# Daily Evening Prayer: Rite One

Tuesday, July 27, 2021 The Feast of William Reed Huntington

# The Invitatory and Psalter

*Officiant* O God, make speed to save us. *People* O Lord, make haste to help us.

### Officiant and People

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

# O Gracious Light Phos hilaron

O gracious Light, pure brightness of the everliving Father in heaven, O Jesus Christ, holy and blessed!

Now as we come to the setting of the sun, and our eyes behold the vesper light, we sing thy praises, O God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Thou art worthy at all times to be praised by happy voices, O Son of God, O Giver of life, and to be glorified through all the worlds.

# Psalm 68 Exsurgat Deus

- 1 Let God arise, and let his enemies be scattered; \* let those who hate him flee before him.
- 2 Let them vanish like smoke when the wind drives it away; \* as the wax melts at the fire, so let the wicked perish at the presence of God.
- 3 But let the righteous be glad and rejoice before God; \* let them also be merry and joyful.
- 4 Sing to God, sing praises to his Name;
   exalt him who rides upon the heavens; \*
   YAHWEH is his Name, rejoice before him!
- 5 Father of orphans, defender of widows, \* God in his holy habitation!

- 6 God gives the solitary a home and brings forth prisoners into freedom; \*
   but the rebels shall live in dry places.
- 7 O God, when you went forth before your people, \* when you marched through the wilderness,
- 8 The earth shook, and the skies poured down rain, at the presence of God, the God of Sinai, \* at the presence of God, the God of Israel.
- 9 You sent a gracious rain, O God, upon your inheritance; \* you refreshed the land when it was weary.
- 10 Your people found their home in it; \* in your goodness, O God, you have made provision for the poor.
- 11 The Lord gave the word; \* great was the company of women who bore the tidings:
- 12 "Kings with their armies are fleeing away; \* the women at home are dividing the spoils."
- 13 Though you lingered among the sheepfolds, \* you shall be like a dove whose wings are covered with silver, whose feathers are like green gold.
- 14 When the Almighty scattered kings, \* it was like snow falling in Zalmon.
- 15 O mighty mountain, O hill of Bashan! \* O rugged mountain, O hill of Bashan!
- 16 Why do you look with envy, O rugged mountain, at the hill which God chose for his resting place? \* truly, the LORD will dwell there for ever.

- 17 The chariots of God are twenty thousand, even thousands of thousands; \* the Lord comes in holiness from Sinai.
- 18 You have gone up on high and led captivity captive; you have received gifts even from your enemies, \* that the LORD God might dwell among them.
- 19 Blessed be the Lord day by day, \* the God of our salvation, who bears our burdens.
- 20 He is our God, the God of our salvation; \* God is the LORD, by whom we escape death.
- 24 They see your procession, O God, \* your procession into the sanctuary, my God and my King.
- 25 The singers go before, musicians follow after, \* in the midst of maidens playing upon the hand-drums.
- 26 Bless God in the congregation; \* bless the LORD, you that are of the fountain of Israel.
- 27 There is Benjamin, least of the tribes, at the head; the princes of Judah in a company; \* and the princes of Zebulon and Naphtali.
- 28 Send forth your strength, O God; \* establish, O God, what you have wrought for us.
- 29 Kings shall bring gifts to you, \* for your temple's sake at Jerusalem.
- 30 Rebuke the wild beast of the reeds, \* and the peoples, a herd of wild bulls with its calves.
- 31 Trample down those who lust after silver; \* scatter the peoples that delight in war.
- 32 Let tribute be brought out of Egypt; \* let Ethiopia stretch out her hands to God.

33 Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth; \* sing praises to the Lord.

34 He rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens; \* he sends forth his voice, his mighty voice.

35 Ascribe power to God; \* his majesty is over Israel; his strength is in the skies.

36 How wonderful is God in his holy places! \* the God of Israel giving strength and power to his people! Blessed be God!

> Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:\* As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

### The Lessons

Officiant A Reading from the Second Book of Samuel Chapter 3 verses 6 through 21

While there was war between the house of Saul and the house of David, Abner was making himself strong in the house of Saul. Now Saul had a concubine, whose name was Rizpah, the daughter of Ai'ah; and Ish-bo'sheth said to Abner, "Why have you gone in to my father's concubine?" Then Abner was very angry over the words of Ish-bo'sheth, and said, "Am I a dog's head of Judah? This day I keep showing loyalty to the house of Saul your father, to his brothers, and to his friends, and have not given you into the hand of David; and yet you charge me today with a fault concerning a woman. God do so to Abner and more also, if I do not accomplish for David what the LORD has sworn to him, to transfer the kingdom from the house of Saul, and set up the throne of David over Israel and over Judah, from Dan to Beer-sheba." And Ish-bo'sheth could not answer Abner another word, because he feared him. And Abner sent messengers to David at Hebron, saying, "To whom does the land belong? Make your covenant with me, and behold, my hand shall be with you to bring over all Israel to you." And he said, "Good; I will make a covenant with you; but one thing I require of you; that is, you shall not see my face, unless you first bring Michal, Saul's daughter, when you come to see my face." Then David sent messengers to Ish-bo'sheth Saul's son, saying, "Give me my wife Michal, whom I betrothed at the price of a hundred foreskins of the Philistines." And Ish-bo'sheth sent, and took her from her husband Pal'ti-el the son of La'ish. But her husband went with her, weeping after her all the way to Bahu'rim. Then Abner said to him, "Go, return"; and he returned. And Abner conferred with the elders of Israel, saying, "For some time past you have been seeking David as king over you. Now then bring it about; for the LORD has promised David, saying, 'By the hand of my servant David I will save my people Israel from the hand of the Philistines, and from the hand of all their enemies." Abner also spoke to Benjamin; and then Abner went to tell David at Hebron all that Israel and the whole house of Benjamin thought good to do. When Abner came with twenty men to David at Hebron, David made a feast for Abner and the men who were with him. And Abner said to David, "I will arise and go, and will gather all Israel to my lord the king, that they may make a covenant with you, and that you may reign over all that your heart desires." So David sent Abner away; and he went in peace.

Officiant	The Word of the Lord.
People	Thanks be to God.

# The Song of Mary Magnificat

Luke 1:46-55

My soul doth magnify the Lord, \* and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Savior. For he hath regarded \* the lowliness of his handmaiden. For behold from henceforth \* all generations shall call me blessed. For he that is mighty hath magnified me, \* and holy is his Name. And his mercy is on them that fear him \* throughout all generations. He hath showed strength with his arm; \* he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts. He hath put down the mighty from their seat, \* and hath exalted the humble and meek. He hath filled the hungry with good things, \* and the rich he hath sent empty away. He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel, \* as he promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \* as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

### Officiant A Reading from the Gospel of Mark Chapter 6 verses 30 through 46

The apostles returned to Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. And he said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a lonely place, and rest a while." For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. And they went away in the boat to a lonely place by themselves. Now many saw them going, and knew them, and they ran there on foot from all the towns, and got there ahead of them. As he went ashore he saw a great throng, and he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. And when it grew late, his disciples came to him and said, "This is a lonely place, and the hour is now late; send them away. to go into the country and villages round about and buy themselves something to eat." But he answered them, "You give them something to eat." And they said to him, "Shall we go and buy two hundred denarii worth of bread, and give it to them to eat?" And he said to them, "How many loaves have you? Go and see." And when they had found out, they said, "Five, and two fish." Then he commanded them all to sit down by companies upon the green grass. So they sat down in groups, by hundreds and by fifties. And taking the five loaves and the two fish he looked up to heaven, and blessed, and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples to set before the people; and he divided the two fish among them all. And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up twelve baskets full of broken pieces and of the fish. And those who ate the loaves were five thousand men. Immediately he made his disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, to Beth-sa'ida, while he dismissed the crowd. And after he had taken leave of them, he went up on the mountain to pray.

Officiant	The Word of the Lord.
People	Thanks be to God.

# The Song of Simeon Nunc dimittis

Luke 2:29-32

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, \* according to thy word;
For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, \* which thou hast prepared before the face of all people,
To be a light to lighten the Gentiles, \* and to be the glory of thy people Israel.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \* as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

# The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost,
the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

### The Prayers

Officiant	The Lord be with you.
People	And with thy spirit.
Officiant	Let us pray.

#### Officiant and People

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

#### **Suffrages B**

That this evening may be holy, good, and peaceful, *We entreat thee, O Lord.* 

That thy holy angels may lead us in paths of peace and goodwill, *We entreat thee, O Lord.*  That we may be pardoned and forgiven for our sins and offenses, *We entreat thee, O Lord.* 

That there may be peace to thy Church and to the whole world, *We entreat thee, O Lord.* 

That we may depart this life in thy faith and fear, and not be condemned before the great judgment seat of Christ, *We entreat thee, O Lord.* 

That we may be bound together by thy Holy Spirit in the communion of [\_\_\_\_\_\_ and] all thy saints, entrusting one another and all our life to Christ, *We entreat thee, O Lord.* 

#### The Officiant then says one or more Collects

#### Collect of the Day

O Lord our God, we thank thee for instilling in the heart of thy servant William Reed Huntington a fervent love for thy Church and its mission in the world; and we pray that, with unflagging faith in thy promises, we may make known to all people thy blessed gift of eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

### A Collect for Aid Against Perils on p. 70

Lighten our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of thy only Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. *Amen.* 

### A Collect for Mission on p. 71

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work, or watch, or weep this night, and give thine angels charge over those who sleep. Tend the sick, Lord Christ; give rest to the weary, bless the dying, soothe the suffering, pity the afflicted, shield the joyous; and all for thy love's sake. *Amen*.

The Officiant then bids personal prayers. After a moment of silence:

Officiant	Lord in thy mercy
All	Hear our prayer.
Officiant	Let us bless the Lord.
All	Thanks be to God.

*Officiant* Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. *Amen.*