

*Liturgy of the Hours*  
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EVENING PRAYER II

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April 23, 2023

{ Third Sunday 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

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!  
The strife is o'er, the battle done;  
Now is the victor's triumph won:  
O let the song of praise be sung.  
Alleluia!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!  
On the third morn he rose again,  
Glorious in majesty to reign:  
O let us swell the joyful strain:  
Alleluia!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!  
O risen Lord, all praise to thee,  
Who from our sin has set us free,  
That we may live eternally:  
Alleluia!

*Melody: Victory 888 with Alleluias; Music: G.P. da Palestrina, 1588, adapted with alleluias by W.H. Monk, 1861; Text: Cologne, 1695; Translator: Francis Pott, 1861, alt.*

*Sit or stand*

## PSALMODY

### *Antiphon 1*

He purified us from our sins, and is seated on high at God's right hand, alleluia.

*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 revelátiön to my Máster: †  
“Sít on my ríght: \*  
your fóes I will pút beneath your féet.”

The Lórd will wíeld from Zíön †  
your scépter of pówer: \*  
rúle in the mídst of all your fóes.

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

The Lórd has sworn an óath he will not chángé. †  
“You are a príest for éver, \*  
a príest like Melchízedeck of óld.”

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

He shall drínk from the stréam by the wáyside \*  
and thérefore he shall líft 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*

He purified us from our sins, and is seated on high at God's right hand, alleluia.

*Antiphon 2*

The Lord has redeemed his people, alleluia.

*Psalm 111*

*God's marvelous works*

*We are lost in wonder at all that you have done for us, our Lord and mighty God*

*(Revelation 15:3).*

I will thánk the Lórd with all my héart \*  
in the méeting of the júst and their assémbly.  
Gréat are the wórks of the Lórd; \*  
to be póndered by áll who lóve them.

Májestic and glórious his wórk, \*  
his jústice stands fírm for éver.  
He mákes us remémber his wónders. \*  
The Lórd is compásson and lóve.

He gives fód to thóse who féar him; \*  
keeps his cóvenant éver in mínd.  
He has shówn his míght to his péople \*  
by gíving them the lánds of the nátions.

His wórks are jústice and trúth: \*  
his précepts are áll of them súde,  
standing fírm for éver and éver: \*  
they are máde in úprightness and trúth.

He has sént delíverance to his péople †  
and estáblished his cóvenant for éver. \*  
Hóly his náme, to be féared.

To fear the Lórd is the fírst stage of wísdóm; †  
all who dó so próve themselves wíse. \*  
His práise shall lást for éver!

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*

The Lord has redeemed his people, alleluia.

*Antiphon 3*

Alleluia, our Lord is king; let us rejoice and give glory to him,  
alleluia.

*Canticle – See Revelation 19:1-7*

*The wedding of the Lamb*

Alleluia.

Salvation, glory, and power to our God: \*  
his judgments are honest and true.

Alleluia.

Alleluia.

Sing praise to our God, all you his servants, \*  
all who worship him reverently, great and small.

Alleluia.

Alleluia.

The Lord our all-powerful God is King, \*  
let us rejoice, sing praise, and give him glory.

Alleluia.

Alleluia.

The wedding feast of the Lamb has begun, \*  
and his bride is prepared to welcome him.

Alleluia.

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*

Alleluia, our Lord is king; let us rejoice and give glory to him,  
alleluia.

*Sit*

READING

*Hebrews 10:12-14*

Jesus offered one sacrifice for sins and took his seat forever at the right hand of God; now he waits until his enemies are placed beneath his feet. By one offering he has forever perfected those who are being sanctified.

## RESPONSORY

The Lord is risen, alleluia, alleluia.

— The Lord is risen, alleluia, alleluia.

He has appeared to Simon,

— alleluia, alleluia.

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

— The Lord is risen, alleluia, alleluia.

*Stand*

## GOSPEL CANTICLE

*Antiphon*

Jesus said to his disciples: Bring me some of the fish you have just caught. Simon Peter went aboard and hauled ashore the net, full of large fish, alleluia.

*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*

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### INTERCESSIONS

With joy in our hearts, let us call upon Christ the Lord, who died and rose again, and lives always to intercede for us:

— Victorious King, hear our prayer.

Light and salvation of all peoples,  
send into our hearts the fire of your Spirit, as we proclaim your resurrection.

— Victorious King, hear our prayer.

Let Israel recognize in you her longed-for Messiah,  
and the whole earth be filled with the knowledge of your glory.

— Victorious King, hear our prayer.

Keep us in the communion of your saints,  
and grant us rest from our labors in their company.

— Victorious King, hear our prayer.

You have triumphed over death, your enemy; destroy in us the power of death,  
that we may live only for you, victorious and immortal Lord.

— Victorious King, hear our prayer.

Savior Christ, you were obedient even to accepting death, and were

raised up to the right hand of the Father,  
in your goodness welcome your brothers and sisters into the  
kingdom of your glory.

— Victorious King, hear our prayer.

*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*

God our Father,  
may we look forward with hope to our resurrection,  
for you have made us your sons and daughters,  
and restored the joy of our youth.

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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