## An Order for Compline



We begin in silence, marked by a bell at the beginning and end.

Officiant God grant us a peaceful night and a perfect end. Amen.

All

Our help is in the name of the Lord. *The maker of heaven and earth.* 



Officiant Let us confess our sins to God

Most merciful God, We have sinned against you, through our own fault, in thought, word, and deed, and in what we have left undone. For the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, forgive us all our offenses; and grant that we may serve you and each other in newness of life, to the glory of your Name. Amen

*Officiant* May the Almighty God grant us forgiveness of all our sins, and the grace and comfort of the Holy Spirit. Amen

O God make speed to save us. *O Lord make haste to help us.* 

*All* Praise to the holy and undivided Trinity, one God: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen

Except in Lent Alleluia

A Psalm this or another as announced

+Beginning on the side of the Officiant +A distinct pause is made at the asterisk

> Behold now, bless the Lord, all you servants of the Lord, you that stand by night in the house of the Lord. \* Lift up your hands in the holy place and bless the Lord; the Lord who made heaven and earth bless you out of Zion.

At the end of the Prais psalm one

Praise to the holy and undivided Trinity, one God: as it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever. Amen

A Reading

Silence

[Hymn]



To be spiritual is to find the whole of yourself

Into your hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit; For you have redeemed me, O Lord, O God of truth. Keep us, O Lord, as the apple of your eye; Hide us under the shadow of your wings

Lord, have mercy. *Christ, have mercy*. Lord, have mercy

Lord, hear our prayer; And let our cry come to you. Let us pray.

Collects

Intercessions and thanksgivings are invited

## Silence



Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done,

on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.

- *All* Guide us waking, O Lord, and guard us sleeping; that awake we may watch with Christ, and asleep we may rest in peace.
  - In Easter season Alleluia, alleluia
- All Lord, you now have set your servant free to go in peace as you have promised;
  For these eyes of mine have seen the Savior, Whom you have prepared for all the world to see: A light to enlighten the nations,
  - And the glory of your people Israel.

Praise to the holy and undivided Trinity, one God: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

*All* Guide us waking, O Lord, and guard us sleeping; that awake we may watch with Christ, and asleep we may rest in peace.

In Easter season

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Let us bless the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Officiant May the Lover of Souls bless us and keep us.

And all shall be well and All manner of thing shall be well When the tongues of flame are infolded Into the crowned knot of fire And the fire and the rose are one.

