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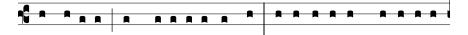
SUNDAY, WEEK I

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e- us, in adiu-tó-ri- um me- um inténde. *God, come to my assistance.*

R. Dómi-ne, ad adiu-vándum me festí-na. Gló-ri- a Patri, Lord, make haste to help me. Glory to the Father,



et Fí-li- o, et Spi-rí-tu- i Sancto. Sic-ut e-rat in princí-pi- o, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning,

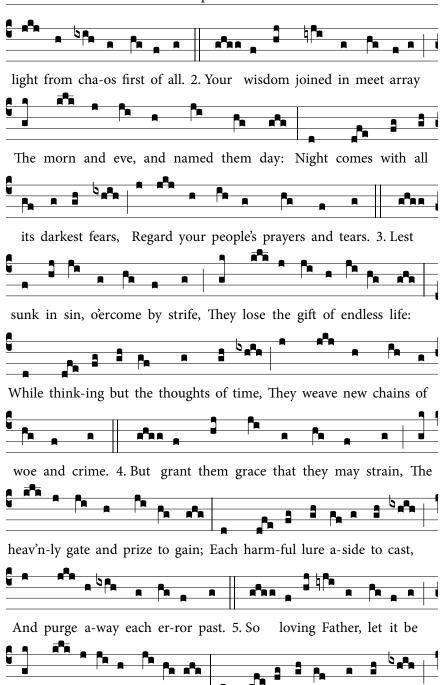


et nunc et semper, et in sæcu-la sæcu-ló-rum. Amen. Alle-lú-ia. is now, and ever shall be, unto the age of ages.

Hymnus



with radiance bright And o'er the forming world did call The



And Son of e-qual De-i- ty, And Ho- ly Spi-rit Counsel- lor,



Who lives and reigns for ev-ermore. A-men.

ANTIPHONA



me- is.

PSALM 109

THE MESSIAH, KING AND PRIEST

Christ's reign will last until all his enemies are made subject to him (1 Cor 15:25).

The Lord's revelation 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 great wrath.

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

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, *

and to the <u>Holy Spirit</u>: as it was in the <u>beginning</u>, is now, * and will be for ever. Amen.

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PSALM 113A

THE ISRAELITES ARE DELIVERED FROM THE BONDAGE OF EGYPT

You too left Egypt when, at baptism, you renounced that world which is at enmity with God (Saint Augustine).

When Israel came <u>forth</u> from Egypt, *

Jacob's sons from an alien people,

Judah became the Lord's temple, *

Israel became his kingdom.

The sea fled at the sight: *

the Jordan turned back on its course,

the mountains leapt like rams *

and the hills like yearling sheep.

Why was it, sea, that you fled, *

that you turned back, Jordan, on your course?

Mountains, that you leapt like rams, *

hills, like yearling sheep?

Tremble, O earth, before the Lord, *

in the presence of the God of Jacob,

who turns the rock into a pool *

and flint into a spring of water.

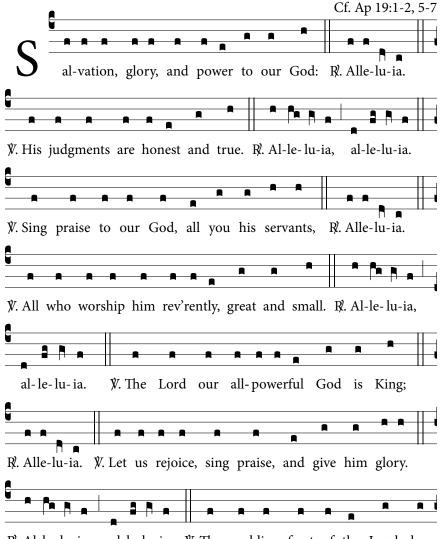
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, *

and to the Holy Spirit:

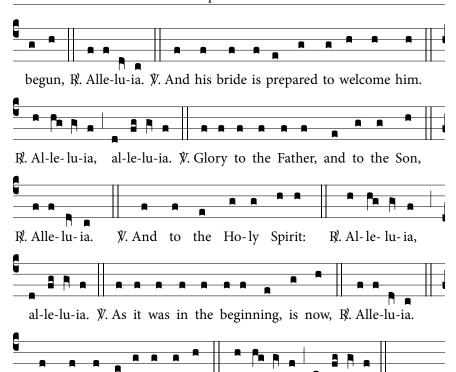
as it was in the beginning, is now, * and will be for ever. Amen.

Canticum

THE WEDDING OF THE LAMB



 \mathbb{R} . Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. \mathbb{R} . The wedding feast of the Lamb has



V. And will be for e-ver. Amen. R. Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

LECTIO BREVIS

2 Cor 1:3-4

Praised be God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and the God of all consolation! He comforts us in all our afflictions and thus enables us to comfort those who are in trouble, with the same consolation we have received from him.

RESPONSORIUM BREVIS





R. Be-ne-díctus es, Dó-mi-ne, Blessed are you, O Lord,

In firmamén- to cæ-li. in the firmament of heaven.





cæ-li. V. Gló-ri- a Patri, et Fí-li- o, et Spi-rí-tu- i Sancto. of heaven. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.



R. Be-ne-díctus es, Dó-mi-ne, In firmamén- to cæ-li.

*Blessed are you, O Lord, in the firmament of heaven.

ANTIPHONA AD MAGNIFICAT

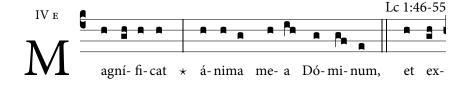
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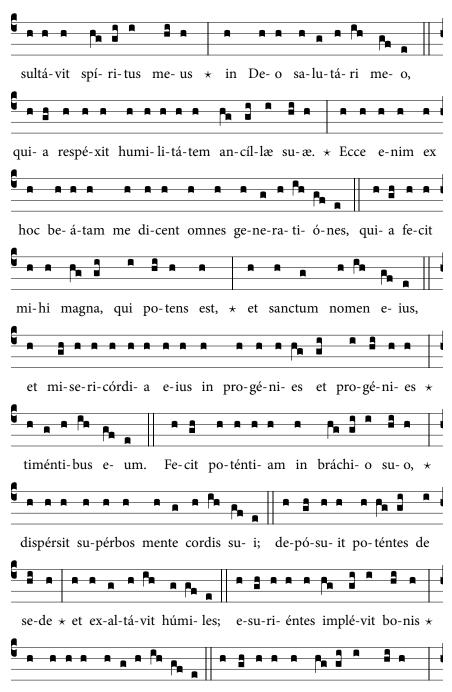
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uid fáciam, quia dóminus meus aufert a me villicatiónem? Fódere non váleo, mendicáre erubésco. Scio quid fáciam, ut cum amótus fúero a villicatióne, recípiant me in domos suas. What shall I do, now that my master is taking the position of steward away from me? I am not strong enough to dig and I am ashamed to beg. I know what I shall do so that, when I am removed from the stewardship, they may welcome me into their homes.

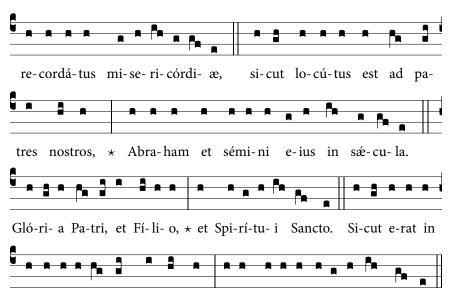
CANTICUM EVANGELICUM

The soul rejoices in the Lord





et dí-vi-tes dimí-sit in-á-nes. Suscé-pit Israel pú- e-rum su-um, *



princí-pi- o, et nunc, et semper, * et in sæcu-la sæcu-ló-rum. A-men.

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, my spirit rejoices in God my Savior for he has looked with favor 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. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.