

Trinity Lutheran Church – Norman, Oklahoma
Wednesday April 6, 2022
Lent Vespers 6 – 7:30 p.m.
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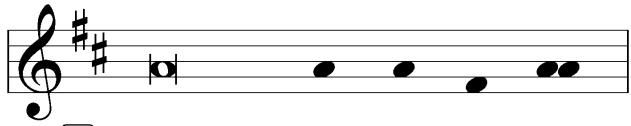


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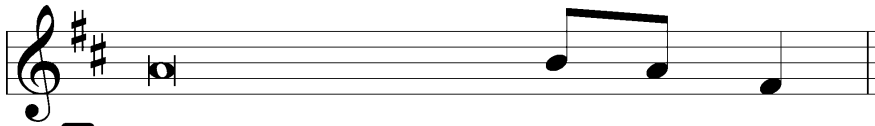
Vespers pp. 229-234 (Lent responses)

Prelude

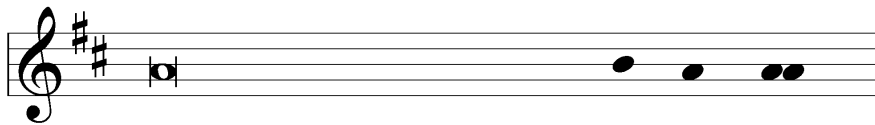
Stand



L O Lord, o - pen my lips,



C and my mouth will de - clare Your praise.



L Make haste, O God, to de - liv - er me;



C make haste to help me, O Lord.



C Glo - ry be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spir - it;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.



Common: Praise to You, O Christ. Al - le - lu - ia.
Advent: Praise to You, O Christ, King who comes to save us.
Lent: Praise to You, O Christ, Lamb of our sal - va - tion.

Psalm 143 (chanted responsively)

(1) Hear my prayer, O Lord; give ear to my pleas for mercy! In your faithfulness answer me, in your righteousness!

(2) Enter not into judgment with your servant, for no one living is righteous before you.

(3) For the enemy has pursued my soul; he has crushed my life to the ground; he has made me sit in darkness like those long dead.

(4) Therefore my spirit faints within me; my heart within me is appalled.

(5) I remember the days of old; I meditate on all that you have done; I ponder the work of your hands.

(6) I stretch out my hands to you; my soul thirsts for you like a parched land.

(7) Answer me quickly, O Lord! My spirit fails! Hide not your face from me, lest I be like those who go down to the pit.

(8) Let me hear in the morning of your steadfast love, for in you I trust. Make me know the way I should go, for to you I lift up my soul.

(9) Deliver me from my enemies, O Lord! I have fled to you for refuge!

(10) Teach me to do your will, for you are my God! Let your good Spirit lead me on level ground!

(11) For your name's sake, O Lord, preserve my life! In your righteousness bring my soul out of trouble!

(12) And in your steadfast love you will cut off my enemies, and you will destroy all the adversaries of my soul, for I am your servant.

**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.**

Sit

HYMN 436 "Go to Dark Gethsemane"



1 Go to dark Geth - sem - a - ne, All who feel the
 2 Fol - low to the judg - ment hall, View the Lord of
 3 Cal - v'ry's mourn - ful moun - tain climb; There, a - dor - ing
 4 Ear - ly has - ten to the tomb Where they laid His



tempt - er's pow'r; Your Re - deem - er's con - flict see,
 life ar-raigned; Oh, the worm-wood and the gall!
 at His feet, Mark that mir - a - cle of time,
 breath-less clay; All is sol - i - tude and gloom.



Watch with Him one bit - ter hour; Turn not from His
 Oh, the pangs His soul sus-tained! Shun not suf - f'ring,
 God's own sac - ri - fice com-plete. "It is fin - ished!"
 Who has tak - en Him a - way? Christ is ris'n! He



griefs a - way; Learn from Je - sus Christ to pray.
 shame, or loss; Learn from Him to bear the cross.
 hear Him cry; Learn from Je - sus Christ to die.
 meets our eyes. Sav - ior, teach us so to rise.

Reading Passion Account – Jesus and Barabbas

L O Lord, have mercy on us.

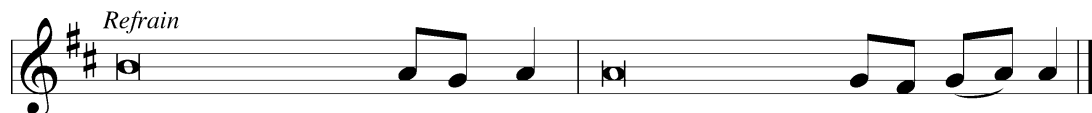
C Thanks be to God.

Responsory

Lent



L 1 Deliver me, O Lord, my God, for You are
 the God of my sal - va - tion.
 2 In You, O Lord, do I put my trust, leave me not, O Lord, my God.
 3 Deliver me, O Lord, my God, for You are
 the God of my sal - va - tion.



C Rescue me from my en - e - mies, protect me
 from those who rise a - gainst me.

HYMN 453 vv. 1,7 Upon the Cross Extended



1 Up - on the cross ex - tend - ed See, world, your
2 Come, see these things and pon - der, Your soul will
3 Who is it, Lord, that bruised You? Who has so
4 I caused Your grief and sigh - ing By e - vils



Lord sus - pend - ed. Your Sav - ior yields His breath.
fill with won - der As blood streams from each pore.
sore a - bused You And caused You all Your woe?
mul - ti - ply - ing As count - less as the sands.



The Prince of Life from heav - en Him - self has free - ly
Through grief be - yond all know - ing From His great heart came
We all must make con - fes - sion Of sin and dire trans -
I caused the woes un - num - bered With which Your soul is



giv - en To shame and blows and bit - ter death.
flow - ing Sighs well - ing from its deep - est core.
gres - sion While You no ways of e - vil know.
cum - bered, Your sor - rows raised by wick - ed hands.

5 Your soul in griefs unbounded,
Your head with thorns surrounded,
You died to ransom me.
The cross for me enduring,
The crown for me securing,
You healed my wounds and set me free.

6 Your cords of love, my Savior,
Bind me to You forever,
I am no longer mine.
To You I gladly tender
All that my life can render
And all I have to You resign.

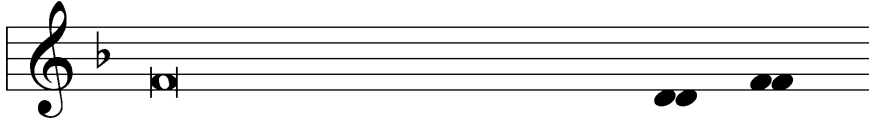
7 **Your cross I place before me;
Its saving pow'r restore me,
Sustain me in the test.
It will, when life is ending,
Be guiding and attending
My way to Your eternal rest.**

“Sustain Me in the Test”

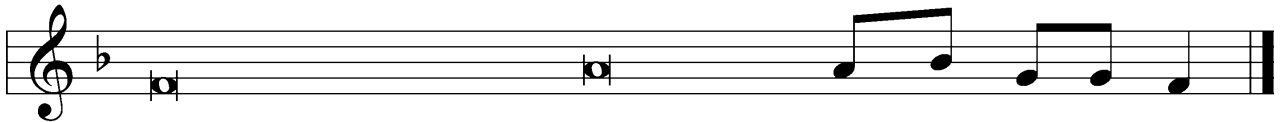
Canticle

Stand

Antiphon (Common)

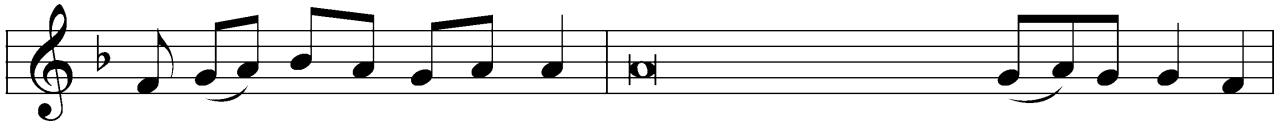


L Let my prayer rise before You as in - cense,



C and the lifting up of my hands as the eve - ning sac - ri - fice.

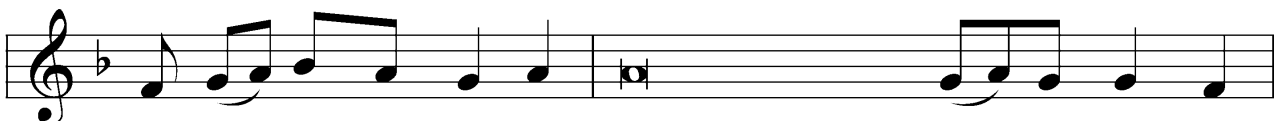
Magnificat



C My soul mag-ni-fies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God, my Sav-ior;



I for He has re-gard - ed the lowliness of His hand-maid - en.



II For be-hold, from this day all generations will call me bless - ed.



I For the Mighty One has done great things to me, and holy is His name;



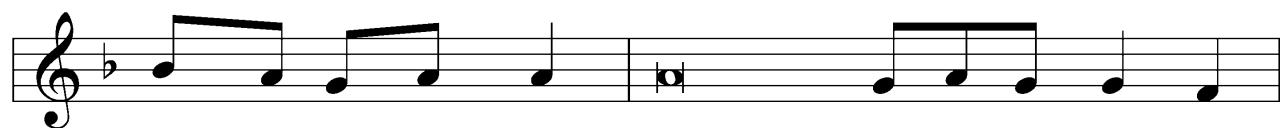
II and His mercy is on those who fear Him from generation to gen - er - a - tion.



I He has shown strength with His arm; He has scattered the proud in the



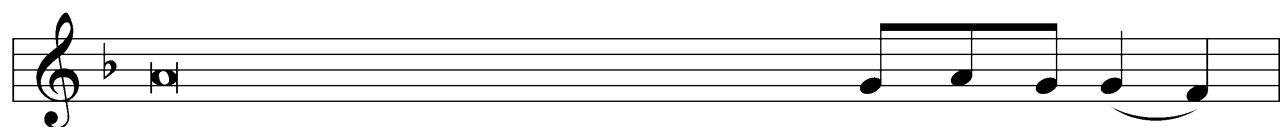
imagination of their hearts. **II** He has cast down the



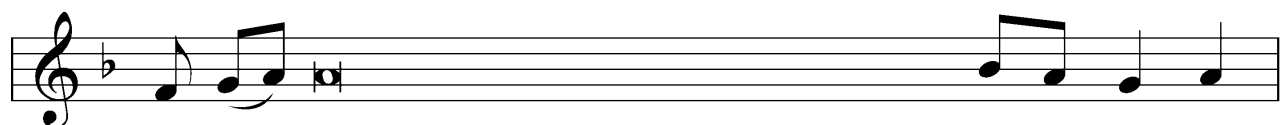
might-y from their thrones and has ex - alt - ed the low - ly.



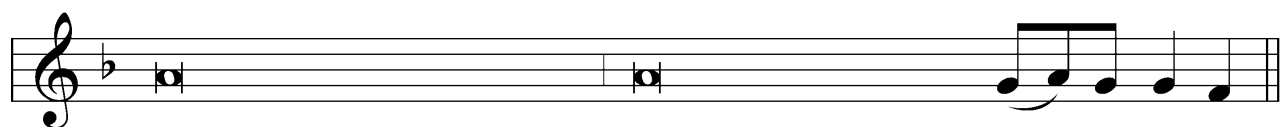
I He has filled the hun - gry with good things,



and the rich He has sent emp - ty a - way.



II He has helped His servant Israel in remembrance of His mer - cy



as He spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his seed for-ev-er.



C Glo-ry be 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.

Sit

Offering and Ritual of Friendship

We thank you for presenting your weekly offerings
to the church in one of four ways:

1. Place your offerings in the offering plates that are passed down the pew in the sanctuary
2. Mail your offering envelopes to the Church Office
3. Bring your Offerings to the Church Office
– You may place your offering in the wooden box on the bench by the glass doors.
4. Use the "Simply Giving" service to give your offerings digitally online.
Thank you to everyone for faithfully supporting our ministry here

Prayer

Kneel/Stand

Kyrie



C Lord, have mer-cy; Christ, have mer-cy; Lord, have mer-cy.

Lord's Prayer

C

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 O Lord, hear my prayer.



C And let my cry come to You.

-Collect of the Day

Almighty God, by Your great goodness mercifully look upon Your people that we may be governed and preserved evermore in body and soul; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

-Collects for the Evening

-Collect for Peace

P O God, from whom come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works, give to us, Your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey Your commandments and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Stand

Benedicamus



L Let us bless the Lord.



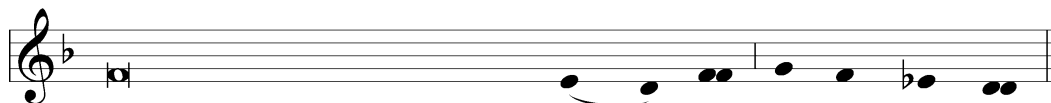
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Benediction



P The grace of our Lord † Je - sus Christ and the love of God

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and the communion of the Holy Spir - it be with you all.

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C A - men.

Postlude

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HOLY WEEK SERVICES:

Palm Sunday April 10

8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Communion
Procession of Palms
9:15 - 10:15 a.m. Sunday School /
Bible Class



Maundy Thursday April 14

Communion Service 7:30 p.m.
Stripping of the Altar



Good Friday April 15

9:00 a.m. Litany and Readings
12:00 noon Litany and Readings
3:00 p.m. Chief Service –
wooden cross processional
7:30 p.m. Tenebrae Words from the
Cross



**Holy Saturday Candlelight and
Communion April 16**

7:30 p.m. Great Vigil of Easter

Easter Sunday Festival April 17

8:00 a.m. Communion

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Easter Breakfast

9:15 a.m. Sunday School / Easter bags
and Bible Class

The Evidence for the Resurrection
w/ Holy Land slides

10:30 a.m. Communion

