Liturgy of the Hours LITURGY OF THE HOURS

DAYTIME PRAYER

November 21, 2024

{ Memorial – Presentation of Mary }



Stand and make sign of cross

God, come to my assistance.

— 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, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

HYMN

Firmly I believe and truly God is three and God is one; And I next acknowledge duly Manhood taken by the Son

And I trust and hope most fully In that manhood crucified; And I love supremely, solely Christ who for my sins has died.

And I hold in veneration, For the love of him alone, Holy Church as his creation, And her teachings as his own.

Praise and thanks be ever given With and through the angel host, To the God of earth and heaven, Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

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Sit or stand

PSALMODY

Antiphon 1

Open my eyes, O Lord, that I may see the wonders of your law.

Psalm 119: 17-24

III (Ghimel)

Bless your sérvant and Í shall líve * and obéy your word.
Ópen my éyes that I may sée * the wonders of your láw.

Í am a pílgrim on the éarth; * shów me your commánds. My sóul is éver consúmed * as I lóng for your decrées.

You thréaten the proud, the accursed, * who turn from your commands. Relieve me from scorn and contémpt * for I do your will.

Though prínces sit plótting agáinst me * I pónder on your rúlings. Your wíll is mý delíght; * your státutes are my cóunsellors.

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.

Antiphon

Open my eyes, O Lord, that I may see the wonders of your law.

Antiphon 2

Guide me, O Lord, in your truth.

Psalm 25

Prayer for God's favor and protection

Our hope will never be disappointed (Romans 5:5).

I

To you, O Lórd, I líft up my sóul. †
I trúst in you, let me nót be disappóinted; *

do not lét my énemies tríumph. Those who hópe in you shall nót be disappóinted, *but only thóse who wántonly break fáith.

Lórd, make me knów your wáys. *
Lórd, téach me your páths.
Make me wálk in your trúth, and téach me: *
for yóu are Gód my sávior.

In you I hope all day long *
because of your goodness, O Lord.
Remémber your mércy, Lord, *
and the love you have shown from of old.
Do not remémber the sins of my youth. *
In your love remémber mé.

The Lórd is góod and úpright.*
He shows the páth to thóse who stráy, he guides the húmble in the ríght páth; * he téaches his wáy to the póor.

His wáys are fáithfulness and lóve * for those who kéep his cóvenant and láw. Lórd, for the sáke of your náme * forgíve my guílt; for it is gréat.

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.

Antiphon

Guide me, O Lord, in your truth.

Antiphon 3

Look on me, Lord, and help me, for I am poor and alone.

II

If ányone féars the Lórd *
he will shów him the páth he should chóose.
His sóul shall líve in háppiness *

and his children shall posséss the lánd. The Lord's fríendship is for thóse who revére him; * to thém he revéals his cóvenant.

My éyes are álways on the Lórd; * for he réscues my féet from the snáre. Túrn to mé and have mércy * for Í am lónely and póor.

Relieve the ánguish of my héart * and sét me frée from my distréss. Sée my affliction and my tóil * and táke all my síns awáy.

Sée how mány are my fóes; *
how víolent their hátred for mé.
Presérve my lífe and réscue me. *
Do not disappóint me, yóu are my réfuge.
May ínnocence and úprightness protéct me: *
for my hópe is in yóu, O Lórd.

Redeem Ísrael, O Gód, * from áll its distréss.

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.

Antiphon

Look on me, Lord, and help me, for I am poor and alone.

Sit

READING

Amos 5:8, 9b

He who made the Pleiades and Orion, who turns darkness into dawn, and darkens day into night;
Who summons the waters of the sea, and pours them out upon the surface of the earth;

whose name is Lord.

Verse

Beauty and wealth surround him.

— Richness and splendor adorn his holy place.

Stand

CONCLUDING PRAYER

Let us pray.

All-powerful and ever-living God, with you there is no darkness, from you nothing is hidden. Fill us with the radiance of your light: may we understand the law you have given us and live it with generosity and faith. Grant this through Christ our Lord.

— Amen.

Acclamation

Let us praise the Lord.

— And give him thanks.

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