

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



Vespers for Sundays Week 2 of Ordinary Time

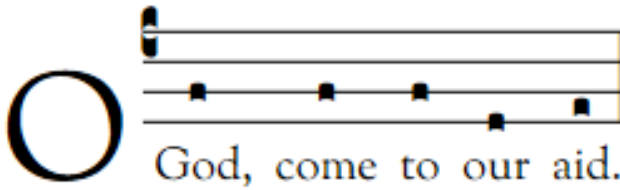


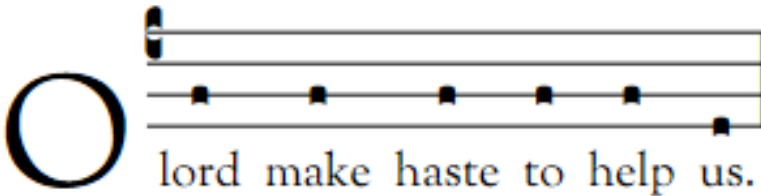
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The Liturgy of the Hours According to the Roman Rite

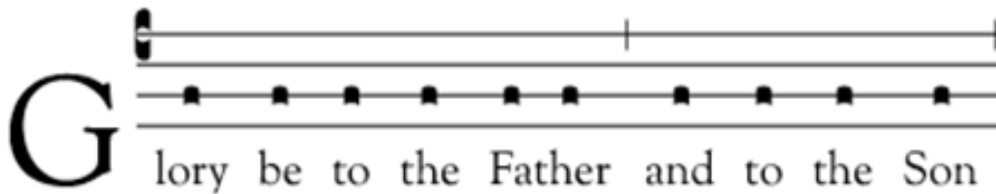
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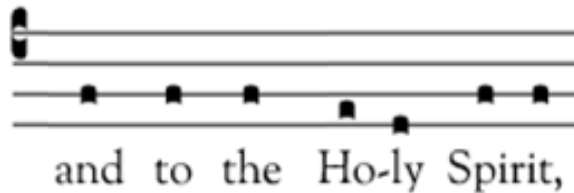
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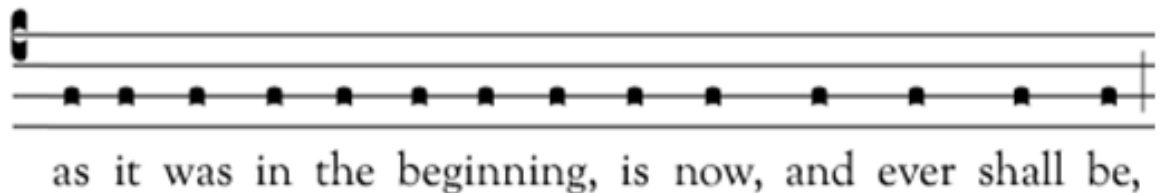
All: O Lord, make haste to help us. Glory be... Alleluia.

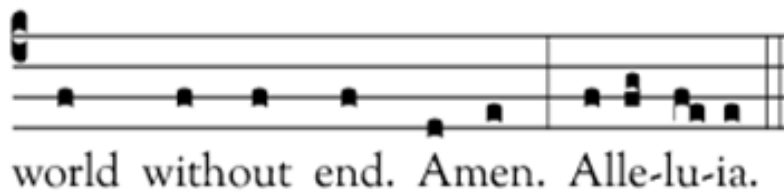
Priest:  **O** God, come to our aid.

All:  **O** lord make haste to help us.

All:  **G**lory be to the Father and to the Son

 and to the Ho-ly Spirit,

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

 world without end. Amen. Alle-lu-ia.

HYMN

Christ is the world's redeemer,
The lover of the pure,
The font of heavenly wisdom,
Our trust and hope secure,
The armour of His soldiers,
The Lord of earth and sky,
Our health while we are living,
Our life when we shall die.

Down in the realm of darkness,
He lay a captive bound,
But at the hour appointed
He rose a victor crowned.
And now to heaven ascended,
He sits upon a throne,
Whence He had ne'er departed,
His Father's and His own.

All glory to the Father,
The unbegotten One,
All honour be to Jesus,
His sole-begotten Son;
And to the Holy Spirit,
The perfect Trinity,
Let all the worlds give answer,
Amen – so let it be.

Antiphon 1: Cantor: Christ the Lord is a priest for ever

All: according to the order of Melchizedek. Alleluia.

Tone:



A.



he Lord's revelation to my master: "Sit on my right:
your foes I will put beneath your feet. "

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.

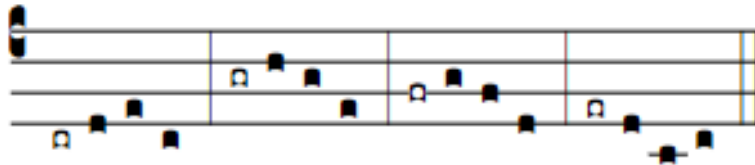
first bar) **A.** Glory be to the Father and to the | Son
last bar) and to the | Holy Spirit.

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

Antiphon 1: **All:** Christ the Lord is a priest for ever according to the order of Melchizedek. Alleluia.

Antiphon 2: **Cantor:** Our God is in heaven; **All:** He has power to do whatever He will. Alleluia.

Tone:



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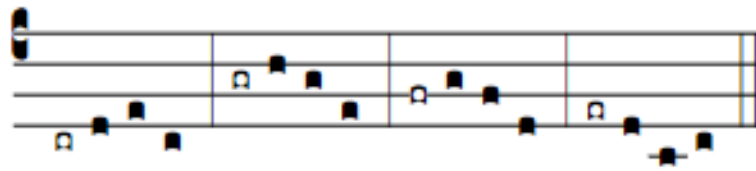
Not to us, Lord, not to us, but to your name give the glory
for the sake of your love and your truth lest the heathen say:
'Where is their God?'

B. But our God is | in the heavens;
he does whate|ver he wills.
Their idols are sil|ver 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.

Tone:



A. Sons of Israel, 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.

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 Israel.
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 heav|en and earth.
The heavens belong | to the Lord
but the earth he has gi|ven to men.

A. The dead shall not | praise the Lord,
nor those who go down in|to the silence.
But we who live | bless the Lord
now and for e|ver. Amen.

B. Glory be to the Father and | to the Son
and to the | Holy Spirit
as it was in the beginning, is now, and e|ver shall be,
world without | end. Amen.

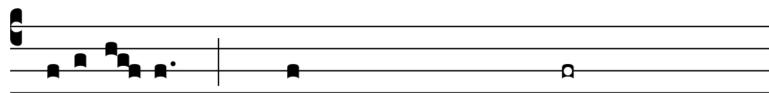
Antiphon 2: All: Our God is in heaven; He has power to do
whatever He will. Alleluia.

Antiphon 3: **Cantor:** Praise God all you his servants, **All:** both great and small, alleluia.

Tone:

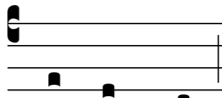


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l-le-lu-ia. Salvation and glory and power belong

A.



to our God,

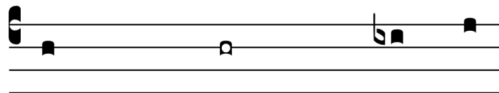
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B.Resp.

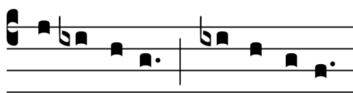
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is judgements are true and just.

A.

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

B.Resp.

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.

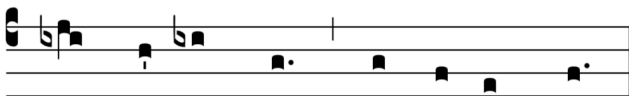
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world with out end | Amen. Alleluia, alleluia.

Antiphon 3: All: Praise God all you his servants, both great and small, alleluia.

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Thessalonians 2: 13-14 We feel that we must be continually thanking God for you, brothers whom the Lord loves, because God chose you as first fruits to be saved by the sanctifying Spirit and by faith in the truth. Through the Good News that we brought he called you to this so that you should share the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ

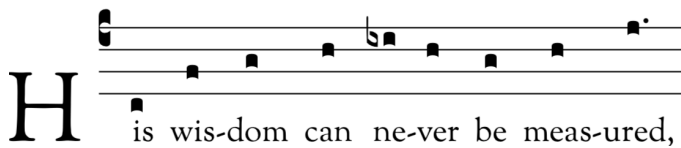
SHORT RESPONSE

Cantor: G 
reat is our Lord, great is his might.

All:



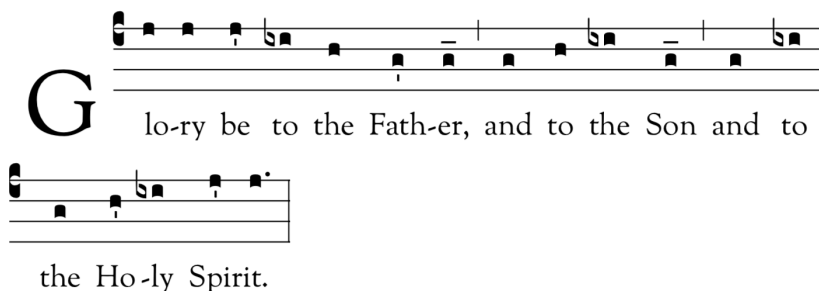
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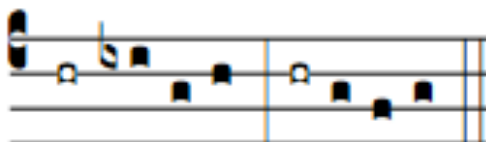
All:



MAGNIFICAT

Antiphon: **Cantor:** My yoke is easy **All:** and my is burden light, says the Lord.

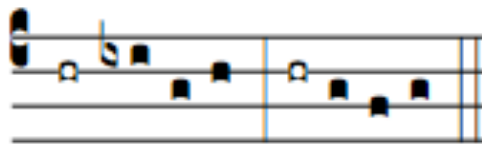
Tone:



All.



Tone:



He looks on his servant | in her lowliness,
henceforth all ages shall | call me blessed.

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.

He fills the starving | with good things,
sends the rich | away empty.

He protects Isra|él, his servant,
remember|ing his mercy,

the mercy promised | to our fathers,
to Abraham and his | sons for ever.

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:** My yoke is easy and my is burden light, says the
Lord.

INTERCESSIONS

Response: All: Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

CONCLUDING PRAYER

Priest: Lord, God,
when our world lay in ruins you raised it up again
on the foundation of your Son's passion and death;
give us grace to rejoice in the freedom from sin
which he gained for us,
and bring us to everlasting joy.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ your only begotten 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:  G o in the peace of Christ

All: Thanks be to God

MARIAN ANTHEM

The final anthem is always addressed to Our Lady.

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S Alve Re-gí-na, * ma-ter mi-se-ri-córdi-æ, Vi-ta, dul-
cé-do, et spes nostra, salve. Ad te clamá-mus, éxsu-
les, fí-li- i Hevæ. Ad te suspi-rá-mus, geméntes et flen-
tes in hac lacrimá-rum valle. E-ia ergo, Advo-cá-ta
nostra, illos tu-os mi-se-ri-córdes ó-cu-los ad nos con-
vér-te. Et Je-sum, be-ne-díctum fructum ventris tu- i,
no-bis post hoc exsí-li-um osténde. O cle-mens:
O pi- a: O dulcis Virgo Ma-rí- a.

Salve, Regina, Mater misericordiæ, vita, dulcedo,
et spes nostra, salve. Ad te clamamus exsules filii
hevæ, ad te suspiramus, gementes et flentes in
hac lacrimarum valle. Eia, ergo, advocata nostra,
illos tuos misericordes oculos ad nos converte; Et
Jesum, benedictum fructum ventris tui, nobis post
hoc exsilium ostende.
O clemens, O pia, O dulcis Virgo Maria.

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, hail our life,
our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry,
poor banished children of Eve; To thee do we
send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this
vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious advocate,
thine eyes of mercy toward us; And after this our
exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb,
Jesus.
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.