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Soli Deo Gloria!

Welcome

Welcome to the Lord's House this evening. Rejoice, for the Lord comes to you here in this place to hear your prayers and strengthen your faith by means of His Holy Word. We pray the Lord's richest blessings upon you as you receive His gifts. Please take the time to fill out the **Record of Fellowship form** that is in the pew. If you are visiting with us this evening, we want you to know that we are overjoyed that you are here. Please make your visit known to us by introducing yourself to us after the Service and by signing the guest book that is in the hallway on the left as you leave the sanctuary. The Lord be with us as we pray Vespers this evening!

Our Mission Statement

The mission of Peace Lutheran Church is to welcome all people into the fellowship of God's love by proclaiming the forgiveness of sins through Jesus Christ and to nurture our members with God's Holy Word and Sacraments.

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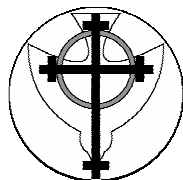
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Vespers

19 May Anno ✠ Domini 2010

(Proper taken from *Treasury of Daily Prayer*)

Stand

Opening Versicles (p. 229—Common)

Psalmody

Psalm 62:5-10



Open to me the gates of | righteousness*
that I may enter through them and give thanks | to the LORD.

**This is the gate | of the LORD;*
the righteous shall enter | through it.**

I thank you that you have answered me*
and have become my sal- | vation.

**The stone that the builders re- | jected*
has become the | cornerstone.**

This is the LORD's | doing;*
it is marvelous | in our eyes.

**This is the day that the | LORD has made;*
let us rejoice and be | glad in it.**

Save us, we pray, | O LORD!*

O LORD, we pray, give | us success!

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;**

as it was in the be- | ginning,*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

Sit

Office Hymn: 441 "Ride On, Ride On in Majesty"

Readings from Holy Scripture (p. 230)

Old Testament Reading: Numbers 16:23-40

New Testament Reading: Luke 19:29-48

Responsory (p. 230—Common)

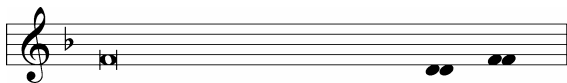
Homily

(After the homily, the pastor proceeds to the altar to light the incense for prayer)

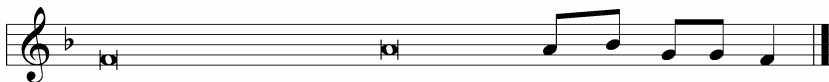
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Canticle (p. 231-232)

Antiphon—Common



L Let my prayer rise before You as in - cense,



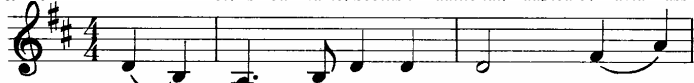
G and the lifting up of my hands as the eve - ning sac - ri - fice.

Magnificat ~ *Holy Is Your Name*

1. My soul is filled with joy as I sing to God my Savior:
you have looked upon your servant, you have visited your people.

Refrain:

Holy Is Your Name. Scottish Traditional. Adapted by David Hass



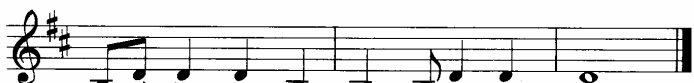
And__ ho - ly is your name, through__



all gen - er - a - tions!__ Ev - er - last - ing is your



mer - cy__ to the peo - ple you have



cho - sen,__ and__ ho - ly is your name.

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2. I am lowly as a child,
but I know from this day forward
That my name will be remembered,
for all will call me blessed.
(Refrain)

3. I proclaim the pow'r of God,
you do marvels for your servants;
Though you scatter the proud hearted,
and destroy the might of princes.
(Refrain)

4. To the hungry you give food,
send the rich away empty.
In your mercy you are mindful
of the people you have chosen.
(Refrain)

5. In your love you now fulfill
what you promised to your people.
I will praise you Lord, my Savior,
everlasting is your mercy.
(Refrain)

Note: Offerings are not gathered during Service; if you wish, you may leave an offering in the plate as you depart. We remain standing for prayer.

Prayer (pp. 233-234)

Kyrie (p. 233)

Lord's Prayer (p. 233)

Salutation



P The Lord be with you.



G And with your spir - it.

Collect of the Day

O King who comes in the name of the Lord, through Your birth and death, earth and heaven were joined together in peace. May Your coming as King into Jerusalem in humility on the donkey help us to see that You continue to come to us as our King hidden in humble water, humble words, humble food; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



G A - men.

Collect for Purity

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden, cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.



G A - men.

Collect for Peace

O God, from whom come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works, give to us, Your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey Your commandments and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



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