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in his name among all nations, beginning at Jerusalem.**

It is a good thing to give thanks unto the LORD,
and to sing praises unto thy name, O Most High:

**To shew forth thy lovingkindness in the morning,
and thy faithfulness every night,**

upon an instrument of ten strings, and upon the psaltery;
upon the harp with a solemn sound.

For thou, O LORD, hast made me glad through thy work:

I will triumph in the works of thy hands.

O LORD, how great are thy works!

And thy thoughts are very deep.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Ghost;**

**as it was in the beginning, is now,
and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

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The Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 35:5-8

The Gradual

Ps. 119:105, 103; 45:1a, c

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet
and a light unto my path.

**How sweet are thy words unto my taste,
yea, sweeter than honey to my mouth!**

My heart is inditing a good matter;
my tongue is the pen of a ready writer.

The Epistle

2 Timothy 4:5-18

The Alleluia and Verse

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**This day is salvation come to this house,
forsomuch as he also is a son of Abraham.**

**For the Son of Man is come to seek
and to save that which was lost.**

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The Holy Gospel

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The Prayer of the Church

☞ Lord, in Thy mercy, **☩** hear our prayer.

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