into our hearts the fire of your Spirit,
— as we proclaim your resurrection.
Victorious King, hear our prayer.

Let Israel recognize in you her longed-for Messiah,
— and the whole earth be filled with the knowledge of your glory.
Victorious King, hear our prayer.

Keep us in the communion of your saints,
— and grant us rest from our labors in their company.
Victorious King, hear our prayer.

You have triumphed over death, your enemy; destroy in us the power of death,
— that we may live only for you, victorious and immortal Lord.
Victorious King, hear our prayer.

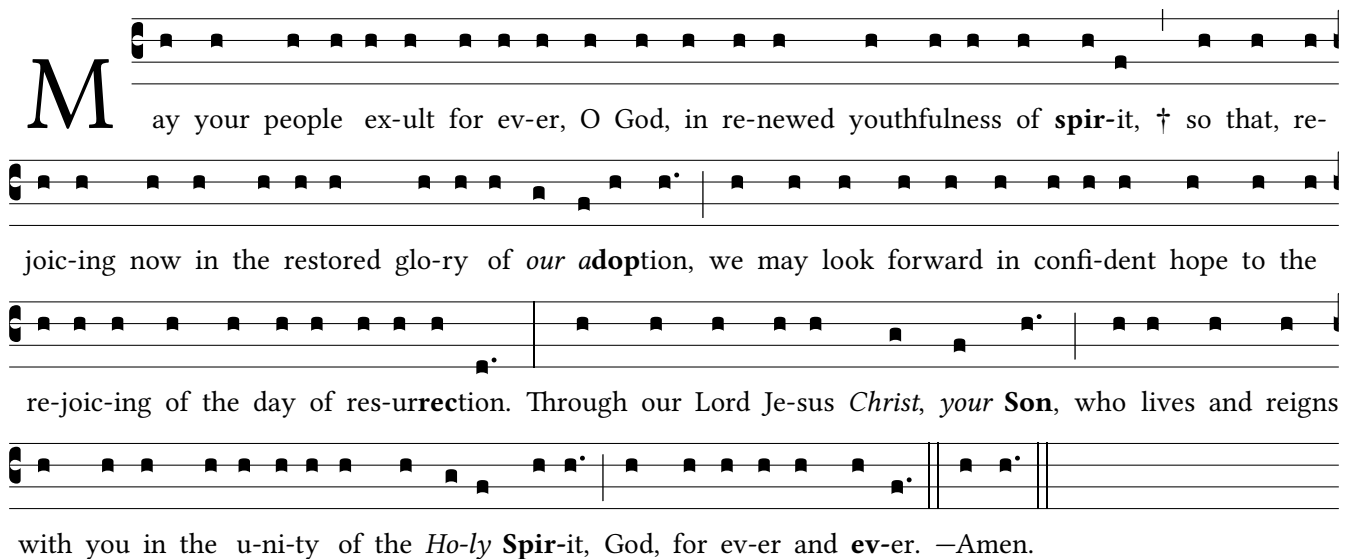
Savior Christ, you were obedient even to accepting death, and were raised up to the right hand of the Father,
— in your goodness welcome your brothers and sisters into the kingdom of your glory.
Victorious King, hear our prayer.

OUR FATHER

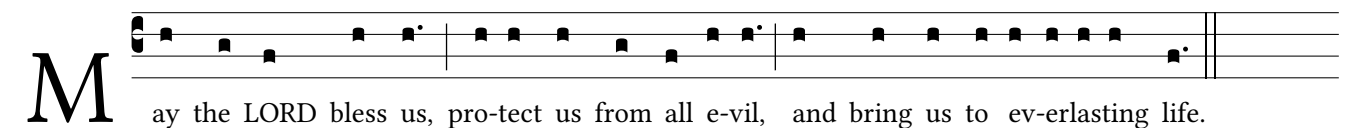


Our father, * who art in heaven: hal-lowed be thy name; thy king-dom come; thy will be done,-
on Earth as it is in Hea- ven. Give us this day our dai-ly bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as
we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into tempta-tion; but de-li-ver us from e- vil.

PRAYER & DISMISSAL



May your people ex-ult for ev-er, O God, in re-newed youthfulness of spir-it, † so that, re-
joic-ing now in the restored glo-ry of our adop-tion, we may look forward in confi-dent hope to the
re-joic-ing of the day of res-urrection. Through our Lord Je-sus *Christ*, your **Son**, who lives and reigns
with you in the u-ni-ty of the *Ho-ly Spir-it*, God, for ev-er and **ev-er**. —Amen.



May the LORD bless us, pro-tect us from all e-vil, and bring us to ev-erlasting life.

The Antiphon Regina Cæli to the Blessed Virgin Mary is traditionlly sung at Night Prayer (Compline) throughout the Easter Season.

VI

R E-gí-na cae-li * lae-tá-re, al-le-lú-ia : Qui- a quem me-ru- í-sti portá-re, al-le-lú-ia : Re-surré-xit,

sic-ut di-xit, al-le-lú-ia : O-ra pro no-bis De-um, al-le-lú- ia.