

# MORNING PRAYER

## **Opening**

O Lord, open our lips **And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.** 

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.

Venite (sung, Psalm 95:1-7; 96:9,13)

O come, let us sing | to the Lord; let us shout for joy to the Rock of | our salvation.

Let us come before God's presence | with thanksgiving and raise a loud shout to the | Lord with psalms.

For the Lord is a | great God, and a great king a- | bove all gods.

In his hands are the caverns | of the earth; and the heights of the hills are | also his.

The sea is his, | for he made it, and his hands have molded | the dry land.

O Come, let us bow down | and bend the knee, and kneel before the | Lord our maker.

For he is the Lord | our God, and we are the people of God's pasture and the sheep | of God's hand.

O worship the Lord in the beauty | of holiness Let the whole earth stand in | awe of him.

For he cometh, for he cometh to | judge the earth.

And with righteousness to judge the world and the people | with his truth.

# Reading

A Reading from the Prophet Isaiah

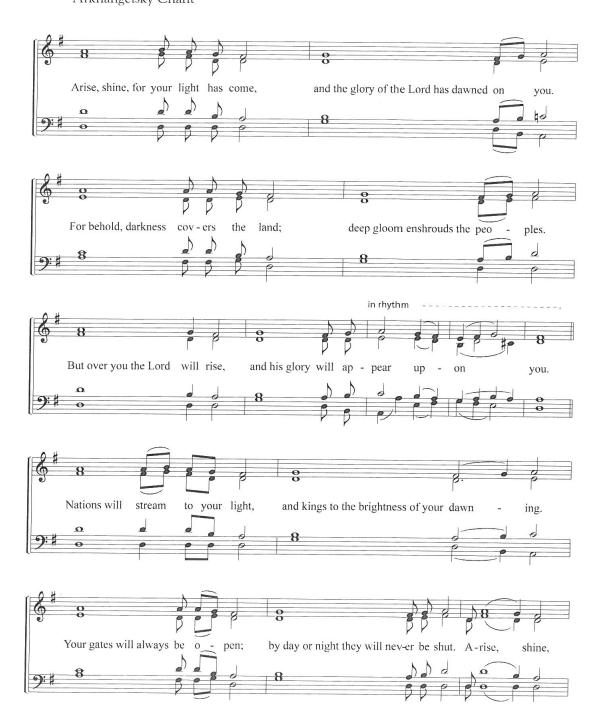
<sup>16</sup> Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, <sup>17</sup> who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick: <sup>18</sup> Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old. <sup>19</sup> I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. <sup>20</sup> The wild animals will honor me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people, the people whom I formed for myself so that they might declare my praise.

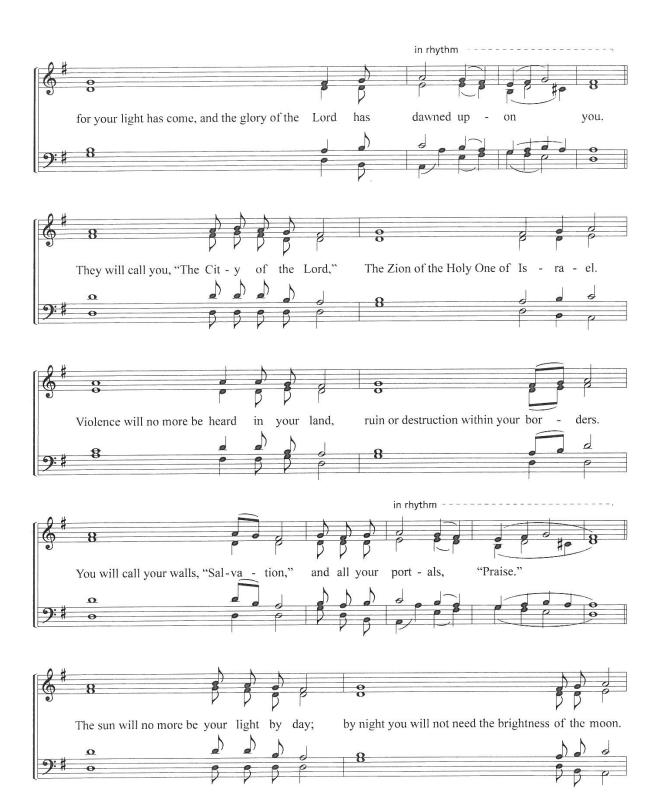
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#### Canticle

Arise, shine, for your light has come (*Surge*, *illuminare*)

# 36 Arise, shine, for your light has come Arkhangelsky Chant







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#### Sermon - The Right Reverend Andy Doyle

#### <u>Prayers</u>

O'Lord, I cry to you for help.

In the morning my prayer comes before you.

Give me the joy of your saving help again,

And sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.

Let my mouth be full of your praise

And your glory all the day long.

Everyday will I bless you,

and praise your name forever and ever.

Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness,

O God of our salvation, O hope of all the ends of the earth and of the seas that are fare away.

Bless the Lord, O my soul,

And all that is within me, bless God's holy name.

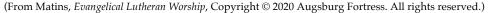
God redeems my life from the grave, and crowns me with mercy and loving kindness. Lord, hear my prayer, and let my cry come before you.

Mighty God of mercy, we thank you for the resurrection dawn, bringing the glory of our risen Lord who makes every day new. For what else do the people of God offer thanks. (You are invited to speak aloud the things for which you are thankful for).

Merciful God of might, renew this weary world, heal the nations and peoples of this world who suffer violence and affliction. For what places in the world do the people of God pray? (You are invited to speak the names of the places for which you pray for peace and comfort).

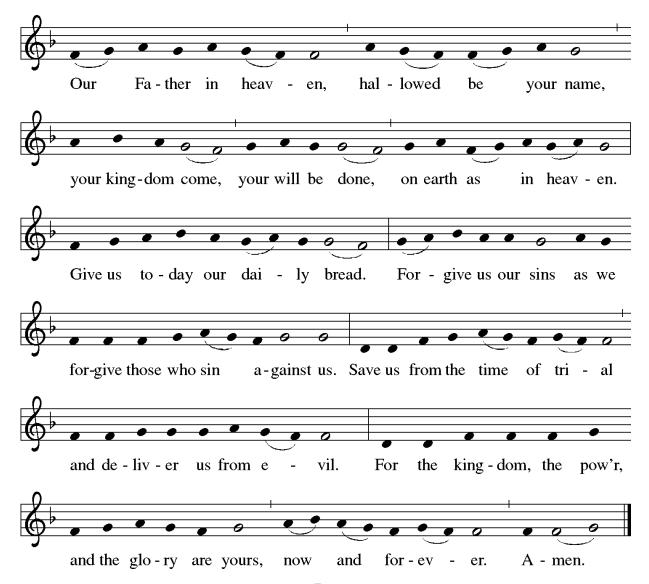
Healing God, bring comfort to all who suffer in mind, Body, or Spirit. For whom do the people of God pray? (You are invited to speak the names of those for whom you pray for healing and wholeness).

Almighty and everlasting God, you have brought us in safety to this new day. Preserve us with your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin nor be overcome in adversity. In all we do, direct us to the fulfilling of your purpose, through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. **Amen**.





## The Lords Prayer (Sung)



A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. **Amen.** 

#### The Peace

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all. **And also with you.** Share a sign of peace with each other.

#### Benediction

You are the children of God, gifted with dreams and visions. Upon you rests the grace of God like flames of fire. May the deep peace of

H Christ be with you, the strong arms of God sustain you, and the power of the Holy Spirit strengthen you in every way. **Amen. Alleluia!**