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SOLEMNITY OF
OUR LORD JESUS
CHRIST THE KING

AT I VESPERS

Opening Verse

O God, come to my assistance. R: O 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

Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

Hymn. V

Alternate Tune
Stuttgart (87.87)

1. Christ in majesty is reigning, Priest
2. He has paid our regal ransom, Nailed
3. When he comes again in splendor, Cross
4. Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Trinity

1. for ever, King of kings, While to him all
2. against the bitter wood Now the symbol
3. upheld in pierced right hand, All the pow'r of
4. i- ty sublime we praise; May your king- dom

1. glad cre- a- tion Praise and hum- ble wor- ship
2. of his con- quest: Roy- al and vic- to- rious
3. hell shall per- ish And no e- vil dare to
4. come a- mong us, Bring- ing peace to all our

1.brings.
2.rood.
3.stand.
4.days. A-men.

Alternate Hymn:

Hymn. I

Cf. Te saculorum Principem

O you we sing, Lord, lov-ing King, To you our hum-ble

The Angelus

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 sigh, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy towards us, and, after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

The Angelus

Ὡ. The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.
Ὡ. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.
Ἡ. Behold, the handmaiden of the Lord.
Ὡ. Be it done unto me according to thy word.
Ἦ. And the Word was made flesh.
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Let us pray.

Pour forth, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy grace into our hearts, that we, to whom the Incarnation of Christ thy Son was made known by the message of an angel may, by his Passion and Cross, be brought to the glory of his Resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord. Ἡ. Amen.
Salve Regina

Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

prai-es bring. We pray your king-dom you may find With-in

the hearts of all man-kind. 2. O Christ, our Prince, who bring us

peace, May ev’ry sel-fish thought now cease. Sin-ners for

whom your love seems vain, Bring back to your one fold a-gain.

3. For this you bore our pain-ful sin, That we might a new life

be-gin. King-ship is cost-ly, this you’ve shown, Tak-ing the Cross

as your sav-ing throne. 4. Your life is ours now to re-ceive, Who,

in your mer-cy need on-ly be-lieve. With hope we a-wait all

our days, Life of un-end-ing love and praise. 5. Praise we the
Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

Fa-ther, in whose love, The Spir- it guides all from a- bove.

Let us who live, ransomed by His Son, Wor-ship our God, the Three in One. A-men.

1 Antiphon. I g

E will call him the peacemak-er, * and his throne shall stand firm for ev- er.

Psalm 113

Raise, O servants of the Lord, * praise the name of the Lord.
May the name of the Lord be blest * both now and for ever-
more.
From the rising of the sun to its setting * praised be the name of the Lord.
High above all nations is the Lord, * above the heavens his glory.
Who is like the Lord, our God, * who has risen on high to his throne yet stoops from the heights to look down, * to look down upon heaven and earth?
From the dust he lifts up the lowly, * from the dungheap he raises the poor to set him in the company of princes, * yes, with the princes of his people.
To the childless wife he gives a home * and gladdens her heart with children.
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.

The Antiphon is repeated.

Our Lord Jesus Christ the King


Dismissal

The Lord be with you. R: And also with you.

M AY almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Ho-ly Spir-it. R: A-men.

G O in peace. R: Thanks be to God.
Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

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.

Prayer

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Lmighty and eternal God, you break the power of evil

and make all things new in your Son Jesus Christ, the King of

the universe. * May all in heaven and earth acclaim your glory

and never cease to praise you. We ask this through our Lord

Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the

Psalms 117

O praise the Lord, all you nations, * acclaim him, all you peoples!
Strong is his love for us; * he

The Antiphon is repeated.

Canticle

Revelation 4:11; 5:9, 10, 12

O Lord our God, you are worthy * to receive glory and honor and power.
For you have created all things; * by your will they came to be and were made.
Worthy are you, O Lord, * to receive the scroll and break open its seals.

For you were slain, * and with your blood you purchased for
God men of every race and tongue, * of every people and nation.
You made of them a kingdom, † and priests to serve our
God, * and they shall reign on the earth.
Worthy is the Lamb that was slain * to receive power and riches,
Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

Wisdom and strength, * honor and glory and praise.
Glory to the Father and to the Son, * and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, * and shall be for ever.
Amen.

The authority and honor of a king have been given to Christ; all peoples, tribes and nations will serve him for ever.

Ours is the splendor and the power; * Yours is the kingdom, O Lord. * Yours.

Glorification

You will rule over all. * Yours.

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

Christ, firstborn of the dead and firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep in death, —bring all who have died to the glory of the resurrection.

The Lord's Prayer

With longing for the coming of God's kingdom, let us offer our prayer to the Father:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;
Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

and his kingdom will have no end, al-le-lu-ia.

Intercessions

ET us pray to Christ our King. He is the firstborn of all creation; all things exist in him.

AY your kingdom come, O Lord.

Christ, our king and shepherd, gather your sheep from every land, —give them pasture in green and fertile meadows. Christ, our leader and savior, 
form all men into your own people, 
heal the sick, seek out the lost, guard the strong, 
call back those who have wandered far away, 
strengthen those who waver, 
gather all your sheep into one flock.

Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

At Magnificat. Antiphon II D

HE Lord God will give him the throne of David his an-ces-ter; * he will rule in the house of Jacob for ev-er

and his kingdom will have no end, al-le-lu-ia.

Canticle of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Lk 1:46-55

Y soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, * my

spirit rejoices in God my Sa-vior

2. for he has looked with fa-vor * on his low-ly servant.

3. From this day all gener-a-tions * will call me blessed:

4. the Almighty has done great things for me, * and ho-ly is his
ur Lord Jesus Christ the King

Name.

5. He has mercy on those who fear him* in ev’ry generation.

6. He has shown the strength of his arm,* he has scattered the proud in their conceit.

7. He has cast down the mighty from their thrones,* and has lifted up the lowly.

8. He has filled the hungry with good things,* and the rich he has sent away empty.

9. He has come to the help of his servant, Is-ra-el* for he has remembered his promise of mercy,

10. the promise he made to our fathers,* to Abraham and his children for ever.

11. Glory to the Father, and to the Son,* and to the Holy Spirit:

12. as it was in the beginning,* is now, and will be for ever.

A- men.

Antiphon

The Lord God will give him the throne of David his ancestor; he will rule in the house of Jacob for ever.