

ELW Morning Prayer

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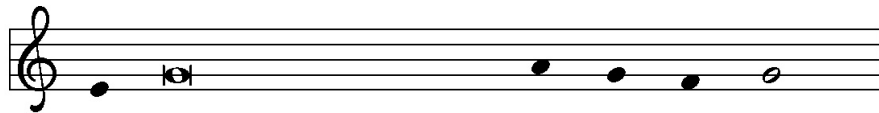


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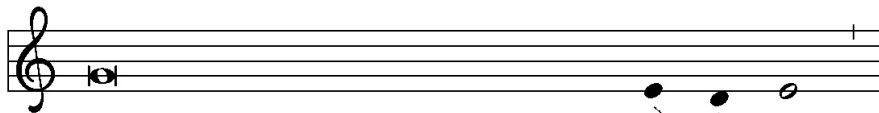
Dialogue and Doxology



Satisfy us in the morning with your stead - fast love, O God,



that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.



Praise to the blest and holy Trinity, one God,



who gives us life, salvation, and res - ur - rec - tion.

Psalmody



Al - le - luia. Christ is ris - en in - deed.



Oh, come, let us wor - ship and praise.

Word: Isaiah 52:7-10 (for April 25, Mark the Evangelist)

He was not numbered among the twelve apostles, yet Mark was probably a member of the early church community. The gospel that bears his name is the shortest and most direct, and many scholars think it was the first to be written.

⁷How beautiful upon the mountains
are the feet of the messenger who announces peace,
who brings good news,
who announces salvation,
who says to Zion, “Your God reigns.”

⁸Listen! Your sentinels lift up their voices,
together they sing for joy;
for in plain sight they see
the return of the LORD to Zion.

⁹Break forth together into singing,
you ruins of Jerusalem;
for the LORD has comforted his people,
he has redeemed Jerusalem.

¹⁰The LORD has bared his holy arm
before the eyes of all the nations;
and all the ends of the earth shall see
the salvation of our God.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Once Again

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E♭ B♭/E♭ A♭/E♭ E♭ A♭ E♭/G



1. Je - sus Christ, _ I think up-on Your sac - ri - fice; You be-came noth - ing,
2. Now You are ___ ex - alt - ed to the high-est place, King of the heav - ens, where

4 A♭ B♭^{sus} B♭ E♭ B♭/E♭ A♭/E♭ E♭



poured out to death. _ Man - y times _ I've won-dered at Your gift of life, and
one day I'll bow. _ But, for now, _ I mar - vel at this sav - ing grace, and

7 A♭ B♭^{sus} B♭ E♭ A♭ B♭^{sus} B♭ E♭



I'm in that place _ once a - gain. _ I'm in that place _ once a - gain. _
I'm full of praise _ once a - gain. _ I'm full of praise _ once a - gain. _

CHORUS

11 E♭/G A♭² E♭/G B♭^{sus} B♭ E♭/G A♭²



Once a - gain I look up - on the cross where You died. _ I'm hum - bled by Your mer - cy and I'm

14 E♭/G B♭^{sus} B♭ Cm⁷ A♭ E♭/G B♭



bro - ken in - side. _ Once a - gain I thank You, once a - gain I pour out my life. _

BRIDGE

17 A♭/C B♭^{sus} B♭ 1, 2.
E♭ 3, 4.
E♭ A♭ B♭^{sus} B♭



(To V1 1st time)

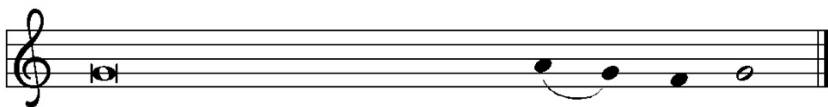
Fine

Thank You for the cross.

Dialogue



You have been born a - new



through the living and abiding word of God.

Gospel Canticle



In the ten - der com - pas - sion of our God the



dawn from on high shall break up - on us.

Blessed are you, Lord, the God of Israel,
you have come to your people and set them free.
You have raised up for us a mighty Savior,
born of the house of your servant David.



In the ten - der com - pas - sion of our God the



dawn from on high shall break up - on us.

Through your holy prophets,
 you promised of old to save us from our enemies,
 from the hands of all who hate us,
 to show mercy to our forebears,
 and to remember your holy covenant.
 This was the oath you swore to our father Abraham:
 to set us free from the hands of our enemies,
 free to worship you without fear,
 holy and righteous before you, all the days of our life.

Refrain

And you, child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High,
 for you will go before the Lord to prepare the way,
 to give God's people knowledge of salvation
 by the forgiveness of their sins.
 In the tender compassion of our God
 the dawn from on high shall break upon us,
 to shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death,
 and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Refrain:

In the ten - der com - pas - sion of our God the
 dawn from on high shall break up - on us.

PRAYERS

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Mighty God of mercy, we thank you for the resurrection dawn, bringing the glory of our risen Lord who makes every day new.

Especially we thank you—

for the sustaining goodness of your creation . . .

for the new creation in Christ and all gifts of healing and forgiveness . . .

for the gifts of relationship with others . . .
for the communion of faith in your church . . .

Merciful God of might, renew this weary world, heal the hurts of all your children, and bring about your peace for all in Christ Jesus, the living Lord.

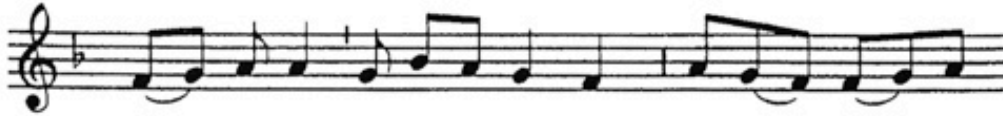
Especially we pray—

for those who govern nations of the world . . .
for the people in countries ravaged by strife or warfare . . .
for all who work for peace and international harmony . . .
for all who strive to save the earth from carelessness and destruction . . .
for the church of Jesus Christ in every land . . .

We give thanks to you, heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ your dear Son, that you have protected us through the night from all harm and danger. We ask that you would also protect us today from sin and all evil, so that our life and actions may please you. Into your hands we commend ourselves: our bodies, our souls, and all that is ours. Let your holy angels be with us, so that the wicked foe may have no power over us.

Amen.

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as our Lord has taught us:



Our Fa-ther, who art in heav- en, hal- low- ed be



thy name, thy king-dom come, thy will be done,



on earth as it is in heav- en. Give us this day our



dai- ly bread; and for- give us our tres- pass- es,



as we for- give those who tres- pass a- gainst us; and lead us



not in- to temp- ta- tion, but de- liv- er us from e- vil.



For thine is the king- dom, and the pow- er, and the



glo- ry, for- ev- er and ev- er. A- men.

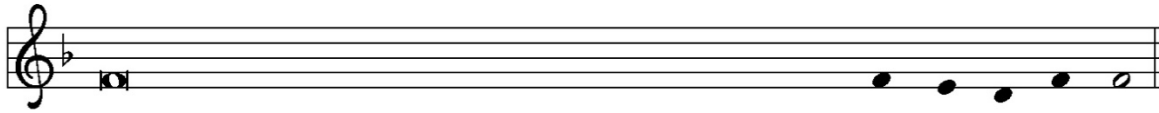
Blessing



Let us bless the Lord.



Thanks be to God.



Almighty God, the Father, + the Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and pre-serve us.



A - men.



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