

ANTIPHON  
IN HONOR OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

VI



**A** - ve re- gí-na cæ-ló- rum, \* A-ve Dó-mi-na Ange-ló-  
rum : Salve ra-dix, sal-ve por-ta, Ex qua mundo lux est or-ta :  
Gaude Virgo glo- ri- ó- sa, Su- per omnes spe-ci- ó- sa : Val-e,  
o valde de-có- ra, Et pro no- bis Christum ex- ó- ra.

Hail, O Queen of Heaven enthroned !  
Hail, by angels Mistress owned !  
Root of Jesse, Gate of morn,  
Whence the world's true Light was born :

Glorious Virgin, joy to thee,  
Loveliest whom in heaven they see :  
Fairest thou where all are fair,  
Plead with Christ our sins to spare.

18 February  
**THURSDAY**  
**AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY**  
*AT VESPERS*



**Celebration**  
**of the**  
**Year of the Priest**  
*Diocese of Tulsa*

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*Tantum ergo Sacramentum*

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Venerémur cernui ;  
Et antiquum documentum  
Novo cedat ritui ;  
Præstet fides supplementum  
Sensuum defectui.

Genitori, Genitrici  
Laus et iubilatio,  
Salus, honor, virtus, quoque  
Sit et benedictio :  
Procedenti ab utroque  
Compar sit laudatio. Amen.

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.

℣. Panem de cælo præstitisti  
eis.  
℟. Omne delectamentum in se  
habentem.

℣. You have given them bread from  
heaven.  
℟. Containing all sweetness within it.

**Oratio***Oremus.*

**D**EUS, qui nobis sub sacramento mirabili, passionis tuæ memoriam  
reliquisti : \* tribue, quæsumus, ita nos Corporis et Sanguinis tui sacra  
mysteria venerari ; ut redemptionis tuæ fructum in nobis iugiter sentiamus :  
Qui vivis et regnas in sæcula sæculorum. ℟. Amen.

**Prayer***Let us pray.*

**O** God, who under a wonderful Sacrament have left us a memorial of  
your Passion : \* grant us, we beseech you, so to venerate the sacred  
mysteries of your Body and Blood that we may ever feel within us the fruit of  
your Redemption. Who live and reign for ever and ever. ℟. Amen.

**The Divine Praises**

Blessed be God.  
Blessed be his holy Name.  
Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true man.  
Blessed be the Name of Jesus.  
Blessed be his most Sacred Heart.  
Blessed be his most Precious Blood.  
Blessed be Jesus in the most holy Sacrament of the Altar.  
Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.  
Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy.  
Blessed be her holy and Immaculate Conception.  
Blessed be her glorious Assumption.  
Blessed be the name of Mary, virgin and mother.  
Blessed be Saint Joseph, her most chaste spouse.  
Blessed be God in his angels and in his saints.

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## Prayer

**F**Ather, without you we can do nothing. \* By your Spirit, help us to know what is right and to be eager in doing your will. 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.

**BENEDICTION  
OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT**

*O Salutaris Hostia*

O salutáris hóstia,  
Quæ cæli pandis óstium,  
Bella premunt hostília ;  
Da robur, fer auxílium.

Uni trinóque Dómino  
Sit sempitérna glória :  
Qui vitam sine término  
Nobis donet in pátria.  
Amen.

O Saving Victim opening wide  
The gate of heav'n 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.

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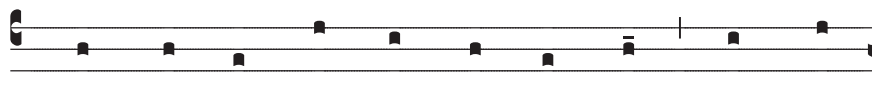
## Opening Verse

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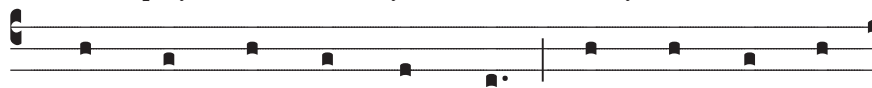
**O** God, come to my as-sistance. *R.* O Lord, make  
haste to help me. Glo-ry to the Fa-ther, and to the Son, and  
to the Ho-ly Spir-it : as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now,  
and will be for ev-er. A-men.



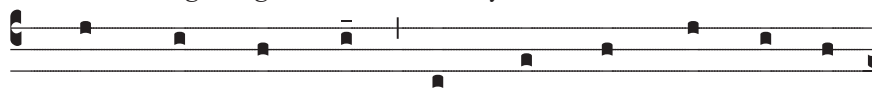
## O Merciful Creator, Hear

*Audi, benigne Conditor. Mode II*

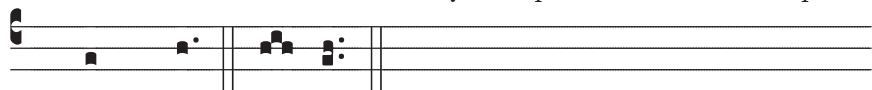
1. O mer- ci- ful Cre- a- tor, hear! To us
2. Our hearts are o- pen, Lord, to thee; Thou know-
3. Our sins are man- y, this we know; Spare us,
4. Give us the self- con- trol that springs From dis-
5. We pray thee, Ho- ly Trin- i- ty, One God,



1. in pit- y bow thine ear: Ac- cept the tear-
2. est our in- firm- i- ty; Pour out on all
3. good Lord, thy mer- cy show; And for the hon-
4. ci- pline of out- ward things, That fast- ing in-
5. un- chang- ing U- ni- ty, That we, from this

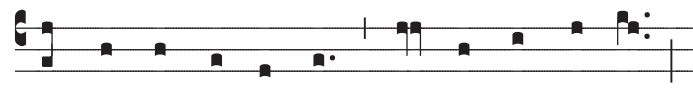


1. ful prayer we raise In this our fast of for-
2. who seek thy face A- bun- dance of thy par-
3. or of thy Name Our faint- ing souls to life
4. ward se- cret- ly The soul may pure- ly dwell
5. our ab- sti- nence May reap the fruits of pen-



1. ty days.
2. d'ning grace.
3. re- claim.
4. with thee.
5. i- tence. A- men.

*The Antiphons and Psalms follow. The Cantor sings the Antiphons. The Cantor begins and alternates the Psalms with All.*

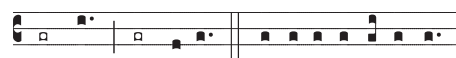
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Ask and you shall re-ceive, seek and you shall find,



knock and the door shall be o-pened to you.

## Intercessions



℟ Ky-ri- e e- lé- i- son.

Christ the Lord gave us a new commandment  
of love for each other. \*

Let us pray *to him* : ℟ Kýrie eléison.

1. Good Master,  
teach us to love you in our **neighbor**, \*  
—and in serving them, to *serve you*. ℟ Kýrie eléison.
2. On the Cross you asked pardon  
for your executioners, \*  
—give us strength to love our enemies  
and pray for those who persecute **us**. ℟ Kýrie eléison.
3. Through the mystery of your Body and Blood,  
deepen our love, our perseverance and our **trust**, \*  
—strengthen the weak, console the sorrowful,  
and give hope to *the dying*. ℟ Kýrie eléison.
4. Light of the world,  
you gave light to the man born blind  
when he had washed in the pool of **Siloam**, \*  
—enlighten catechumens through the water of baptism  
and the word of *life*. ℟ Kýrie eléison.
5. Give to the dead the perfect joy of your eternal **love**, \*  
—and number us also among *your chosen* ones. ℟ Kýrie eléison.

has sent a-way emp-ty.

8. He has come to the help of his ser-vant, Is-ra-el \* for  
he has re-mem-bered his promise of mer-cy,  
9. the prom-ise he made to our fa-thers, \* to A-bra-ham and  
his children for ev-er.  
10. Glo-ry to the Fa-ther, and to the Son, \* and to the  
Ho-ly Spir-it :  
11. as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now \* and will be for  
ev-er. A-men.

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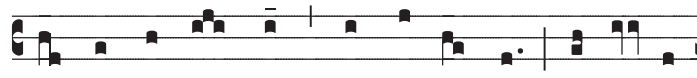
E is my com-fort \* and my re-fuge. In him I  
put my trust.

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The Cantor begins and alternates verses with All :

Psalm 144 A

1. Blessed be the Lord, my rock /  
who trains my *arms* for **battle**, \*  
who prepares my hands for **war**.
2. He is my *love*, my **fortress** ; \*  
he is my stronghold, my **savior**,
3. my shield, my *place of* **refuge**. \*  
He brings peoples under my **rule**.
4. Lord, what is man that you *care for* **him**, \*  
mortal man, that you keep him *in* **mind** ;
5. man, who is merely a **breath**, \*  
whose life fades like a **shadow** ?
6. Lower your heavens *and come* **down** ; \*  
touch the mountains ; wreath them *in* **smoke**.
7. Flash your lightnings ; *route the* **foe**, \*  
shoot your arrows and put them *to* **flight**.
8. Reach down from heaven and save me ; /  
draw me out from the *mighty* **waters**, \*  
from the hands of alien **foes**
9. whose mouths are *filled with* **lies**, \*  
whose hands are raised *in* **perjury**.
10. Glory to the Father, and *to the* **Son**, \*  
and to the Holy **Spirit** :
11. as it was in the beginning, *is* **now**, \*  
and will be for ever. **Amen**.

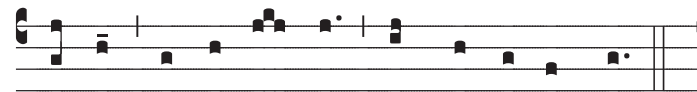
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He is my com-fort and my re- fuge. In him I

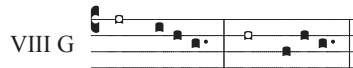
put my trust.

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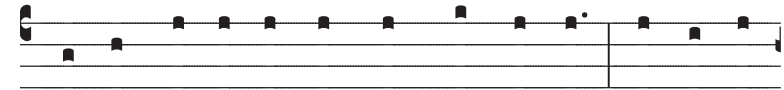
Less-ed \* are the peo- ple whose God is the Lord.



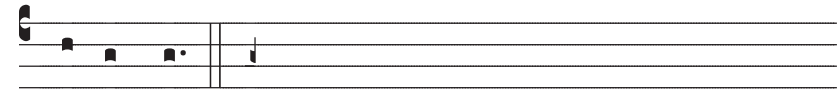
The Cantor begins and alternates verses with All :

## Psalm 144 B

1. To you, O God, will I sing *a new song* ; \*  
I will play on the *ten-stringed harp*
2. to you who give *kings their victory*, \*  
who set David your *servant free*.
3. You set him free from the *evil sword* ; \*  
you rescued him from *alien foes*
4. whose mouths were *filled with lies*, \*  
whose hands were *raised in perjury*.
5. Let our sons then flourish like *saplings* \*  
grown tall and strong *from their youth* :
6. our daughters graceful as *columns*, \*  
adorned as though *for a palace*.
7. Let our barns be filled to *overflowing* \*  
with crops of *every kind* ;
8. our sheep increasing by thousands, /  
myriads of sheep *in our fields*, \*  
our cattle heavy *with young*,
9. no ruined *wall*, no *exile*, \*  
no sound of weeping *in our streets*.
10. Happy the people *with such blessings* ; \*  
happy the people whose God *is the Lord*.



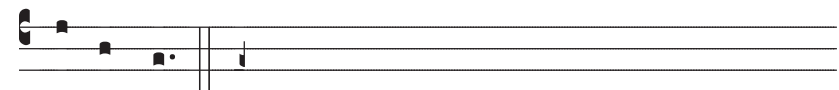
3. the Al-might-y has done great things for me, \* and ho- ly



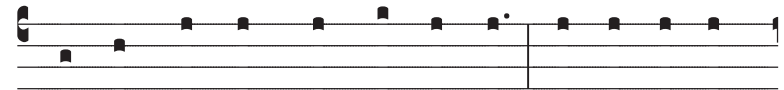
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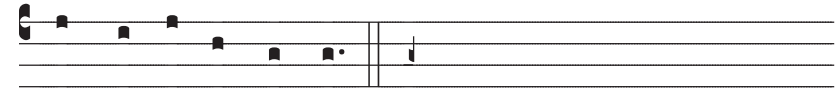
4. He has mer- cy on those who fear him \* in ev- 'ry gen-



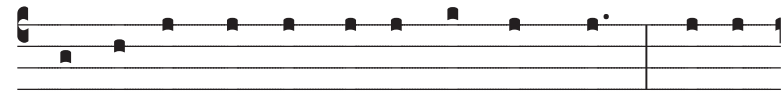
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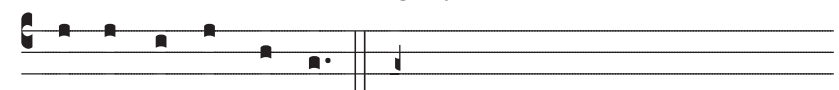
5. He has shown the strength of his arm, \* he has scattered



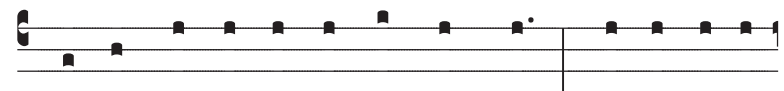
the proud in their con- ceit.



6. He has cast down the might-y from their thrones, \* and has



lift- ed up the low- ly.



7. He has filled the hun- gry with good things, \* and the rich he

## STAND

## Antiphon at Magnificat

VIII G

A

SK and you shall re-ceive, \* seek and you shall find,

knock and the door shall be o-pened to you.

## Canticle of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Luke 1 : 46-55

*The Cantor begins and alternates verses with All :*

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Y soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, \* and

my spir- it re-joic- es in God my Sav- ior.

2. for he has looked with fav-or on his low-ly servant. \* From

this day all gen- er- a- tions will call me bless-ed :

11. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, \*  
and to the Holy Spirit :12. as it was in the beginning, is now, \*  
and will be for ever: Amen.Anti-  
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Bless-ed are the peo- ple whose God is the Lord.

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OW the vic- to- ri- ous reign \* of our God has

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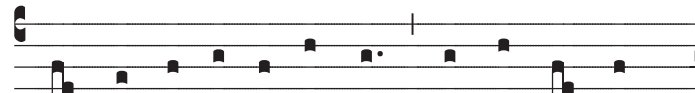
## Canticle

Revelation 11 : 17-18 ; 12 : 10b-12a

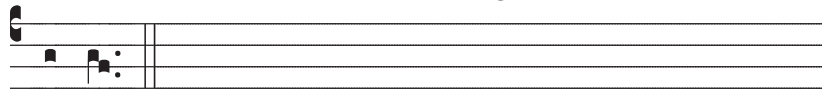
1. We praise you, the Lord God Almighty, \*  
who is and who was.
2. You have assumed your great power, \*  
you have begun your reign.
3. The nations have raged in anger, /  
but then came your day of wrath \*  
and the moment to judge the dead :
4. the time to reward your servants the prophets /  
and the holy ones who revere you, \*  
the great and the small alike.
5. Now have salvation and power come, \*  
the reign of our God and the authority of his Anointed One.
6. For the accuser of our brothers is cast out, \*  
who night and day accused them before God.
7. They defeated him by the Blood of the Lamb /  
and by the word of their testimony ; \*  
love for life did not deter them from death.

8. so rejoice, you heavens, \*  
and you that dwell *therein* !
9. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, \*  
and to the Holy Spirit :
10. as it was in the beginning, is now, \*  
and will be for ever. *Amen*.

Anti-  
phon



Now the vic- to- ri- ous reign of our God has



be- gun

### Reading

*James 4 : 7-8. 10*

**S**UBmit to God ; resist the devil and he will take flight. Draw close to God, and he will draw close to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners ; purify your hearts, you backsliders. Be humbled in the sight of the Lord and he will raise you on high.

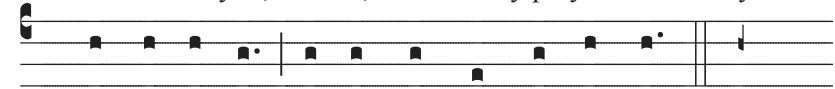
### Responsory

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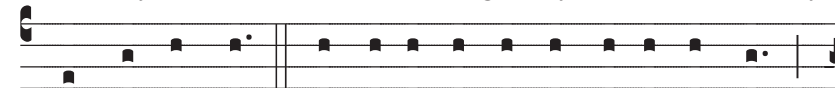
O you, O Lord, \* I make my prayer for mer- cy.



*All :* To you, O Lord, \* I make my prayer for mer- cy.



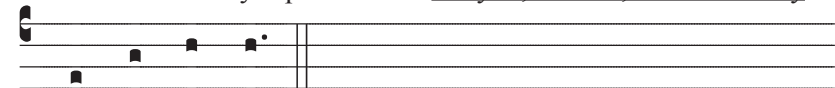
℣ Heal my soul, for I have sinned a-against you. *All :* \* I make my



prayer for mer- cy. ℣ Glo- ry to the Fa-ther, and to the Son,



and to the Ho- ly Spir- it. *All :* To you, O Lord, \* I make my



prayer for mer- cy.