

The

Parish

Church

Of

Saint

Matthew

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Big Lamp

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Newcastle

Sung
Evensong
of
the Dead

When the bell rings, all STAND.

Outside Eastertide:

The angel of the Lord brought the tidings to Mary:



R.\ And she conceived by the Hol-y Ghost.

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.



R.\Hol-y Mar- y, Mother of God, pray for us sin-ners now and at



the hour of our death. Amen.

Behold the Handmaid of the Lord:



R.\ Be it unto me according to Thy Word.

Hail Mary &c

The Word was made flesh:



R.\ And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary &c

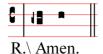
Pray for us, O holy Mother of God:



R.\ That we may be made worthy of the promis-es of Christ.

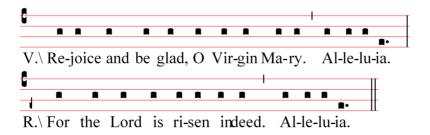
Let us pray:

THE COLLECT OF THE ANGELUS



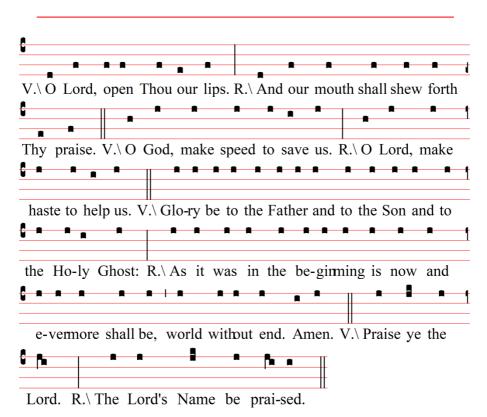
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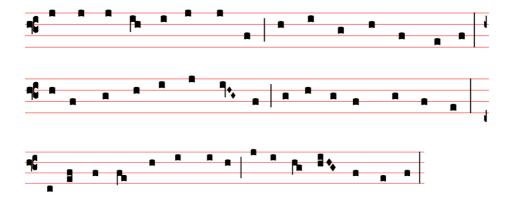




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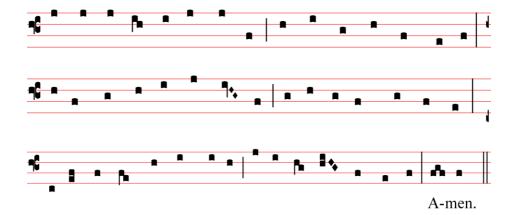




Christ, enthroned in highest Heaven, Hear us, crying from the deep For the faithful ones departed, For the souls of all that sleep; As Thy kneeling Church entreateth, Hearken, Shepherd of the sheep.

King of glory, hear our voices, Grant the faithful rest, we pray; We have sinned and my not bide it, If Thou mark our steps astray, Yet we plead that saving Victim, Which for them we bring today.

That which Thou Thyself hast offered To Thy Father, offer we: By Thy Sacrifice, O Jesu, From sin's burden set them free; Hear us, loving friend of sinners, Merciful and gracious be.



They are Thine, O take them to Thee; Thou their hope, O raise them high; In Thy mercy ever trusting, Confident we make our cry That the souls whom Thou hast purchased May unto Thy heart be nigh.

Let Thy plenteous loving-kindness On them evermore be poured; Let them through Thy boundless mercy Be to boundless life restored, And within Thy Father's mansion Give to each a place, O Lord.

Where the saints, Thy throne surrounding, Join in the angelic song,
Where Thy Mother, raised in glory,
Leads the great redeemed throng,
Grant that we, with souls departed,
May through grace at length belong.

THE PSALM(S)

<u>SIT</u> *after the intonations, rising for the Gloria Patri.*



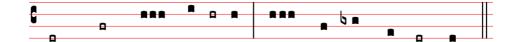
THE Lord is my *shep*herd: therefore can *I* lack nothing.

- 2 He shall feed me in a green *pasture*: and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort.
- 3 He shall convert my *soul*: and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, *for* his Name's sake.
- 4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff comfort me.
- 5 Thou shalt prepare a table before me against them that *trou*ble me: thou hast anointed my head with oil, and my *cup* shall be full.
- 6 Surely thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my *life*: and I will dwell in the house of the *Lord* for ever. Glory be to the Father, and to the *Son*: and *to* the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever *shall* be: world with *out* end. Amen.



THE Lord is my light and my salvation; whom then shall I fear: the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom then shall I be afraid?

- 2 When the wicked, even mine enemies and my foes, came upon me to eat up my *flesh*: they *stum* bled and fell.
- 3 Though an host of men were laid against me, | yet shall not my heart be a *fraid*: and though there rose up war against me, yet will I *put* my trust in him.



- 4 One thing have I desired of the Lord, which I will re*quire*: even that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, | to behold the fair beauty of the Lord, and to visit his temple.
- 5 For in the time of trouble he shall hide me in his taber *na*cle: yea, in the secret place of his dwelling shall he hide me, | and set me up up *on* a rock of stone.
- 6 And now shall he lift up mine *head*: above mine enemies *round* about me.
- 15 I should utterly have *fain* ted: but that I believe verily to see the goodness of the Lord in the land *of* the living.
- 16 O tarry thou the Lord's *lei* sure: be strong, and he shall comfort thine heart; and put thou thy *trust* in the Lord.

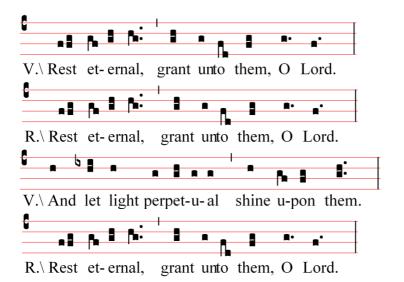
Glory be to the Father, and to the **Son**: and **to** the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever **shall** be: world with**out** end. Amen.

SIT

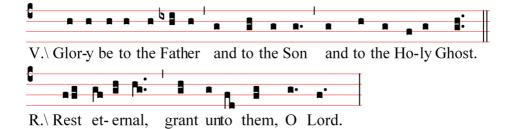
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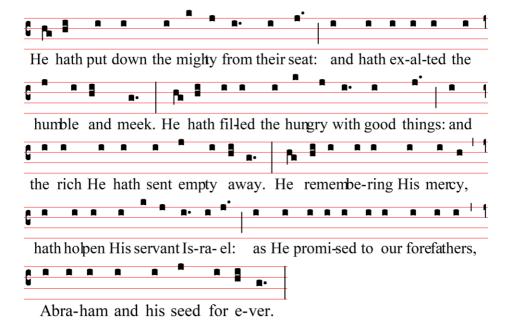
Here endeth the First Lesson.



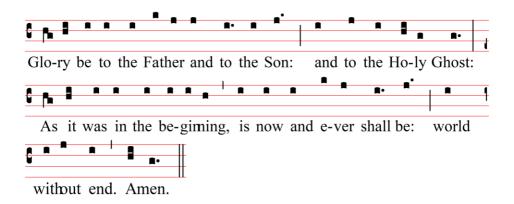
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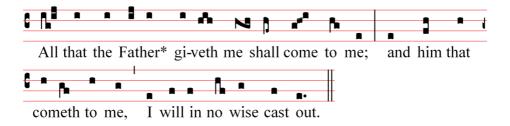






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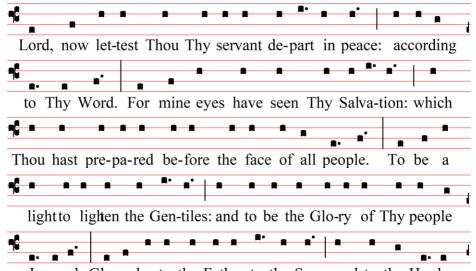
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THE SECOND READING

At the end:

Here endeth the Second Lesson.

STAND



Is-ra-el. Glo-ry be to the Father to the Son: and to the Ho-ly



Ghost; As it was in the be-giming, is now and e-ver shall be:



world without end. Amen.

I believe in God,

the Father Almighty,

Maker of heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord,

Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,

Born of the Virgin Mary,

Suffered under Pontius Pilate,

Was crucified, dead, and buried:

He descended into hell;

The third day he rose again from the dead;

He ascended into heaven,

And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost;

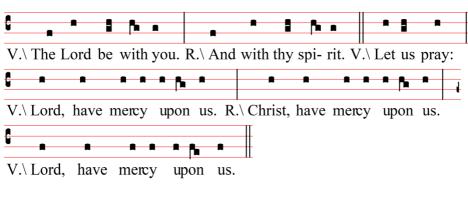
The holy Catholick Church;

The Communion of Saints;

The Forgiveness of sins;



 $V.\$ The Re-surrection of the body; $R.\$ And the lifee-ver-las-ting. Amen.



OUR Father,

which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread;

And forgive us our trespasses,

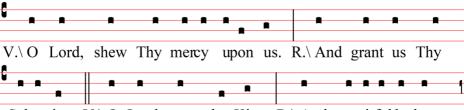
As we forgive them that trespass against us;



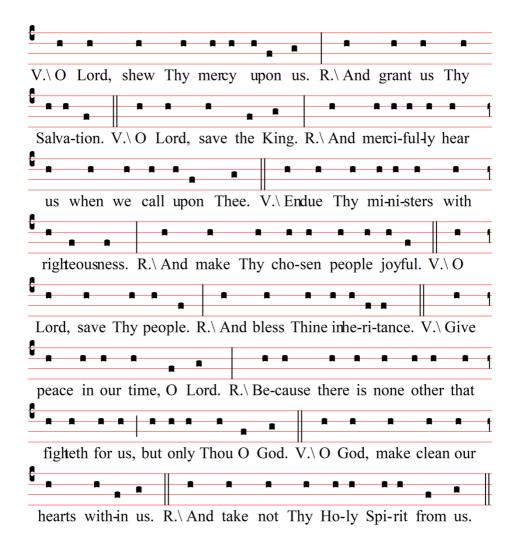
V.\ And lead us not into tempta-tion; R.\ but de-li-ver us from e-vil.



Amen.



Salva-tion. V.\O Lord, save the King. R.\ And merci-fully hear



THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

... world without end.



O GOD, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed: Give unto thy servants that peace which the world cannot give; that both our hearts may be set to obey thy commandments, and also that by thee we being defended from the fear of our enemies may pass our time in rest and quietness; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour.

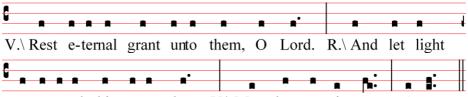


R.\ Amen.

LIGHTEN our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of thy only Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ.



A short period of silence may follow.



perpe-tu-al shine upon them. V.\ May they rest in peace. Amen.