Conclusio

- V. Dómine, exáudi oratiónem meam.
- R. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.



V. Fidélium ánimæ per misericórdiam Dei requiéscant in pace.

R. Amen.

Conclusion

V. O Lord, hear my prayer.

R. And let my cry come unto thee.

V. Let us bless the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

V. May the souls of the faithful, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

R. Amen.

KNEEL

Prayer After the Divine Office (silently)

To the Most Holy and undivided Trinity, to the Humanity of our Lord Jesus Christ crucified, to the fruitful Virginity of the most blessed and most glorious Mary, ever Virgin, and to the whole company of the Saints, be everlasting praise, honour, and glory, by all creatures; and to us remission of all our sins, world without end.

R. Amen.

V. Blessed be the womb of the Virgin Mary, which bore the Son of the Eternal Father.
R. And blessed be the breast which nourished Christ the Lord.

Our Father. Hail Mary.

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KNEEL

Prayer Before the Divine Office (silently)

O Lord open my lips to bless Thy Holy Name, and cleanse my mind from all vain and evil and wondering thoughts. Enlighten my understanding and kindle my affections, that I may fittingly recite this office unto Thee with attention and devotion, so that it may be meet to be heard before the presence of Thy divine majesty. Through Christ our Lord, amen.

O Lord in union with that divine intention wherewith Thou Thyself didst offer Thy prayers to God while upon this earth, I now recite this office unto Thee.

Our Father, Hail Mary

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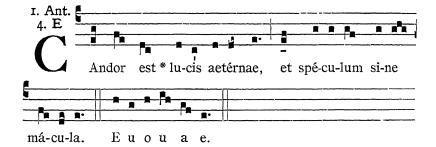
V. O God, ★ come to my assistance;

R. O Lord, make haste to help me.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Alleluia.

PSALMODY SIT



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Psalmus 109.

Dixit Dóminus Dómino meo : * Sede a dextris meis :

Donec ponam inimícos tuos, * scabéllum pedum tuórum.

Virgam virtútis tuae emíttet Dóminus ex Sion : * dominare in médio inimicórum tuórum.

Tecum princípium in die virtútis tuae in splendóribus san-

ctórum : * ex útero ante lucíferum génui te.

Jurávit Dóminus, et non paenitébit eum : * Tu es sacérdos in aetérnum secúndum órdinem Melchísedech.

Dóminus a dextris tuis, * confrégit in die irae suae reges.

Judicábit in natiónibus, implébit ruínas : * conquassábit cápita in terra multórum.

De torrênte in via bibet : * proptérea exaltábit caput.



Psalmus 112.

Audáte púeri Dóminum : * laudáte nomen Dómini.

Sit nomen Dómini benedíctum, * ex hoc nunc, et usque in saéculum.

A solis ortu usque ad occásum, * laudábile nomen Domini.

Excélsus super omnes gentes Dóminus, * et super caelos glória ejus. Quis sicut Dóminus Deus noster, qui in altis hábitat, * et humília réspicit in caelo et in terra?

Súscitans a terra inopem, * et de stércore érigens pauperem :

Ut cóllocet eum cum princípibus, * cum princípibus pópuli sui.

Qui habitáre facit stérilem in domo, * matrem filiórum laetántem.

Canticum: Magnificat

Ant. Today the glorious Queen of heaven * appeared on earth; today her word brought to her people a pledge of peace and salvation; today the choirs of Angels and the faithful exult, celebrating with joy the immaculate Conception.

(Canticle of the Blessed Virgin * Luke 1:46-55)

- 1:46 My soul ★ * doth magnify the Lord.
- 1:47 And my spirit hath rejoiced * in God my Saviour.
- 1:48 Because he hath regarded the humility of his handmaid; * for behold from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed.
- 1:49 Because he that is mighty, hath done great things to me; * and holy is his name.
- 1:50 And his mercy is from generation unto generations, * to them that fear him.
- 1:51 He hath shewed might in his arm: * he hath scattered the proud in the conceit of their heart.
- 1:52 He hath put down the mighty from their seat, * and hath exalted the humble.
- 1:53 He hath filled the hungry with good things; * and the rich he hath sent empty away.
- 1:54 He hath received Israel his servant, * being mindful of his mercy:
- 1:55 As he spoke to our fathers, * to Abraham and to his seed for ever.
- V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.
- *R*. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

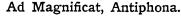
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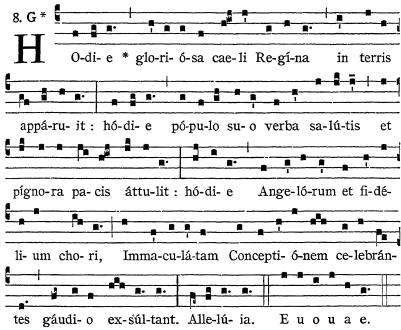
Let us pray.

O God, who by the Immaculate Conception of the Virgin didst prepare a worthy dwelling place for thy Son, we humbly beseech thee; that we, who celebrate the appearance of the same Virgin, may obtain health of soul and body.

Through the same Jesus Christ, thy Son, Our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. R. Amen

Commemoration of the feria in Lent





Canticum B. Mariae Virginis. Luc. 1. 46-55.

Magnificat * ánima mea Dóminum.

Et exsultávit spíritus meus * in Deo salutári meo.

Quia respéxit humilitâtem ancíllae suae: * ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes generatiónes.

Quia fecit mihi magna qui potens est: * et sanctum nomen ejus.

Et misericórdia ejus a progé-

nie in progénies * timéntibus eum.

Fecit poténtiam in bráchio suo: * dispérsit supérbos mente cordis sui.

Depósuit poténtes de sede, * et exaltávit húmiles.

Esuriéntes implévit bonis : * et dívites dimísit inánes.

Suscépit Israel púerum suum,* recordátus misericórdiae suae:

Sicut locútus est ad patres nostros, * Abraham, et sémini ejus in saécula.

Glória Patri.

Oratio.

DEus, qui per Immaculátam Vírginis Conceptiónem dignum Fílio tuo habitáculum praeparásti: † súpplices a te quaésumus; ut ejúsdem Vírginis apparitiónem celebrántes, * salútem mentis et córporis consequámur. Per eúmdem Dóminum.

Comm Feriae in Quadragesima.

Ant. She is the brightness * of eternal light, and the unspotted mirror.

Psalm 109 [1]

109:1 The Lord said to my Lord: * Sit thou at my right hand:

109:1 Until I make thy enemies * thy footstool.

109:2 The Lord will send forth the sceptre of thy power out of Sion: * rule thou in the midst of thy enemies.

109:3 With thee is the principality in the day of thy strength: in the brightness of the saints: * from the womb before the day star I begot thee.

109:4 The Lord hath sworn, and he will not repent: * Thou art a priest for ever according to the order of Melchisedech.

109:5 The Lord at thy right hand * hath broken kings in the day of his wrath.

109:6 He shall judge among nations, he shall fill ruins: * he shall crush the heads in the land of many.

109:7 He shall drink of the torrent in the way: * therefore shall he lift up the head.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

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

Ant. She is the brightness * of eternal light, and the unspotted mirror.

Ant. A woman * clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars.

Psalm 112 [2]

112:1 Praise the Lord, ye children: * praise ye the name of the Lord.

112:2 (bow head) Blessed be the name of the Lord, * from henceforth now and for ever.

112:3 From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same, * the name of the Lord is worthy of praise.

112:4 The Lord is high above all nations; * and his glory above the heavens.

112:5 Who is as the Lord our God, who dwelleth on high: * and looketh down on the low things in heaven and in earth?

112:7 Raising up the needy from the earth, * and lifting up the poor out of the dunghill:

112:8 That he may place him with princes, * with the princes of his people.

112:9 Who maketh a barren woman to dwell in a house, * the joyful mother of children.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

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

Ant. A woman * clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars.



Psalmus 121.

Aetátus sum in his quae dicta sunt mihi: * In domum Dómini íbimus.

Stantes erant pedes nostri, * in átriis tuis Jerúsalem.

Jerúsalem, quae aedificátur ut cívitas: * cujus participátio ejus in idípsum.

Illuc enim ascendérunt tribus, tribus Dómini: * testimónium Israël ad confiténdum nómini Dómini. Quia illic sedérunt sedes in judício, * sedes super domum David.

Rogáte quae ad pacem sunt Jerúsalem : * et abundántia diligéntibus te.

Fiat pax in virtúte tua: * et abundántia in túrribus tuis.

Propter fratres meos et próximos meos, * loquébar pacem de te :

Propter domum Dómini Dei nostri, * quaesívi bona tibi.

And thither from the farmost bounds of earth The pilgrims wend their way, And suppliant around the Virgin's shrine Her powerful help they pray.

The sufferers' cry the Mother fondly hears, And grants the longed-for grace; And health restored, the pilgrim throng returns Unto its native place.

O Virgin! have compassion on our needs, Refresh us labouring on; Obtain for us the joys of heavenly life, When sorrow all is gone.

All praise and honour to the Father be, And to his only Son, And to the Spirit, Pow'r of both for aye, In Godhead ever One. Amen.

- *V.* Holy Virgin, my praise by thee accepted be.
- *R*. Give me strength against thine enemies.



Témpo-ris ae-vo. A-men.

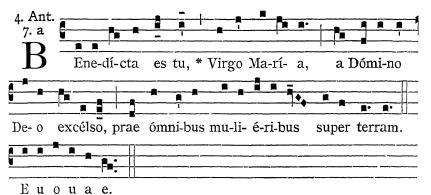
- V. Dignáre me laudáre te, Virgo sacráta.
- R. Da mihi virtútem contra hostes tuos.

Ant. Thou art the glory of Jerusalem, * thou art the joy of Israel, thou art the honour of our people.

Psalm 121 [3]

- 121:1 I rejoiced at the things that were said to me: * We shall go into the house of the Lord.
- 121:2 Our feet were standing * in thy courts, O Jerusalem.
- 121:3 Jerusalem, which is built as a city, * which is compact together.
- 121:4 For thither did the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord: * the testimony of Israel, to praise the name of the Lord.
- 121:5 Because their seats have sat in judgment, * seats upon the house of David.
- 121:6 Pray ye for the things that are for the peace of Jerusalem: * and abundance for them that love thee.
- 121:7 Let peace be in thy strength: * and abundance in thy towers.
- 121:8 For the sake of my brethren, and of my neighbours, * I spoke peace of thee.
- 121:9 Because of the house of the Lord our God, * I have sought good things for thee.
- V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.
- **R**. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Ant. Thou art the glory of Jerusalem, * thou art the joy of Israel, thou art the honour of our people.



Psalmus 126.
TIsi Dóminus aedificáverit

domum, * in vanum laboravérunt qui aedificant eam.

Nisi Dóminus custodíerit civitátem, * frustra vígilat qui custódit eam.

Vanum est vobis ante lucem súrgere: * súrgite postquam sedéritis, qui manducátis panem dolóris. Cum déderit diléctis suis somnum : * ecce haeréditas Dómini fílii : merces, fructus ventris.

Sicut sagíttae in manu poténtis: * ita fílii excussórum.

Beátus vir qui implévit desidérium suum ex ipsis: * non confundétur cum loquétur inimícis suis in porta.

Chapter

Song 2:13-14

Arise, my love, my beautiful one, and come: My dove in the clefts of the rock, in the hollow places of the wall, show me thy face, let thy voice sound in my ears.

R. Thanks be to God.

Hymn

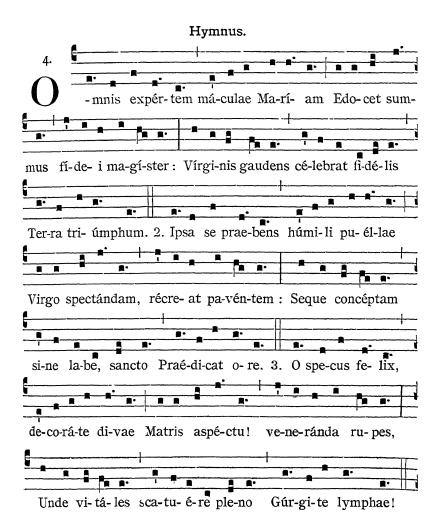
Lo! Mary is exempt from stain of sin, Proclaims the Pontiff high; And earth applauding celebrates with joy Her triumph, far and nigh.

Unto a lowly timid maid she shows Her form in beauty fair, And the Immaculate Conception truth Her sacred lips declare.

O honoured cave, by Mary's smile adorned! O hallow'd rock, whence spring The living waters of a gushing stream, The gifts of life to bring. Capitulum.

Cant. 2.

Surge, amíca mea, speciósa mea, et veni: † colúmba mea in foramínibus petrae, in cavérna macériae, * osténde mihi fáciem tuam, sonet vox tua in áuribus meis.

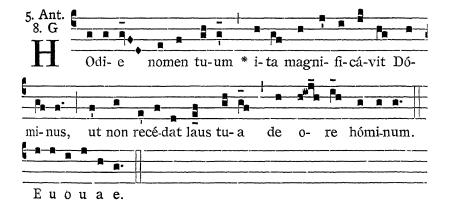


Ant. Blessed art thou, * O Virgin Mary, by the Lord, the most high God, above all women upon the earth.

Psalm 126 [4]

- 126:1 Unless the Lord build the house, * they labour in vain that build it.
- 126:1 Unless the Lord keep the city, * he watcheth in vain that keepeth it.
- 126:2 It is vain for you to rise before light, * rise ye after you have sitten, you that eat the bread of sorrow.
- 126:3 When he shall give sleep to his beloved, * behold the inheritance of the Lord are children: the reward, the fruit of the womb.
- 126:4 As arrows in the hand of the mighty, * so the children of them that have been shaken.
- 126:5 Blessed is the man that hath filled the desire with them; * he shall not be confounded when he shall speak to his enemies in the gate.
- V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.
- *R*. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Ant. Blessed art thou, * O Virgin Mary, by the Lord, the most high God, above all women upon the earth.



Psalmus 147.

Auda Jerúsalem Dóminum : * lauda Deum tuum Sion.

Quóniam confortávit seras portárum tuárum : * benedíxit fíliis tuis in te.

Qui pósuit fines tuos pacem : * et ádipe fruménti sátiat te.

Qui emíttit elóquium suum terrae: * velóciter currit sermo eius.

Qui dat nivem sicut lanam: *

nébulam sicut cinerem spargit.

Mittit crystállum suam sicut buccéllas: * ante fáciem frígoris ejus quis sustinébit?

Emíttet verbum suum, et liquefáciet ea : * flabit spíritus ejus, et fluent aquae.

Qui annúntiat verbum suum Jacob: * justítias et judícia sua Israel.

Non fecit táliter omni natióni: * et judícia sua non manifestávit eis.

Ant. This day the Lord * hath so magnified thy name that thy praise shall not depart out of the mouth of men.

Psalm 147 [5]

- 147:1 Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem: * praise thy God, O Sion.
- 147:2 Because he hath strengthened the bolts of thy gates * he hath blessed thy children within thee.
- 147:3 Who hath placed peace in thy borders: * and filleth thee with the fat of corn.
- 147:4 Who sendeth forth his speech to the earth: * his word runneth swiftly.
- 147:5 Who giveth snow like wool: * scattereth mists like ashes.
- 147:6 He sendeth his crystal like morsels: * who shall stand before the face of his cold?
- 147:7 He shall send out his word, and shall melt them: * his wind shall blow, and the waters shall run.
- 147:8 Who declareth his word to Jacob: * his justices and his judgments to Israel.
- 147:9 He hath not done in like manner to every nation: * and his judgments he hath not made manifest to them.
- *V.* Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.
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