

The fourth Day at Morning Prayer

PSALM 19 *Caeli enarrant*

Tone IV 5



- THE HEAVENS declare the glory of God; * and the firmament /
showeth his handy-work.
2. One day tell/eth another; * and one night certi/fieth another.
 3. There is neither / speech nor language; * but their voices / are heard
among them.
 4. Their sound is gone out in/to all lands; * and their words into / the
ends of the world.
 5. In them hath he set a tabernacle / for the sun; * which cometh forth
as a bridegroom out of his chamber, and rejoiceth as a / giant to run
his course.
 6. It goeth forth from the uttermost part of the heaven, † and runneth
about unto the end of / it again; * and there is nothing / hid from
the heat thereof.
 7. The law of the Lord is an undefiled law, convert/ing the soul; * the
testimony of the Lord is sure, and giveth wisdom / unto the simple.
 8. The statutes of the Lord are right, and re/joyce the heart; * the
commandment of the Lord is pure, and giv/eth light unto the eyes.
 9. The fear of the Lord is clean, and endur/eth forever; * the
judgments of the Lord are true, and right/eous altogether.
 10. More to be desired are they than gold, yea, than / much fine
gold; * sweeter also than ho/ney, and the honeycomb.
 11. Moreover, by them is thy / servant taught; * and in keeping of /
them there is great reward.
 12. Who can tell how oft / he offendeth? * O cleanse thou / me from
my secret faults.
 13. Keep thy servant also from presumptuous sins, lest they get the
dominion / over me; * so shall I be undefiled, and inno/cent from
the great offense.
 14. Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, † be
always acceptable / in thy sight, * O Lord, my strength / and my
redeemer.
- 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.

PSALM 20 *Exaudiat te Dominus*

Tone III A 1



THE LORD hear thee in the / day of trouble; * the Name of the God
of Ja/cob defend thee:

2. Send thee help from the / sanctuary, * and strengthen thee / out of
Zion:

3. Remember / all thy offerings, * and accept / thy burnt-sacrifice:

4. - / Grant thee thy heart's desire, * and / fulfill all thy mind.

5. We will rejoice in thy salvation, and triumph in the / Name of the
Lord our God: * the Lord perform all / thy petitions.

6. Now know I that the Lord helpeth his anointed, † and will hear him
from his / holy heaven, * even with the wholesome strength / of his
right hand.

7. Some put their trust in chariots, and / some in horses; * but we will
remember the Name / of the Lord our God.

8. They are brought / down and fallen; * but we are risen / and stand
upright.

9. Save, Lord; and hear us, O / King of heaven * when we / call
upon thee.

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
with/out end. Amen.

PSALM 21 *Domine, in virtute tua*

Tone VIII 2



THE KING shall rejoice in thy strength, O / Lord; * exceeding glad
shall he be of / thy salvation.



2. Thou hast given him his heart's de/sire, * and hast not denied him the re/quest of his lips.
 3. For thou shalt meet him with the blessings of / goodness, * and shalt set a crown of pure / gold upon his head.
 4. He asked life of thee; and thou gavest him a / long life, * even for ev/er and ever.
 5. His honor is great in thy sal/vation; * glory and great worship shalt thou / lay upon him.
 6. For thou shalt give him everlasting fe/licity, * and make him glad with the joy / of thy countenance.
 7. And why? because the King putteth his trust in the / Lord; * and in the mercy of the Most Highest he shall / not miscarry.
 8. All thine enemies shall feel thine / hand; * thy right hand shall find out / them that hate thee.
 9. Thou shalt make them like a fiery oven in time of thy / wrath: * the Lord shall destroy them in his displeasure, and the fire / shall consume them.
 10. Their fruit shalt thou root out of the / earth, * and their seed from among the / children of men.
 11. For they intended mischief a/gainst thee, * and imagined such a device as they are not / able to perform.
 12. Therefore shalt thou put them to / flight, * and the strings of thy bow shalt thou make ready a/gainst the face of them.
 13. Be thou exalted, Lord, in thine own / strength; * so will we sing, and / praise thy power.
- 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.