

MORNING PRAYER TUESDAY – LENT - HOLY WEEK



Please Stand

God come to my assistance,
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 forever. Amen.

Morning Hymn: “ Holy God We Praise Thy Name”

1. Holy God, we praise thy name! Lord of all, we bow before thee; all on earth thy scepter claim, all in heav'n above adore thee; infinite thy vast domain, everlasting is thy reign. Infinite thy vast domain, everlasting is the reign.
2. Hark! the loud celestial hymn angel choirs above are raising, Cherubim and Seraphim in unceasing chorus praising, fill the heav'ns with sweet accord: holy, holy, holy Lord. Fill the heav'ns with sweet accord: holy, holy, holy Lord!

Text ascr to Ignaz Franz. 1791-1790. tune:: GROSSER GOTT. c 1774

(Please be seated)

Reading: Isaiah 49: 1-6

Hear me, O Islands, listen, O distant peoples, The Lord called me from birth, from my mother's womb he gave me my name. He made me a sharp-edged sword and concealed me in the shadow of his arm. He made me a polished arrow, in his quiver he hid me. You are my servant, he said to me, Israel, through

whom I show my glory. Though I thought I had toiled in vain, and for nothing, uselessly, had spent my strength, yet my reward is with the Lord, and my recompense is with my God. For now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb, that Jacob may be brought back to him and Israel be gathered to him; and I made glorious in the sight of the Lord, and my God is now my strength! It is too little, he says, for you to be my servant, to raise up the tribes of Jacob, and restore the survivors of Israel; I will make you light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.
The word of the Lord.

Psalm 51: “ Be Merciful, O Lord”

Please repeat refrain after cantor the first time and sing after each verse.

Shepherd me. O God, beyond my wants, beyond my fears, from death into life.

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PSALMODY: 71

Antiphon (Please repeat after the Leader)

Ant: I will sing of your salvation.

- L. In you, O Lord, I take refuge; let me never be put to shame. In your justice rescue me, and deliver me; incline your ear to me.
- R. Be my rock of refuge, a stronghold to give me safety, for you are my rock and my fortress. O my God, rescue me from the hand of the wicked.
- L. For you are my hope, O Lord; my trust, O God, from my youth. On you I depend from birth; from my mother's womb you are my strength.
- R. My mouth shall declare your justice, day by day your salvation. O God you have taught me from my youth, and till the present I proclaim your wondrous deeds

Psalm Prayer

Almighty God, source of everlasting light, send forth your truth into our hearts and pour over us the brightness of your light.

Antiphon all together.

Antiphon. I will sing of your Salvation.

Reading: John 13: 21-33, 36-38

Reclining at table with his disciples, Jesus was deeply troubled and testified, "Amen, amen, I say to you, one of you will betray me." The disciples looked at one another, at a loss as to whom he meant. One of his disciples, the one whom Jesus loved, was reclining at Jesus' side. So Simon Peter nodded to him to find out whom he meant. He leaned back against Jesus' chest and said to him, "Master, who is it?" Jesus answered, "It is the one to whom I hand the morsel after I have dipped it." So he dipped the morsel and handed it to Judas, son of Simon the Iscariot. After Judas took the morsel, Satan entered him. So Jesus said to him, "What you are going to do, do quickly." Now none of those reclining at table realized why he said this to him. Some thought that since Judas kept the money bag, Jesus had told him, "Buy what you need for the feast." Or to give something to the poor. So Judas took the morsel and left at once. And it was night. When he had left, Jesus said. "Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in him. If God is glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself, and he will glorify him at once. My children I will be with you only a little while longer, You will look for me, and as I told the Jews, 'Where I go you cannot come,' so now I say it to you." Simon Peter said to him, "Master where are you going?" Jesus answered him, "Where I am going, you cannot follow me now, though you will follow later." Peter said to him, "Master why can I not follow you now? I will lay down my life for you." Jesus answered. "Will you lay down your life for me? Amen, amen, I say to you, the cock will not crow before you deny me three times."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Reflection

(Please Stand)

"Canticle of the Sun"

The heavens are telling the glory of God, and all creation is shouting for joy: come, dance in the forest, come, play in the field, and sing, sing, to the glory of the Lord. (Last time: sing, sing, to the Glory of the Lord.)

1. *Sing to the sun, the bringer of day, he carries the light of the Lord in his rays, the moon and the stars, who light up the way unto your throne.*
2. *Praise to the rain, that waters our fields and blesses our crops, so all the earth yields, from death into life her myst'ry revealed breaks forth in joy.*

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Intercessions: (please respond "Lord hear our prayer")

Lord's Prayer

Kiss of Peace

Closing Prayer

Almighty God, may we receive your forgiveness and mercy as we celebrate the passion and death of the Lord. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

Dismissal:

May the Lord bless us, protect us from all evil and bring us to life everlasting.
Amen.

Wait for the LORD: be of good
courage, and he shall strengthen thine
heart: wait, I say, on the LORD.

Psalms 27:14

