



Easter

EVENING PRAYER



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INVITATORY

Presider

Oh God, ✚ come to my assistance.

All

Lord, make haste to help me.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,

As it was in the beginning, and now, and ever shall be, world without end.

Amen.

HYMN

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

The strife is o'er, the battle done;

Now is the victor's triumph won:

O let the song of praise be sung.

Alleluia!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

On the third morn he rose again,

Glorious in majesty to reign:

O let us swell the joyful strain:

Alleluia!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

O risen Lord, all praise to thee,

Who from our sins has set us free,

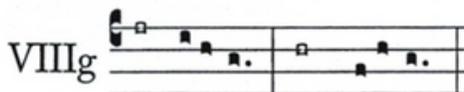
That we may live eternally:

Alleluia!

PSALMODY

Antiphon 1

Mary Magdalene and the other Mary came to *see* the Lord's tomb, * *alleluia*.



Psalm 110:1-5,7

The Messiah, king and priest

Christ's reign will last until all his enemies are made subject to him (1 Corinthians 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* wrath.

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

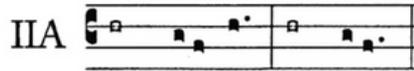
Glory to the Father, and *to* the Son, *
and to the Holy Spirit:

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

Mary Magdalene and the other Mary came to *see* the Lord's tomb, * *alleluia*.

Antiphon 2

Come and see the place where the *Lord* was buried, * *alleluia*.



Psalm 114

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 *forth* 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.

Come and see the place where the *Lord* was buried, *alleluia*.

Antiphon 3

Jesus said: Do not be afraid. Go and tell my brothers to set out for Galilee; there they *will* see me, alleluia, alleluia.

Cantor: All:
** al- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu- ia.

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Canticle

Revelation 19:1-7

The wedding of the lamb

Salvation, glory, and power to *our* God:

*Alleluia.

his judgments are *honest* and true.

**Alleluia, alleluia.

Sing praise to our God, all you *his* servants,

*Alleluia.

all who worship him reverently, *great* and small.

**Alleluia, alleluia.

The Lord our all-powerful God *is* King;

*Alleluia.

Let us rejoice, sing praise, and *give* him glory.

**Alleluia, alleluia.

The wedding feast of the Lamb has *begun*,

*Alleluia.

and his bride is *prepared* to welcome him.

**Alleluia, alleluia.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son,

and to the *Holy* Spirit.

*Alleluia.

As it was in the beginning, is now,

and will be, for *ever*. Amen.

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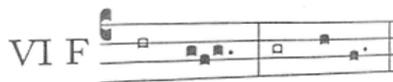
Reading

Hebrews 10:12-14

Jesus offered one sacrifice for sins, and took his seat forever at the right hand of God; now he waits until his enemies are placed beneath his feet. For by one offering he has forever perfected those who are being sanctified.

Reflection

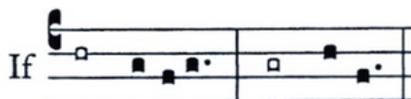
in Place of the Responsory



This is the day the *Lord* has made; * let us rejoice and be glad, *alleluia*.

Canticle of Mary

On the evening of the first day *of* the week, * the disciples were gathered together behind *locked* doors; suddenly, Jesus stood among *them* and said: * Peace be with you, *alleluia*.



Magnificat

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.

On the evening of the first day *of* the week, the disciples were gathered together behind *locked* doors; suddenly, Jesus stood among *them* and said: Peace be with you, *alleluia*.

Prayer

O God, who on this day,
through your Only Begotten Son,
have conquered death
and unlocked for us the path to eternity,
grant, we pray, that we who keep
the solemnity of the Lord's Resurrection
may, through the renewal brought by your Spirit,
rise up in the light of life.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.

Adoration

Tantum Ergo Sacramentum

PANGE LINGUA GLORIOSI

1. Tan - tum er - go Sac - ra - men - tum Ve - ne - re - mur cer - nu - i:
2. Gen - i - tor - i, Gen - i - to - que Laus et ju - bi - la - ti - o,
3
Et an - ti - quum doc - u - men - tum No - vo ce - dat ri - tu - i;
5. Sal - us, hon - or, vir - tus quo - que Sit et ben - e - dic - ti - o:
Prae - stet fi - des sup - ple - men - tum Sen - su - um de - fec - tu - i.
Pro - ce - den - ti ab u - tro - que Com - par - sit lau - da - ti - o.
7
A - men.

Benediction Prayer

Eucharistic Blessing

Divine Praises

Blessed be God.
Blessed be His Holy Name.
Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.
Blessed be the Name of Jesus.
Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart.
Blessed be His Most Precious Blood.
Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.
Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.

Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most Holy.
Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception.
Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.
Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.
Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.
Blessed be God in His Angels and in His Saints.

Reposition

Hymn

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

GROSSER GOTT

1. Ho - ly God, we praise thy name; Lord of
2. Hark! the loud ce - les - tial hymn An - gel
3. Ho - ly Fa - ther, Ho - ly Son, Ho - ly

1. all, we bow be - fore thee! All on earth thy
2. choirs a - bove are rais - ing; Cher - u - bim and
3. Spir - it, Three we name thee; While in es - sence

1. scep - ter claim, All in heav'n a - bove a - dore thee;
2. Ser - a - phim, In un - ceas - ing cho - rus prais - ing;
3. on - ly One, Un - di - vid - ed God we claim thee;

1. In - fi - nite, thy vast do - main, Ev - er -
2. Fill the heav'ns with sweet ac - cord: "Ho - ly,
3. And a - dor - ing, bend the knee, While we

1. last - ing is thy reign. In - fi - nite, thy
2. ho - ly, ho - ly Lord!" Fill the heav'ns with
3. own the mys - ter - y. And a - dor - ing,

1. vast do - main, Ev - er - last - ing is thy reign.
2. sweet ac - cord: "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord!"
3. bend the knee, While we own the mys - ter - y.



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