Liturgy of the Hours LITURGY OF THE HOURS

EVENING PRAYER II

November 1, 2025 { Solemnity – All Saints }



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

O Christ, Redeemer of the world, protect and guide your servants here, be pleased to hear the holy prayers of Mary, Virgin ever blest.

O blessed hosts that dwell on high, you heav'nly angels, rank on rank, drive far from us all evils past, all present wrongs, and future harm.

O Prophets of the_eternal Judge, and great Apostles of the Lord, on bended knee we beg your prayers that by his love we may be saved.

O Martyrs who are crowned by God, Confessors clothed in bright array, come with your prayers on our behalf to lead us on the heav'nly path.

O choirs of holy Virgins, come, and all monastic families, that with the saints of ev'ry rank we all may share the life of Christ.

Now with your voices join our prayer, that we may pay our debt of praise, and let us sing with lively joy:
All glory to the Three in One. Amen.

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Sit or stand

PSALMODY

Antiphon 1

I saw a vast crowd of countless numbers from every nation, standing before the throne.

Psalm 110:1-5, 7

The Messiah, king and priest

Christ's reign will last until all his enemies are made subject to him (1 Corinthians 15:25).

The Lórd's revelátion to my Máster: † "Sít on my ríght: * your fóes I will pút beneath your féet."

The Lórd will wield from Zíon † your scépter of pówer: * rúle in the mídst of all your fóes.

A prínce from the dáy of your bírth † on the hóly móuntains; * from the wómb before the dáwn I begót you.

The Lórd has sworn an óath he will not chánge. † "You are a príest for éver, * a príest like Melchízedek of óld."

The Máster stánding at your ríght hand * will shatter kíngs in the dáy of his wráth.

He shall drink from the stréam by the wayside * and thérefore he shall lift up his héad.

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

I saw a vast crowd of countless numbers from every nation, standing before the throne.

Antiphon 2

God tried them and found them worthy of himself; they shall receive a crown of glory from the Lord.

Psalm 116:10-19

Thanksgiving in the Temple

Through Christ let us offer God a continual sacrifice of praise (Hebrews 13:15).

I trústed, éven when I sáid: *
"I am sórely afflícted,"
and whén I sáid in my alárm: *
"No mán can be trústed."

How cán I repáy the Lórd * for his góodness to mé? The cúp of salvátion I will ráise; * I will cáll on the Lórd's name.

My vóws to the Lórd I will fulfill * befóre all his péople.

O précious in the éyes of the Lórd * is the déath of his fáithful.

Your sérvant, Lord, your sérvant am Í; * you have lóosened my bónds. A thánksgiving sácrifice I máke: * I will cáll on the Lórd's name.

My vóws to the Lórd I will fulfill * befóre all his péople, in the cóurts of the hóuse of the Lórd, * in your mídst, O Jerúsalem.

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

God tried them and found them worthy of himself; they shall receive a crown of glory from the Lord.

Antiphon 3

By your own blood, Lord, you brought us back to God; from every tribe and tongue, and people and nation, you made us a kingdom for our God.

Canticle – Revelation 4:11; 5:9, 10, 12

Redemption hymn

O Lord our God, you are worthy * to receive glory and honor and power.

For you have created all things; * by your will they came to be and were made.

Worthy are you, O Lord,* to receive the scroll and break open its seals.

For you were slain; † with your blood you purchased for God * men of every race and tongue, of every people and nation.

You made of them a kingdom, † and priests to serve our God, * and they shall reign on the earth.

Worthy is the Lamb that was slain * to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, * honor and glory and praise.

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

By your own blood, Lord, you brought us back to God; from every tribe and tongue, and people and nation, you made us a kingdom for our God.

Sit

READING

2 Corinthians 6:16b; 7:1

You are the temple of the living God, just as God has said:

"I will dwell with them and walk among them. I will be their God

and they shall be my people."

Since we have these promises, beloved, let us purify ourselves from every defilement of flesh and spirit, and in the fear of God strive to fulfill our consecration perfectly.

RESPONSORY

Let the saints rejoice in the Lord.

— Let the saints rejoice in the Lord.

God has chosen you as his own;

— rejoice in the Lord.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,

— Let the saints rejoice in the Lord.

Stand

GOSPEL CANTICLE

Antiphon

How glorious is that kingdom where all the saints rejoice with Christ; clothed in white robes, they follow the Lamb wherever he goes.

Luke 1:46-55

The soul rejoices in the Lord

Make sign of cross

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, * my spirit rejoices in God my Savior for he has looked with favor on his lowly servant. *

From this day all generations will call me blessed: the Almighty has done great things for me,* and holy is his Name.

He has mercy on those who fear him * in every generation.

He has shown the strength of his arm, * he has scattered the proud in their conceit.

He has cast down the mighty from their thrones,* and has lifted up the lowly.

He has filled the hungry with good things, * and the rich he has sent away empty.

He has come to the help of his servant Israel * for he has remembered his promise of mercy, the promise he made to our fathers, * to Abraham and his children for ever.

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

How glorious is that kingdom where all the saints rejoice with Christ; clothed in white robes, they follow the Lamb wherever he goes.

Intercessions

God is the reward of all the saints. Let us joyfully call upon him:

— Lord, save your people.

O God, through your Son Jesus Christ you built your Church on the foundation of the apostles,

keep their teaching secure among your faithful people.

Lord, save your people.

You made the martyrs powerful witnesses even to the point of giving up their lives,

help all Christians to give faithful witness to your Son.

— Lord, save your people.

You gave holy virgins the gift of imitating the virginity of Christ, may those consecrated to virginity be steadfast witnesses to the coming of your kingdom.

— Lord, save your people.

Your saints now see you face to face, keep alive in our hearts the hope of coming at last into your presence.

— Lord, save your people.

Bring all who have died into the company of heaven with Mary, Joseph and all your saints, and give us also a place in the unending fellowship of your Kingdom.

— Lord, save your people.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come.
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 those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Concluding Prayer

Father, all-powerful and ever-living God,

today we rejoice in the holy men and women of every time and place.

May their prayers bring us your forgiveness and love.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

— Amen.

Dismissal

May the Lord bless us, protect us from all evil and bring us to everlasting life.

— Amen.

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