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| *All stand for the beginning of Vespers.*  Invitatory  *Make the Sign of the Cross (*  ) *with the Officiant as he intones:*  *Officiant: All:*        *(bow)*    *(upright*)      Antiphon 1  *All make the sign of the cross as Officiant begins.*  *Officiant: \* All:*    Psalm 109  *Alternate verses Cantors and All*  *All sit.*  *Cantor: \* Cantors*      2. *(All)* Donec pónam ini**mí**cos **tú**os, \*  scabéllum **pe**dum tu**ó**rum.  3. Vírgam virtútis túæ emíttet Dómi**nus** ex **Si**on: \*  domináre in médio inimi**có**rum tu**ó**rum.  4. Técum princípium in díe virtútis túæ in splendóri**bus**  san**ctó**rum: \*  ex útero ante luciférum **gé**nu **i** te.  5. Jurávit Dóminus, et non pæni**té**bit **é**um: \*  Tu es sacérdos in ætérnum secúndum órdi**nem**  Mel**chí**sedech.  6. Dóminus a **déx**tris **tú**is, \*  confrégit in díe íræ **su**ae **ré**ges.    7. Judicábit in natiónibus, im**plé**bit ru**í**nas: \*  conquassábit cápita in **tér**ra mul**tó**rum.  8. De torrénte in **ví**a **bí**bet: \*  proptérea exal**tá**bit **cá**put.  9. *(bow)* Glória **Pá**tri, et **Fí**lio, \*  et Spi**rí**tui**Sán**cto.  10. *(sit upright)* Sícut érat in princípio, et **núnc**, et **sém**per, \*  et in sæcula sæcu**ló**rum. **A**men.  *All:*    Antiphon 2  *Cantors: \* All:*    Psalm 110  *Alternate verses Cantors and All*  *Cantor: \* Cantors:*    1.  2. *(All)* Mágna opera **Dó**mini: \*  exquisita in ómnes voluntá*tes* **é**jus.  3. Conféssio et magnificéntia ópus **é**jus: \*  et justítia éjus mánet in sæcu*lum* **sæ**culi.  4. Memóriam fécit mirabílium suórum, † miséricors et  miserátor **Dó**minus: \*  éscam dédit timén*ti***bus** se.  5. Mémor érit in sæculum testaménti **sú**i: \*  virtútem opérum suórum annuntiábit pópu*lo* **sú**o:  6. Ut det íllis hæreditátem **gén**tium: \*  opera mánuum éjus véritas et *ju***dí**cium.  7. Fidélia ómnia mandáta éjus: † confirmáta in sæculum  **sæ**culi:\*  fácta in veritáte et æ*qui***tá**te.  8. Redemptiónem mísit pópulo **sú**o: \*  mandávit in ætérnum testamén*tum* **sú**um.  9. *(bow head)* Sánctum et terríbile nómen **é**jus: \*  *(sit upright)* inítium sapiéntiæ tí*mor* **Dó**mini.  10. Intelléctus bonus ómnibus faciéntibus **é**um: \*  laudátio éjus mánet in sæcu*lum* **sæ**culi.  11. *(bow)* Glória Pátri, et **Fí**lio, \*  et Spirítu*i* **Sán**cto.  12. *(sit upright)* Sícut érat in princípio, et nunc, et **sém**per, \*  et in sæcula sæculó*rum*. **A**men.  *All:*    Antiphon 3  *Cantors: \* All:*    Psalm 111  *(continued next page)*  *Alternate verses Cantors and All*  *Cantor: \* Cantors:*    2. *(All)*  Pótens in térra érit **se**men **é**jus: \*  generátio rectórum be*nedi***cé**tur.    3. Glória et divítiæ in **dó**mo **é**jus: \*  et justítia éjus mánet in sæ*culum* **sæ**culi.  4. Exórtum est in ténebris **lú**men**ré**ctis: \*  miséricors, et miserá*tor*, *et* **jú**stus.  5. Jucúndus hómo qui miserétur et cómmodat, † dispónet  sermónes súos **in** ju**dí**cio: \*  quia in ætérnum non *commo***vé**bitur.  6. In memória ætérna **é**rit**jú**stus: \*  ab auditióne mála *non* *ti***mé**bit.  7. Parátum cor éjus speráre in Dómino, † confirmátum **est** cor  **é**jus: \*  non commovébitur dónec despíciat ini*mícos* **sú**os.  8. Dispérsit, dédit paupéribus: † justítia éjus mánet in **sæ**culum  **sæ**culi: \*  córnu éjus exaltábi*tur in* **gló**ria.  9. Peccátor vidébit, et irascétur, † déntibus súis frémet **et**  ta**bé**scet: \*  desidérium peccató*rum per***í**bit.  10. *(bow)* Glória **Pá**tri, et **Fí**lio, \*  et Spir*ítui* **Sán**cto.  11. *(sit upright)* Sícut érat in princípio, et **nunc**, et**sém**per, \*  et in sæcula sæcu*lórum.* **A**men.  *All:*    Antiphon 4  *Cantors: \* All:*    Psalm 112  *Alternate verses Cantors and All*  *Cantor: \* Cantors:*    1.  2. *(bow) (All)* Sit nómen Dómini bene**dí**ctum, \*  *(sit upright)* ex hoc nunc, et **ús**que in **sæ**culum.  3. A sólis órtu usque adoc**cá**sum, \*  laudábile **nó**men **Dó**mini.  4. Excélsus super ómnes géntes **Dó**minus, \*  et super cælos **gló**ria **é**jus.  5. Quis sicut Dóminus Déus nóster, qui in áltis **há**bitat, \*  et humília respícit in cælo **et** in **tér**ra?  6. Súscitans a térra **ín**opem, \*  et de stércore **é**rigens **páu**perem:  7. Ut collócet éum cum prin**cí**pibus, \*  cum princípibus **pó**puli **sú**i.  8. Qui habitáre fácit stérilemin **dó**mo, \*  mátrem fili**ó**rum læ**tán**tem.  9. *(bow)* Glória Pátri, et **Fí**lio, \*  et Spi**rí**tui **Sán**cto.  10. *(sit upright)* Sícut érat in princípio, et nunc, et **sém**per, \*  et in sæcula sæcul**ó**rum. **A**men.  *All:*    Antiphon 5  *Cantors: \* All:*    Psalm 116  *Alternate verses Cantors and All*  *Cantor: \* Cantors:*    2. *(All)* Quóniam confirmáta est súper nos miseri**cór**dia **é**jus: \*  et véritas Dómini mánet in*æ***tér**num.  3. *(bow)* Glória **Pá**tri, et **Fíli**o, \*  et Spirítu*i* **Sán**cto.  4. *(sit upright)* Sícut érat in princípio, et **nunc**, et **sém**per, \*  et in sæcula sæculó*rum.* **A**men  *All:*    *All stand.*  Little chapter  *Romans 5:5*  *Officiant:*  Cáritas Dei diffúsa est in córdibus notris, \* per inhabitántem Spíritum ejus in nobis.  *All:* **Deo grátias.**  Hymn  *Pangamus Nerio*  *Alternate verses Cantors and All*  *Cantors:*  *(All:)*      *(Cantors:)*    *(All:)*        *(Bow) (All:)*    *(stand upright)*    *----------------------*  *In Ordinary Time*  *Cantors:*    *All:*  *----------------------*  *In Paschal Time*  *Cantors:*    *All:*    *Remain standing.*  Magnificat Antiphon and Tone  antiphon  *Cantors: \* All:*    Magnificat  *Canticle of the Blessed Virgin - Luc. 1:46-55*  *Alternate verses Cantors and All*    *Cantor: \* Cantors:*  *Make the sign of the cross.*    *All:*        3. *(Cantors)* Quia respéxit humilitátem *ancíllæ* **sú**æ: \*  ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dícent ómnes gene*rati***ó**nes.  4. Quia fécit míhi *mágna qui* **pótens** est: \*  *(bow)* et sánctum *nómen* **é**jus.  5. *(rise)* Et misericórdia éjus a progéni*e in pro***géni**es \*  timén*tibus* **é**um.  6. Fécit poténtiam in *bráchio* **sú**o: \*  dispérsit supérbos ménte *córdis* **sú**i.  7. Depósuit po*téntes de* **sé**de, \*  et exal*távit* **húmi**les.  8. Esuriéntes *implévit* **bó**nis: \*  et dívites dimí*sit in***á**nes.  9. Suscépit Israel *púerum* **sú**um, \*  recordátus misericór*diæ* **sú**æ.  10. Sicut locútus est *ad pátres* **nó**stros, \*  Abraham et sémini é*jus in* **sæcu**la.  11. *(bow)* Glória *Pátri*, *et* **Fíli**o, \*  et Spirí*tui* **Sán**cto.  12. *(rise)* Sícut érat in princípio, *et nunc*, *et* **sém**per, \*  et in sæcula sæcu*lórum*. **A**men.  *All:*    *(Remain standing)*  Collect  *Officiant:*  Dóminus vobíscum.  *All:* **Et cum spíritu túo.**  *Officiant:*  Orémus.  Deus, qui Beátum Philíppum Confessórem tuum Sanctórum tuórum glória sublimásti : † concéde propítius, ut cujus solemnitáte laetámur, \* ejus virtútum proficiámus exémplo. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum Fílium tuum: \* qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti Deus, † per ómnia saécula saeculórum.  *All:* **Amen.**  Conclusion  *Officiant:* Dóminus vobíscum.  *All:* **Et cum spíritu tuo.**  *Cantors:*      *All:*    *Officiant (in recto tono):* Fidélium ánimæ per misericórdiam Dei requiéscant in pace.  *All:* **Amen.**  *All sit and sing* This is the Saint *(next page)*    This is the Saint  Macintosh HD:Users:Candy:Desktop:St Thomas:Vespers:Vespers booklets:St Philip Neri:SPN Finale file:SPN Hymn 4 lines 06_27_15 FINAL.tif    *Oratory Vespers Tune* Blessed JOHN HENRY NEWMAN Cong. Orat. 1801-1890    Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament  *All kneel.*  *The Blessed Sacrament is taken out of the tabernacle and placed in the monstrance and exposed to the view of the people (Exposition).*  *All:*    *After a period of meditation and reflection the* Tantum ergo *is sung:*  *(upright)*))  *(bow)*    2.  1    *Officiant:* Panem de cælo præstitísti eis.  *All:* **Omne delectaméntum in se habéntem.**  *Officiant:* Orémus: Deus, qui nobis sub Sacraménto mirábili passiónis tuæ memóriam reliquísti: *†* tríbue, quaésumus, ita nos córporis et sánguinis tui sacra mystéria venerári; ut redemptiónis tuæ fructum in nobis júgiter sentiámus. Qui vivis et regnas in saécula sæculórum.  *All:* **Amen.**  *The celebrant will then bless all present with the Blessed Sacrament.*  *The celebrant descends the steps and while kneeling all recite* The Divine Praises.  The Divine Praises  Blessed be God.  Blessed be his Holy Name.  Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.  Blessed be the Name of Jesus.  Blessed be his most Sacred Heart.  Blessed be his most Precious Blood.  Blessed be Jesus in the most holy Sacrament of the Altar.  Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.  Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy.  Blessed be her holy and Immaculate Conception.  Blessed be her glorious Assumption.  Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.  Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.  Blessed be God in his Angels and in his Saints.  Reposition  *Cantors: \* All:*    \*    *All stand and sing the Marian Antiphon:*  *In Ordinary Time:* Salve Reginapage 18  *In Paschal Time*: Regina caeli page 20  Salve Regina  *Cantor: \* All:*          *Officiant:* Ora pro nobis Sancta Dei Gé-netrix.  *All:* Ut digni efficiámur promissiónibus Chri- sti.  Collect  *Officiant:* Oremus.  Omnípotens sempitérne Deus, qui gloriósae Vírginis Matris Maríae corpus et ánimam, ut dignum Fílii tui habitáculum éffici mererétur, Spíritu Sancto cooperánte, praeparásti: da, ut cuius commemoratióne laetámur; eius pia intercessióne, ab instántibus malis, et a morte perpétua liberémur. Per eundem Christum Dóminum nostrum.  *All:* **Amen.**  *Officiant (recto tono):* Divínum auxílium máneat semper nobíscum.  *All:* **Amen***.*  *Turn to page 22 when concluding with the* Te Deum  Regina Caeli  *Easter - Pentecost Sunday*      *Officiant:* Gaude et laetáre Virgo María, Allelú- ia.  *All:* Qui surréxit Dóminus vere Allelú- ia.  Collect  *Officiant:* Oremus.  Deus, qui per resurrectiónem Fílii tui Dómini nostri Jesu Christi mundum laetificáre dignátus es: † praesta, quaésumus; ut per ejus Genitrícem Vírginem Maríam \* perpétae capiámus gáudia vitae. Per eúmdem Christum Dóminum nostrum.  *All:* **Amen.**  *Officiant (recto tono):* Divínum auxílium máneat semper nobíscum.  *All:* **Amen.**  *Turn to page 22 when concluding with the* Te Deum  Te Deum Laudamus  Te Deum Laudamus        *(All kneel during the singing of this verse)*        V. Benedicámus Patrem et Fílium cum Sancto Spíritu.  R. Laudémus et superexaltémus eum in saécula.  V. Benedíctus es Dómine in firmaménto caeli.  R. Et laudábilis, et gloriósus, et superexaltátus in saécula.  V. Dómine exáudi oratiónem meam.  R. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.  V. Dóminus vobíscum.  R. Et cum spíritu tuo.  *V. Orémus:* Deus, cujus misericórdiae non est númerus, et bonitátis infinítus est thesáurus † piíssimae majestáti tuae pro collátis donis grátias ágimus, tuam semper clémentiam exorántes; \* ut qui peténtibus postuláta concédis, eósdem non déserens, ad praémia futúra dispónas. Per Christum Dóminum nostrum.  R. Amen. |  |  | *O God, come to my assistance. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As is was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, Amen. Alleluia*  ***Ant.*** *He sent down a globe of fire from heaven into my ribs, and it exalted me.*  *Psalm 109*  *1. The Lord said to my Lord: Sit thou at my right hand:*    *2. Until I make thy enemies \* thy footstool.*  *3. The Lord will send forth the sceptre of thy power out of Sion: \* rule thou in the midst of thy enemies.*  *4. 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.*  *5. The Lord hath sworn, and he will not repent: \* Thou art a priest for ever according to the order of Melchisedech.*  *6. The Lord at thy right hand \* hath broken kings in the day of his wrath.*  *7. He shall judge among nations, he shall fill ruins: \* he shall crush the heads in the land of many.*  *8. He shall drink of the torrent in the way: \* therefore shall he lift up the head.*  *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As is was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.*  ***Ant.*** *He sent down a globe of fire from heaven into my ribs, and it exalted me.*  ***Ant.*** *My heart grew hot within me and in my meditation a fire shall burn forth.*  *Psalm 110*  *1. I will praise thee, O Lord, with my whole heart; \* in the council of the just, and in the congregation.*  *2. Great are the works of the Lord: \* sought out according to all his wills.*  *3. His work is praise and mag-nificence: \* and his justice continueth for ever and ever.*  *4. He hath made a remembrance of his wonderful works, being a merciful and gracious Lord: \* he hath given food to them that fear him.*  *5. He will be mindful for ever of his covenant: \* he will shew forth to his people the power of his works.*  *6. That he may give them the inheritance of the Gentiles: \* the works of his hands are truth and judgment.*  *7. All his commandments are faithful: confirmed for ever and ever, \* made in truth and equity.*  *8. He hath sent redemption to his people: \* he hath com-manded his covenant for ever.*  *9. Holy and terrible is his name: \* the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.*  *10. A good understanding to all that do it: \* his praise continueth for ever and ever.*  *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As is was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.*  ***Ant.*** *My heart grew hot within me and in my meditation a fire shall burn forth.*  ***Ant.*** *My heart and my flesh exult in the living God.*  *Psalm 111*  *1. Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord: \* he shall delight exceedingly in his commandments.*  *2. His seed shall be mighty upon earth: \* the generation of the righteous shall be blessed.*  *3. Glory and wealth shall be in his house: \* and his justice remaineth for ever and ever.*  *4. To the righteous a light is risen up in darkness: \* he is merciful, and compassionate and just.*  *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.*  *6. The just shall be in everlasting remembrance: \* he shall not fear the evil hearing.*  *7. His heart is ready to hope in the Lord: his heart is strengthened, \* he shall not be moved until he look over his enemies.*  *8. He hath distributed, he hath given to the poor: his justice remaineth for ever and ever: \* his horn shall be exalted in glory.*  *9. The wicked shall see, and shall be angry, he shall gnash with his teeth and pine away: \* the desire of the wicked shall perish.*  *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 without end. Amen.*  ***Ant.*** *My heart and my flesh exult in the living God.*  ***Ant.*** *There came in my heart as a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I was wearied, not being able to bear it.*  *Psalm 112*  *1. Praise the Lord, ye children: \* praise ye the name of the Lord.*  *2. (bow head) Blessed be the name of the Lord, \* from henceforth now and for ever.*  *3. From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same, \* the name of the Lord is worthy of praise.*  *4. The Lord is high above all nations; \* and his glory above the heavens.*  *5. Who is as the Lord our God, who dwelleth on high: \* and looketh down on the low things in heaven and in earth?*  *6. Raising up the needy from the earth, \* and lifting up the poor out of the dunghill:*  *7. That he may place him with princes, \* with the princes of his people.*  *8. Who maketh a barren woman to dwell in a house, \* the joyful mother of children.*  *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 without end. Amen.*    ***Ant.*** *There came in my heart as a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I was wearied, not being able to bear it.*    ***Ant.*** *My flesh and my heart have fainted away: Thou art the God of my heart, and the God that is my portion for ever.*  *Psalm 116*  *1. Praise the Lord, all ye nations: \* praise him, all ye people.*  *2. For his mercy is confirmed upon us: \* and the truth of the Lord remaineth for ever.*  *Glory be to the Father, to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.*  ***Ant.*** *My flesh and my heart have fainted away: Thou art the God of my heart, and the God that is my portion for ever.*  *Chapter*  *Rom. 5:5*  *The charity of God is poured forth in our hearts, by the Holy Ghost, who is given to us.*  *R. Thanks be to God.*  *Hymn*  *1. Due praises sing in Philip's sight, Who now 'mid heaven's stars so bright*  *There dwells in sweet delight; Reward for virtue famed.*  *2. While home he sees consumed by flame, From weeping, heedless, yet refrains,*  *E'en through few tears would serve to tame The menace of the blaze.*  *3. He spurns, for such his noble heart, His uncle's wealth and swift departs*  *To Rome, whose name he sets apart: A city of renown.*  *4. Whole nights of prayer in catacombs, Amid the martyrs' many tombs*  *He learns from those who've met their doom The art of living well.*  *5. To loving Trinity e'er be praise, Whom heaven, abyss and earth upraise,*  *Whose gift Heaven's joy for all our days, Bestowed on Philip's prayer. Amen.*  *V. Turn again, O God of hosts, look down from heaven, and visit this vineyard:*  *R. And perfect the same which thy right hand planted.*  *V. Turn again, O God of hosts, look down from heaven, and visit this vineyard. Alleluia.*  *R. And perfect the same which thy right hand planted. Alleluia.*  *Prayer {the Proper of the season] for the Magnificat Antiphon, the Magnificat, and the Collect.*  ***Ant.*** *My house shall be called a house of prayer, says the Lord.*  *(Canticle of the Blessed Virgin Luke 1:46-55)*  *1. My soul (*) *\* doth magnify the Lord.*  *2. And my spirit hath rejoiced \* in God my Saviour.*  *3. Because he hath regarded the humility of his handmaid; \* for behold from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed.*  *4. Because he that is mighty, hath done great things to me; \* and holy is his name.*  *5. And his mercy is from generation unto generations, \* to them that fear him.*  *6. He hath shewed might in his arm: \* he hath scattered the proud in the conceit of their heart.*  *7. He hath put down the mighty from their seat, \* and hath exalted the humble.*  *8. He hath filled the hungry with good things; \* and the rich he hath sent empty away.*  *9. He hath received Israel his servant, \* being mindful of his mercy:*  *10. As he spoke to our fathers, \* to Abraham and to his seed for ever.*  *11. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As is was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.*  ***Ant.*** *My house shall be called a house of prayer, says the Lord.*  *R. The Lord be with you.*  *V. And with thy spirit.*  *R. Let us pray*  *O God, who has exalted thy blessed Confessor Philip to the glory of thy saints be appeased and grant that as we rejoice in his feast we may profit by the example of his virtutes. Through Jesus Christ, thy Son our Lord, Who lives and reigns with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit one God, world without end.*  *V. Amen.*  *V. The Lord be with you.*  *R. And with your spirit.*  *V. Let us bless the Lord.*  *R. Thanks be to God.*  *V. May the souls of the faithful through the mercy of God rest in peace.*  *R. Amen.*  *Hymn: O Saving Victim*  *1. O Saving Victim, opening wide The gate of heav’n to man below; Our foes press on from every side; Thine aid supply, Thy strength bestow.*  *2. To thy great name be endless praise, Immortal Godhead, One in Three; O grant us endless length of days In our true native land with Thee. Amen.*  *Hymn: Tantum ergo*  *1. Therefore we, before him bending, This great Sacrament revere; Types and shadows have their ending, For the new rite is here; Faith, our outward sense befriending, Makes the inward vision clear.*  *2. Glory let us give, and blessing To the Father and the Son; Honor, might, and praise addressing, While eternal ages run; Ever too his love confessing, Who from both, with both is one. Amen.*  *V. You gavest them Bread from heaven.*  *R. Containing within itself all sweetness.*  *V. Let us pray. Lord Jesus Christ, you gave us the Eucharist as the memorial of your suffering and death. May our worship of this sacrament of your body and blood, help us to experience the salvation won for us and the peace of the kingdom, where you live with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.*  R. Amen.  *Hymn:*  *Let us worship forever the most holy Sacrament. Ps. O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise Him, all ye people. For His mercy is confirmed upon us: and the truth of the Lord remaineth for ever. 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.*  *Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope! To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve; to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, O most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!*  *V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.*  *R. That we may be worthy of the promises of Christ.*  *V. Let us pray.*  *Almighty, everlasting God, who by the cooperation of the Holy Spirit, didst prepare the body and soul of the glorious Virgin-Mother Mary to become a worthy dwelling for Thy Son; grant that we who rejoice in her commemoration may, by her loving intercession, be delivered from present evils and from the everlasting death.*  *R. Amen.*  *V. May the divine assistance remain always with us.*  *R. Amen.*  *Queen of heaven, rejoice; for he whom thou wast made worthy to bear; has risen as he said; pray for us to God.*  *V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.*  *R. For the Lord is truly risen, alleluia.*  *V. Let us pray.*  *O God, who didst vouchsafe to give joy to the world through the resurrection fo thy Son our Lord Jeus Christ; grant, we beseech thee, that, through his mother the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord.*  *R. Amen.*  *V. May the divine assistance remain always with us.*  *R. Amen*  *Te Deum*  *Hymn of Thanksgiving*  *We praise Thee, O God, we acknowledge Thee to be the Lord. All the earth doth worship Thee, the Father everlasting. To Thee all angels cry aloud, the heavens and all the powers therein. To Thee cherubim and seraphim continually do cry: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of the majesty of Thy glory. The glorious choir of the apostles praise Thee. The admirable company of the prophets praise Thee. The white-robed army of martyrs praise Thee. The holy Church throughout all the world doth acknowledge Thee, the Father of infinite majesty, Thy adorable, true, and only Son.*  *And the Holy Spirit, the Comforter. Thou art the King of glory, O Christ. Thou art the everlasting Son of the Father. Thou, having taken upon thee to deliver man, didst not disdain the Virgin’s womb. When Thou hadst overcome the sting of death, Thou didst open the kingdom of heaven to all believers. Thou sittest at the right hand of God, in the glory of the Father. We believe that Thou shalt come to be our Judge. We pray Thee, therefore, help Thy servants, whom Thou hast redeemed with Thy precious blood. Make them to be numbered with Thy saints in glory everlasting. O Lord, save Thy people, and bless Thine inheritance. Govern them and lift them up for ever. Day by day we bless Thee.*  *And we praise Thy Name for ever, yea for ever and ever. Vouchsafe, O Lord, this day to keep us without sin. O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us. O Lord, let Thy mercy be upon us, as we have hoped in Thee. O Lord, in Thee have I hoped, let me not be confounded for ever.*  *V. Let us bless the Father and the Son with the Holy Spirit.*  *R. Let us praise and exult Him above all for ever.*  *V. Blessed be the Lord in the firmament of heaven.*  *R. To be praised, and glorified, and exalted all for ever.*  *V. Lord hear my prayer.*  *R. And let my cry come unto Thee.*  *V. The Lord be with you.*  *R. And with they spirit.*  *Let up pray: O God, whose mercies are numberless and the treasure of whose goodness has no end, we give thanks to Thy most gracious Majesty for the gifts Thou hast bestowed, beseeching Thy mercy, that as Thou grantest the petitions of those who ask, so not forsaking them, Thou wilt prepare them for rewards to come. Through Christ our Lord.*  *R. Amen.* |