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TUESDAY

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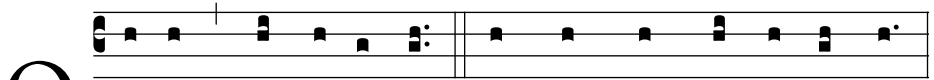


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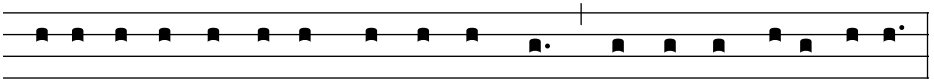
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INTRODUCTION



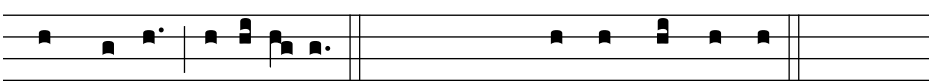
**O** God , come to my aid.- R̄. O Lord, make haste to help me.-



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



As it was in the beginning, is now and ev-er shall be,- world † without



end. Amen.- A-lle-lu-ia.- In Lent † without end. Amen.-

## HYMN

HPP2 251

*Text: Telluris ingens conditor ( St Gregory)**Tune: HPP2 257 Evening IV*

## EVENING IV

O migh - ty Ma - ker of the land, Who part  
 the o - cean with your hand, And from the floor  
 of swir - ling sea The firm and fer - tile earth set free;

- 2 Who fill the solid ground with seed  
 Of plants to nourish every need,  
 And give them buds and tender shoots  
 To bear green herbs and pleasant fruits;
- 3 Make now our hearts a spacious field  
 And cause their hardened ways to yield,  
 That filled with Christ the Sower's word,  
 Our deeds may show what we have heard-
- 4 Shine bright on us your radiant face;  
 Send down the healing dew of grace;  
 And grant to us the joy untold:  
 To reap the promised hundredfold.

5 O Father, this we ask be done  
 Through Jesus Christ, your only Son,  
 Whom in the Spirit we adore:  
 One God who reigns for evermore.

**PSALMODY**

PSALM 27 (26)

One Thing I Ask of the LORD

*Behold, God's dwelling is with the human race. He will dwell with them and they will be his people. Rev 21:3*

*Antiphon*

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I t is your face, O Lord, that I seek; \* hide not

your face from me.

**It is your face, O Lord, that I seek;  
 hide not your face from me.**

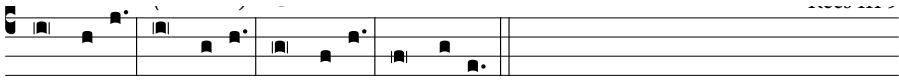
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Rees III 9

The LORD is my light and my sálvation;  
 whom shall I fear?

The LORD is the stronghold of my life;  
 whom should I dread?

When those who do evil dráw near  
 to devour my flesh,  
 it is they, my enemies ánd foes,  
 who stumble ánd fall.



Though an army encamp ágainst me,  
my heart would nó't fear.

Though war break out ágainst me,  
even then would Í trust.

There is one thing I ask of the LORD, †  
only this do Í seek:

to live in the house of the LORD †  
all the days of mý life,  
to gaze on the beauty of thé LORD,  
to inquire at hís temple.

For there he keeps me safe in hís shelter  
in the day óf evil.

He hides me under cover of hís tent;  
he sets me high upon á rock.

And now my head shall bé raised  
above my foes who súrround me,  
and I shall offer within his tent †  
sacrifices full of exúltation

I will sing and make music for thé LORD.

O LORD, hear my voice when Í call;  
have mercy ánd answer me.

Of you my heart hás spoken,  
“Seek hís face.”

It is your face, O LORD, that Í seek;  
hide not your face fróm me.

Dismiss not your servant ín anger;  
you have been mý help.



## PSALM 33 (32)

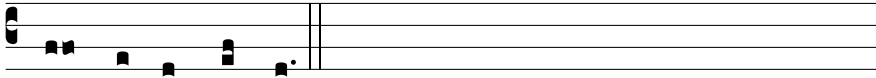
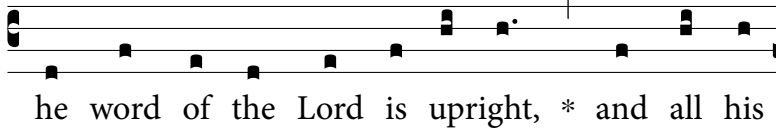
## The Plans of God's Heart

*Through the Word all things were made. Jn 1:3*

## Antiphon

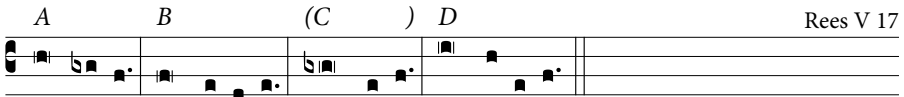
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works to be trusted.

**The word of the Lord is upright,  
and all his works to be trusted.**



Rees V 17

Ring out your joy to the LORD, O yóu just;  
for praise is fitting fróm the upright.  
Give thanks to the LORD upon thé harp;  
with a ten-stringed lute síng him songs.

O sing him a song that is new;  
play skillfully, with shóuts of joy.  
For the word of the LORD is upright,  
and all his works to be trusted.

The LORD loves justice ánd right,  
and his merciful love fills the earth.

[A+D]

By the word of the LORD the heavens wére made,  
by the breath of his mouth áll their host.  
As in a flask, he collects the waves of thé ocean;  
he stores up the depths óf the sea.



Let all the earth fear thé LORD,  
all who live in the wórlđ reveré him.  
He spoke, and it came tó be.  
He commanded; it stóod in place.

The LORD frustrates the designs of thé nations;  
he defeats the plans óf the peoples.  
The designs of the LORD stand fórever,  
the plans of his heart from áge to age.

Blessed the nation whose God is thé LORD,  
the people he has chosen ás his heritage.  
From the heavens the LORD lóoks forth;  
he sees the whole húman race.

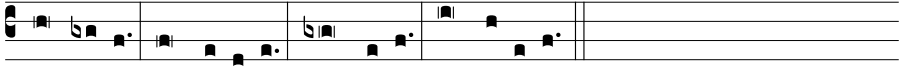
From the place where he dwells hé gazes  
on all the dwellers ón the earth,  
he who shapes the hearts of thém all,  
and considers áll their deeds.

A king is not saved by his gréat army,  
nor a warrior preserved by hís great strength.  
A vain hope for safety is thé horse;  
despite its power it cánot save.

Yes, the LORD's eyes are on those whó fear him,  
who hope in his mérciful love,  
to rescue their soul fróm death,  
to keep them alíve in famine.

Our soul is waiting for thé LORD.  
He is our help ánd our shield.  
In him do our hearts fínd joy.  
We trust in his hóly name.

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May your merciful love be úpon us, [A+D]  
 as we hope in yóu, O LORD.

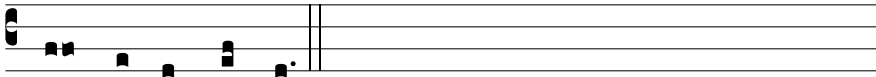
Glory be to the Father, and tó the Son,  
 And to the Hóly Spirit.  
 As it was in the beginning, is now and éver shall be.  
 World without énd. Amen

*Antiphon*

**The word of the Lord is upright,  
 and all his works tó be trusted.**



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**SCRIPTURE READING**

1 JN 3:1A-2

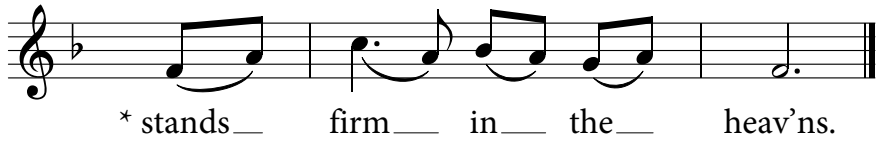
See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. Beloved, we are God's children now; it does not yet appear what we shall be, but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

*Alternative:*

ROM 3:23-25A

Since all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, they are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption which is in Christ Jesus, whom God put forward as an expiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God's righteousness.

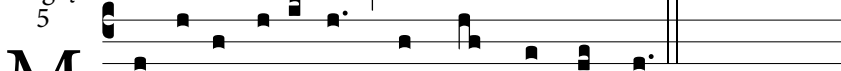
## RESPONSORY



## MAGNIFICAT

## THE CANTICLE OF MARY

Lk 1:46-55

*My soul rejoices in the Lord.**Antiphon*Mag.  $\text{A}$   
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**M**y spirit rejoices \* in God my Saviour.

**My spirit rejoices  
in Gód my Saviour.**



My soul gloriffes the LORD,  
my spirit rejoices in Gód my Saviour.  
He looks on his servant ín her lowliness;  
henceforth all ages will cáll me blessed.

The Almighty works marvéls for me.  
Holý his name!  
His mercy is from áge to age,  
on thóse who fear him.

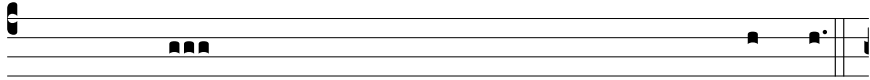
He puts forth his árm in strength  
and scatters thé proud hearted.  
He casts the mighty fróm their thrones  
and raisés the lowly.

He fills the starvínq with good things,  
sends the rich áway empty.

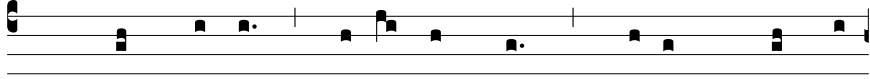
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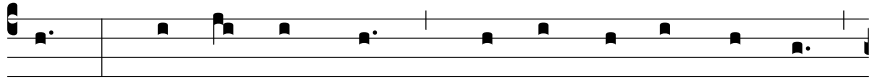
## THE LORD'S PRAYER



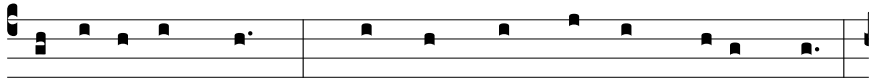
*Superior:* Let us now pray in the words our Saviour gave us:



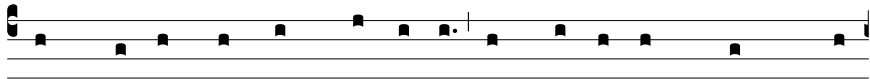
*All:* Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy



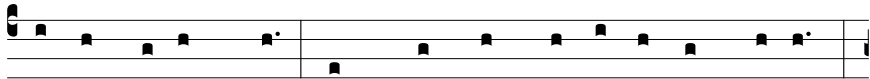
name; thy Kingdom come; thy will be done on earth



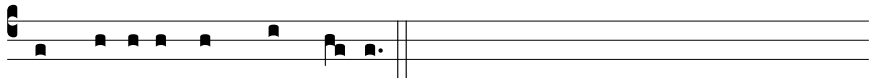
as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread;



and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who



trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation,



but de-liver us from e-vil.

## COLLECT

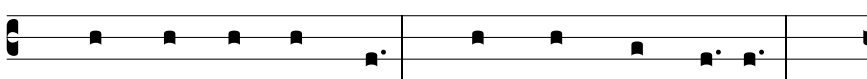
## THURSDAY WEEK 1

Lord God,  
 you give the moon to illumine the night,  
 and to dispel the darkness you bring in the light of day:  
 grant that during this night  
 we may elude the grasp of Satan  
 and in the morning rise to give you praise.  
 We make our prayer  
 through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
 who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 God, for ever and ever.

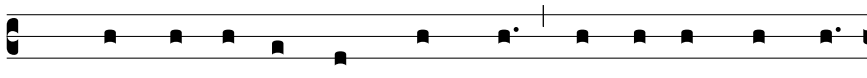
R/ Amen.

## CONCLUSION OF THE HOUR

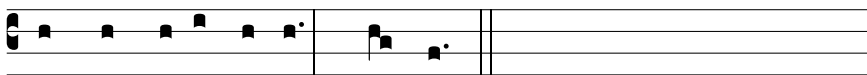
Superior:



∩ The Lord be with you. R And with your spirit.

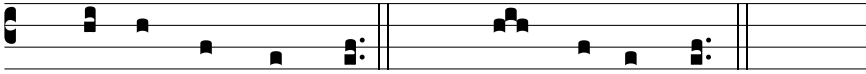


∩ May Almighty God bless you, the Father, the Son



and the Holy Spirit. R A-men.

**Cantor:**



℣ Let us bless the Lord. ℟ **Thanks be to God.**

V/ May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

R/ **Amen.**

V/ May the Divine assistance remain always with us.

R/ **And with our absent brethren. Amen**

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