

OFFICIO COMPLETORIUM

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INTRODUCTION

This booklet is intended to facilitate the recitation of Compline in Latin and English. It follows the Western (Roman) rite in most aspects. In order to provide a simple order, we have followed the *Antiphonale Monasticum* in providing only a single set of psalms, whereas the *Antiphonale Romanum* provides different psalms for each day of the week.

The English text is based upon *The Anglican Breviary*, *The Book of Common Prayer*, the *Sarum Psalter*, and *The Monastic Diurnal Noted*. It may be used in reciting the office and as an aid to comprehending the Latin original..

Newcomers to Gregorian chant will find it most instructive to sing Compline frequently and to become completely familiar with its structure and content before proceeding to the more variable forms of Matins, Lauds, and Vespers.

Compline is normally recited standing throughout, except during Lent and Passiontide, when the prayers, pp. 16-21, are said kneeling.

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DOMINICA AD COMPLETORIUM

Lector:

Benedictio:

Ju-be domne be-ne-di-ce-re. Noctem qui- e-tam et fi-nem per-fectum
conce-dat no-bis Do-mi-nus omni-po-tens. R. Amen.

Lectio brevis. I. Petri v.

Fra-tres: Sobri- i esto-te, et vi-gi- la-te: qui a ad- versa- ri- us
vester di- a-bo-lus, tamquam le- o ru-gi- ens, cir-cu- it, quaerens
quem de-vo-ret: cu- i re-sis-ti-te for-tes in-fi-de. Tu autem Do-mi-ne
R. Thanks be to God.

V. Ad-ju-to- ri- um nos trum in no-mi-ne Do-mi ni.
R. Qui fe-cit caelum et ter-ram.

Dicitur totum secreto. Pater noster qui es in caelis: sanctificetur nomen tuum : adveniat regnum tuum : fiat voluntas tua, sicut in caelo, et in terra. Panem nostrum quotidianum da nobis hodie: et dimitte nobis debita nostra, sicut et nos dimittimus debitoribus nostris: et ne nos inducas in temptationem: sed libera nos a malo. Amen.

SUNDAY AT COMPLINE

Lector:

Officiant:

Pray, Sir, give me thy blessing. May the Lord Almighty grant us a
night of qui- e-tude, and per-fec-tion at the end of all our days. Amen.

Short Lesson. I. Peter 5.

Brethren, be so-ber, be vi-gi- lant; be-cause your adver-sa-ry, the de-vil, as
a roar-ing li- on, walk-eth a-bout, seeking whom he may de- vor; whom
re-sist sted fast in the faith. But thou, O Lord, have mercy up-on us.
R. Thanks be to God.

V. Our help is in the name of the Lord.
R. Who hath made heaven and earth.

Recite in silence. Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy will be done, On earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil.

All bow profoundly and say together.

Confiteor Deo omnipotenti, beatae Mariae semper Virgini, beato Michaeli Archangelo, beato Joanni Baptista, sanctis Apostolis Petro et Paulo, et omnibus Sanctis, quia peccavi nimis, cogitatione, verbo et opere: mea culpa, mea culpa, mea maxima culpa. Ideo precor beatam Mariam semper Virginem, beatum Michaelem Archangulum, beatum Joannem Baptistam, sanctos Apostolos Petrum et Paulum, et omnes Sanctos, orare pro me ad Dominum Deum nostrum.

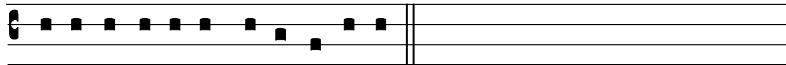
Misereatur tui omnipotens Deus, et dimissis peccatis nostris, perducat nos ad vitam aeternum. Amen.

All rise and say together.

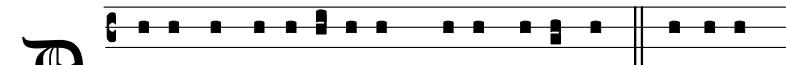
Indulgentiam, absolutionem, et remissionem peccatorum nostrorum tribuat nobis omnipotens et misericors Dominus. Amen.



V. Con-ver te nos De- us sa- lu-ta- ris noster.



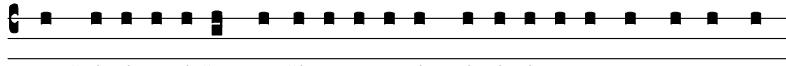
R. Et a-ver-te i- ramtu- am a no-bis.



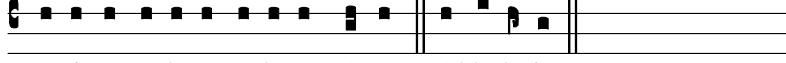
E- us in adju-to-ri- um me- um intende. Do-mi-ne



ad adju-vandum me fes-ti-na. Glo-ri- a Pat-ri et Fi- i o

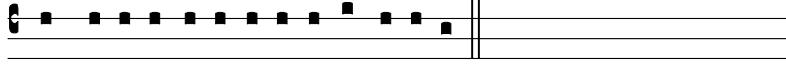


et Spi- ri-tu- i Sancto. Si-cut e-rat in prin-ci-pi- o et nunc et semper



et insaecu-la saecu-lo-rum. Amen. Al-lu lu-ia.

A Septuagesima usque ad Pascha, loco Alleluia dicitur:



Laus ti-bi do-mi-ne, rex aeterne glo-ri- ae.

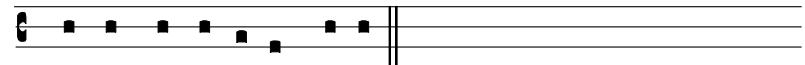
All bow profoundly and say together.

Iconfess to Almighty God, to Blessed Mary Ever-Virgin, to blessed Michael the Archangel, to blessed John Baptist, to the holy Apostles Peter and Paul and to all the Saints, that I have sinned exceedingly in thought, word, and deed, (striking the breast thrice) through my fault, through my own fault, through my most grievous fault. Therefore I beg Blessed Mary Ever-Virgin, blessed Michael the Archangel, blessed John Baptist, the holy Apostles Peter and Paul and all the Saints, to pray to the Lord our God for me.

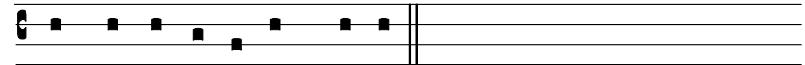
Almighty God have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life. Amen.

All rise and say together.

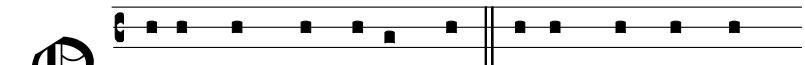
The Almighty and merciful Lord grant us pardon, + absolution, and remission of our sins. Amen.



V. Turnus then, O God our Saviour.



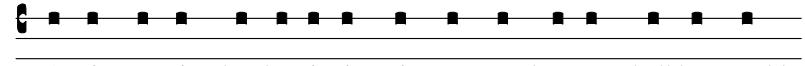
R. And let thine anger cease fromus.



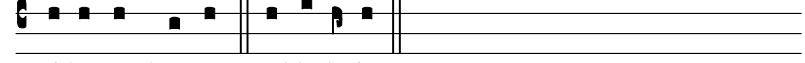
God, make speed to save me. O Lord, make haste to



help me. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Ghost.

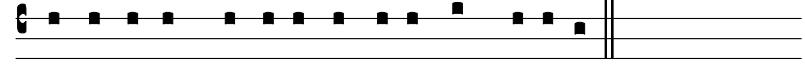


As it was in the be-ginning, is now, and e-ver shall be, world



withoutend. Amen. Al le-lu-ia.

From Septuagesima to Easter, instead of alleluia is sung:



To thee, O Lord, be glo-ry, King of endless ma-jesty.

Per annum.

Ant.

T.P.

I-se-re-re. e u o u a e

L-le-lu-ia. e u o u a e

Psalmus 4

Cum invocarem exaudivit me Deus justitiae **meae**: * in
tribulatione dilatasti **mihi**.

2. Miserere **mei**: * et exaudi orationem **meam**.
3. Filii hominum, usquequo gravi **corde**? * ut quid diligitis
vanitatem et quaeritis **mendacium**?
4. Et scitote quoniam mirificavit Dominus sanctum **suum**: *
Dominus exaudit me cum clamavero *ad eum*.
5. Irascimini, et nolite peccare: + quae dicitis in cordibus **vestris**, *
super cubilibus vestris *compungimini*
6. Sacrificate sacrificium iustitiae, + et sperate in **Domino**. * Multi
dicunt: Quis ostendit **nobis bona**?
7. Signatum est super nos lumen vultus tui **Domine**: * dedisti
laetitiam in *corde meo*.
8. A fructu frumenti, vini et olei **sui**, * multiplicati sunt .
9. In pace in *idipsum* * dormiam et *requiescam*.
10. Quoniam tu Domine singulariter **in spe** * constitui*sti* me.
11. Gloria Patri et Filio, * et Spiritui **Sancto**.
12. Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et **semper**, * et in saecula
saeculorum. Amen.

Psalmus 90

Qui habitat in adjutorium Altissimi, * in protectione Dei caeli
commorabitur.

2. Dicit Domino: Susceptor meus es tu et refugium **meum**: * Deus
meus, sperabo *in eum*.
3. Quoniam ipse liberavit me de laqueo **venantium**, * et a *verbo*
aspero.
4. Scapulis suis obumbrabit **tibi**: * et sub pennis *eius sperabis*.

During the year.

Ant.

In Eastertide.

AVEmercy. e u o u a e

L-le-lu-ia. e u o u a e

Psalm 4

Hear me when I call, O God of my **righteousness**: * thou hast set
me at liberty when I was in trouble; have mercy upon me, and
hearken *unto* my prayer.

2. O ye sons of men, how long will ye blaspheme mine **honour**, *
and have such pleasure in vanity, and seek *after leasing*?
3. Know this also, that the Lord hath chosen to himself the man
that is **godly**; * when I call upon the Lord *he will hear* me.
4. Stand in awe, and **sin** not; * commune with your own heart, and
in your *chamber*, **and** be still.
5. Offer the sacrifice of **righteousness**, * and put *your trust in* the
Lord.
6. There be many that **say**, * Who will *shew us* any good?
7. Lord, lift thou **up** * the light of thy countenance *upon us*.
8. Thou hast put gladness in my **heart**; * since the time that their
corn and **wine and oil** increase.
9. I will lay me down in peace, and take my **rest**; * for it is thou,
Lord, only, that makest me *dwell in safety*.
10. Glory be to the Father, and to the **Son**, * and to the **Holy Ghost**.
11. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever **shall be**: * world
without end. Amen.

Psalm 91

Whoso dwelleth under the defence of the **Most High**, * shall
abide under the shadow of *the Almighty*.

2. I will say unto the LORD, Thou art my hope, and my
stronghold; * my God, *in him will* I trust.
3. For he shall deliver thee from the snare of the **hunter**, * and from
the noisome pestilence.
4. He shall defend thee under his wings, and thou shalt be safe
under his **feathers**; * his faithfulness and truth shall be thy *shield and buckler*.

5. Scuto circumdabit te veritas ejus: * non timebis a timore *nocturno*.
 6. A sagitta volante in die, a negotio perambulante in *tenebris*: * ab incursu, et daemonio *meridiano*.
 7. Cadent a latere tuo mille, + et decem millia a dextris *tuis*: * ad te autem non *appropinquabit*.
 8. Verumtamen oculis *tuis* considerabis: * et retributionem peccatorum *videbis*.
 9. Quoniam tu es Domine spes **mea**: * Altissimum posuisti refugium **tuum**.
 10. Non accedet ad te **malum**: * et flagellum non appropinquabit tabernaculo **tuo**.
 11. Quoniam Angelis suis mandabit **de te**: * ut custodiant te in omnibus *vias tuis*.
 12. In manibus portabunt te: * ne forte offendas ad lapidem *pedem tuum*.
 13. Super aspidem et basiliscum *ambulabis*: * et conculcabis leonem et *draconem*.
 14. Quoniam in me speravit, liberabo **eum**: * protegam **eum**, quoniam cognovit *nomen meum*.
 15. Clamabit ad me, et ego exaudiam **eum**: + cum ipso sum in tribulatione: * eripiam **eum** et glorificabo **eum**.
 16. Longitudine dierum replebo **eum**: * et ostendam illi *salutare meum*.
 17. Gloria Patri et **Filio**, * et *Spiritui Sancto*.
 18. Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et **semper**, * et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.

Psalmus 133

Ecce nunc benedicite **Dominum**, * omnes servi **Domini**.
 2. Qui statis in domo **Domini**, * in atriis domus *Dei nostri*.
 3. In noctibus extollite manus vestras in **sancta**, * et benedicite **Dominum**.
 4. Benedicat te Dominus ex **Sion**, * qui fecit *caelum et terram*.
 5. Gloria Patri et **Filio**, * et *Spiritui Sancto*.
 6. Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et **semper**, * et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.

5. Thou shalt not be afraid for any terror by **night**, * nor for the arrow that *fieth by day*;
 6. For the pestilence that walketh in **darkness**, * nor for the sickness that destroyeth *in the noon-day*.
 7. A thousand shall fall beside thee, and ten thousand at thy **right hand**; * but it shall *not come nigh thee*.
 8. Yea, with thine eyes shalt thou **behold**, * and see the reward of *the ungodly*.
 9. For thou, Lord, art my **hope**; * thou hast set thine house of *defence very high*.
 10. There shall no evil happen unto **thee**, * neither shall any plague come *nigh thy dwelling*.
 11. For he shall give his angels charge **over thee**, * to keep *thee in all thy ways*.
 12. They shall bear thee in their **hands**, * that thou hurt not thy *foot against a stone*.
 13. Thou shalt go upon the lion and **adder**: * the young lion and the dragon shalt thou tread *under thy feet*.
 14. Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore will I deliver him; * I will set him up, because *he hath known* my Name.
 15. He shall call upon me, and I will **hear** him; * yea, I am with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and bring *him to honour*.
 16. With long life will I satisfy him, * and show him *my salvation*.
 17. Glory be to the Father, and to the **Son**, * and to the **Holy Ghost**.
 18. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever **shall be**: * world *without end*. Amen.

Psalm 134

Behold now, praise the **Lord**, * all ye *servants of the Lord*;
 2. Ye that by night stand in the house of the **Lord**, * even in the courts of the *house of our God*.
 3. Lift up your hands in the sanctuary, * and *praise the Lord*.
 4. The Lord that made heaven and **earth** * give thee blessing *out of Syon*.
 5. Glory be to the Father, and to the **Son**, * and to the **Holy Ghost**.
 6. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever **shall be**: * world *without end*. Amen.

Per annum.

Ant.

M I-se-re-re mi-hi Do-mi-ne, et ex audi o-ra- ti- o-nem
me- am.

T. P.

Ant.

A L-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

Hymnus.

Hymn.

C E lu-cis ante termi-num, Re-rum Cre- a-tor posci-mus, Ut pro
tu- a cle-men-ti- a, Sis praesul ad custo-di- a. 2. Pro-eul re-ce-dant
somni- a, Etnoc-ti- umphantas ma-ta: Hostemque nos trum compri-me,
Ne pol-lu- antur corpo-ra. 3. Praesta Pa-ter pi- is-si-me, Pa-trique
compar U-ni-ce, Cum Spi- ri-tu Pa-ra-cli-to, Regnans per omne
saecu-lum. A-men.

During the year.

Ant.

H AVEmercy up-on me, O Lord, and hearken unto my pra- yer.

In Eastertide.

Ant.

A L-le-lu- ya, al-le-lu- ya, al-le-lu- ya.

Hymn.

Hymn.

B E-forthe ending of the day, Cre- a-tor of the world, we pray

That with thy wonted fa-vour thou Wouldst be our guard and keeper now.

2. From all ill dreams de-fend our eyes, From nightly fears and fanta-sies;

Tread under foot our ghostly foe, That no pol-lu-tion we may know.

3. Of Father, that we ask be done, Through Je-sus Christ, thine only Son;

Who, with the Ho-ly Ghost and thee, Doth live and reign e-ternal-ly.

A-men.

Lectio brevis. Hier. 14.9.

Tu- autem in no-bis es, Do-mi-ne, et nomen sanctum tu- um invo-ca-
tum est su-per nos: ne de-re-linqua-s nos, Do-mi-ne De- us noster.
De- o gra- ti- as.

Per Annum, Responsorium breve.

Resp.

N ma-nus tu- as Do-mi-ne, commendo spi- ri-tum
me- um. ij. V. Rede-mis-ti nos Do-mi-ne, De-us ve- ri ta-tis.
commendo spi- ri-tum me- um. V. Glori- a Pa-tri, et Fi- li-o,
et Spi-ri-tu- i Sancto. In ma-nus tu- as Do-mi-ne, commendo
spi- ri-tum me- um.

V. Cus-to di nos Do-mi-ne ut pu-pil-lamo-cu- li.

R. Subum-bra a-la-rum tu- a-rum pro-te-ge nos.

The Little Chapter. Jer. 14.9.

Thou, O Lord, art in the midst of us, and we are call-ed by thy Name.
leave us not, O Lord our God. Thanks be to God.

During the year, short responsory.

Resp.

N-to thy hands, O Lord, I command my spi- rit. ij.
V. For thou hast re-deemed us, O Lord, thou God of truth.
I command my spi- rit. V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Ho-ly Ghost. Into thy hands, O Lord, I command
my spi- rit.

V. Keep me, O Lord, as the apple of an eye.
R. Hide us under the sha-dow of thy wings.

Canticum Simeonis. Luc. 2.

Ant.

AL-va-nos. Ps. Nunc.

Nunc dimittis servum tuum Domine, * secundum verbum tuum *in pace*:
 2. *Quia* viderunt oculi mei * salutare tuum:
 3. **Quod** parasti * ante faciem omnium *populorum* :
 4. *Lumen ad revelationem gentium*, * et gloriam plebis tuae **Israel**.
 5. **Gloria Patri et Filio**, * et Spiritui **Sancto**.
 6. *Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper*, * et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.

Ant.

AL-va-nos, Do-mi-ne, vi-gi-lantes, custo-di nos dor-
 mi-en tes: ut vi-gi-lemus cum Chris-to, et requi-esca-mus
 in pa-ce. T.P. Alle- lu-ia.

Canticle of Simeon. Luke 2.

Ant.

REserve us. Ps. Nunc.

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart *in peace* * according to thy word.
 2. **For** mine eyes *have seen* * thy *salvation*,
 3. *Which thou hast prepared* * before the face of *all people*;
 4. *To be a light to lighten the gentiles*, * and to be the glory of thy people **Israel**.
 5. *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son*, * and to the **Holy Ghost**.
 6. *As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be*: * world without **end**. Amen.

Ant.

REserve us, O Lord while wa-king, and guard us while
 sleeping: that a-wake we may watch with Christ, and a-sleepwe may
 rest in peace. T.P. Al-he- lu- ya.

Preces.

Y-ri e e-le- i-son. R. Christe e-le- i-son. Ky-ri e
e-le- i-son. V. Pa-ter noster. secreto usque ad

qui es in caelis: sanctificetur nomen tuum : adveniat regnum tuum :
fiat voluntas tua, sicut in caelo, et in terra. Panem nostrum
quotidianum da nobis hodie: et dimitte nobis debita nostra, sicut et
nos dimittimus debitoribus nostris:

Et ne nos indu-cas in tenta- ti- o-nem R. Sedli-be-ra nos a ma-lo.

V. Credo inDe- um. secreto usque ad

Patrem omnipotentem, creatorum caeli et terrae. Et in Jesum
Christum, Filium ejus unicum, Dominum nostrum: qui conceptus est
de Spiritu Sancto, natus ex Maria Virgine: passus sub Pontio Pilato,
crucifixus, mortuus, et sepultus: descendit ad inferos: tertia die
resurrexit a mortuis: ascendit ad caelos, sedet ad dexteram Dei Patris
omnipotens: inde venturus est judicare vivos et mortuos. Credo in
Spiritum Sanctum, sanctam Ecclesiam catholicam, Sanctorum
communionem, remissionem peccatorum,

Camis re-sur-rec-ti- o-nem R. Vi-tam aeternam. Amen.

V. Bene-dic-tus es Do-mi-ne De- us pa-trum nostro-rum. V. Et lauda-

bi- lis et glo-ri- o-sus in saecu-la.

Prayers.

ORD,have mercy up-on us. R. Christ have mercy upon us.

Lord have mercy up-on us. V. Our Father. silently until

who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy will be done, On
earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive
us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us.

And lead us not into-tempta-tion. R. But de- li-ver-us frome-vil.

V. I be-lieve in God. silently until

the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ
his only Son our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born
of the Virgin Mary: Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified,
dead, and buried : He descended into hell : The third day he rose
again from the dead : He ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the
right hand of God the Father Almighty : From thence he shall come
to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost : The
holy Catholic Church ; The Communion of Saints : The Forgiveness
of sins :

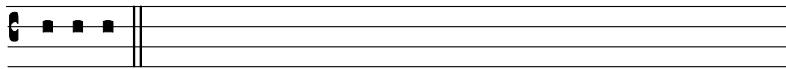
The re-surrection of the bo-dy. R. And the life-ever-last-ing. Amen.

V. Blessed art thou, O Lord God of our fathers. V. And to be

prais-ed and ex-al-ted a-bove all for ev-er.

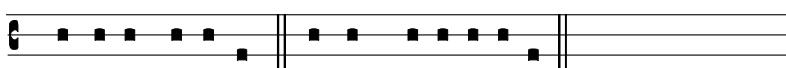
V. Bene-di-camus Pa-trem et Fi-li- um cumSancto Spi-ri-tu.
R. Laudemus et su-per-ex-al-temus e- um in saecu la.
V. Bene-dic-tus es Do-mi-ne in firma-mento caeli. R. Et lauda-bi- lis
et glo-ri- o-sus et su-per-ex-al-ta-tus in saecu la.
V. Beme-di-cat et custo-di at nos omni-po-tens et mi-se- ri-cors
Do-mi-nus. R. A-men.
V. Digna-re Do-mi-ne nocte is-ta. R. Sine pecca-to nos custo-di re.
V. Mise-re-re nostri Do-mi-ne. R. Mise-re re nostri.
V. Fi-at mi-se- ri-cordi- a tu- a Do-mi-ne su-per nos. R. Quemadmo-dum
spe-ra-vi-mus in te.
V. Domi-nus ex-audi o-ra-ti- o-nem me- am. R. Et clamor me- us
ad te ve-ni- at.
V. Domi-nus vo-biscum. R. Etcum spi- ri-tu tu- o.

V. Let us bless the Father, and the Son, and the Ho-ly Ghost.
R. Let us praise and magni-fy him for ev-er.
V. Blessed art thou, O Lord, in the firma-ment of heaven. R. And to be
prais-ed and ex-al-ted a-bove all for ev er.
V. TheLord Almighty and mer-ci- fulvouchsafe to bless and pre-serve us.
R. A-men.
V. Vouchsafe O Lord this night. R. To keep us without sin.
V. O Lord, have mercy up-on us. R. Have mercy up-on us.
V. O Lord, let thymercy lighten up-on us. R. As our trust is in thee.
V. Lord, hear my pray-er. R. And let my cry come unto thee.
V. TheLord be with you. R. And with thy spi- rit.

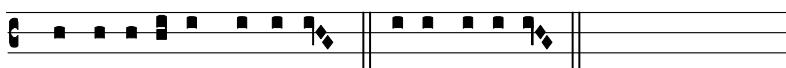


V. Oremus.

I- si- ta, quae- sumus Do- mi- ne, ha- bi- ta- ti- o- nem is- tam,
et omnes insi- di- as i- ni- mi- ci ab e- a longe re- pel- le: Ange- li
tu- i sancti ha- bi- tent in e- a, qui nos in pa- ce custo- di- ant; et
be- ne- dic- ti- o tu- a sit su- per nos semper. Per Do- mi- num no- strum
Je- sum Chris- tum Fi- li- um tu- um: qui te- cum vi- vit et regnat in
u- ni- ta- te Spi- ri- tus Sancti De- us, per omni- a saecu- la saecu-
lo- rum. A- men.

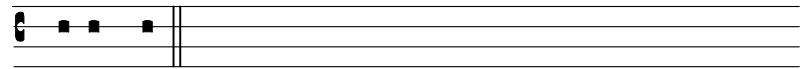


V. Domi-nus vo-biscum. R. Etcum spi- ri- tu tu- o.
vel Dominus exaudi etc.



V. Be- ne- di- camus Do- mi- no. R. De- o gra- ti- as.

V. Benedic et custodiat nos omnipotens et misericors Dominus,
Pater, + et Filius, et Spiritus Sanctus. R. Amen.

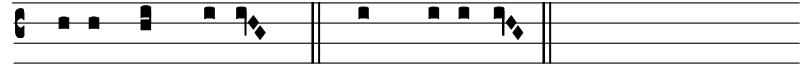


V. Letus pray.

IS- it, we be- seech thee, O Lord, this ha- bi- ta- tion, and drive
far fromit all snares of the e- nemy: let thy ho- ly Angels dwellhere in,
to pre- serve us in peace; and let thy blessing be always up- on us.
Through Je- sus Christ, thy Son our Lord. Who liv- eth and reigneth with
thee, in the u- ni- ty of the Ho ly Ghost, ev- er one God, world without
end. Amen.



V. The Lord be with you. R. And with thy spi- rit.
or Lord Hear my prayer etc.



V. Letus bless the Lord. R. Thanks be to God.

V. May the Lord Almighty and merciful, the Father, + the Son, and
the Holy Ghost, vouchsafe to bless and keep us. R. Amen.

ANTIPHONIS B. MARIAE VIRGINIS.

A Vesperis Sabbati ante Dominica I. Adventus usque ad secundas Vespertas Purificationis inclusive.

Ant.

L- ma Re-dempto-ris Ma- ter quae pervi-
cae-li por-ta ma- nes, Et stel- la ma- ris, su-cur-re ca-den- ti
surge-re qui ca- rat po-pu-lo: Tu quae ge-nu- is-ti, na-tu-
mi-ran- te, tu- um sanctum Ge-ni- to-rem: Vir- go pri- us ac
poste- ri- us, Gabri- e- lis ab o- re sumens il-lud A-ve, pecca-to-rum
mi-se-re-re.

Ant.

L- ma Re-dempto-ris Ma- ter, quae pervi- a cae-li por- ta
ma- nes, Et stel- la ma- ris, su-cur-re ca-den- ti, surge-re qui cu- rat
po-pu-lo: Tu quae ge-nu- is-ti, na-tu- ra mi-rante, tu- um sanctum

MARIAN ANTIPHONS.

From Vespers of the Saturday before the I Sunday in Advent through II Vespers of the Purification or if this feast be transferred, through Vespers on Feb. 2.

Ant.

ra- cious Mother of our Re-deem-er, for e-ver a-
bi-ding Hea-vens gate-way, and star of o- cean, O succour
the peo- ple, Who, though fall-ing strive to rise a-gain. Thou Maiden

who bar- est thy ho- ly Cre- a- tor, to the wonder of all na-ture;

E- ver Vir- gin, af-ter, as be-fore thou re-ceiv-edst that A-ve

From the mouth of Gabri- el; have compassion on us sinners.

Ant.

RA- cious Mother of our Re-deemer, for ev-er a- bi- ding
Heavens gateway, and star of o- cean, Osuccour the people, Who though
fal-ling, strive to rise a-gain. Thou maiden who bar- est thy ho- ly

Genito-rem: Vigo pri us ac poste ri us, Gabri e lis ab ore
sumens il-lud A-ve, pecca-to-rum mi se-re re.

V. Ange-lus Do-mi-ni nunti- a-vit Ma-ri ae.

R. Et conce-pit de Spi- ri-tu Sancto.

O-remus. Gra-ti- am tu- am, quae sumus Do-mi-ne, menti-bus nostris
infunde: ut qui, Ange-lo nunti- ante, Chris-ti Fi- li- i tu- i incarna-
na- ti- o-nem cogno-vi-mus, per pas-sio-nem e-jus et cru-cem ad
re-sur-rec-ti- o-nis glo-ri- am perdu camur. Per e- umdem Chris-tum
Do-mi-num nostrum. R. Amen.

V. Postpar-tum Vir-go invi- o-la-ta permansi-sti.

Cre- a-tor, to the wonder of all na-ture; Ev-er Virgin, af-ter, as be-fore
thou re-ceivedst that A-ve From the mouth of Gabri- el; have com-
passion on us sin-ners.

V. The Angel of the Lord announced unto Ma-ry.

R. And she conceived by the Ho-ly Ghost.

Let us pray. We be-seech thee, O Lord, pour thy grace into our hearts:
that as we have known the incarna-tion of thy Son Je-sus Christ by

the message of an Angel; so by his Cross and passion we may be
brought unto the glo-ry of his re-sur-rection. Through the-same Je-sus
Christ our Lord. R. Amen.

V. Af-ter childbear-ing, O Virgin, thou didst re-main invi- o-late.

R. De-i Ge-ni-trix interce-de pro no-bis.

O-remus. De-us, qui sa-lu-tis aeternae, be-a-tae Ma-ri-ae vir-gi-ni-ta-te foecunda, huma-no ge-ne-ri praemi-a praesti tis-ti: tri-bu-e, quaesumus; ut ipsam pro no-bis interce-de-re senti-amus, per quam me-ru-i-mus aucto-remvi-tae sus ci-pe-re, Do-mi-num nostrum Je-sum Chris-tum Fi-li-um tu-um. R. Amen.

Post Purificationem, id est, a Completorio diei 2. Februarii, etiam quando transferatur Festum Purificationis B. V. M., usque ad Completorium Feriae IV. Majoris Hebdomadae inclusive.

Ant.

Ave Re-gi-na cae-lo-rum, A-ve Do-mi-na An-ge-lo-rum: Sal-ve Ra-dix, salve por-ta, Exqua mun-do lux est or-ta: Gaude Virgo glo-ri-o-sa, Su-per om-nes spe-ci-o-sa: Va-de, O val-de de-co-ra, Et pro no-bis Chri-stum ex-o-ra.

R. Intercede for us, O Mother of God.

Let us pray. O God, who by the childdrearing of a pure Virgin hast bestowed up-on all mankind the re-wards of ev-er-last-ing life: grant, we be-seech thee; that we may know the suc-cour her intercession through whom we have been found worthy to re-ceive the Author of life, e-ven Je-sus Christ thy um tu-Son our Lord. A-men.

After the Purification, that is, from Compline of Feb. 2nd, whether the Feast of the Purification be transferred or not, through Compline of Wednesday of Holy Week

Ant.

QUEEN of the heavens, we hail thee, Hail thee, La-dy of all the An-gels: Thou the dawn, the door of morn-ing Whence the worlds true Light is ri-sen: Joy to thee, O vir-gin glo-rious, Beau-ti-ful be-yond all o-ther; Hail, and farewell, O most gracious,

Ant.

Ave Re-gi-na caelo-rum,* A-ve Do-mi-na Ange-lo-rum:
 Salve ra-dix, salve por-ta, Ex qua mundo lux est or-ta. Gaude Vigo
 glo-ri- o-sa, Su-per omnes spe-ci- o-sa: Va-le, O valde de-co- ra,
 Et pro-nó- bis Christum ex-o- ra.

V. Dig-na-re me lauda-re te Vigo sacra-ta.
 R. Da mi-hi vir-tu-tem contra hos tes tu- os.
 O-remus. Conce-de, mi-se- ri-cors De- us, fra-gi- li-ta- ti nostraræ
 praesi-di- um:ut qui sanctae De- i Ge-ni-tri-cis memo-ri- am a-gi-mus,
 intercessi- o-nis e-jus auxi- li- o a nostris i-niqui- ta- ti-bus

Inter cede for us al- way to Je- sus.
 Ant.

Q ueen of the heavens, we hail thee, * Hail thee, La-dy of all
 the Angels; Thou the dawn, the door of moming Whence the world's
 true light is ri-sen: Joy to thee, O Virgin glo-ri-ous, Beauti- ful be- yond
 all other; Hail, and farewell, O most gra-cious, Intercede for us
 alway to Je- sus.

V. Vouch-safe that I may praise O ho-ly Virgin.

R. Give me strength against enemies.

Let us pray. We be-seech thee, O Lord, mer-ci-ful-ly to assist our
 in-fimi-ty: that lie as we do now commemo-rate blessed Ma-ry
 E-verVirgin, Mother of God; so by the help of her intercession we may

re-surgamus. Per e- umdem Christum Do-mi-num nostrum. Amen.

A Completorio Sabatti Sancti usque ad Nonam Sabbati infra Octavam Pentecostes inclusive.

Ant. E-gi-na cae-li * laeta-re, al-le- lu-ia: Qui-a
quem me- ru-is-ti por-ta-re, al-le- lu-ia:
Re-sur-re-xit, si-cut di-xit, al-le- lu-ia: O-ra pro no-bis De- um,
al-le- lu- ia.
Ant. E-gi-na cae-li * laeta-re, al-le- lu-ia: Qui-a quem me-ru-
is-ti por-ta-re, al-le- lu-ia: Re-sur-re-xit, si-cut di-xit, al-le- lu-ia:
O-ra pro-no-bis De- um, al-le- lu- ia.

die to our former sins and rise a-gain to newness of life. Through
the same Christ our Lord. A-men.

From Compline of Holy Saturday through None of the Saturday within the Octave of Pentecost:

Ant. Queen of heaven* be joy- ful, al-le- lu-ia: Be-cause
he whomso meetly thou bar- est, al-le- lu- a:
Hath a- ri- sen, as he prom-ised, al-le- lu-ia: Pray for us to the
Fa-ther, al-le- lu- ia.
Ant. Queen of heaven, * be joyful, al-le- lu-ia: Be-cause he whomso
meetly thou bar- est, al-le- lu-ia: Hath a- ri- sen, as he pro-mised, al le- lu-ia:
Pray for us to the Father, al-le- lu- ia.

V. Gaud-de et laeta-re Vir-go Ma- ri- a, al-le-lu-ia.
 R. Qui- a sur-rex-it Do-mi-nus ve-re, al-le-lu-ia.
 O-remus. De- us, qui per re-sur-rec-ti- o-nem Fi- li- i tu- i
 Do-mi-ni nostri Je-su Chris-ti mundum lae-ti- fi-ca-re digna-tus es:
 praesta, quaesumus; ut per e-jus Ge-ni-tri-cem Virgi-nem Ma- ri- am
 perpe-tu- ae ca-pi- amus gaudi- a vi- tae. Per e- umdem Chris-tum
 Do-mi-num nostrum. A- men.

V. Re-joice and be exceeding glad, O Virgin Ma-ry, al-le-lu ia.
 R. Forthe Lord is ris-en indeed, al-le-lu ia.
 Let us pray. O God, who by the re-sur-rection of thy Son our Lord
 Je-sus Christ hast gi-ven joy unto the world: grant, we be-seech thee;
 that through his Mother, the Virgin Ma-ry, we may obtain the joys of
 Ev-er-las-ting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. A- men.

A primis Vesperis Festi Ss. Trinitatis usque ad Nonam Sabbati ante Adventum inclusive:

Ant.

AL- ve * Re- gi- na, ma- ter mi- se- ri- cordi- ae:
Vi- ta, dul-ce- do, et spes nostra, sal- ve. Ad te cla-ma- mus
ex-u-les, fi- li- i He- vea. Ad te suspi- ra- mus, ge- men- tes et
flen- tes in hac lac-ri- ma- rum val- le. E- ia ergo Advo- ca- ta
nostra, il-los tu- os mi- se- ri- cor- des o- cu- los ad nos conver- te.
Et Je- sumbe-ne-di- ctum fructum ventris tu- i, no- bis post hoc
exsi- li- um so- tende. O cle- mens: O pi- a: O
dul-cis Vi- go Ma- ri- a.

From I Vespers of the Feast of the Most Holy Trinity through None of the Saturday before the I Sunday of Advent:

Ant.

A- ry,* we hail thee, mother and Queen com- pas- sion- ate;
Ma- ry, our com- fort, life and hope, we hail thee. To thee we ex- iles,
children of Eve, lift our cry- ing. To thee we are sigh- ing, as
mournful and weep- ing, we pass through this vale of sor- row. Turn
thou, therefore, O our in- tercessor, those thine eyes of pi- ty and
lov- ing kindness up- on us sin- ners. Hereaf- ter, when our earthly
ex- ile shall be ended, Show us Je- sus, the blessed fruit of thy womb.
O gen- tle, O tender, O gra- cious Virgin Ma- ry.

Ant.

AL- ve, Re-gi-na, * ma-ter mi-se- ri-cordi- ae: Vi-ta, dulce-
do, et spes nostra, sal-ve. Ad te cla-mamus, exsu- les, fi- li- i He-vae.
Ad te suspi- ramus, ge-mentes et flentes in hac lac-ri-ma-rum val-le.
E-ia ergo, Advo-ca-ta nostra, il-los tu- os mi-se- ri-cordes o-cu-los
ad nos conver-te. Et Je-sum, be-ne-dic-tum fructum ventris tu- i,
no-bis post hoc exsi- li- um ostende. O cle- mens: O pi- a:
O dul-cis Vigo Ma- ri- a.

V. Ora pro no-bis sancta De- i Ge-ni-trix.

R. Utdigni ef-fi-ci- amur pro-mis-si- o-ni-bus Chris-ti.

Ant.

Aryw̄haihee,* motherandQueercompassio-nateMa-ry,ourcom-
fortlifeandhope,w̄haihee.Tohewe ex-ileschildrenofEvelifburcrying.
Ttheewe aresigningasmournfulandweeping,w̄passthroughthisvaloſor-row
TurrthouthereforeOuintercessorthosethin̄eyesofi-ty andov-ingkindness
up-on us sin-ners. Hereaf-ter, when our earthly ex-ile shall be ended,
shew us Je-sus, the blessed fruit of thy womb.O gen-tle,O tender,
O gracious Virgin Ma- ry.

V. Prayfor us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the pro-mis-es of Christ.

O-remus. Omni-po-tens sempi-terne De- us, qui glo-ri- o-sae
 Virgi-nis Mat-ris Ma-ri- ae corpus et a-ni-mam, ut dignum
 Fi- li- i tu- i ha-bi- ta-cu-lumef-fi-ci me-re-re-tur, Spi- ri-tu Sancto
 co- o-pe-rante praepa-ras-ti: da, ut cu-jus commemo-ra- ti- o-ne
 laetemur, e-jus pi-a-intercessi- o-ne ab instanti-bus ma- lis et a
 mor-te perpe-tu- a li-be-remur. Per e- umdemChris-tum Do-mi-num
 nostrum. A- men.

V. Divinum + auxilium maneat semper nobiscum. *R.* Amen.

Let us pray. Almighty, ev-er-las-ting God, who by the co- o-pe-
 ration of the Ho-ly Ghost didst pre-pare the bo-dy and soulof
 the glo-ri- ous VirginMother Ma-ry to be-come a dwel-ling place meet
 for thy Son: grant that as we re-joice in her commemo-ra-tion; so by
 her fervent intercession we may be de- li-ve-red from pres-ent e-vils
 and from ev-er-last-ing death. Through the same Christ our Lord.
 A- men.

V. May the divine + assistance remain always with us. *R.* Amen.