

# VESPERS

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

LITURGY OF THE HOURS / EVENING PRAYER II



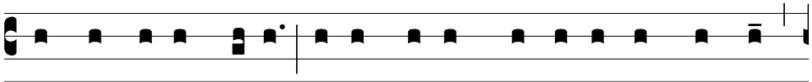
*Please stand and make the Sign of the Cross as priest (or cantor) intones  
“O God, come to my assistance.” Bow at “Glory to the Father...Holy  
Spirit”*



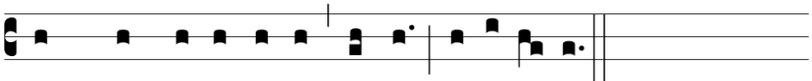
**O** God, come to my assistance. **O Lord, make haste**



**to help me. Glo-ry to the Father, and to the Son, and**



**to the Ho-ly Spir-it: as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now,**



**and will be for e-ver. Amen. Alle-lu-ia.**

*\*While the Divine Office may be sung, this prayer may be simply recited.  
A video will be posted on our website: [www.StJohnCatholicMcLean.org](http://www.StJohnCatholicMcLean.org) (click on  
WORSHIP THE LORD, then DIVINE OFFICE) Contact James Senson, Director of  
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## HYMN

*Lord of All Hopefulness*  
*Saint Michael Hymnal, #622*

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy;  
Whose trust, ever child-like, no cares could destroy:  
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,  
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,  
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe:  
Be there at our labors, and give us, we pray,  
Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,  
Your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace:  
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,  
Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,  
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm:  
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,  
Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

# PSALMODY

*Psalm verses are sung antiphonally between the cantor (I) and all (II).*

## ANTIPHON 1

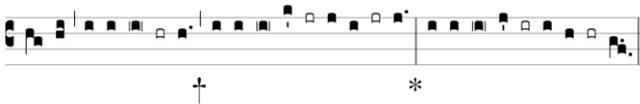


**C** hrist our Lord is a priest for e-ver, like Melchi-ze-dek



of old, al-le-lu-ia.

## PSALM 110:1-5,7



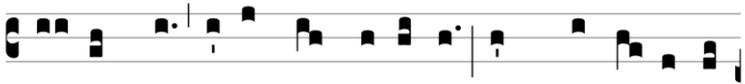
- I *The LORD's* revelation to my Master; | “Sit on my right: \*  
your foes I will | put beneath your feet.”
- II The LORD will wield from Zion your | scepter of power: \*  
rule in the | midst of all your foes.
- I A prince from the day of your † birth  
on the | holy mountains; \*  
from the womb before the dawn | I begot you.
- II The LORD has sworn an oath he will not † change  
“You are a | priest for ever, \*  
A priest like Mel- | chizedek of old.”
- I The Master standing | at your right hand \*  
will shatter kings in the | day of his great wrath.

II He shall drink from the | stream *by* the wayside. \*  
and therefore he shall | lift up his head.

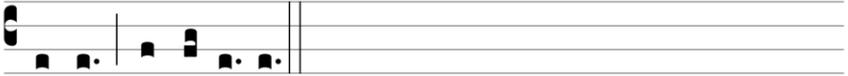
*Bow at "Glory to the Father.... Holy Spirit."*

I Glory to the | *Fa-ther*, and to *the* Son, \*  
and to the | Holy Spir-it:

II as it was in the be- | ginning, is now, \*  
and will be for- | ever. A-men.



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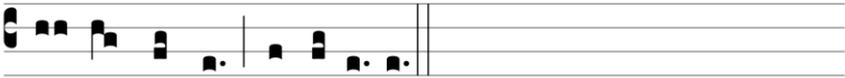


of old, al-le-lu-ia.

#### ANTIPHON 2

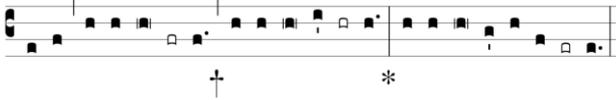


**G** od dwells in highest hea- ven; he has power to



do all he wills, al-le-lu-ia.

PSALM 115



- I *Not to us, LORD, | not to us, \**  
     but to your name | give the glory
- II for the sake of your love and | your truth, \*  
     lest the heathen say: | “Where is their God?”
- I But our God is in the | heavens; \*  
     he does what- | ever he wills.
- II Their idols are silver | and gold, \*  
     the | work of hu-man hands.
- I They have mouths but they | can-not speak; \*  
     they have eyes | but they can-not see;
- II they have ears but they | can-not hear; \*  
     they have nostrils | but they can-not smell.
- I With their hands they can-†not feel;  
     with their feet they | can-not walk. \*  
     No sound | comes from their throats.
- II Their makers will come to be | like them \*  
     and so will | all who trust *in* them.
- I Sons of Israel, trust | in *the* LORD; \*  
     he is their | help and their shield.
- II Sons of Aaron, trust | in *the* LORD; \*  
     he is their | help and their shield.
- I You who fear him, trust | in *the* LORD; \*  
     he is their | help and their shield.
- II He remembers us, and he will bless † us;  
     he will bless the sons of | Is-ra-el. \*  
     He will bless the | sons of Aaron.



ANTIPHON 3

**P**



raise God, all you who serve him, both great and

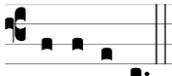


small, al-le-lu-ia.

CANTICLE: REVELATION 19:1-7



I Salvation, glory, and power | to our God:



*All*

Alle-lu-ia.

II his judgments are ho- | nest and true.



*All*

Al-le-lu-ia, Alle-lu-ia.

I Sing praise to our God, all you | his servants,

All **Alleluia.**

II all who worship him reverently, | great and small.

All **Alleluia, Alleluia.**



**READING**

*2 Thessalonians 2:13-14*

We 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.

**RESPONSORY**



**O** ur Lord is great, mighty is his power. **Our Lord**  
is great, mighty is his power. His wisdom is beyond  
compare, **mighty is his power.** Glo-ry to the Father, and  
to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spir- it. **Our Lord is great,**  
**mighty is his power.**

*Please stand.*



*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 | Is-ra-el \**  
for he has remembered his pro- | mise of mercy,

*The pro-mise he made to our | fathers, \**  
to Abraham and his chil- | dren 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.



**S**o great a harvest, and so few to gather it in; pray



to the Lord of the harvest; beg him to send out la-bo-rers



for his harvest.

## INTERCESSIONS

All 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:



**R**emember 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.

### **Remember your people, Lord.**

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

### **Remember your people, Lord.**

Remember your assembly, Lord,  
—your dwelling place.

### **Remember your people, Lord.**

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

### **Remember your people, Lord.**

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

### **Remember your people, Lord.**

# OUR FATHER



**O**ur 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 de-liv-er us from e-vil.

The image shows a musical score for the hymn "Our Father". It consists of five staves of music, each with a treble clef and a common time signature (C). The notes are represented by small black squares on a five-line staff. The lyrics are printed below the corresponding musical staves. The first staff begins with a large capital letter 'O' for the word 'Our'. The music is a simple, single-line melody.

## **PRAYER**

Father,  
through the obedience of Jesus,  
your servant and your Son,  
you raised a fallen world.

Free us from sin  
and bring us the joy that lasts for ever.

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

**Amen.**

## **DISMISSAL**

**May the LORD bless us,** *(make the Sign of the Cross)*

**protect us from all evil  
and bring us to everlasting life.**

**Amen.**

### **Credits:**

Trinity and all the saints – Jean Fouquet, 15<sup>th</sup> century

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