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Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament

O Salutaria Hostia

O salutáris hóstia,
Que cæli pandis óstium,
Bella Prémunt hostilia;
Da robur, fer auxílium.

Uni trinóque Dómino
Sit semplitérnum glóriam:
Qui vitam sine término
Nobis donet in pátria. Amen.

Genitóri, Genitóque
Laus et iubilátio,
Salus, honor, virtus, quoque
Sit et benédiction.

Compar sit laudátio.
Amen.

O Salutaris Hostia

O Saving Victim opening wide
The gate of heaven to man below:
Our foes press on from every side;
Thine aid supply, thy strength bestow.

All praise and thanks to thee ascend
For evermore, blest One in Three;
O grant us life that shall not end
In our true native land with thee.

Amen.

Tantum ergo Sacramentum

Therefore we, before him bending,
This great Sacrament revere;
Types and shadows have their ending,
For the newer Rite is here;

Faith, our outward sense, befriending,
Makes the inward vision clear.

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.

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

Holy God, we praise thy Name;
Lord of all, we bow before thee;
All on earth thy sceptre 'claim;
All in heaven above adore thee.

Infinite thy vast domain;
Everlasting is thy reign.

You have given them Bread from heaven, alleluia.
Containing all sweetness within it, alleluia.

You have given them Bread from heaven, alleluia.

Hark! The loud celestial hymn
Angel choirs above are raising;
Cherubim and seraphim,
In unceasing chorus praising,

Fill the heavens with sweet accord:
Holy, holy, holy Lord.
Opening Verse

God, come to my assistance. 

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.

HE Lamb's high banquet we await
In snow-white robes of royal state;
And now, the Red Sea's channel past,
To Christ, our Prince, we sing at last.

Upon the altar of the Cross
His Body hath redeemed our loss;
And tasting of His roseate Blood
Our life is hid with Him in God.

That Paschal eve God's arm was bared;
The devastating Angel spared:
By strength of hand our hosts went free
From Pharaoh's ruthless tyranny.

Now Christ, our Paschal Lamb, is slain,
The Lamb of God that knows no stain;
The true Oblation offered here,
Our own unleavened Bread sincere.

O Thou from Whom hell's monarch flies,
O great, O very Sacrifice,
Thy captive people are set free,
And endless life restored in thee.

For Christ, arising from the dead,
From conquered hell victorious sped;
He thrusts the tyrant down to chains,
And Paradise for man regains.

Maker of all, to Thee we pray,
Fulfil in us Thy joy today;
When death assails, grant, Lord, that we
May share Thy Paschal victory.

To Thee who, dead, again dost live,
All glory, Lord, Thy people give;
All glory, as is ever meet,
To Father and to Paraclete. Amen.

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**Sacred Silence**

*We remain in our places. A few moments of silence are kept. The Celebrant and ministers return to the sacristy. All depart in silence.*

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**Dismissal (B)**

*When Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament follows, the Office concludes thus:*

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**Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament follows.**
Fifth Sunday of Easter

The Lord’s Prayer

Celebrant:

With longing for the coming of God’s kingdom, let us offer our prayer to the Father: All: Our Father.

Prayer

God our Father, look upon us with love. You redeem us and make us your children in Christ. * Give us true freedom and bring us to the inheritance you promised. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, * one God, for ever and ever. R: Amen.

Dismissal (A)

Blessing

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


At II Vespers

Hymn (B)

Chorus novae Jerusalem

Ye choirs of new Jerusalem, To sweet new strains attune your theme; The while we keep, from care released, With sober joy our Paschal feast:

When Christ, unconquered Lion, first The dragon’s chains by rising burst: And while with living voice he cries, The dead of other ages rise.

Engorged in former years, their prey Must death and hell restore today: And many a captive soul set free, With Jesus leaves captivity.

Right gloriously he triumphs now, Worthy to whom all things should bow; And joining heav’n and earth again, Links in one commonweal the twain.

And we, as these his deeds we sing, His suppliant soldiers, pray our King, That in his palace, bright and vast, We may keep watch and ward at last.

Long as unending ages run, To God the Father, laud be done: To God the Son, our equal praise, And God the Holy Ghost, we raise. Amen.
Psalmody

Ant. 1 The Lord has risen,*
and is seated at the right hand of God, / alleluia.

Psalm 109 (110) : 1-5. 7

HE Lord’s revelation to my Master: † “ Sit on my right: * your foes I will put beneath your feet.”

The Lord will wield from Zion † your sceptre of power: * rule in the midst of all your foes.

A prince from the day of your birth † on the holy mountains: * from the womb before the dawn I begot you.

The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change. † “ You are a priest for ever, * a priest like Melchizedech of old.”

The Master standing at your right hand * will shatter kings in the day of his great wrath.

He shall drink from the stream by the wayside * and therefore he shall lift up his head.

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.

Ant. The Lord has risen,*
and is seated at the right hand of God, / alleluia.

Intercessions

With joy in our hearts,
let us call upon Christ the Lord,
who died and rose again,*
and lives always to intercede for us:

R† Victorious King, I hear our prayer.

Light and salvation of all peoples,
— send into our hearts the fire of your Spirit,
as we proclaim your resurrection. (R†)

Let Israel recognize in you
her longed-for Messiah,
— and the whole earth be filled
with the knowledge of your glory. (R†)

Keep us in the communion of your saints,
— and grant us rest from our labors in their company. (R†)

You have triumphed over death, your enemy;
destroy in us the pow’r of death,
— that we may live only for you,
victorious and immortal Lord. (R†)

Savior Christ,
you were obedient even to accepting death,
and were raised up to the right hand of the Father,
in your goodness welcome your brothers and sisters
into the kingdom of your glory. (R†)
Fifth Sunday of Easter

At Magnificat. Antiphon

Year A: Master, show us the Father, and that will be enough for us.
Jesus said to him, Have I been with you for so long a time and you still do not know me, Philip?
Whoever has seen me has seen the Father.

Year B: By this is my Father glorified, that you bear much fruit and become my disciples.

Year C: This is how all will know if you have love for one another.

Magnificat

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, my spirit rejoices in God my Savior for he has looked with favor on his lowly servant.
From this day all generations will call me blessed: the Almighty has done great things for me and holy is his Name.
He has mercy on those who fear him in every generation.
He has shown the strength of his arm, he has scattered the proud in conceit.
He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and has lifted up the lowly.
He has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent away empty.
He has come to the help of his servant Israel for he has remembered his promise of mercy, the promise he made to our fathers, to Abraham and his children for ever.
Glory to the Father, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

The Antiphon is repeated.

At Vespers

Ant. 2 He has rescued us from the power of darkness, and has brought us into the kingdom of his Son.

Psalm 113 A (114)

When Israel came forth from Egypt, Jacob’s sons from an alien people, Judah became the Lord’s temple, Israel became his kingdom.
The sea fled at the sight: the Jordan turned back on its course, the mountains leapt like rams and the hills like yearling sheep.
Why was it, sea, that you fled, that you turned back, Jordan, on your course?
Mountains, that you leapt like rams, hills, like yearling sheep?
Tremble, O earth, before the Lord, in the presence of the God of Jacob, who turns the rock into a pool and flint into a spring of water.
Glory to the Father, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, so now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Ant. He has rescued us from the power of darkness, and has brought us into the kingdom of his Son.
Ant. 3 Alleluia, our God is king; *
glory and praise to him, I alleluia.

** Alleluia, alleluia.

** Alleluia, alleluia.

Cantor : All : Cantor : All :

* Alleluia. ** Alleluia.

Sing praise to our God, all you his servants,
* Alleluia.

all who worship him reverently, great and small.
** Alleluia, alleluia.

The Lord our all-powerful God is King;
* Alleluia.

let us rejoice, sing praise, and give him glory.
** Alleluia, alleluia.

The wedding feast of the Lamb has begun,
* Alleluia.

and his bride is prepared to welcome him.
** Alleluia, alleluia.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, †
and to the Holy Spirit.
* Alleluia.

As it was in the beginning, is now, †
and will be for ever. Amen.
** Alleluia, alleluia.

Reading

Hebrews 10:12-14

ESUS offered one sacrifice for sins and took his seat forever at
the right hand of God; now he waits until his enemies are placed
beneath his feet. By one offering he has forever perfected those who
are being sanctified.

** Alleluia, alleluia.

Responsory

V The Lord is risen, *
alleluia, alleluia.
Rς The Lord is risen, *
alleluia, alleluia.
V He has appeared to Simon,
alleluia, alleluia.
Rς Glory to the Father, and to the Son, *
and to the Holy Spirit.
Rς The Lord is risen, *
alleluia, alleluia.
Opening Verse

O God, come to my assistance. O Lord, make haste to help me.

Glory be 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. Alleluia.
During Paschaltide: At Vespers

**THE LAMB'S HIGH BANQUET WE AWAINT**
*Ad cenam Agni providi*

**Mode 8**

1. The Lamb’s high banquet we await. In
2. Upon the altar of the Cross His
3. That Paschal eve God’s arm was bared; The
4. Now Christ, our Paschal Lamb, is slain, The

1. Snow-white robes of royal state; And now,
2. Body hath redeemed our loss; And tast-
3. Devastating angel spared: By strength
4. Lamb of God that knows no stain; The true

1. The Red Sea’s channel past, To Christ, our
2. Ing of His rosate Blood Our life is
3. Of hand our hosts went free From Pharaoh’s
4. Oblation offered here, Our own un-

1. Prince, we sing at last.
2. Hid with Him in God.
3. Ruthless tyranny.
4. Leavened Bread sincere.

5. O Thou from whom hell’s monarch flies, O
6. For Christ, arising from the dead, From
7. Maker of all, to Thee we pray, Ful-
8. To Thee, Who dead, again dost live, All

5. Great, O very Sacrifice, Thy cap-
6. Conquered hell victorious sped; He thrusts
7. Fil in us Thy joy today; When death
8. Glory, Lord, Thy people give; All glo-

5. Tive people are set free, And end-
6. The tyrant down to chains, And par-
7. As sails, grant, Lord, that we May share Thy
8. Ry, as is ever meet, To Father

5. Life restored in Thee.
7. Paschal victory.
8. And to Paraclete. Amen.

Chant: Mode 8. Tone at Vespers during Paschaltide.
During Paschaltide : At Vespers

YE CHOIRS OF NEW JERUSALEM

Chorus novæ Jerusalem

Mode 8

1. Ye choirs of new Je-ru-sa- lem, To
2. When Christ, un-con- quered Li- on, first The
3. En-gorged in for- mer years, their prey Must
4. Right glo- rious- ly He tri- umphs now, Wor-
5. And we, as these His deeds we sing, His
6. Long as un- end- ing a- ges run, To

1. sweet new strains at- tune your theme; The while
2. dra- gon’s chains by ris- ing burst: And while
3. death and hell re- store to- day: And man-
4. thy to Whom all things should bow; And join-
5. sup- pliant sol- diers, pray our King, That in
6. God the Fa- ther, laud be done: To God

1. we keep, from care re- leased, With sob- er
2. with liv- ing voice he cries, The dead of
3. y a cap- tive soul set free, With Je- sus
4. ing heav’n and earth a- gain, Links in one
5. His pal- ace, bright and vast, We may keep
6. the Son, our e- qual praise, And God the

1. joy our Pas- chal feast.
2. o- ther a- ges rise.
3. leaves cap- tiv- ity.
4. com- mon- weal the twain.
5. watch and ward at last.
6. Ho- ly Ghost, we raise. A-men.
Hymn. 8
Low - Medium Key
(alternate key : 6 flats)

High key
(alternate key : 3 sharps)
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Heaven’s revelation to my Master: † “Sit on my right: * your foes I will put beneath your feet.”

The Lord will wield from Zion † your sceptre of power: * rule in the midst of all your foes.

A prince from the day of your birth † on the holy mountains; * from the womb before the dawn I begot you.

The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change. † “You are a priest for ever, * a priest like Melchisedech of old.”

The Master standing at your right hand * will shatter kings in the day of his great wrath.

He shall drink from the stream by the wayside * and therefore he shall lift up his head.

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.

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The sea fled at the sight: *
the Jordan turned back on its course.
the mountains leapt like rams * and the hills like yearling sheep.
Why was it, sea, that you fled, *
that you turned back, Jordan, on your course?

Mountains, that you leapt like rams, * hills, like yearling sheep?
Tremble, O earth, before the Lord, * in the presence of the God of Jacob,
who turns the rock into a pool *
and flint into a spring of water.
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.
Ant. 3  Alleluia, our God is king; *
glory and praise to him, † alleluia.
CANTICLE

Revelation 19:1-7

Cantor: Salvation, glory, and power to our God: All: Alleluia. Cantor: his judgments are honest and true. All: Alleluia, alleluia. Cantor: Sing praise to our God, all you his servants, All: Alleluia. Cantor: All who
worship him reverently, great and small. *All:* Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

**Cantor:** The Lord our all-powerful God is King: *All:* Al-le-lu-ia. **Cantor:** Let us rejoice, sing praise, and give him glory. *All:* Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

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Cantor: The wedding feast of the Lamb has begun, All: Alleluia. Cantor: and his bride is prepared to welcome him. All: Alleluia, alleluia.

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Responsory

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AT MAGNIFICAT. ANTIPHON

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Year A: Master, / show us the Father, *
and that will be enough for us.

Jesus said to him, †
Have I been with you for so long a time *
and you still do not know me, Philip?

Whoever has seen me has seen the Father, *
alleluia.

Year B: By this is my Father glorified, †
that you bear much fruit, *
and become my disciples, / alleluia.

Year C: This is how all will know †
that you are my disciples, *
if you have love for one another, / alleluia.
**Magnificat**

**Low Key**

Y soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, * my spirit rejoices in God my Savior for he has looked with favor on his lowly servant.

From this day all generations * will call me blessed:

the Almighty has done great things for me, * and holy is his Name.

He has mercy on those who fear him * in every generation.

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

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

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

He has come to the help of his servant Israel * for he has remembered his promise of mercy,

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

Glory to the Father, and to the Holy Spirit:

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

**Medium Key**

**High Key**

The Antiphon is repeated.
With joy in our hearts,
let us call upon Christ the Lord,
who died and rose again,
and lives always to intercede for us:

R: Victorious King, hear our prayer.

Light and salvation of all peoples,
—send into our hearts the fire of your Spirit,
as we proclaim your resurrection. (R)

Let Israel recognize in you
her longed-for Messiah,
—and the whole earth be filled
with the knowledge of your glory. (R)

Keep us in the communion of your saints,
— and grant us rest from our labors in their company. (R)

You have triumphed over death, your enemy;
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—in your goodness welcome your brothers and sisters
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