

Introduction O God, come to our assistance. Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:

As it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever, Amen, Alleluia.

L: Father, he who knew no sin was made sin for us, to save us and restore us to your friendship. Look upon our contrite heart and afflicted spirit and heal our troubled conscience so we may proclaim your glory.

Reading LK 1:46-55

L: All generations will call me blessed: The Almighty has done great things for me, alleluia.

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior. For he has looked upon his handmaid's lowliness; behold, from now on will all ages call me blessed. The Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name. His mercy is from age to age to those who fear him. He has shown might with his arm, dispersed the arrogant of mind and heart. He has thrown down the rulers from their thrones but lifted up the lowly. The hungry he has filled with good things; the

rich he has sent away empty. He

has helped Israel his servant,

remembering his mercy, according

to his promise to our fathers, to

Abraham and to his descendants forever."

Responsory L: At daybreak be merciful to me. At daybreak be merciful to me.

L: Make known to me the path I must walk. **Be merciful to me.**

L: Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. At daybreak be merciful to me.

Personal Intercessions repeated as necessary

R: Lord, pour out your mercy upon us.

May the Lord Bless us, Protect us from all evil And bring us to everlasting life, Amen

