

**MASS PROPER: ROGATION MASS BEFORE THE ASCENSION**

MASS *Exaudivit* (violet)

**I - THE PROCESSION & LITANIES**

*(The officiating Priest wears a violet stole and cope. The Cantors stand as they sing the following:)*

**Psalms 43: 26, 2**

Exsúrge, Dómine, ádjuva nos: et libera nos propter nomen tuum. Allelúja. Deus, áuribus nostris audívimus: patres nostri annuntiavérunt nobis. Glória Patri et Fílio et Spiritui Sancto, sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen. Exsúrge, Dómine, ádjuva nos: et libera nos propter nomen tuum. Allelúja.

*(Then all kneel and two Cantors begin the Litany of the Saints. Each invocation is repeated by the Choir. At the invocation Sancta Maria all stand and the procession begins. After the Litany of the Saints the psalm Deus, in adjutorium is sung.)*

**LITANY OF THE SAINTS**

Kýrie, eléison.  
*Kýrie, eléison.*

Christe, eléison.  
*Christe, eléison.*

Kýrie, eléison.  
*Kýrie, eléison.*

Christe, audi nos.  
*Christe, audi nos.*

Christe, exáudi nos.  
*Christe, exáudi nos.*

Arise, O Lord, help us and deliver us for Thy name's sake. Alleluia. We have heard, O God, with our ears; our fathers have told us. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Arise, O Lord, help us and deliver us for Thy name's sake. Alleluia.

Lord, have mercy.  
*Lord, have mercy.*

Christ, have mercy.  
*Christ, have mercy.*

Lord, have mercy.  
*Lord, have mercy.*

Christ, hear us.  
*Christ, hear us.*

Christ, graciously hear us.  
*Christ, graciously hear us.*

Pater de cælis, Deus,  
*miserére nobis.*  
Fili, Redemptor mundi, Deus,  
*miserére nobis.*  
Spíritus Sancte, Deus,  
*miserére nobis.*  
Sancta Trínitas, unus Deus,  
*miserére nobis.*

Sancta Maria,  
*ora pro nobis.*  
Sancta Dei Génatrix,  
*ora pro nobis.*  
Sancta Virgo vírginum,  
*ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Míchaël, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Gábríel, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Ráphaël, *ora pro nobis.*

Omnes sancti Angeli et Archángeli,  
*oráte pro nobis.*  
Omnes sancti beatórum Spírituum  
órdínes,  
*oráte pro nobis.*

Sancte Joánnes Baptísta,  
*ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Joseph,  
*ora pro nobis.*

Omnes sancti Patriárchæ et  
Prophétæ,  
*oráte pro nobis.*

Sancte Petre, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Paule, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Andréa, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Jacóbe, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Joánnes, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Thoma, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Jacóbe, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Philíppe, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Bartolomaée, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Matthaée, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Simon, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Thaddáee, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Matthia, *ora pro nobis.*

God the Father of heaven,  
*have mercy on us.*  
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,  
*have mercy on us.*  
God the Holy Ghost,  
*have mercy on us.*  
Holy Trinity, one God,  
*have mercy on us.*

Holy Mary,  
*pray for us.*  
Holy Mother of God,  
*pray for us.*  
Holy Virgin of virgins,  
*pray for us.*  
St. Michael, *pray for us.*  
St. Gabriel, *pray for us.*  
St. Raphael, *pray for us.*

All ye holy Angels and Archangels,  
*pray for us.*  
All ye holy orders of blessed Spirits,  
*pray for us.*

St. John the Baptist,  
*pray for us.*  
St. Joseph,  
*pray for us.*

All ye holy Patriarchs and Prophets,  
*pray for us.*

St. Peter, *pray for us.*  
St. Paul, *pray for us.*  
St. Andrew, *pray for us.*  
St. James, *pray for us.*  
St. John, *pray for us.*  
St. Thomas, *pray for us.*  
St. James, *pray for us.*  
St. Philip, *pray for us.*  
St. Bartholomew, *pray for us.*  
St. Matthew, *pray for us.*  
St. Simon, *pray for us.*  
St. Thaddeus, *pray for us.*  
St. Matthias, *pray for us.*

enim verus est Agnus, qui ábstulit peccáta mundi. Qui mortem nostram moriéndo destrúxit, et vitam resurgéndo reparávit. Et ídeo cum Ángelis et Archángelis, cum Thronis et Dóminatió nibus, cumque omni milítia cæléstis exércitus, hymnum glóriæ tuæ cánimus sine fine dicéntes:

**COMMUNION Luke 11: 9,10**

Pétite, et accipiétas: quaérite, et inveniétis: pulsáte, et aperiétur vobis: omnis enim qui petit, áccipit: et qui quærit, invénit: et pulsánti aperiátur, alleluja.

**POSTCOMMUNION**

Vota nostra, quaésumus, Dómine, pio favóre proséquere: ut dum dona tua in tribulatióne percípimus, de consolatióne nostra in tuo amóre crescámus. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

*Commemoration of Ascension Vigil*

Tríbue nobis, Dómine, cæléstis mensæ virtúte satiátis: et desideráre, quæ recta sunt, et desideráta percípere. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.

He is the true Lamb Who hath taken away the sins of the world: Who by dying hath destroyed our death: and by rising again hath restored us to life. And therefore with Angels and Archangels, with Thrones and Dominations, and with all the hosts of the heavenly army, we sing the hymn of Thy glory, evermore saying:

Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and you shall find; knock, and it shall be opened to you. For every one that asketh, receiveth; and he that seeketh, findeth; and to him that knocketh, it shall be opened, alleluia.

Favorably receive our prayers, O Lord, we beseech Thee: may we in our distress be consoled by Thy gifts and grow in love accordingly. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Grant to us, O Lord, that filled with strength from this heavenly table, we may both desire what is right, and obtain that which we desire. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

Sancte Bárnaba, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Luca, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Marce, *ora pro nobis.*

Omnes sancti Apóstoli et Evangelístæ, *oráte pro nobis.*  
Omnes sancti Discípuli Dómini, *oráte pro nobis.*

Omnes sancti Innocéntes, *oráte pro nobis.*  
Sancte Stéphane, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Laurénti, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Vincénti, *ora pro nobis.*

Sancti Fabiáne et Sebastiáne, *oráte pro nobis.*  
Sancti Johánnes et Paule, *oráte pro nobis.*  
Sancti Cosma et Damiáne, *oráte pro nobis.*  
Sancti Gervási et Protási, *oráte pro nobis.*  
Omnes sancti Mártýres, *oráte pro nobis.*

Sancte Silvéster, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Gregóri, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Ambrósi, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Augustíne, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Hierónyme, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Martíne, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Nicolaë, *ora pro nobis.*

Omnes sancti Pontífices et Confessóres, *oráte pro nobis.*  
Omnes sancti Doctóres, *oráte pro nobis.*

Sancte Antóni, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Benedicte, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Bernárde, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Domínice, *ora pro nobis.*  
Sancte Francísce, *ora pro nobis.*  
Omnes sancti Sacerdótes et Levítæ, *oráte pro nobis.*

St. Barnabas, *pray for us.*  
St. Luke, *pray for us.*  
St. Mark, *pray for us*

All ye holy Apostles and Evangelists, *pray for us.*  
All ye holy Disciples of the Lord, *pray for us.*

All ye holy Innocents, *pray for us.*  
St. Stephen, *pray for us.*  
St. Lawrence, *pray for us.*  
St. Vincent, *pray for us.*

SS. Fabian and Sebastian, *pray for us.*  
SS. John and Paul, *pray for us.*  
SS. Cosmas and Damian, *pray for us.*  
SS. Gervase and Protase, *pray for us.*  
All ye holy Martyrs, *pray for us.*

St. Sylvester, *pray for us.*  
St. Gregory, *pray for us.*  
St. Ambrose, *pray for us.*  
St. Augustine, *pray for us.*  
St. Jerome, *pray for us.*  
St. Martin, *pray for us.*  
St. Nicholas, *pray for us.*

All ye holy Bishops and Confessors, *pray for us.*  
All ye holy Doctors, *pray for us.*

St. Anthony, *pray for us.*  
St. Benedict, *pray for us.*  
St. Bernard, *pray for us.*  
St. Dominic, *pray for us.*  
St. Francis, *pray for us.*  
All ye holy Priests and Levites, *pray for us.*

<p>Omnes sancti Mónachi et Eremítæ, <i>oráte pro nobis.</i></p> <p>Sancta Maria Magdaléna, <i>ora pro nobis.</i> Sancta Agatha, <i>ora pro nobis.</i> Sancta Lúcia, <i>ora pro nobis.</i> Sancta Agnes, <i>ora pro nobis.</i> Sancta Cæcília, <i>ora pro nobis.</i> Sancta Catharina, <i>ora pro nobis.</i> Sancta Anastásia, <i>ora pro nobis.</i></p> <p>Omnes sancti Vírgines et Víduæ, <i>oráte pro nobis.</i></p> <p>Omnes Sancti et Sanctæ Dei, <i>intercédite pro nobis.</i></p> <p>Propítius esto, <i>parce nos, Dómine.</i></p> <p>Propítius esto, <i>exáudi nos, Dómine.</i></p> <p>Ab omni malo, <i>libera nos, Dómine</i> Ab omni peccáto, <i>libera nos, Dómine</i> Ab ira tua, <i>libera nos, Dómine.</i> A subitánea et improvísá morte, <i>libera nos, Dómine.</i> Ab insídiis diabóli, <i>libera nos, Dómine.</i> Ab ira et ódio et omni mala voluntáte,  <i>libera nos, Dómine.</i> A spírítu fornicatiónis, <i>libera nos, Dómine</i> A fúlgure et tempestáte, <i>libera nos, Dómine</i> A flagélló terræmótus, <i>libera nos, Dómine</i> A peste, fame et bello, <i>libera nos, Dómine</i> A morte perpétua, <i>libera nos, Dómine</i></p> <p>Per mystérium sanctæ Incarnatiónis</p>	<p>All ye holy Monks and Hermits, <i>pray for us.</i></p> <p>St. Mary Magdalen, <i>pray for us.</i> St. Agatha, <i>pray for us.</i> St. Lucy, <i>pray for us.</i> St. Agnes, <i>pray for us.</i> St. Cecilia, <i>pray for us.</i> St. Catherine, <i>pray for us.</i> St. Anastasia, <i>pray for us.</i></p> <p>All ye holy Virgins and Widows, <i>pray for us.</i></p> <p>All ye holy Saints of God, <i>intercede for us.</i></p> <p>Be merciful, <i>spare us, O Lord</i></p> <p>Be merciful, <i>graciously hear us, O Lord.</i></p> <p>From all evil, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From all sin, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From Thy wrath, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From sudden and unprovided death, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From the snares of the devil, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From anger, and hatred, and every evil will, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From the spirit of fornication, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From lightning and tempest, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From the scourge of earthquakes, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From plague, famine and war, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i> From everlasting death, <i>deliver us, O Lord.</i></p> <p>Through the mystery of Thy holy</p>	<p>vobis: quaérite, et inveniétis: pulsáte, et aperiétur vobis. Omnis enim qui petit, áccipit: et qui quaérit, invénit: et pulsánti aperiétur. Quis autem ex vobis patrem petit panem, numquid lápídem dabit dabit illi? Aut piscem: numquid pro pisce serpéntem dabit illi? Aut si petierit ovum: numquid pórriget illi scorpíonem? Si ergo vos cum sitis mali, nostis bona data dare filiis vestris: quanto magis Pater vester do cælo dabit spírítum bonum peténtibus se?</p> <p><b>OFFERTORY Psalms 108: 30,31</b> Confitébor Dómino nimis in ore meo: et in médio multórum laudábo eum, quia ástitit a dextris páuperis: ut salvam fáceret a persecúntibus ánimam meam, allelúja.</p> <p><b>SECRET</b> Hæc múnera, quaésumus, Dómine, et víncula nostræ pravitátis absólvant, et tuæ nobis misericórdiæ dona conciúliant. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spírítus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum. <i>Commemoration of Ascension Vigil</i> Súscipe, Dómine, fidélium preces cum oblatióne hostiárum: ut, per hæc piæ devotiónis officia, ad cæléstem glóriam transeámus. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spírítus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.</p> <p><b>PREFACE OF EASTER SEASON</b> Vere dignum et justum est, æquum et salutáre, Te quidem, Dómine, omni témpace, sed in hoc potíssimum, gloriósius prædicáre, cum Pascha nostrum immolátus est Christus. Ipse</p>	<p>to you: Ask, and it shall be given to you; seek, and you shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you. For every one that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened. And which of you, if he ask his father bread, will he give him a stone? Or a fish, will he for a fish give him a serpent? Or if he shall ask an egg, will he reach him a scorpion? If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father from heaven give the good Spirit to them that ask Him?</p> <p>I will greatly praise the Lord with my mouth, and in the midst of many I will praise Him, because He standeth at the right hand of the poor: to save my soul from them that persecute me, alleluia.</p> <p>May these oblations, O Lord, we beseech Thee, loosen the bonds of our wickedness, and obtain for us the gifts of Thy mercy. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.</p> <p>Accept, O Lord, the prayers of Thy faithful, together with the gifts they offer: that by these offices of loving devotion we may enter into heavenly glory. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.</p> <p>It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation, certainly at all times to proclaim Thee, O Lord, but above all in this time more gloriously, when Christ our Pasch was sacrificed. For</p>
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**EPISTLE James 5: 16-20**

Caríssimi: Confitémini alterutrum peccáta vestra, et oráte pro invicem ut salvémini: multum enim valet deprecátio justí assídua. Elías homo erat símilis nobis passíbilis: et oratióne orávit ut non plúeret super terram, et non pluit annos tres, et menses sex. Et rursus orávit: et cælum dedit plúviam, et terra dedit fructum suum. Fratres mei, si quis ex vobis erráverit a veritaté, et convérterit quis eum: scire debet, quóniam qui convérte fécerit peccatórem ab erróre viæ suæ, salvábit ánimam ejus a morte, et opériet multitudínem peccatórum.

**GREATER ALLELUIA****Psalms 78: 9-10; 30: 8**

Allelúja., allelúja. Propítius esto, Dómine, peccátis nostris: nequándo dicant gentes: Ubi est Deus eórum? Allelúja. Exsultábo et lætábor in misericórdia tua: quóniam respexísti humilitátem meam: salvásti de necessitatibus ánimam meam. Allelúja.

**GOSPEL Luke 11: 5-13**

In illo témpore: Dixit Jesus discíplis suis: Quis vestrum habébit amicum, et ibit ad illum média nocte, et dicet illi: Amice, cómmoda mihi tres panes, quóniam amicus meus venit de ad me, et non hábeo quod ponam ante illum: et ille deíntus respóndens dicat: Noli mihi moléstus esse, jam óstium clausum est et púeri mei mecum sunt in cubíli; non possum súrgere, et dare tibi. Et si ille perseverávit pulsans: dico vobis, etsi non dabit illi surgens, eo quod amicus ejus sit, propter improbitátem tamen ejus surget, et dabit illi quotquot habet necessários. Et ego dico vobis: Péttite, et dábitur

Dearly beloved, confess your sins one to another, and pray one for another, that you may be saved: for the continual prayer of a just man availeth much. Elias was a man passible like unto us: and with prayer he prayed that it might not rain upon the earth, and it rained not for three years and sic months. And he prayed again: and the heaven gave rain, and the earth brought forth her fruit. My brethren, if any of you err from the truth and one convert him, he must know that he who causeth a sinner to be converted from the error of his way shall save his soul from death, and shall cover a multitude of sins.

Alleluia, alleluia. Forgive us our sins, O Lord: lest the Gentiles should ever say: Where is their god? Alleluia. I will be glad and rejoice in Thy mercy: for Thou hast regarded my humility: Thou has saved my soul out of distresses. Alleluia.

At that time Jesus said to His disciples: Which of you shall have a friend, and shall go to him at midnight, and shall say to him: Friend, lend me three loaves, because a friend of mine is come off his journey to me, and I have not what to set before him; and he from within should answer and say: Trouble me not, the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot rise and give thee. Yet if he shall continue knocking, I say to you, although he will not rise and give him because he is his friend, yet because of his importunity he will rise, and give him as many as he needeth. And I say

tuæ,  
*libera nos, Dómine*  
 Per advéntum tuum,  
*libera nos, Dómine*  
 Per nativitatém tuam,  
*libera nos, Dómine*  
 Per baptísmum et sanctum jejúnium tuum,  
*libera nos, Dómine*  
 Per crucem et passiónem tuam,  
*libera nos, Dómine*  
 Per mortem et sepultúram tuam,  
*libera nos, Dómine*  
 Per sanctam resurrectiódinem tuam,  
*libera nos, Dómine*  
 Per admirábilem ascensiódinem tuam,  
*libera nos, Dómine.*  
 Per advéntum Spíritus Sancti Parácliti,  
  
*libera nos, Dómine.*  
 In die judícii,  
*libera nos, Dómine.*

Peccatóres,  
*Te rogámus audi nos.*  
 Ut nobis parcas,  
*Te rogámus audi nos.*  
 Ut nobis indúlgeas,  
*Te rogámus audi nos.*  
 Ut ad veram pœniténtiam nos perdúcere dignéris,  
*Te rogámus audi nos.*  
 Ut Ecclésiám tuam sanctam régere et conserváre dignéris,  
*Te rogámus audi nos.*  
 Ut domnum apostólicum et omnes ecclesiásticos órdenes in sancta religióne conserváre dignéris,  
*Te rogámus audi nos.*  
 Ut inimícos sanctæ Ecclésiæ humiliáre dignéris,  
*Te rogámus audi nos.*  
 Ut régibus et principibus cristiánis pacem et veram concórdiam donáre dignéris,  
*Te rogámus audi nos.*  
 Ut cuncto pópulo cristiáno pacem et

Incarnation,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*  
 Through Thy Coming,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*  
 Through Thy Birth,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*  
 Through Thy Baptism and holy Fasting,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*  
 Through Thy Cross and Passion,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*  
 Through Thy Death and Burial,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*  
 Through Thy holy Resurrection,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*  
 Through Thine admirable Ascension,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*  
 Through the coming of the Holy Ghost, the Paraclete,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*  
 In the day of judgment,  
*deliver us, O Lord.*

We sinners,  
*we pray Thee, hear us.*  
 That Thou wouldst spare us,  
*we pray Thee, hear us.*  
 That Thou wouldst pardon us,  
*we pray Thee, hear us.*  
 That Thou wouldst bring us to true penance,  
*we pray Thee, hear us.*  
 That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to govern and preserve Thy holy Church,  
*we pray Thee, hear us.*  
 That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to preserve our Apostolic Prelate, and all orders of the Church in holy religion,  
*we pray Thee, hear us.*  
 That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to humble the enemies of holy Church,  
*we pray Thee, hear us.*  
 That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to give peace and true concord to Christian kings and princes,  
*we pray Thee, hear us.*  
 That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to grant

<p>unitátem largiri dignéris,</p> <p><i>Te rogámus audi nos.</i>  Ut omnes errántes ad unitátem  Ecclésiæ revocáre, et infidéles  univérsos ad Evangélii lumen  perducere dignéris,</p> <p><i>Te rogámus audi nos.</i>  Ut nosmetípsos in tuo sancto servítio  confortáre et conserváre dignéris,</p> <p><i>Te rogámus audi nos</i>  Ut mentes nostras ad cælestia  desidéria érigas,  <i>Te rogámus audi nos.</i>  Ut ómnibus benefactóribus nostris  sempitérna bona retribuas,  <i>Te rogámus audi nos.</i>  Ut ánimas nostras, fratrum,  propinquórum et benefactórum  nostrorum ab æténa damnatióne  erípias,  <i>Te rogámus audi nos.</i>  Ut fructus terræ dare et conserváre  dignéris,  <i>Te rogámus audi nos.</i>  Ut ómnibus fidélibus defúntcis  réquiem ætéenam donáre dignéris,  <i>Te rogámus audi nos.</i>  Ut nos exaudíre dignéris,  <i>Te rogámus audi nos.</i></p> <p>Fili Dei, Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta  mundi,  <i>parce nobis, Dómine.</i></p> <p>Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi,  <i>exaudi nos, Dómine.</i></p> <p>Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi,  <i>miserére nobis.</i></p> <p>Christe, <i>audi nos.</i></p>	<p>peace and unity to the whole Christian  world,  <i>we pray Thee, hear us.</i>  That Thou wouldst call back to the  unity of the Church all who have  strayed from her fold, and to guide all  unbelievers into the light of the  Gospel,  <i>we pray Thee, hear us.</i>  That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to  confirm and preserve us in Thy holy  service,  <i>we pray Thee, hear us.</i>  That Thou wouldst lift up our minds to  heavenly desires,  <i>we pray Thee, hear us.</i>  That Thou wouldst render eternal  blessings to all our benefactors,  <i>we pray Thee, hear us.</i>  That Thou wouldst deliver our souls,  and the souls of our brethren,  relations, and benefactors, from  eternal damnation,  <i>we pray Thee, hear us.</i>  That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to give  and preserve the fruits of the earth,  <i>we pray Thee, hear us.</i>  That Thou wouldst vouchsafe to grant  eternal rest to all the faithful departed,  <i>we pray Thee, hear us.</i>  That Thou wouldst deign to hear us,  <i>we pray Thee, hear us.</i></p> <p>Son of God, Lamb of God, who takest  away the sins of the world,  <i>spare us, O Lord.</i></p> <p>Lamb of God, who takest away the  sins of the world,  <i>graciously hear us, O Lord.</i></p> <p>Lamb of God, who takest away the  sins of the world,  <i>have mercy on us.</i></p> <p>Christ, <i>hear us.</i></p>	<p>misericórdiam Dei requiéscant in  pace.  R. Amen.</p> <p><b>III - PROPER OF THE MASS OF  ROGATION</b></p> <p><i>(The procession and litany take the  place of the Prayers at the Foot of the  Altar. The Mass, therefore, begins  with the Introit.)</i></p> <p><b>INTROIT Psalms 17: 7, 2, 3</b>  Exaudivit de templo sancto suo vocem  meam, allelúia: et clamor meus in  conspéctu ejus, introívit in aures ejus,  allelúja, alleljia. Díligam te, Dómine,  virtus mea: Dóminus firmaméntum  meum, et refúgium meum, et liberátor  meus. Glória Patri et Fílio et Spíritui  Sancto, sicut erat in princípío, et nunc,  et semper, et in sæcula sæculórum.  Amen. Exaudivit de templo sancto  suo vocem meam, allelúia: et clamor  meus in conspéctu ejus, introívit in  aures ejus, allelúja, allelúja.</p> <p><b>COLLECT</b>  Præsta, quaésumus, omnípotens  Deus: ut, qui in afflictióne nostra de  tua pietáte confídimus, contra advérsa  ómnia, tua semper protectione  muniámur. Per Dóminum nostrum  Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui  tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus  Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula  sæculórum.</p> <p><i>Commemoration of Ascension Vigil</i>  Deus, a quo bona cuncta procedunt,  largíre supplícibus tuis: ut cogitémus,  te inspiránte, quæ recta sunt; et, te  gubernánte, eadem faciámus. Per  Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum,  Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat  in unitáte Spíritus Sancti Deus, per  ómnia sæcula sæculórum.</p>	<p>departed, through the mercy of God,  rest in peace.  R. Amen.</p> <p>He heard my voice from His holy  temple, alleluia: and my cry before  Him came into His ears, alleluia,  alleluia. I will love Thee, O Lord, my  strength: the Lord is my firmament, my  refuge and my deliverer. Glory be to  the Father, and to the Son, and to the  Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning,  is now, and ever shall be, world  without end. Amen. He heard my  voice from His holy temple, alleluia:  and my cry before Him came into His  ears, alleluia, alleluia.</p> <p>Grant, we beseech Thee, O almighty  God, that we, who in our affliction put  our trust in Thy mercy, may ever be  defended by Thy protection against all  adversity. Through our Lord Jesus  Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns  with Thee in the unity of the Holy  Spirit, God, forever and ever.</p> <p>O God, from Whom all good things  come, grant, we beseech Thee, that  by Thine inspiration, we may think  what is right and under Thy guidance,  accomplish it. Through our Lord  Jesus Christ, Thy Son, who lives and  reigns with Thee in the unity of the  Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.</p>
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Ure igne Sancti Spiritus renes nostros et cor nostrum Dómine: ut tibi casto córpore serviámus, et mundo corde placeámus.

Fidélium, Deus, ómnium cónditor et redémptor, animábus famulórum famularúmque tuárum, remissionem cunctórum tríbue peccatórum: ut indulgéntiam, quam semper optavérunt, piis supplicatióibus consequántur.

Actiões nostras, quaésumus, Dómine, aspirándo praéveni, et adjuvándo proséquere; ut cuncta nostra orátio et operátio a te semper incípiat, et per te cœpta finiátur.

Omnípotens sempitérne Deus, qui vivórum domináris simul et mortuórum, omniúmque miseréris, quos tuos fide et ópere futúros esse prænóscis; te súpplícēs exorámus; ut pro quibus effúndere preces decrévimus, quosque vel præsens saéculum adhuc in carne rétinet, vel futúrum jam exútos córpore suscepit, intercedéntibus ómnibus Sanctis tuis, pietátis tuæ cleméntia, ómnium delictórum suórum véniam consequántur. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spiritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.  
R. Amen

V. Dóminus vobiscum.  
R. Et cum spirítu tuó.

V. Exáudiat nos omnípotens et miséricors Dóminus.  
R. Amen.

V. Et fidélium ánimæ per

Inflame, O Lord, our reins and hearts with the fire of the Holy Ghost: that we may serve Thee with a chaste body and please Thee with a clean heart.

O God, the Creator and Redeemer of all the faithful, give to the souls of Thy servants departed the remission of all their sins: that through devout supplications they may obtain the pardon which they have always desired.

Go before, we beseech Thee, O Lord, our actions by Thine inspirations, and further them by Thine gracious assistance; that every word and work of ours may begin always from Thee, and through Thee be happily ended.

Almighty, everlasting God, Who hast dominion over the living and the dead, and art merciful to all, of whom Thou foreknowest that they will be Thine by faith and good works: we humbly beseech Thee, that they for whom we intend to pour forth our prayers, whether this present world still detain them in the flesh, or the world to come hath already received them out of their bodies, may, through the intercession of all Thy Saints, by the clemency of Thy goodness, obtain the remission of all their sins. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.  
R. Amen

V. The Lord be with you.  
R. And with thy spirit.

V. May the almighty and merciful Lord graciously hear us.  
R. Amen.

V. And may the souls of the faithful

Christe, *exáudi nos.*

Kýrie, eléison.  
*Kýrie, eléison.*

Christe, eléison.  
*Christe, eléison.*

Kýrie, eléison.  
*Kýrie, eléison.*

Pater noster. . . (*silently*).  
V. Et ne nos indúcas in tentatiónem.  
R. *Sed líbera nos a malo.*)

## II - THE ROGATION PRAYERS

### Psalm 69

1. Deus, in adjutórium meum inténde: Dómine: ad adjuvándum me festína.
2. Confundántur et revereántur, qui quæerunt ánimam meam:
3. Avertántur retrórsum, et erubéscant, qui volunt mihi mala:
4. Averántur statim erubescéntes, qui dicunt mihi: Euge, euge.
5. Exsúltent et læténtur in te omnes qui quæerunt te, et dicant semper: Magnificétur Dóminus: qui díligunt salutáre tuum.
6. Ego vero egénus, et pauper sum: Deus, ádjuva me.
7. Adjútor meus, et liberátor meus es tu: Dómine, ne moréris.
8. Glória Patri, et Fílio, et Spirítui Sancto.
9. Sicut erat in princípío, et nunc, et semper, et in saécula sæculórum. Amen.

Christ, *graciously hear us.*

Lord, have mercy,  
*Lord, have mercy.*

Christ, have mercy,  
*Christ, have mercy.*

Lord, have mercy,  
*Lord, have mercy.*

Our Father. . . (*silently*).  
V. And lead us not into temptation  
R. But deliver us from evil.

1. O God, come to my assistance; O Lord, make haste to help me.
2. Let them be ashamed and confounded, that seek after my soul.
3. Let them be turned backward and put to confusion, that desire me evil.
4. Let them be turned back with shame, that say unto me, 'Tis well, 'tis well.
5. Let all those that seek Thee be joyful and be glad in Thee, and let such as love Thy salvation say continually: Let the Lord be magnified.
6. But I am poor and needy: help me, O God.
7. Thou art my helper and my deliverer: O Lord, make no delay.
8. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.
9. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

V. Salvos fac servos tuos.  
R. Deus meus, sperantes in te.  
V. Esto nobis, Dómine, turris  
fortitúdinis.  
R. A fácie inimíci.  
V. Nihil proficiat inimícus in nobis.

R. Et filius iniquitátis non appónat  
nocére nobis.  
V. Dómine, non secúndum peccáta  
nostra fácias nobis.  
R. Neque secúndum iniquitátes  
nostras retríbuas nobis.

V. Orémus pro Pontífice nostro **N.**

R. Dóminus consérvet eum, et vivíficet  
eum, et beátum fáciat eum in terra, et  
non tradat eum in ánimam inimicórum  
ejus.

V. Orémus pro benefactóribus nostris.  
R. Retribúere dignáre Dómine,  
ómnibus nobis bona faciéntibus  
propter nomen tuum vítam ætéram.  
Amen.

V. Orémus pro fidélibus defúntis.  
R. Réquiem ætéram dona eis,  
Dómine, et lux perpétua lúceat eis.

V. Requiéscant in pace.  
R. Amen.

V. Pro frátribus nostris abséntibus.  
R. Salvos fac servos tuos, Deus  
meus, sperantes in te.  
V. Mitte eis, Dómine, auxilium de  
sancto.  
R. Et de Sion tuére eos.

V. Dómine, exáudi oratióne meam.  
R. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.  
V. Dóminus vobiscum.  
R. Et cum spírítu tuo.

V. Save Thy servants.  
R. Who hope in Thee, O my God.  
V. Be unto us, O Lord, a tower of  
strength.  
R. From the face of the enemy.  
V. Let not the enemy prevail against  
us.  
R. Nor the son of wickedness  
have power to hurt us.  
V. O Lord, deal not with us according  
to our sins.  
R. Neither requite us according to our  
iniquities.

V. Let us pray for our Sovereign Pontiff  
**N.**  
R. The Lord preserve him, and give  
him life, and make him blessed upon  
the earth, and deliver him not up to the  
will of his enemies.

V. Let us pray for our benefactors.  
R. Vouchsafe, O Lord, for Thy name's  
sake, to reward with eternal life all  
those who do us  
good, Amen.

V. Let us pray for the faithful departed.  
R. Eternal rest give unto them, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon  
them.  
V. May they rest in peace.  
R. Amen.

V. For our absent brethren.  
R. Save Thy servants, who hope in  
Thee, O my God.  
V. Send them help, O Lord, from the  
holy place.  
R. And from Sion protect them.

V. O Lord, hear my prayer.  
R. And let my cry come unto Thee.  
V. The Lord be with you.  
R. And with Thy spirit.

Oremus. Deus, cui próprium est  
miseréri semper et párcere: súscipe  
deprecatióne nostram: ut nos, et  
omnes fámulos tuos, quos delictórum  
caténa constríngit, miserátio tuæ  
pietátis cleménte absólvat.

Exáuldi, quaésumus, Dómine,  
súpplicium preces, et confiténtium tibi  
parce peccátis: ut páriter nobis  
indulgéntiam tríbuas benígnus et  
pacem.

Ineffábilem nobis, Dómine,  
misericórdiam tuam cléménte  
osténde: ut simul nos et a peccátis  
ómnibus éxuas, et a pœnis, quas pro  
his merémur, erípias.

Deus, qui culpa offénderis, pœniténtia  
placáris: preces pópuli tui supplicántis  
propítius réspice; et flagélla tuæ  
iracúndiæ, quæ pro peccátis nostris  
merémur, avérte.

Omnípotens sempitérne Deus,  
miserére fámulo tuo Pontífici nostro  
**N.**, et dirige eum, secúndum tuam  
cleméntiam, in viam salútis ætérynæ;  
ut, te donánte, tibi plácita cúpiat, et  
tota virtúte perficiat.

Deus, a quo sancta desidéria, recta  
consília, et justa sunt ópera: da servis  
tuis illam, quam mundus dare non  
potest, pacem; ut et corda nostra  
mandátis tuis dédita, et hóstium  
subláta formídine, témpora sint, tua  
protectióne, tranquílla.

Let us pray. O God, whose property is  
always to have mercy and to spare,  
receive our humble petition: that we,  
and all Thy servants who are bound  
by the chains of sin, may by the  
compassion of Thy goodness  
mercifully be absolved.

Graciously hear, we beseech Thee, O  
Lord, the prayers of Thy suppliants,  
and pardon the sins of them that  
confess to Thee: that, in Thy bounty,  
Thou mayest grant us both pardon  
and peace.

In Thy clemency, O Lord, show unto  
us Thine unspeakable mercy: that  
Thou mayest both loose us from all  
our sins, and deliver us from the  
punishments which we deserve for  
them.

O God, who by sin art offended and by  
penance pacified, mercifully regard  
the prayers of Thy people making  
supplication to Thee, and turn away  
the scourges of Thine anger, which we  
deserve for our sins.

Almighty, everlasting God have mercy  
upon Thy servant **N.**, our Sovereign  
Pontiff, and direct him according to  
Thy clemency into the way of  
everlasting salvation, that by Thy  
grace he may both desire those things  
that are pleasing to Thee, and perform  
them with all his strength.

O God, from Whom are all holy  
desires, right counsels, and just  
works, give to Thy servants that peace  
which the world cannot give: that our  
hearts being devoted to the keeping of  
Thy commandments, and the fear of  
enemies being removed, the times, by  
Thy protection, may be peaceful.