

An Order for Morning Prayer



We are a Christian community of spiritual renewal and radical acceptance with a commitment to help everyone grow in their spiritual journey. Our faith is deeply rooted in worship, scripture, prayer, and action.

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*Let our invitation be unmistakable:
All Are Welcome in This Place!*

Musical prelude

Opening Hymn

Officiant Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Officiant Lord, open our lips.

People **And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

Officiant and People **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. Alleluia**

The Officiant and People together pray the Pascha Nostrum:

Alleluia.

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us; *

therefore let us keep the feast,

Not with old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, *

but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. Alleluia.

Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; *

death no longer has dominion over him.

The death that he died, he died to sin, once for all; *

but the life he lives, he lives to God.

So also consider yourselves dead to sin, *

and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia.

Christ has been raised from the dead, *

the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.

For since by a man came death, *

by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.

For as in Adam all die, *

so in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia.

The Officiant and People then pray together the Psalm(s) appointed for the day.

Officiant and People **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.**

The Proclamation of the Word

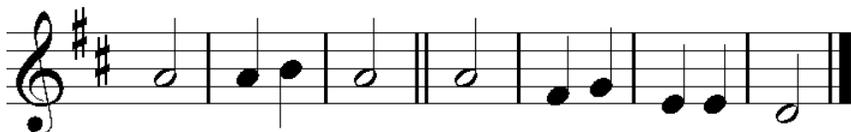
Response to the first reading: The Hymnal 1982 #S-209, Canticle 8, The Song of Moses



- 1 I will sing to the Lord, for he is ^{lofty} and ^{up}lifted; *
the horse and its rider has he ^{hurled} into the ^{sea}.
- 2 The Lord is my ^{strength} and my ^{refuge}; *
the ^{Lord} has be^{come} my ^{Savior}.
- 3 This is my God and I will ^{praise} him, *
the God of my ^{people} and I will ex^{alt} him.
- 4 The Lord is a ^{mighty} warrior; *
— ^{Yahweh} is his ^{Name}.
- 5 The chariots of Pharaoh and his army has he ^{hurled} into the ^{sea}; *
the finest of those who bear armor have been
^{drowned} in the ^{Red} ^{Sea}.
- 6 The fathomless ^{deep} has over^{whelmed} them; *
they ^{sank} into the ^{depths} like a ^{stone}.
- 7 Your right hand, O Lord, is ^{glorious} in ^{might}; *
your right hand, O Lord, has ^{over}thrown the ^{enemy}.
- 8 Who can be compared with you, O Lord, a^{mong} the ^{gods}? *
who is like you, glorious in holiness,
awesome in re^{nown}, and ^{worker} of ^{wonders}?
- 9 You stretched forth your ^{right} hand; *
the ^{earth} ^{swallowed} them ^{up}.
- 10 With your constant love you led the ^{people} you re^{deemed}; *
with your ^{might} you brought them in
^{safety} to your ^{holy} ^{dwelling}.
- 11 You will bring them ⁱⁿ and ^{plant} them *
on the ^{mount} of your pos^{session},
- 12 The resting-place you have made for your ^{self}, O ^{Lord}, *
the sanctuary, O ^{Lord}, that your ^{hand} has es^{tablished}.
- †13 The ^{Lord} shall ^{reign} *
for ^{ever} and 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.

Response to the second reading; The Hymnal 1982 #263, Canticle 18, A Song to the Lamb



- 1 Splendor and honor and kingly power *
are yours by right, O Lord our God,
- 2 For you created everything that is, *
and by your will they were created and have their being;
- 3 And yours by right, O Lamb that was slain, *
for with your blood you have redeemed for God,
- 4 From every family, language, people, and nation, *
a kingdom of priests to serve our God.
- 5 And so, to him who sits upon the throne, *
— and to Christ the Lamb,
- 6 Be worship and praise, dominion and splendor, *
for ever and for ever more.

Officiant and People **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Officiant Let us pray.

Officiant and People **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 deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

Officiant Show us your mercy, O Lord.
People **And grant us your salvation.**
Officiant Clothe your ministers with righteousness.
People **Let your people sing with joy.**
Officiant Give peace, O Lord, in all the world.
People **For only in you can we live in safety.**
Officiant Lord, keep this nation under your care.
People **And guide us in the ways of justice and truth.**
Officiant Let your way be known upon earth.
People **Your saving health among all nations.**
Officiant Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten.
People **Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**
Officiant Create in us clean hearts, O God.
People **And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.**

The Officiant speaks or chants the Collect of the Day and two other Collects, to which the People respond: Amen.

Office Hymn

The Prayers of the People

Officiant and People **Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you, and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them. Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us, granting us in this world knowledge of your truth and in the age to come life everlasting. Amen.**

Closing Hymn

Officiant Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia!
People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*The Officiant concludes with a short piece of Scripture.
Musical postlude*