

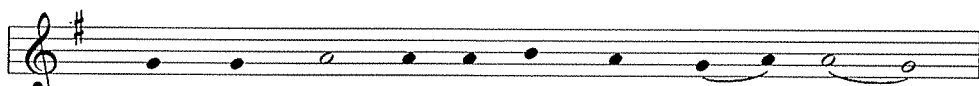
SECOND VESPERS WITH BENEDICTION
OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
ON THE SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

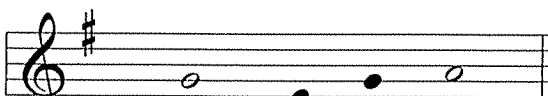
We welcome our visitors to St. James Cathedral and to Sunday Vespers. In keeping with a long tradition in cathedral churches, the Office of Vespers, along with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, is prayed each Sunday in the cathedral, linking St. James with cathedral churches throughout the world. We invite your prayerful participation.

LUCERNARIUM

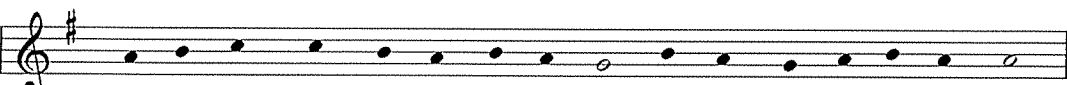
OFFERING OF LIGHT

please stand

Cantor: 
Light and peace in Je - sus Christ our Lord.

ALL: 
Thanks be to God.

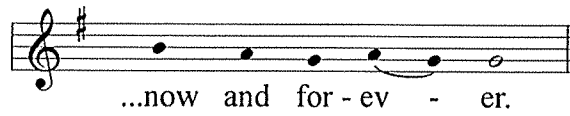
Procession from the Paschal Candle

Cantor: 
Let us give thanks to God the Fa-ther, al-ways and for ev-ery-thing.

ALL: all make the sign of the cross


In the name of our Lord Je - sus Christ.

The cantor proclaims the evening thanksgiving, which ends:



ALL:



EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

INCENSATION AND SONG

please kneel

Psalm 141
Domine, clamavi

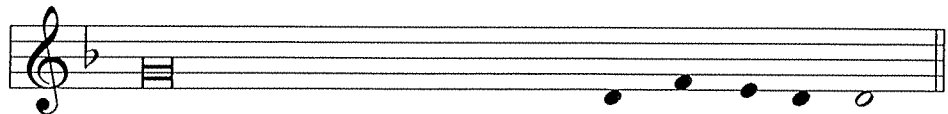
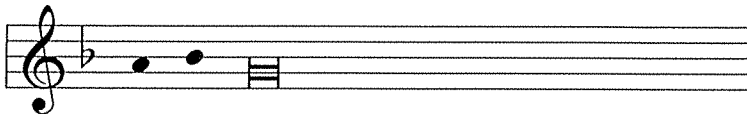
Refrain



Cantor:



ALL:



Cantor: *ALL:*

Al-le - lu - ia, * al - le - lu - ia, — al - le - lu - ia

ALL:

Lord, keep watch over my mouth,

stand guard at the door of my lips.

Keep my heart from straying toward evil,

and from sharing in the wicked deeds of sin - ners;

no, never let me eat of their de - li - cate foods.

Refrain

ALL:

Let the righteous strike me and it is kindness,

rebuke me and it is oil u - pon my head.

My brow will not refuse such anointing,

for in such af - flic - tions I still pray.

Refrain

Cantor: *ALL:*

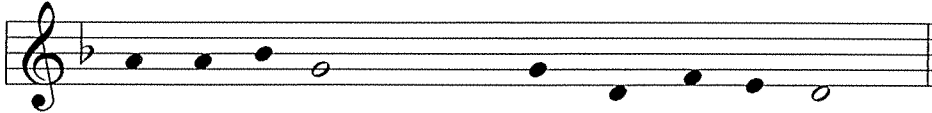


Al-le - lu - ia, * al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia

ALL:



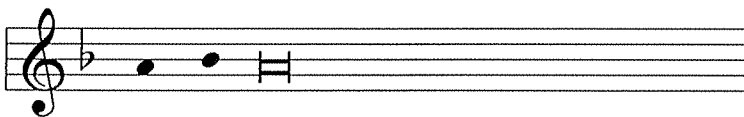
Toward you, O Lord, mine eyes are turned;



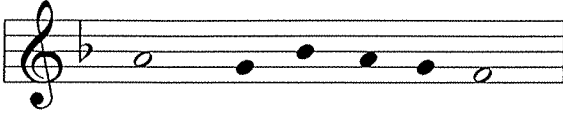
in you I take refuge, strip me not of life.

Refrain

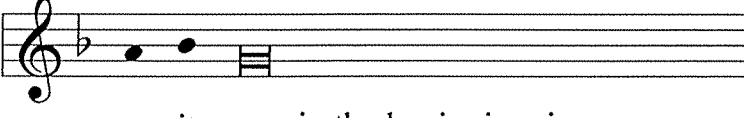
ALL:



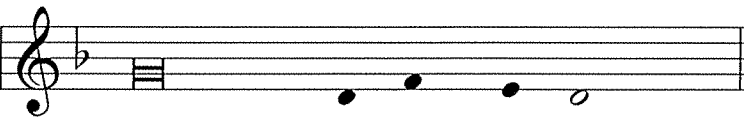
Glo - ry to the Father, and to the Son,



and to the Ho - ly Spi - rit,



as it was in the beginning, is now,



and will be for e - ver. A - men.

Refrain

Presider: Let us pray:

Collect to Psalm 141

ALL: Amen.

EVENING HYMN

O come, Creator Spirit, come

1. O come, Cre - a - tor Spi - rit, come and
 3. You are the sev'n - fold gift poured forth, of
 5. And drive a - way the e - ne - my that
 7. O glo - ry to the Fa - ther be and

from your bril - liant heav'n - ly home take up your dwel - ling
 God's right hand you are the touch, the Ad - vo - cate the
 we may know the full - est peace; go on be - fore us
 to our Lord, his ri - sen Son, as to the Spi - rit

in these hearts, which you have made and are your own.
 Fa - ther sends, whose in - ner prompt - ings bring forth speech.
 in the way and clear of harm the road we pass.
 e - qual - ly now and while end - less a - ges run.

2. For you are called the Paraclete,
 the very gift of God Most High,
 the font of life, God's fire and love,
 anointing deep with mystery.

4. Kindle our senses with your fire
 and flood our waiting hearts with love;
 our sickly, weakened bodies heal
 and strengthen till they glow with life.

6. O let us sense the Father's near
 and Christ, his Son, our Lord is here.
 And let us put our trust in you,
 the Spirit who from both proceeds.

PSALMODY

please be seated

Psalm 110
Dixit Dominus

Antiphon sung by the Schola:

The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world, Alleluia.



Cantor: The word of the Most High to the **Lórd:** *

I “Sit enthroned **àt** my **rìght** hand,

II while I cast your foes down be-**fóre** you, *
a footstool for re-**cèiv**-ing **yòur** feet.”

I ↓ The Most High is taking your mighty **staff** ↓
and extending it forth out of **Zí**-on: *
“Rule your foes **àll** a-**ròund** you.

II Yours is might on your **bát**-tle day, *
majestic in your **sà**-cred **vèst**-ure.

I Like dew from the womb of **dáy**-break, *
I beget you fresh **ìn** your **vì**-gor.”

II ↓ The Most High unchanging is **sworn:** ↓
“You are a priest for **év**-er *
In the likeness of **Kìng** Mel-**chì**-zedek.”

I The Lord enthroned at the **rìght** *
is crushing kings **ìn** his **àn**-ger,

II making justice rule in the **ná**-tions, *
crushing the **hèads** of **mà**-ny lands.

I He drinks from the stream by the **róad**-side *
and so he **lifts** up **hìs** head.

—*STAND and BOW*—

II Glory to the Father, and to the **Són**, *
and to the **Hò-ly Spì-rit**,

—*STAND upright*—

I as it was in the beginning, is **nów**, *
and will be for **èv-er**. **À-men**.

The Schola repeats the antiphon.

Presider: Let us pray:

Collect to Psalm 110

R. Amen.

please be seated

Psalm 114

In exitu Israel

Antiphon sung by the Schola:

Perfect, Lord God, the work you have done in us from your holy temple, which is in Jerusalem, Alleluia.



Cantor: When Is-rael came forth out of **É-gypt**: *

I Jacob's family from an **à-li-en pè-o-ple**.

II Judah became the Lord's **tém-ple**, *
Israel be-**càme** God's **kìng-dom**.

I The sea fled at the **sìght**: *
the Jordan turned **bàck** on **ìts** course.

II The mountains leapt like **ráms**, *
the **hìlls** like **yèar-ling** sheep.

- I Why was it, sea, that you **fléd**, *
that you turned back, **Jòr-dan òn** your course?
- II Mountains, that you leapt like **ràms**; *
you, **hills**, like **yèar-ling** sheep?
- I Tremble, O earth, before the **Lórd**, *
in the presence of the **Gòd** of **Jà-cob**,
- II who turns the rock into a **pòol** *
and flint into a **spring** of **wà-ter**.
- STAND and BOW*—
- II Glory to the Father, and to the **Són**, *
and to the **Hò-ly Spì-rit**,
- STAND upright*—
- I as it was in the beginning, is **nów**, *
and will be for **èv-er**. **À-men**.

The Schola repeats the antiphon.

Presider: Let us pray:

Collect to Psalm 114

R. Amen.

please remain standing

Revelation 19:1-7
Salus, et gloria

Antiphon sung by the Schola:

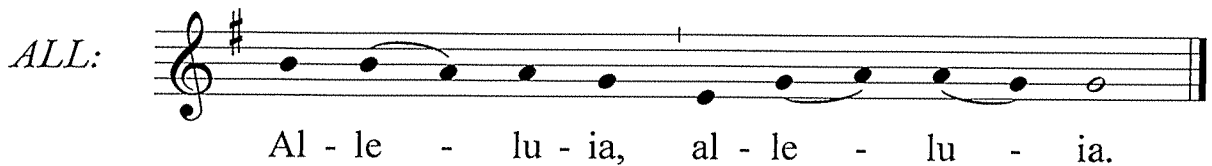
All were filled with the Holy Spirit and they began to speak, Alleluia.



1. Salvation, glory and power to our God:
2. Sing praise to God, all you God's servants,
3. The Lord, the all-powerful God, is king:
4. The wedding feast of the Lamb has begun,
– *Bow from the waist* –
5. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.



1. God's judgements are honest and true.
2. All who worship God reverently great and small.
3. Let us rejoice, sing praise, and give God glory.
4. And the Lamb's bride is prepared to welcome him.
– *Stand upright* –
5. As it was in the beginning, is now,
and will be for ever. Amen.



The Schola repeats the antiphon.

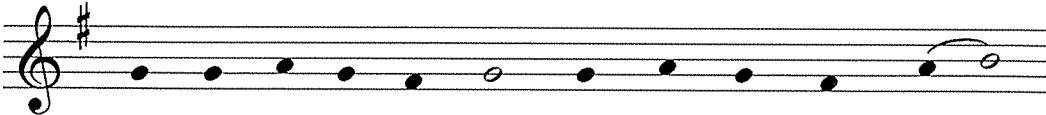

please be seated

READING

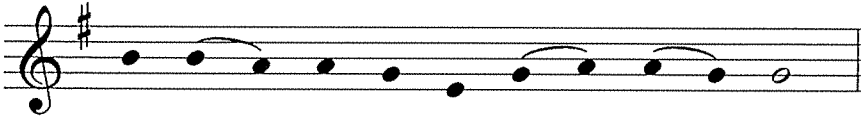
Ephesians 4:3-6

RESPONSORY

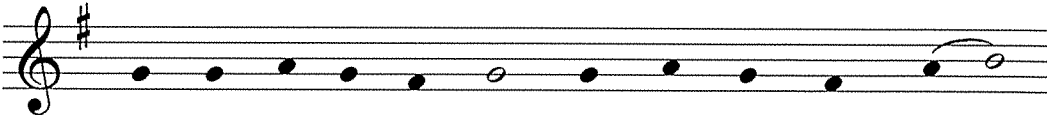

Cantor: The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world, * alleluia, alleluia.

ALL: 
The Spi - rit of the Lord has filled the whole world,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Cantor: God sustains all creation and knows every word that is spoken.

ALL: 
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Cantor: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

ALL: 
The Spi - rit of the Lord has filled the whole world,

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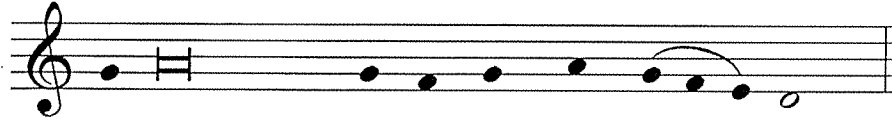
please stand

Luke 1:46-55
Magnificat anima mea

Antiphon sung by the Schola:

This is the day whereon were completed the fifty days of Pentecost, alleluia; this is the day when the Holy Spirit in fire appeared above the heads of the disciples and poured out upon them his gifts, his charisma; He sent them forth into the whole world to preach and to bear witness; and whoever believed and was baptized, would be saved, alleluia, alleluia.

Cantor: My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord;

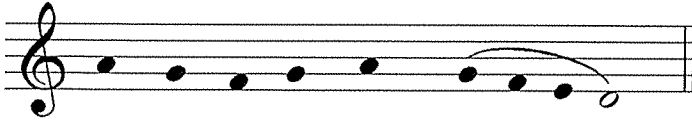


My spirit rejoices in God my Sa - vior.

For God has looked with favor on his lowly servant maid;
hence from this day all generations will call me blessed.



The Al - might - y has done great things for me,

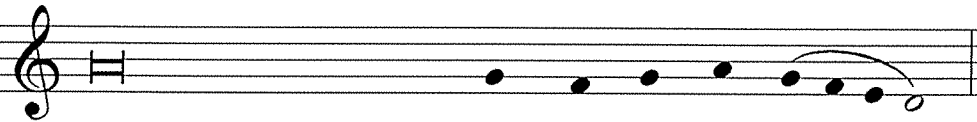


and ho - ly is God's name.

God has mercy on those who fear him in every generation.



God has shown the strength of his arm,

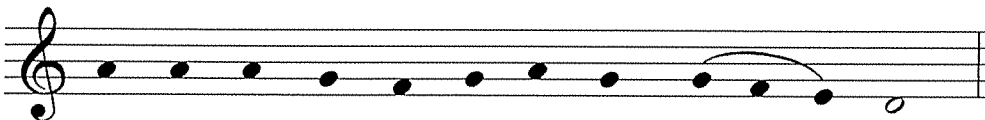


God has scattered the proud in their con - ceit.

God has cast the mighty from their thrones,
and has lifted up the lowly.



God has filled the hun - gry with good things,



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

God has come to the help of his servant Israel,
for God has remembered his promised mercy.

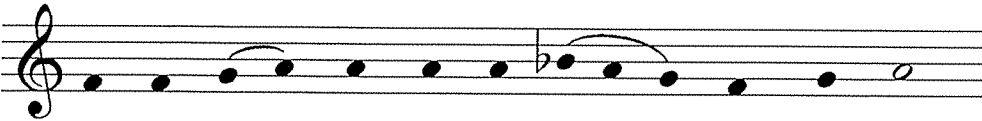


The pro - mise God made to our an - ces - tors,

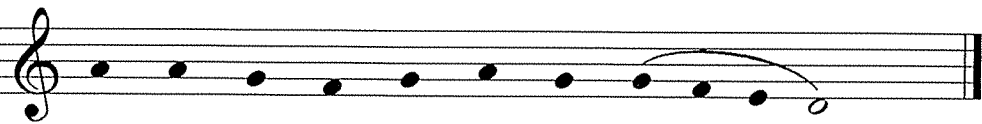


to Abraham and his chil - dren for e - ver.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now,

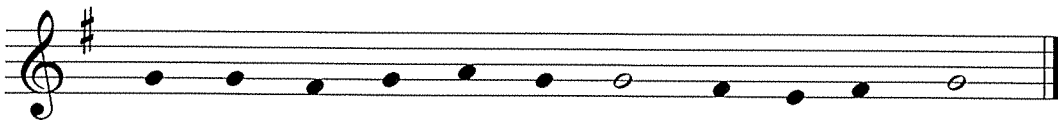


and will be for e - ver. A - men. _____

The Cantors repeat the antiphon.

INTERCESSIONS

*The intercessions for the church and the whole world are then intoned;
to each petition, all respond:*



Send your Ho - ly Spi - rit, Lord, in - to the Church.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

COLLECT FOR PENTECOST

BENEDICTION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tan-tum er - go sa - cra-mén-tum ve - ne - ré - mur cér - nu - i;
Ge - ni - tó - ri, Ge - ni - tó - que Laus et ju - bi - lá - ti - o,

et an - tí - quum do - cu - mén - tum no - vo ce - dat rí - tu - i;
Sa - lus, ho - nor, vir - tus quo - que Sit et be - ne - dí - cti - o:

præ - stet fi - des sup - ple - mén - tum sén - su - um de - féc - tu - i.
Pro - ce - dén - ti ab u - tró - que Com - par sit lau - dá - ti - o. Amen.

Presider: You have given them bread from heaven, alleluia.

ALL: Having all sweetness within it, alleluia.

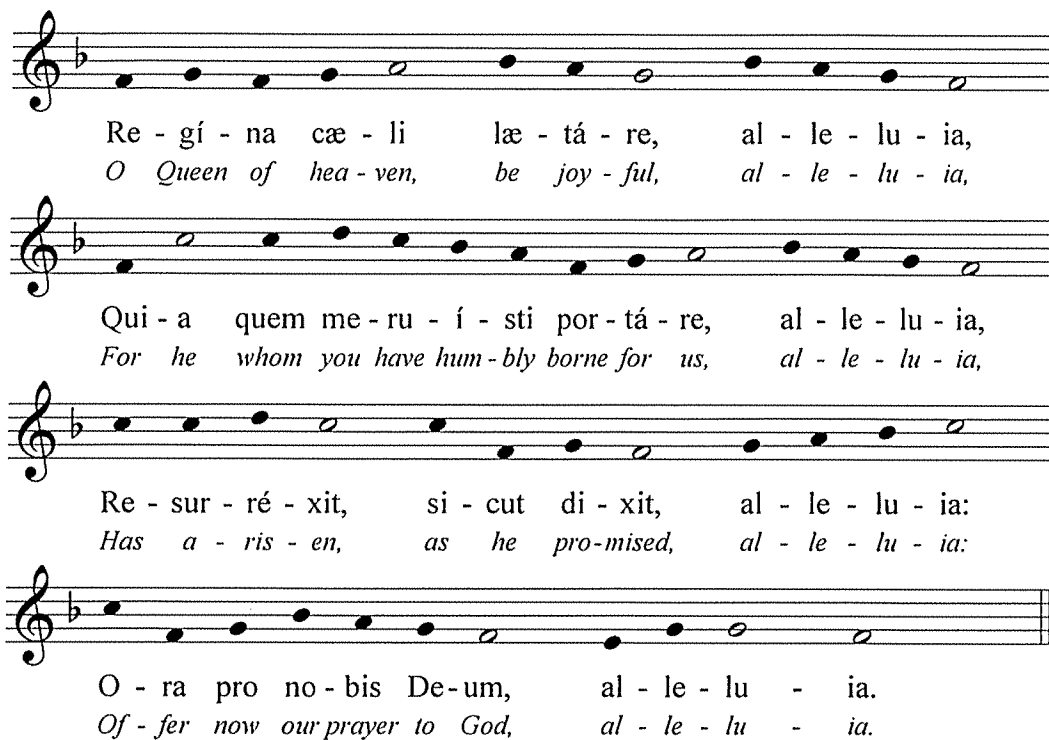
EUCCHARISTIC COLLECT

THE DIVINE PRAISES

REPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

After the Sacrament has been reposed, all stand, turn towards the north transept and sing the Marian hymn.

Regina cæli



Re - gí - na cæ - li læ - tá - re, al - le - lu - ia,
O Queen of hea - ven, be joy - ful, al - le - lu - ia,

Qui - a quem me - ru - í - sti por - tá - re, al - le - lu - ia,
For he whom you have hum - bly borne for us, al - le - lu - ia,

Re - sur - ré - xit, si - cut di - xit, al - le - lu - ia:
Has a - ris - en, as he pro - mised, al - le - lu - ia:

O - ra pro no - bis De - um, al - le - lu - ia.
Of - fer now our prayer to God, al - le - lu - ia.

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