

EVENING PRAYER

33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time
(Psalter week I)



*please stand and make
the sign of the cross as we begin*

PRESIDER God, come to our assistance.



All Lord, make haste to help us.

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

All as it was in the beginning, is now,
and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia.

HYMN: FOR THE FRUITS OF THIS CREATION #421

PRESIDER The Lord will stretch forth his mighty
scepter from Zion,
and he will reign for ever, alleluia.

Ambo The Lord's revelation to my Master:
"Sit on my right: your foes I will put
beneath your feet."

Choir The Lord will wield from Zion
your scepter of power:
rule in the midst of all your foes.

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

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

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

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

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

Choir as it was in the beginning,
is now and will be forever. Amen.

All The Lord will stretch forth his mighty
scepter from Zion, and he will reign for
ever, alleluia.

PRESIDER The earth is shaken to its depths before
the glory of your face.

Ambo When Israel came forth from Egypt,
Jacob's sons from an alien people,

Choir Judah became the Lord's temple, Israel
became his kingdom.

Ambo The sea fled at the sight: the Jordan
turned back on its course,

Choir the mountains leapt like rams and the
hills like yearling sheep.

AMBO Why was it, sea, that you fled, that you turned back, Jordan, on your course?

Choir Mountains, that you leapt like rams, hills, like yearling sheep?

Ambo Tremble, O earth, before the Lord, in the presence of the God of Jacob,

Choir who turns the rock into a pool and flint into a spring of water.

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

Choir as it was in the beginning,
is now and will be forever. Amen.

All The earth is shaken to its depths before
the glory of your face.

PRESIDER All power is yours, Lord God, our
mighty King, alleluia.

Ambo Alleluia.

Salvation, glory, and power to our God:
His judgements are honest and true.
Alleluia.

Choir Alleluia.

Sing praise to our God, all you his
servants, all who worship him reverently,
great and small.
Alleluia.

AMBO Alleluia.

The Lord our all-powerful God is King:
let us rejoice, sing praise, and give him
glory.

Alleluia.

Choir Alleluia.

The wedding feast of the Lamb has
begun, and his bride is prepared to
welcome him.

Alleluia.

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

Choir as it was in the beginning,
is now and will be forever. Amen.

All All power is yours, Lord God, our
mighty King, alleluia.

READING 2 CORINTHIANS 1 : 3-7

READER Praised be God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and the God of all consolation! He comforts us in all our afflictions and thus enables us to comfort those who are in trouble, with the same consolation we have received from him. As we have shared much in the suffering of Christ, so through Christ do we share abundantly in his consolation. If we are afflicted it is for your encouragement and salvation, and when we are consoled it is for your consolation, so that you may endure patiently the same sufferings we endure. Our hope for you is firm because we know that just as you share in the sufferings, so you will share in the consolation.

RESPONSORY

PRESIDER The whole creation proclaims the greatness of your glory.

All —The whole creation proclaims the greatness of your glory.

Reader Eternal ages praise

All —the greatness of your glory.

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

All —The whole creation proclaims the greatness of your glory.

please stand for the Magnificat

PRESIDER Well done, my good and faithful servant,
you have been trustworthy in small
things. Now share your master's joy.

All 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.

ALL 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.

ALL 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 Son
and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning, is now
and will be forever. Amen.

All Well done, my good and faithful servant,
you have been trustworthy in small
things. Now share your master's joy.

INTERCESSIONS

PRESIDER Christ the Lord is our head; we are his members. In joy let us call out to him:

All —Lord, may your kingdom come.

Reader Christ our Savior, make your Church a more vivid symbol of the unity of all mankind,

All —make it more effectively the sacrament of salvation for all peoples.

Reader Through your presence, guide the college of bishops in union with the Pope,

All —give them the gifts of unity, love and peace.

READER Bind all Christians more closely
to yourself, their divine Head,

All —lead them to proclaim your kingdom
by the witness of their lives.

Reader Grant peace to the world,

All —let every land flourish
in justice and security.

Reader Grant to the dead
the glory of resurrection,

All —and give us a share in their happiness.

ALL Our Father, . . .

Presider Almighty and ever-living God,
our source of power and inspiration,
give us strength and joy in serving you
as followers of Christ, who lives and
reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one
God, for ever and ever.

All Amen.

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

All Amen.