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II VESPERS  
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### INTRODUCTION

V. O God, ☩ come to my assistance

R. O Lord, make haste to help me.

V. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

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

### HYMN

IV

**U** Rbs Je-rú-sa-lem be-á-ta, Dícta pácis ví-si-o,

Quae constrú-i-tur in caé-lis Ví-vis ex lapí-dibus, Et An-

ge-lis coroná-ta, Ut sponsá-ta cómi-te.



Nova veniens e caelo, nuptiali thalamo  
praeparata ut intacta copuletur Domino.  
Plateae et muri eius ex auro purissimo.

Portae nitent margaritis adytis patentibus  
et virtute meritorum illuc introducitur  
omnis qui ob Christi nomen hic in mundo premitur.

Tusionibus pressuris expoliti lapides suis  
coaptantur locis per manum artificis  
disponuntur permansuri sacris aedificiis.

Gloria et honor Deo usquequo altissimo  
una patri filioque atque sancto flamine  
quibus laudes et potestas per aeterna saecula. Amen.

PSALMODY

Ant. 1 This is God's dwelling place and he has made it holy; it will stand for ever firm.

Psalm 46

**G**OD IS FOR US A REFUGE AND STRENGTH, \*  
a helper close at hand, in time of distress:  
so we shall not fear though the earth should rock, \*  
though the mountains fall into the depths of the sea,  
even though its waters rage and foam, \*  
even though the mountains be shaken by its waves.

The Lord of hosts is with us: \*  
the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

The waters of a river give joy to God's city, \*  
the holy place where the Most High dwells.  
God is within, it cannot be shaken; \*  
God will help it at the dawning of the day.  
Nations are in tumult, kingdoms are shaken: \*  
he lifts his voice, the earth shrinks away.

The Lord of hosts is with us: \*  
the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

Come, consider the works of the Lord, \*  
the redoubtable deeds he has done on the earth.  
He puts an end to wars over all the earth; †  
the bow he breaks, the spear he snaps. \*  
He burns the shields with fire.  
"Be still and know that I am God, \*  
supreme among the nations, supreme on the earth!"

The Lord of hosts is with us: \*  
the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, \*  
and to the Holy Spirit:

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

**Ant.** This is God's dwelling place and he has made it holy; it will stand for ever firm.

**Ant. 2** Let us go up with rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

### Psalm 122

**I** REJOICED WHEN I HEARD THEM SAY: \*

"Let us go to God's house."

And now our feet are standing \*  
within your gates, O Jerusalem.

Jerusalem is built as a city \*

strongly compact.

It is there that the tribes go up, \*  
the tribes of the Lord.

For Israel's law it is, \*

there to praise the Lord's name.

There were set the thrones of judgment \*  
of the house of David.

For the peace of Jerusalem pray: \*

"Peace be to your homes!

May peace reign in your walls, \*  
in your palaces, peace!"

For love of my brethren and friends \*

I say: "Peace upon you."

For love of the house of the Lord \*

I will ask for your good.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, \*

and to the Holy Spirit:

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

**Ant.** Let us go up with rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

**Ant. 3** All you saints, sing out the praises of our God.

**Canticle: Revelation 19, 1-7**

**A**LLELUIA.  
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 be to the Father, and to the Son, \*  
and to the Holy Spirit:

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

**Ant.** All you saints, sing out the praises of our God.

**READING**

**Revelation 21; 2 - 3; 22, 27**

**I** SAW A NEW JERUSALEM, the holy city, coming down out of heaven from God, beautiful as a bride prepared to meet her husband. I heard a loud voice from the throne cry out: "This is God's dwelling among men. He shall dwell with them and they shall be his people and he shall be their God who is always with them." I saw no temple in the city. The Lord, God the Almighty, is its temple—he and the Lamb. But nothing profane shall enter it, nor anyone who is a liar or has done a detestable act. Only those shall enter whose names are inscribed in the book of the living kept by the Lamb.

## RESPONSORY

V. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord.

R. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord.

V. They will praise you for ever,

R. in your house, O Lord.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

R. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord..

## MAGNIFICAT

Ant. This is God's dwelling place and he has made it holy; here we call  
on his name, for Scripture says: There you will find me.

Canticle of Mary

Luke 1, 46 - 55

**M**AGNIFICAT ✠  
ánima mea Dóminum,  
Et exultávit spíritus meus \*  
in Deo salutári meo

Quia respéxit humilitátem ancíllæ suæ: \*  
ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes generatiónes.

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

Et misericórdia eius a progénie in progénies \*  
timéntibus eum.

Fecit poténtiam in brácchio suo: \*  
dispérsit supérbos mente cordis sui,

Depósuit poténtes de sede, \*  
et exaltávit húmiles,

Esuriéntes implévit bonis: \*  
et dívites dimísit inanes.

Suscépit Israël púerum suum, \*  
recordátus misericórdiæ suæ,

Sicut locútus est ad patres nostros, \*  
Abraham et sémini eius in sæcula.

Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto, \*  
sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper, et in saecula saeculorum.  
Amen.

**Ant.** This is God's dwelling place and he has made it holy; here we call  
on his name, for Scripture says: There you will find me.

#### INTERCESSIONS

**O**UR SAVIOUR laid down his life so that all God's scattered children  
might be gathered together. In our need we cry out:

**R.** Remember your Church, Lord.

Lord Jesus, you built your house upon a rock, strengthen your Church  
with solid and lasting faith.

**R.** Remember your Church, Lord.

Lord Jesus, blood and water flowed from your side, give new life to  
your Church through the sacraments of your new and unending  
covenant.

**R.** Remember your Church, Lord.

Lord Jesus, you are in the midst of those who gather in your name, hear  
the prayers of your universal Church.

**R.** Remember your Church, Lord.

Lord Jesus, you prepare a dwelling-place in your Father's house for all  
who love you, help your Church to grow in divine love.

**R.** Remember your Church, Lord.

Lord Jesus, you never cast out anyone who comes to you,

**R.** Remember your Church, Lord.

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

**P**RÆCEPTIS salutaribus moniti, et divina institutione formati,  
audemus dicere: Pater Noster...

## CONCLUDING PRAYER

**O** GOD, who year by year renew for us the day when this your holy temple was consecrated, hear the prayers of your people and grant that in this place for you there may always be pure worship and for us, fullness of redemption. 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.

*R.* Amen.

## DISMISSAL

The priest dismisses the people and continues with Benediction:

*V.* The Lord be with you.

*R.* And with your spirit.

*V.* May almighty God bless you, the Father and ✠ the Son and the Holy Spirit.

*R.* Amen.

*V.* Let us bless the Lord.

*R.* Thanks be to God.



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