2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A) Second Vespers

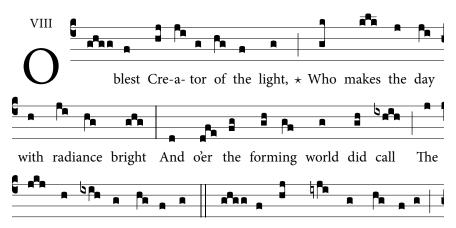


et Fí-li- o, et Spi-rí-tu- i Sancto. Sic-ut e-rat in princí-pi- o, *and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.* As it was in the beginning,

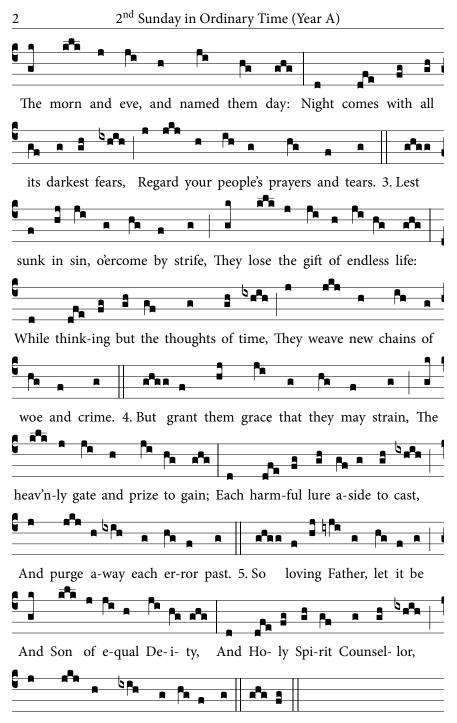


et nunc et semper, et in sæcu-la sæcu-ló-rum. Amen. Alle-lú-ia. *is now, and ever shall be, unto the age of ages.*

Hymnus

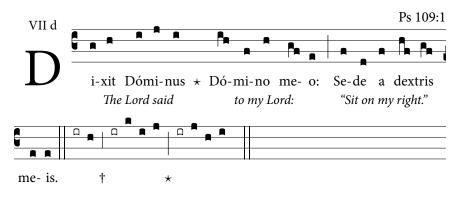


light from cha-os first of all. 2. Your wisdom joined in meet array



Who lives and reigns for ev-ermore. A-men.

ANTIPHONA



PSALM 109

The Messiah, king and priest

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

The Lord's revelation to my Master: † "Sit on my right: * your foes I will put beneath your feet." The Lord will wield from Zion † your scepter of power: * rule in the midst of all your foes. A prince from the day of your birth † on the holy mountains; * from the womb before the dawn I begot you. The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change. † "You are a priest for ever, \star a priest like Melchizedek of old." The Master standing at your right hand ***** will shatter kings in the day of his great wrath. He shall drink from the stream by the wayside \star and therefore he shall lift up his head. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, \star and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, \star and will be for ever. Amen.

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PSALM 113B

Praise of the true God

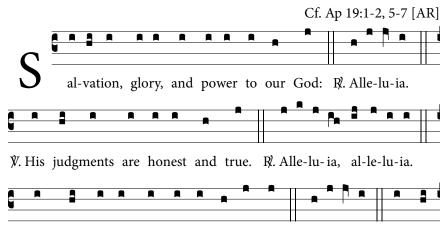
You have renounced idol worship to serve the living and true God (1 Thessalonians 1:9).

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?" But our God is in the heavens: * he does whatever he wills. Their idols are silver and gold, * the work of human hands. They have mouths but they cannot speak; * they have eyes but they cannot see; they have ears but they cannot hear; \star they have nostrils but they cannot smell. 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. 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.

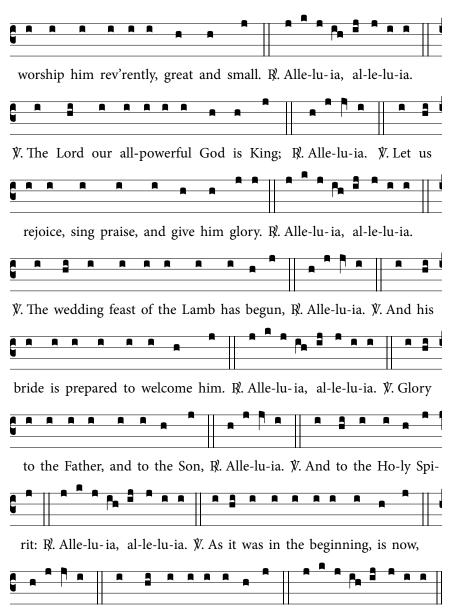
You who fear him, trust in the Lord; * he is their help and their shield. He remembers us, and he will bless us; † he will bless the sons of Israel. \star He will bless the sons of Aaron. The Lord will bless those who fear him, * the little no less than the great: to you may the Lord grant increase, * to you and all your children. May you be blessed by the Lord, \star the maker of heaven and earth. The heavens belong to the Lord \star but the earth he has given to men. The dead shall not praise the Lord, ***** nor those who go down into the silence. But we who live bless the Lord \star now and for ever. Amen. 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.

CANTICUM

The wedding of the Lamb



V. Sing praise to our God, all you his servants, R. Alle-lu-ia. V. All who



R. Alle-lu-ia. V. And will be for e-ver. Amen. R. Alle-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

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Lectio brevis

2 Th 2:13-14

e are bound to thank God for you always, beloved brothers in the Lord, because you are the first fruits of those whom God has chosen for salvation, in holiness of spirit and fidelity to truth. He called you through our preaching of the good news so that you might achieve the glory of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Responsorium brevis



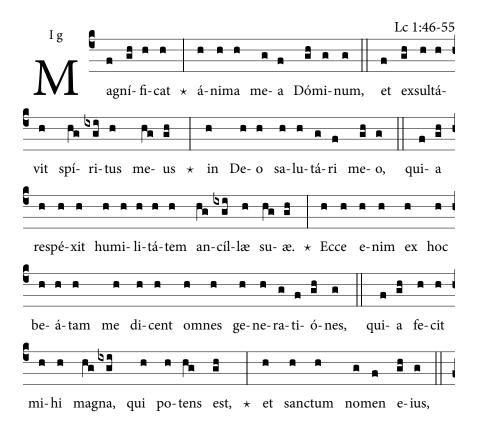
Antiphona ad Magnificat

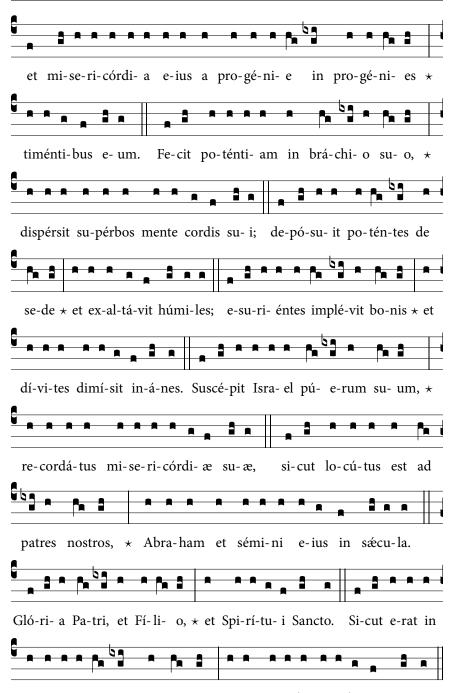


This is the testimony that John bore: "The one who comes after me was before me."

CANTICUM EVANGELICUM

The soul rejoices in the Lord





princí-pi- o, et nunc, et semper, * et in sæcu-la sæcu-ló-rum. Amen.

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.

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A ll praise and honor to Christ! He lives for ever to intercede for us, and he is able to save those who approach the Father in his name. Sustained by our faith, let us call upon him: Remember your people, Lord.

R. Remember your people, Lord.

As the day draws to a close, Sun of Justice, we invoke your name upon the whole human race, – so that all men may enjoy your never failing light.

R. Remember your people, Lord.

Preserve the covenant which you have ratified in your blood, – cleanse and sanctify your Church.

R. Remember your people, Lord.

Remember your assembly, Lord, - your dwelling place.

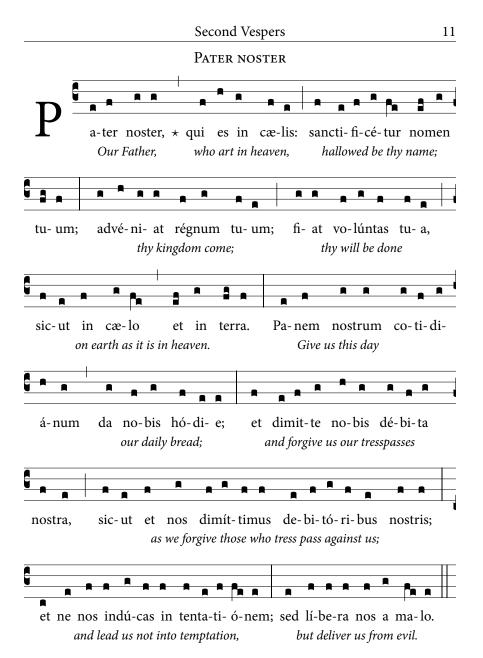
R. Remember your people, Lord.

Guide travelers along the path of peace and prosperity, – so that they may reach their destinations in safety and joy.

R. Remember your people, Lord.

Receive the souls of the dead, Lord, – grant them your favor and the gift of eternal glory.

R. Remember your people, Lord.



Oratio conclusiva

Imighty ever-living God, who govern all things, both in heaven and on earth, mercifully hear the pleading of your people and bestow your peace on our times. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

₿. Amen.

RITUS CONCLUSIONIS

℣. The Lord be with you.

R. And with your spirit.

 $\ref{M}.$ May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

₿. Amen.

Benedicamus Domino

