Matins

605 Father Welcomes



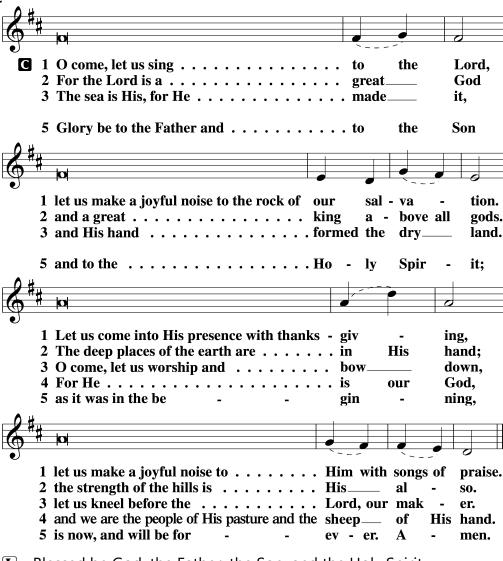
Stand

- L O Lord, open my lips,
- **and my mouth will declare Your praise.**
- Make haste, O God, to deliver me;
- make haste to help me, O Lord.
- Glory be 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. Praise to You, O Christ. Alleluia.

Psalmody

- L Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
- O come, let us worship Him.

Venite LSB 220



- **I** Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
- O come, let us worship Him.

Introit

Psalm 37:5–7; antiphon: v. 4



Delight yourself | in the LORD,*

and he will give you the desires of your heart.

Commit your way | to the LORD;*

trust in him, and | he will act.

He will bring forth your righteousness | as the light,* and your justice as the | noonday.

Be still before the LORD and wait patiently | for him;*

fret not yourself over the one who prospers in his way, over the man who carries out evil de- | vices!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be- | ginning,*

is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Delight yourself | in the LORD,*

and he will give you the desires of your heart.

851 Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us



Readings

Old Testament Reading

Jeremiah 11:18-20

18The LORD made it known to me and I knew; then you showed me their deeds.
19But I was like a gentle lamb led to the slaughter.
I did not know it was against me they devised schemes, saying,
"Let us destroy the tree with its fruit, let us cut him off from the land of the living, that his name be remembered no more."
20But, O LORD of hosts, who judges righteously, who tests the heart and the mind, let me see your vengeance upon them, for to you have I committed my cause.

L O Lord, have mercy on us.

Thanks be to God.

Epistle James 3:13–4:10

¹³Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. ¹⁴But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. ¹⁵This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. ¹⁶For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. ¹⁷But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. ¹⁸And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.

¹What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? ²You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask. ³You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions. ⁴You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. ⁵Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, "He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us"? ⁶But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, "God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble." ⁷Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. ¹⁰Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

L O Lord, have mercy on us.

Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel Mark 9:30–37

³⁰[The disciples] went on from there and passed through Galilee. And [Jesus] did not want anyone to know, ³¹for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him. And when he is killed, after three days he will rise." ³²But they did not understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him.

³³And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, "What were you discussing on the way?" ³⁴But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one

another about who was the greatest. ³⁵And he sat down and called the twelve. And he said to them, "If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all." ³⁶And he took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷"Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me."

- L O Lord, have mercy on us.
- Thanks be to God.

Responsory LSB 221

- **I** Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.
- Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.
- L Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.
- Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.
- L Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.
- Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.

Sermon

Canticle

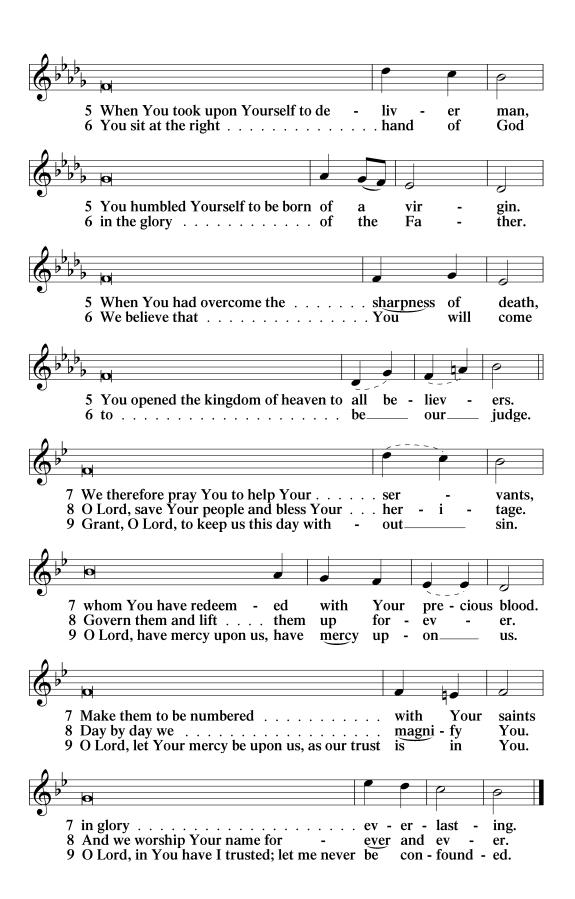
Stand

Te Deum LSB 223 **1** We praise You, O God; we acknowledge You to be the Lord. 2 Holy, holy, Lord God of Sab - a oth; 3 The noble army of martyrs You. 1 All the earth now worships You, the Fa-ther ev - er - last ing. 2 heaven and earth are full of the majes - ty of Your glo 3 The holy Church throughout all the world does ac - knowl-edge You: To You all angels cry aloud, the heavens and all the pow'rs there-in. 2 The glorious company of the apostles praise You. The Father of an infinite majesty; Your adorable, true, and on -Son: Christ: 1 To You cherubim and seraphim con - tin - ual - ly 2 The goodly fellowship of the proph-ets praise You. 3 also the Holy Ghost, the Com-fort er.

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4 You are the everlasting Son of



Sit

Prayer

Kneel/Stand

Kyrie LSB 227

Christ, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

Lord's Prayer

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
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

Collects

- **L** The Lord be with you.
- **G** And with your spirit.

Collect of the Day

O God, whose strength is made perfect in weakness, grant us humility and childlike faith that we may please You in both will and deed; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Collect for Grace

- O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, You have safely brought us to the beginning of this day. Defend us in the same with Your mighty power and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings, being ordered by Your governance, may be righteous in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- **G** Amen.

Stand

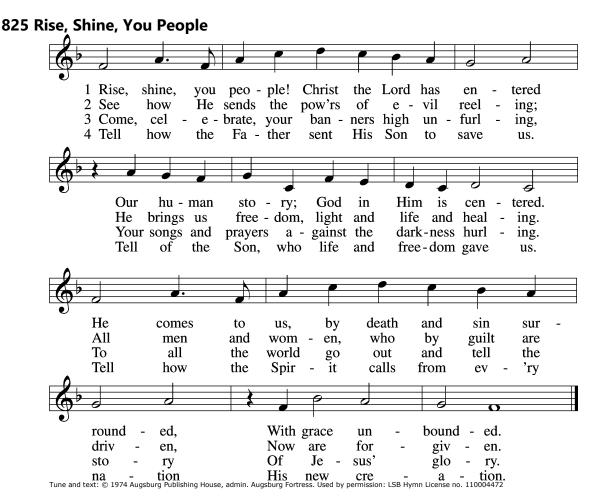
Benedicamus LSB 228

- **L** Let us bless the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Benediction LSB 228

The grace of our Lord + Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C Amen.



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