

St David and St Patrick's Catholic Church,
with the Church of the Immaculate Conception.



Vespers of Eastertide

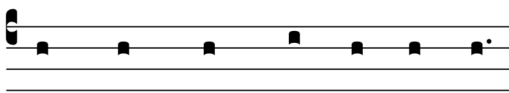
Sunday Week 6





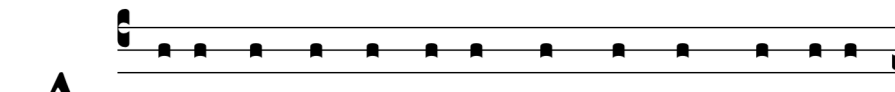
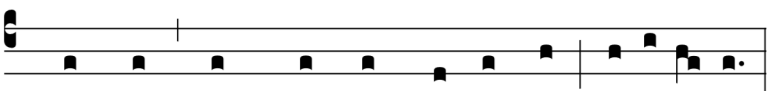
This celebration of Evening Prayer is taken from:
The Divine Office
The Liturgy of the Hours According to the Roman Rite

The 6th Sunday of Easter

Priest: 
O God, come to our aid.

All: 
O Lord, make haste to help us.

Priest: 
Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to

the Holy Spirit

All: 
As it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and e-ver

shall be, world with-out end. Amen. Al-le-lu-ia.

HYMN

At the Lamb's high feast we sing
praise to our victorious king,
who hath washed us in the tide
flowing from his piercèd side.
Praise we him, whose love divine
gives he guests his blood for wine,
gives his body for the feast,
Christ the victim, Christ the priest.

Where the Paschal blood is poured,
Death's dark angel sheathes his sword;
Israel's hosts triumphant go
through the wave that drowns the foe.

Christ, the Lamb, whose blood was shed,
Paschal victim, Paschal bread;
with sincerity and love
eat we manna from above.

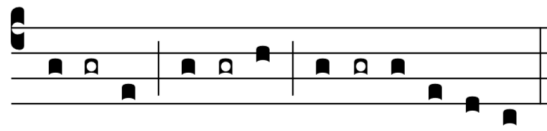
Mighty victim from on high,
powers of hell beneath thee lie;
death is conquered in the fight;
thou hast brought us life and light:
Now thy banner thou doest wave;
Vanquished Satan and the grave;
Angles join his praise to tell -
see o'erthrown the prince of hell.

Paschal triumph, paschal joy,
Only sin can this destroy;
from the death of sin set free,
souls re-born, dear Lord, in thee.
Hymns of glory, songs of praise,
Father, unto thee we raise;
Risen Lord, all praise to thee,
ever with the Spirit be.

Antiphon 1: **Cantor:** He raised Christ from the dead **All:** and placed him at his own right hand, in heaven, alleluia.

Tone:

Tone:



B. The Lord will wield from | Sion
your sceptre of | power:
rule in the midst of | all your foes.

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

B. The Lord has sworn an oath he will not | change.
“You are a priest for|ever,
a priest like Melchize|dek of old.”

first bar) **A.** The Master standing at your right | hand
last bar) will shatter kings in the day | of his wrath.

first bar) **B.** He shall drink from the stream by the | wayside
last bar) and therefore he shall lift | up his head.

first bar) **A.** Glory be to the Father and to the | Son
last bar) and to the | Holy Spirit.

first bar) **B.** As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever | shall be,
last bar) world without | end. Amen.

Antiphon 1: **All:** He raised Christ from the dead and placed him at
his own right hand, in heaven, alleluia.

Antiphon 2: **Cantor:** You have been converted from idolatry **All:** to the living God, alleluia.

Tone:



A.

Not to us, Lord, not to us, but to your name give the
glory, for the sake of your love and your truth, lest the
heathen say: "where is their God?"

B. But our God is in the | heavens;
he does whatever he | wills.
Their idols are silver and | gold,
the work of human | hands.

A. They have mouths but they cannot | speak;
they have eyes but they cannot | see;
they have ears but they cannot | hear;
they have nostrils but they cannot | smell.

B. With their hands they cannot feel; –
– with their feet they cannot | walk.
No sound comes from their | throats.
Their makers will come to be | like them,
and so will all who | trust in them.

A. Sons of Israë!l, trust in the | Lord;
he is their help and their | shield.
Sons of Aaron, trust in the | Lord;
he is their help and their | shield.

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B. You who fear him, trust in the | Lord;
he is their help and their | shield.
He remembers us, and he will bless us; –
– he will bless the sons of | Israël.
He will bless the sons of | Aaron.

A. The Lord will bless those who | fear him,
the little no less than the | great:
to you may the Lord grant | increase,
to you and all your | children.

B. May you be blessed by the | Lord,
the maker of heaven and | earth.
The heavens belong to the | Lord
but the earth he has given to | men.

A. The dead shall not praise the | Lord,
nor those who go down into the | silence.
But we who live bless the | Lord
now and forever. A|men.

B. Glory be to the Father and to the | Son
and to the Holy | Spirit
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever | shall be,
world without end. A|men.

Antiphon 2: All: You have been converted from idolatry to the living God, alleluia.

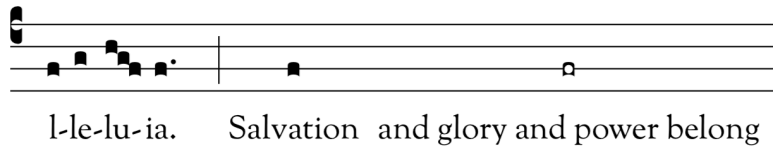
Antiphon 3: Cantor: Alleluia, victory and glory and power **All:** belong to our God, alleluia.

This psalm is set out differently to all the others. While each verse alternates in the normal way, between side A and side B, nevertheless, the second, third and fourth 'Alleluias' are sung as a response, from the opposing side to that which is singing.

Tone:



A



l-le-lu-ia. Salvation and glory and power belong

A.



to our God,

B.Resp.

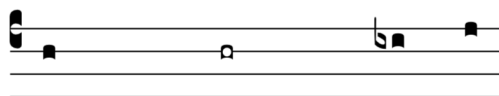
A



l-le-lu-ia-

A.

H



is judgements are true and just.

B.Resp.

A



l-le-luia, al-le-luia.

Tone:



B. Alleluia.

Praise our God all | you his servants

R. Alleluia.

You who fear him small | and great.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

A. Alleluia.

The Lord our God, the Al|mighty, reigns,

R. Alleluia.

Let us rejoice and exult and give him | the glory.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

B. Alleluia.

The marriage of the | Lamb has come,

R. Alleluia.

And his bride has made her|self ready.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

B. Alleluia.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the | Holy Spirit.

R. Alleluia.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,


world with out end | Amen. Alleluia, alleluia.

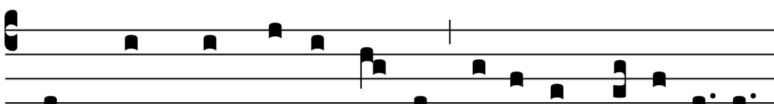
Antiphon 3: **All:** Alleluia, victory and glory and power belong to our God, alleluia.

SCRIPTURE READING


Hebrews 10:12-14 Christ has offered one single sacrifice for sins, and then taken his place forever, at the right hand of God, where he is now waiting until his enemies are made into a footstool for him. By virtue of that one single offering, he has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is sanctifying.

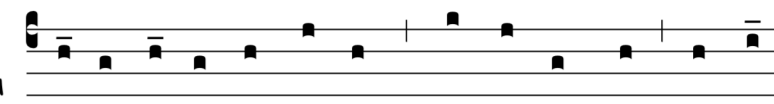
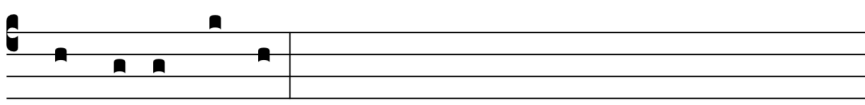
SHORT RESPONSE


Cantor: T 
he Lord has tru-ly ris-en, al-le-luia, al-le-lu-ia

All: T 
he Lord has tru-ly ris-en, al-le-luia, al-le-lu-ia

Cantor: H 
e has ap-peared to Si-mon.

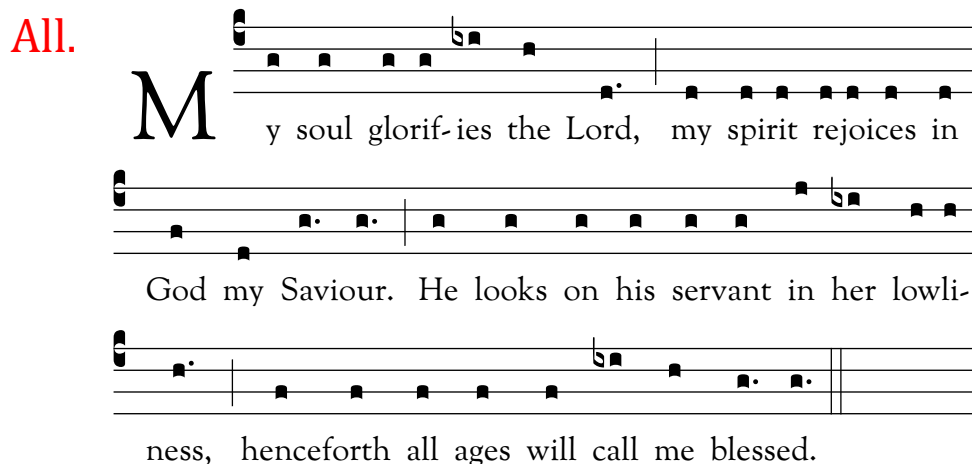
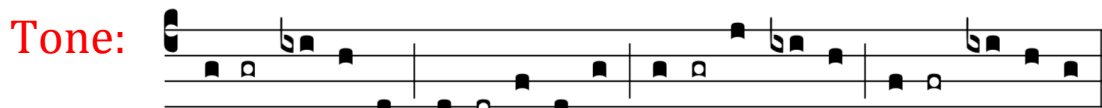
All: T 
he Lord has tru-ly ris-en, al-le-luia, al-le-lu-ia

Cantor: G 
lo-ry be to the Fat-her , and to the Son, and to

the Ho-ly Spi-rit.

All: T 
he Lord has tru-ly ris-en, al-le-luia, al-le-lu-ia

MAGNIFICAT

Antiphon: **Cantor:** If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, **All:** and we shall come to him and make our home with him, alleluia.



The Almighty works mar|vels for me.
Ho|ly his name!
His mercy is from | age to age,
on | those who fear him.

He puts forth his | arm in strength
and scatters | the proud hearted.
He casts the mighty | from their thrones
and rai|ses the lowly.

first bar) He fills the starving | with good things,
last bar) sends the rich | away empty.

He protects Isra|ël, his servant,
remember|ing his mercy,
the mercy promised | to our fathers,
to Abraham and his | sons for ever.

Tone:



Glory be to the Father and | to the Son
and to the | Holy Spirit.

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

Antiphon: **All:** If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him and make our home with him, alleluia

INTERCESSIONS

Response: **All:** Lord, protect your people though the glory of Christ.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Sung on one note) **All:** Our Father, who art in heaven...

CONCLUDING PRAYER

Priest: Almighty God,
give us the grace of an attentive love
to celebrate these days of joy
devoted to the honour of the Risen Lord,
Teach us to hold fast in our actions
to the mystery we recall in worship,
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.

All: Amen.

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your Spirit.

Priest: May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, ☩
and the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Priest: Go in the peace of Christ.

All: Thanks be to God.

MARIAN ANTHEM

The final anthem is always addressed to Our Lady.

VI

R E-gína cæ-li * lætá-re, alle-lú-ia: Qui- a quem me-

ru- ísti portá-re, alle-lú-ia: Re-surré-xit, sic-ut di-xit,

alle- lú-ia: O-ra pro no-bis De- um, alle-lú- ia.

All: Regína cæli lætare, alleluia.
Quia quem meruisti portare,
alleluia.
Resurrexit, sicut dixit,
alleluia.
Ora pro nobis Deum,
alleluia.

Translation: Hail, Queen of Heaven, rejoice,
alleluia. For he whom thou were worthy to bear,
alleluia. Has risen as he said, alleluia. Pray for us
to God, alleluia.

