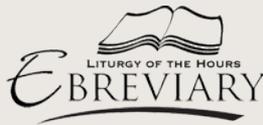


Liturgy of the Hours
LITURGY OF THE HOURS

DAYTIME PRAYER

April 26, 2025

{ Saturday within the Octave of Easter }



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

Come, servants, join in humble prayer
with psalms and hymns of worthy praise;
let mind and heart and lips extol
the blest and holy name of God.

For this is that dread time and hour,
in which the Judge of ages stood
condemned to death by false decree,
unjustly judged by mortal foes.

And we with all the love we owe,
compelled by just and humble fear,
seek help against our wicked foe
and all his sly and fierce assaults.

Let us implore the one true God,
the Father and the Son, our King,
the Holy Spirit, Paraclete,
in Trinity, our God and Lord. Amen.

Metrical hymn, melody: DEUS TUORUM MILITUM, 8 8 8 8; form the Grenoble Antiphoner, 1753

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Sit or stand

PSALMODY

Antiphon

He was handed over to death for our sins; he was raised to life to justify us, alleluia.

Psalm 119:33-40

V (He)

Téach me the demánds of your précepts *
and I will kéeep them to the énd.

Tráin me to obsérve your lów, *
to kéeep it with my héart.

Guíde me in the páth of your commánds; *
for thére is my delíght.

Bénd my héart to your wíll *
and nótt to love of gáin.

Kéeep my éyes from what is fálse: *
by your wórd, give me lífe.

Kéeep the prómise you have máde *
to the sérvant who féars you.

Kéeep me from the scórn I dréad, *
for your decreés are góod.

Sée, I lóng for your précepts: *
then in your jústice, give me lífe.

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.

Psalm 96

The Lord, king and judge of the world

A new theme now inspires their praise of God; they belong to the Lamb (see Revelation

14:3).

I

O síng a new sóng to the Lórd, †
síng to the Lórd, all the éarth. *

O síng to the Lórd, bless his náme.

Procláim his hélp day by dáy, †
téll among the nátions his glóry *
and his wónders amóng all the péoples.

The Lord is gréat and wórtthy of práise, †
to be féared abóve all góds; *
the góds of the héathens are náught.

It was the Lórd who máde the héavens, †
his are májesty and státe and pówer *
and spléndor in his hóly pláce.

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.

II

Give the Lórd, you fámilies of péoples, †
give the Lórd glóry and pówer, *
give the Lórd the glóry of his náme.

Bring an óffering and énter his cóurts, †
wórsnip the Lórd in his témples. *
O éarth, trémbles befóre him.

Procláim to the nátions: “God is kíng.” †
The wórlld he made fírm in its pláce; *
he will júdge the péoples in fáirness.

Let the héavens rejóice and earth be glád, *
let the séa and all withín it thunder práise,
let the lánd and all it béars rejóice, *
all the trées of the wóod shout for jój
at the présence of the Lórd for he cómes, *

he comes to rule the earth.
With justice he will rule the world, *
he will judge the peoples with his truth.

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

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justify us, alleluia.

Sit

READING

1 Corinthians 15:20-22

Christ is now raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have
fallen asleep. Death came through a man; hence the resurrection of
the dead comes through a man also. Just as in Adam all die, so in
Christ all will come to life again.

Verse

This is the day the Lord has made, alleluia.

— Let us rejoice and be glad, alleluia.

Stand

CONCLUDING PRAYER

Let us pray.

Father of love,
by the outpouring of your grace
you increase the number of those who believe in you.
Watch over your chosen family.
Give undying life to all
who have been born again in baptism.

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

— Amen.

Acclamation

Let us praise the Lord.

— And give him thanks.

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