Divine Office - Vespers

Domini Nostri Jesu Christi Regis ~ I. classis Ad Vesperas Rubrics 1960 Incipit V. Deus ★ in adiutórium meum inténde. V. O God, ★ come to my assistance; R. Dómine, ad adiuvándum me festína. R. O Lord, make haste to help me. V. Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto. V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost. R. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula seculórum. Amen. R. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Alleluia. **Psalmi** {Psalmi, antiphonæ ex Proprio Sanctorum} Psalms {Psalms, antiphons from the Proper of Saints} Ant. He shall be called * Peaceable, and his throne shall be most firm for ever. Ant. Pacíficus * vocábitur, et thronus eius erit firmíssimus in perpétuum. Psalmus 109 [1] Psalm 109 [1] 109:1 Dixit Dóminus Dómino meo: * Sede a dextris meis: 109:1 The Lord said to my Lord: * Sit thou at my right hand: 109:1 Donec ponam inimícos tuos, * scabéllum pedum tuórum. 109:1 Until I make thy enemies * thy footstool. 9:2 Virgam virtútis tuæ emíttet Dóminus ex Sion: * domináre in médio inimicórum The Lord will send forth the sceptre of thy power out of Sion: * rule thou in the midst of thy enemies. 9:3 Tecum princípium in die virtútis tuæ in splendóribus sanctórum: * ex útero ante 09:3 With thee is the principality in the day of thy strength: in the brightness of the saints: * from the womb before the day star I begot thee. 109.4 The Lord hath sworn, and he will not repent: * Thou art a priest for ever according lucíferum génui te. 109:4 Iurávit Dóminus, et non pœnitébit eum: * Tu es sacérdos in ætérnum secúndum órdinem Melchísedech. to the order of Melchisedech. 109:5 Dóminus a dextris tuis, * confrégit in die iræ suæ reges. 109.5 The Lord at thy right hand * hath broken kings in the day of his wrath. 109.6 Iudicábit in natiónibus, implébit ruínas: * conquassábit cápita in terra multórum. 109:6 He shall judge among nations, he shall fill ruins: * he shall crush the heads in the 109:7 De torrénte in via bibet: * proptérea exaltábit caput. V. Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto. 9:7 He shall drink of the torrent in the way: * therefore shall he lift up the head. V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost. R. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. R. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula seculórum. Amen. Ant. Pacíficus vocábitur, et thronus eius erit firmíssimus in perpétuum. Ant. He shall be called Peaceable, and his throne shall be most firm for ever. Ant. His kingdom * is an everlasting kingdom, and all kings shall serve him, and shall Ant. Regnum eius * regnum sempitérnum est, et omnes reges sérvient ei et obédient. obey him. 110:1 Confitébor tibi, Dómine, in toto corde meo: * in consílio iustórum, et congregatióne. Psalm 110 [2] 110:2 Magna ópera Dómini: * exquisíta in omnes voluntátes eius. 10:1 I will praise thee, O Lord, with my whole heart; * in the council of the just, and in 110:3 Conféssio et magnificéntia opus eius: * et iustítia eius manet in séculum séculi. the congregation. 10.4 Memóriam fecit mirabílium suórum, miséricors et miserátor Dóminus: * escam 110:2 Great are the works of the Lord: * sought out according to all his wills. dedit timéntibus se. 110:3 His work is praise and magnificence: * and his justice continueth for ever and ever. 110-5 Memor erit in sæculum testaménti sui: * virtútem óperum suórum annuntiábit 110:4 He hath made a remembrance of his wonderful works, being a merciful and pópulo suo: gracious Lord: * he hath given food to them that fear him. 110.7 Ut det illis hereditátem géntium: * ópera mánuum eius véritas, et iudícium. 110.5 He will be mindful for ever of his covenant: * he will shew forth to his people the power of his works. 110.8 Fidélia ómnia mandáta eius: confirmáta in sæculum sæculi, * facta in veritáte et 10:7 That he may give them the inheritance of the Gentiles: * the works of his hands are

110.9 Redemptiónem misit pópulo suo: * mandávit in ætérnum testaméntum suum. entia) Sanctum, et terríbile nomen eius: * inítium sapiéntiæ timor Dómini.

110:10 Intelléctus bonus ómnibus faciéntibus eum: * laudátio eius manet in sæculum sæculi.

V. Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

R. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula seculórum. Amen.

Ant. Regnum eius regnum sempitérnum est, et omnes reges sérvient ei et obédient.

110.9 He hath sent redemption to his people: * he hath commanded his covenant for ever.
110.9 (bow head) Holy and terrible is his name: * the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom. 110:10 A good understanding to all that do it: * his praise continueth for ever and ever.

110:8 All his commandments are faithful: confirmed for ever and ever, * made in truth

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost. R. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Ant. His kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and all kings shall serve him, and shall obey him.

Ant. Ecce Vir Oriens * nomen eius: sedébit et dominábitur, et loquétur pacem géntibus. Psalmus 111 [3]

III: Beátus vir, qui timet Dóminum: * in mandátis eius volet nimis.

1112 Potens in terra erit semen eius: * generátio rectórum benedicétur.
1113 Glória, et divítiæ in domo eius: * et iustítia eius manet in sæculum sæculi.

111.4 Exórtum est in ténebris lumen rectis: * miséricors, et miserátor, et iustus.

111:5 Iucúndus homo qui miserétur et cómmodat, dispónet sermónes suos in iudício: * quia in ætérnum non commovébitur.

In memória ætérna erit iustus: * ab auditióne mala non timébit.

111:8 Parátum cor eius speráre in Dómino, confirmátum est cor eius: * non commovébitur donec despíciat inimícos suos

111.9 Dispérsit, dedit paupéribus: iustítia eius manet in sæculum sæculi, * cornu eius exaltábitur in glória

111:10 Peccátor vidébit, et irascétur, déntibus suis fremet et tabéscet: * desidérium peccatórum períbit.

V. Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

R. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Ecce Vir Oriens nomen eius: sedébit et dominábitur, et loquétur pacem géntibus.

Ant. Behold a man, the Orient * is his name: he shall sit and rule, and shall speak peace to the Gentiles.

Psalm 111 [3]

truth and judgment.

and equity.

Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord: * he shall delight exceedingly in his commandments

11.2 His seed shall be mighty upon earth: * the generation of the righteous shall be blessed.

111:3 Glory and wealth shall be in his house: * and his justice remaineth for ever and ever. 111:4 To the righteous a light is risen up in darkness: * he is merciful, and compassionate

and just. 111.5 Acceptable is the man that sheweth mercy and lendeth; he shall order his words

with judgment: * because he shall not be moved for ever. 111.7 The just shall be in everlasting remembrance: * he shall not fear the evil hearing.

111.8 His heart is ready to hope in the Lord: his heart is strengthened, * he shall not be moved until he look over his enemies.

111.9 He hath distributed, he hath given to the poor: his justice remaineth for ever and ever: * his horn shall be exalted in glory.

111:10 The wicked shall see, and shall be angry, he shall gnash with his teeth and pine away: * the desire of the wicked shall perish.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son. * and to the Holy Ghost.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Ant. Behold a man, the Orient is his name: he shall sit and rule, and shall speak peace to

Ant. Dóminus * iudex noster, Dóminus légifer noster: Dóminus Rex noster, ipse salvábit

Psalmus 112 [4]

112:1 Laudáte, púeri, Dóminum: * laudáte nomen Dómini.

112:2 (fit reverentia) Sit nomen Dómini benedíctum, * ex hoc nunc, et usque in sæculum.

112:3 A solis ortu usque ad occásum, * laudábile nomen Dómini.

Ant. The Lord * is our judge, the Lord is our lawgiver: the Lord is our king, he will save

Psalm 112 [4]

112:1 Praise the Lord, ye children: * praise ye the name of the Lord.

112:2 (bow head) Blessed be the name of the Lord, * from henceforth now and for ever.

112:3 From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same, * the name of the Lord

112:4 Excélsus super omnes gentes Dóminus, * et super cælos glória eius.

112.5 Quis sicut Dóminus, Deus noster, qui in altis hábitat, * et humília réspicit in cælo et in terra?

112:7 Súscitans a terra ínopem, * et de stércore érigens páuperem:

1128 Ut cóllocet eum cum princípibus, * cum princípibus pópuli sui. 1129 Qui habitáre facit stérilem in domo, * matrem filiórum lætántem.

V. Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

R. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula seculórum. Amen.

Ant. Dóminus iudex noster, Dóminus légifer noster: Dóminus Rex noster, ipse salvábit

is worthy of praise. 112.4 The Lord is high above all nations; * and his glory above the heavens.

112.5 Who is as the Lord our God, who dwelleth on high: * and looketh down on the low things in heaven and in earth?

1127 Raising up the needy from the earth, * and lifting up the poor out of the dunghill: 1128 That he may place him with princes, * with the princes of his people.

112:9 Who maketh a barren woman to dwell in a house, * the joyful mother of children. V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Ant. The Lord is our judge, the Lord is our lawgiver: the Lord is our king, he will save

Ant. Ecce dedi te * in lucem géntium, ut sis salus mea usque ad extrémum terræ.

116:1 Laudáte Dóminum, omnes gentes: * laudáte eum, omnes pópuli:

116:2 Quóniam confirmáta est super nos misericórdia eius: * et véritas Dómini manet in

V. Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

R. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sécula sæculórum. Amen.

Ant. Ecce dedi te in lucem géntium, ut sis salus mea usque ad extrémum terræ.

Ant. Behold, I have given thee * to be the light of the Gentiles, that thou mayst be my salvation even to the farthest part of the earth.

Psalm 116 [5]

116:1 Praise the Lord, all ye nations: * praise him, all ye people.

116.2 For his mercy is confirmed upon us: * and the truth of the Lord remaineth for ever.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Ant. Behold, I have given thee to be the light of the Gentiles, that thou mayst be my salvation even to the farthest part of the earth.

Capitulum Hymnus Versus {ex Proprio Sanctorum} Col 1:12-13

 ${m F}$ ratres: Grátias ágimus Deo Patri, qui dignos nos fecit in partem sortis sanctórum in lúmine, qui erípuit nos de potestáte tenebrárum, et tránstulit in regnum Fílii dilectiónis

R. Deo grátias.

Hymnus

Te sæculórum Príncipem, Te, Christe, Regem géntium, Te méntium, te córdium Unum fatémur árbitrum.

Scelésta turba clámitat: Regnáre Christum nólumus: Te nos ovántes ómnium Regem suprémum dícimus.

O Christe, Princeps Pácifer, Mentes rebélles súbice: Tuóque amóre dévios, Ovíle in unum cóngrega.

Ad hoc cruénta ab árbore Pendes apértis brácchiis, Diráque fossum cúspide Cor igne flagrans éxhibes.

Ad hoc in aris ábderis Vini dapísque imágine. Fundens salútem filiis Transverberáto péctore.

Te natiónum Præsides Honóre tollant público, Colant magístri, iúdices Leges et artes éxprimant.

Submíssa regum fúlgeant Tibi dicáta insígnia: Mitíque sceptro pátriam Domósque subde cívium.

Iesu, tibi sit glória, Qui sceptra mundi témperas, Cum Patre, et almo Spíritu, In sempitérna sécula. Amen.

V. Data est mihi omnis potéstas.

R. In cælo et in terra.

Chapter Hymn Verse {from the Proper of Saints} Col 1:12-13

Brethren: We give thanks to God the Father, who hath made us worthy to be partakers of the lot of the saints in light, who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of the Son of his love. R. Thanks be to God.

Hymn

To thee, O Prince of all that be, Thou Christ, O King eternally; O Framer of the mind and heart, Our one true Judge we say thou art.

The wicked protest, wail and cry, Christ Jesus' reign they would deny; Rejoice we at thy glorious name, Thou Highest King we do proclaim.

O Christ! The Source of all our peace. Make all our sinful thoughts to cease; And still in us our loves misplaced, As Thy one sheepfold be we embraced.

For this, hanging on cruel tree, With arms outstretched, for all to see; His heart is pierced by soldier's spear, Revealing burning love most dear.

From this the altar of the tree Thy blood flows forth from Calvary: As wine to us it doth appear, To thine own heart it draws us near.

Thou Governor of all that be, May all thy creatures honour thee; All those who rule, O Lord renew! Source of all precepts just and true.

To regal glory, all submit, All crowns and honours we do remit;-To thy scepter-so sweet and mild! Submit we as a little child.

All glory be, Jesu, to thee, Thy scepter over all that be; All glory, as is ever meet, To Father and to Paraclete. Amen.

V. Given to me is all power. R. In heaven and in earth.

Canticum: Magnificat (Antiphona ex Proprio Sanctorum)

Ant. Dabit illi * Dóminus Deus sedem David, patris eius: et regnábit in domo Iacob in ætérnum, et regni eius non erit finis, allelúia. (Canticum B. Mariæ Virginis * Luc. 1:46-55)

1:46 Magníficat 🔀 * ánima mea Dóminum.

1:47 Et exsultávit spíritus meus: * in Deo, salutári meo.

48 Quia respéxit humilitátem ancíllæ suæ: * ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes

49 Quia fecit mihi magna, qui potens est: * et sanctum nomen eius.

1:50 Et misericórdia eius, a progénie in progénies: * timéntibus eum.
1:51 Fecit poténtiam in brácchio suo: * dispérsit supérbos mente cordis sui.

1:52 Depósuit poténtes de sede: * et exaltávit húmiles. 1:53 Esuriéntes implévit bonis: * et dívites dimísit inánes.

1:54 Suscépit Israël púerum suum: * recordátus misericórdiæ suæ.

135 Sicut locútus est ad patres nostros: * Ábraham, et sémini eius in sécula. V. Glória Patri, et Fílio, * et Spirítui Sancto.

Canticum: Magnificat (Antiphon from the Proper of Saints)

Ant. The Lord God * shall give unto him the throne of David, his father: and he shall reign in the house of Jacob for ever, and of his kingdom there shall be no end, alleluia. Canticle of the Blessed Virgin * Luke 1:46-55)

1:46 My soul ★ * doth magnify the Lord.

1:47 And my spirit hath rejoiced * in God my Saviour.

1:48 Because he hath regarded the humility of his handmaid; * for behold from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed.

1:49 Because he that is mighty, hath done great things to me; * and holy is his name.

1:50 And his mercy is from generation unto generations, * to them that fear him.

1.51 He hath shewed might in his arm: * he hath scattered the proud in the conceit of their heart.

1:52 He hath put down the mighty from their seat, * and hath exalted the humble.
1:53 He hath filled the hungry with good things; * and the rich he hath sent empty away.

1:54 He hath received Israel his servant, * being mindful of his mercy:

1:55 As he spoke to our fathers, * to Abraham and to his seed for ever.

R. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, * et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen. \emph{V} . Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost. R. As it was in the beginning, is now, * and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Ant. Dabit illi Dóminus Deus sedem David, patris eius: et regnábit in domo Iacob in Ant. The Lord God shall give unto him the throne of David, his father: and he shall reign ætérnum, et regni eius non erit finis, allelúia. in the house of Jacob for ever, and of his kingdom there shall be no end, alleluia. Preces Feriales (omittitur) Weekday Intercessions (omit) Oratio {ex Proprio Sanctorum} **Prayer** {from the Proper of Saints} V. O Lord, hear my prayer. V. Dómine, exáudi oratiónem meam. R. And let my cry come unto thee. R. Et clamor meus ad te véniat. Let us pray. **O**rémus Almighty and everlasting God, who in thy beloved Son, the King of the whole world, Omnipotens sempitérne Deus, qui in dilécto Fílio tuo, universórum Rege, ómnia instauráre voluísti: concéde propítius; ut cunctæ famíliæ géntium, peccáti vúlnere hast willed to restore all things: mercifully grant that all the families of nations, now disgregátæ, eius suavíssimo subdántur império: kept apart by the wound of sin, may be brought under the sweet yoke of his rule. Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum. Who with thee liveth and reigneth, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, world R. Amen. 12 Conclusio **Conclusion** V. Dómine, exáudi oratiónem meam. V. O Lord, hear my prayer. R. Et clamor meus ad te véniat. R. And let my cry come unto thee. V. Benedicámus Dómino. V. Let us bless the Lord. R. Deo grátias. R. Thanks be to God. V. Fidélium ánimæ per misericórdiam Dei requiéscant in pace. \emph{V} . May the souls of the faithful, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. R. Amen. R. Amen.