The Twenty—fourth Day at Evening Prayer



ALEPH Beati immaculati

BLESSED are those that are undefiled in / the way, * and walk in / the law of the Lord.

- 2. Blessed are they that keep his testi/monies, * and seek / him with their whole heart;
- 3. Even they who do no wick/edness, * / and walk in his ways.
- 4. Thou / hast charged * that we shall diligently keep / thy commandments.
- 5. O that my ways were made so / direct, * that I might / keep thy statutes!
- 6. So shall I not be con/founded, * while I have respect unto all / thy commandments.
- 7. I will thank thee with an un/feigned heart, * when I shall have learned the judgments / of thy righteousness.
- 8. I will keep thy / statutes; * O forsake / me not utterly.

BETH In quo corrigit?

- 9. Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse / his way? * even by ruling him/self after thy word.
- 10. With my whole heart have I / sought thee; * O let me not go wrong out of / thy commandments.
- 11. Thy word have I hid within / my heart, * that I should not / sin against thee.
- 12. Blessed art thou, / O Lord; * O teach / me thy statutes.
- 13. With my lips have I been / telling * of all the judg/ments of thy mouth.
- 14. I have had as great delight in the way of thy testi/monies, * as in all man/ner of riches.



- 15. I will talk of thy com/mandments, * and have respect / unto thy ways.
- 16. My delight shall be in thy / statutes, * and I will not / forget thy word.

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.



- O DO well / unto thy servant; * that I may / live, and keep thy word.
- 18. / Open thou mine eyes; * that I may see the wondrous / things of thy law.
- 19. I am a / stranger upon earth; * O hide not thy com/mandments from me.
- 20. My soul breaketh out for the very / fervent desire * that it hath alway / unto thy judgments.
- 21. Thou / hast rebuked the proud; * and cursed are they that do err from / thy commandments.
- 22. O turn from me / shame and rebuke; * for I have kept thy / testimonies.
- 23. Princes also did sit and / speak against me; * but thy servant is occupied / in thy statutes.
- 24. For thy testimonies / are my delight, * / and my counsellors.

DALETH Adhaesit pavimento

- 25. My soul / cleaveth to the dust; * O quicken thou me, ac/cording to thy word.
- 26. I have acknowledged my / ways, and thou heardest me: * O / teach me thy statutes.



- 27. Make me to understand the way of / thy commandments; * and so shall I / talk of thy wondrous works.
- 28. My soul melteth away for / very heaviness; * comfort thou me according / unto thy word.
- 29. Take from me the / way of lying, * and cause thou me to make / much of thy law.
- 30. I have / chosen the way of truth, * and thy judgments have I / laid before me.
- 31. I have stuck unto thy / testimonies; * O / Lord, confound me not.
- 32. I will run the way of / thy commandments, * when thou hast set my / heart at liberty.

Glory be to the / Father, and to the Son, * and / to the Holy Ghost.

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