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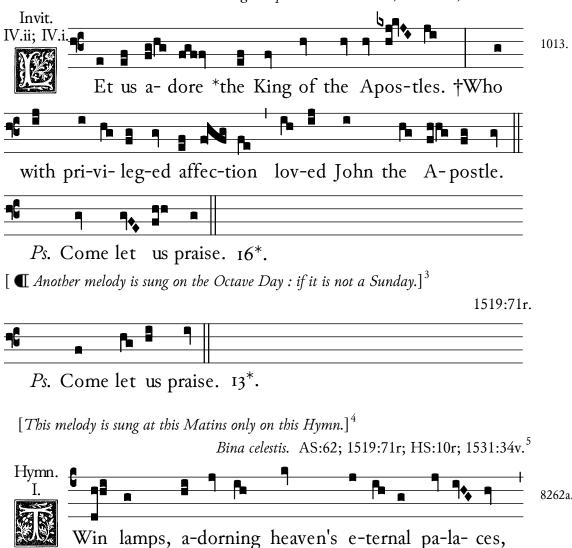
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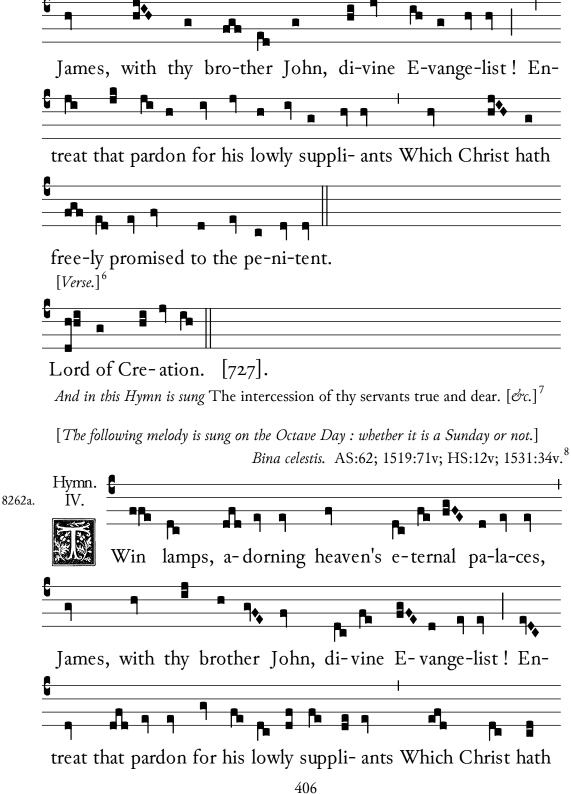
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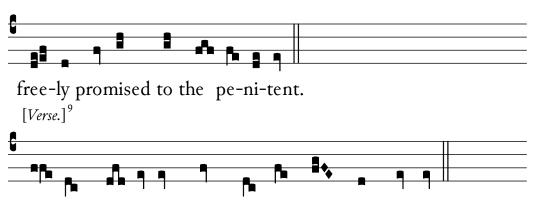
■ On the Day of Saint John the Apostle [and Evangelist].¹

At Matins.

Adoremus Regem apostolorum. AS:62; 1519:71r; 1531:34v.²



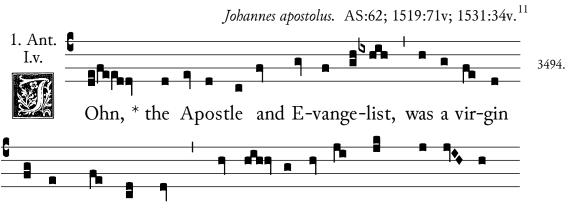




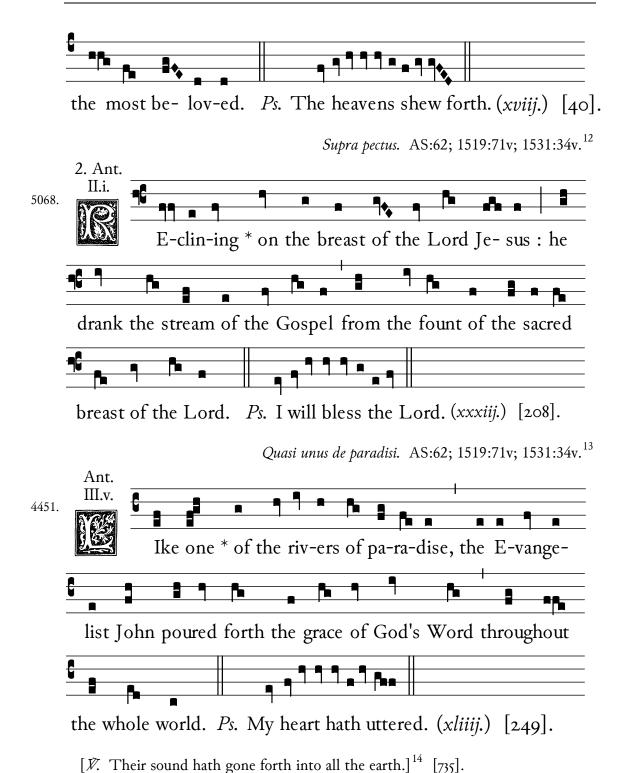
Lord of Cre- ation, bow thine ear, O Christ, to hear. [730]. *And in this Hymn is sung* The intercession of thy servants true and dear. ¹⁰



I In the First Nocturn.



cho-sen by the Lord, moreov- er among all the oth-ers



Lesson One.

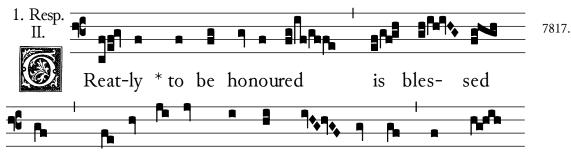


Ohn the apostle and evangelist, son of Zebedee, brother of James, was a virgin

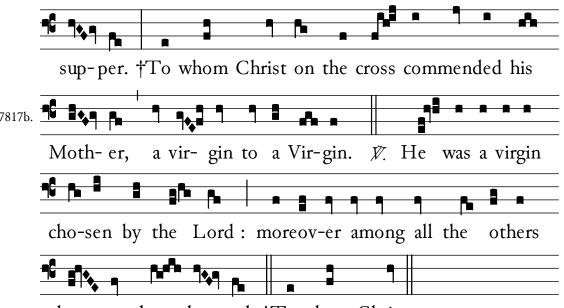
beloved of the Lord : moreover, among all the others the most beloved. Indeed, reclining on the breast of the Master, he drank of the stream of the gospel from the fount of the sacred breast of the Lord: and, like one of the rivers of paradise, he poured forth the grace of God's Word throughout the whole world. And he it was who, at Christ's bidding, succeeded to the place of Christ: for when the disciple received the mother of his Master, he was in a certain sense left behind to be another son to her after Christ. Now while he was preaching the gospel of Christ in Asia : he was banished by the

Emperor Domitian to a mine on the island of Patmos. In which place nevertheless: he wrote the Apoca-However, with Domitian having been assasinated by the Senate, John, being released from exile, returned to Ephesus: and there, in order to refute the cunning of the heretics, at the urgent request of the bishops of Asia, he proceeded to spread the gospel afresh. Moreover, among his other works, this chosen disciple of the Lord : performed these great signs. He changed into gold the woody branches of trees: and he turned stones of the seashore into precious jewels. Likewise fragments of gems : he restored into their But thou [O Lord original form. have mercy upon us].

Valde honorandus est. AS:62; 1519:72r; 1531:35r. 15



John, who leaned on the breast of the Lord at the



the most be- lov- ed. †To whom Christ.

Lesson Two.

E also, at the entreaty of the people, raised up a widow : and revived the body of a young man, bringing back his soul. Moreover, every city of the Ephesians and all the provinces of Asia held John in honour and praised him: but the worshippers of idols, keen to stir up sedition, dragged John to the temple of Diana, to make him offer foul sacrifices to her. Then blessed John said, Let me lead you to the church of our Lord Jesus Christ, and if by invoking the name of your Diana, you are able to make his church to fall: I shall consent to your wish. But if I, invoking the name of my Lord, should make this temple of yours to fall: and

your idol shatter in pieces. Then when that happens : it will be fair that ye, abandoning your superstition, should be converted unto my God. Now to this proposition most of the people gave their consent. And so blessed John warned the people to distance themselves from the temple: then before them all he said, O Lord Jesus Christ, I beseech thee to topple this temple with all the idols that are worshipped within it, yet so that no injury should come to any person: that all of this crowd may know that this idol Diana is a demon and not a god. At this invocation of the apostle all the idols together with the temple collapsed: and were made into dust.

At this sight: many were converted to faith in Christ. But thou O Lord

have mercy [upon us].

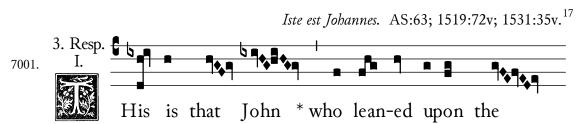


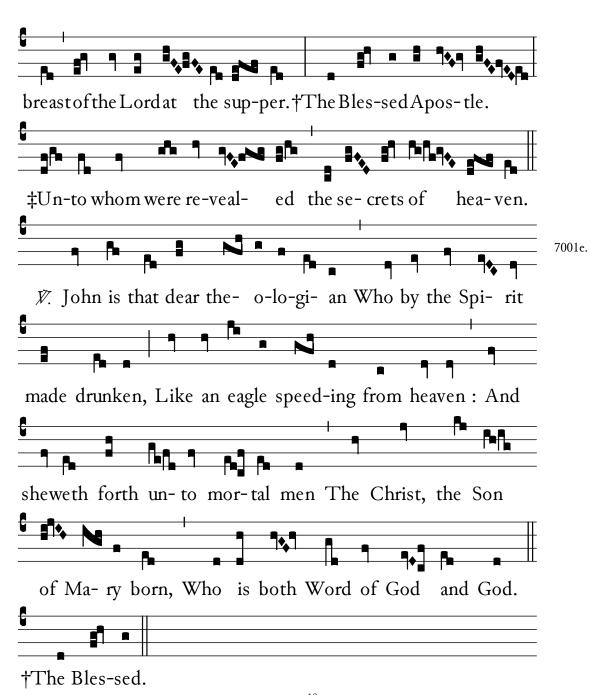
Lesson Three.

Ow Aristodimus the highpriest of the idols : stirrred up sedition among the people. Then blessed John said, Tell me, Aristodimus, what shall I do that shall remove the indignation from thy spirit? To which Aristodimus, If thou wilt (he said) that I should

believe in thy God: I shall give thee poison, which if thou drink and die not, it shall appear that thy God is true. To which the Apostle answered, If thou give the poison to me: when I call upon the name of my God, it shall not be able to harm me. Aristodimus said, I will that thou first see others drink it and die straightway. To which blessed John, I am prepared (he replied) to drink it that thou mayest believe in my God: when thou shall see me healthy after drinking the cup of poison. Aristodimus therefore went to the proconsul: and asked from him two men which were due to be executed for their crimes. And setting them in the midst of the people : he made them drink of the poison. Which, as soon as they had drunk: gave up the ghost. Then Aristodimus said to the apostle, Depart, John, from that teaching: whereby thou hast called away the people from the worship of

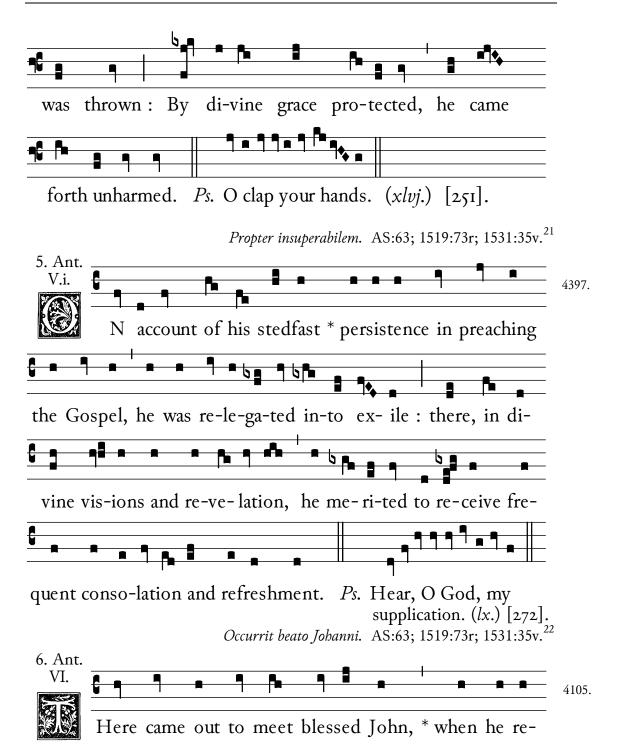
the gods : or else drink this, that thou mayest show thy God to be omnipotent. Then blessed John, undaunted, took the cup, and making the sign of the cross over it: spake thus, My God and the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whose word the heavens were established, whom all creatures serve, and unto whom all power is subject : quench thou the venom of this poison, and grant to all these people a heart, that they may understand thy greatness. After this he armed himself with the sign of the cross: and drank all that was in the cup, and said, I entreat that all they for whose sake I have drunk be converted unto thee O Lord : and that by thine enlightening they may merit the salvation which is in thee. Then the people, watching John for three hours and seeing in him no sign of paleness: cried out with a loud voice saying, He whom John worshippeth: is the one true God. But thou.

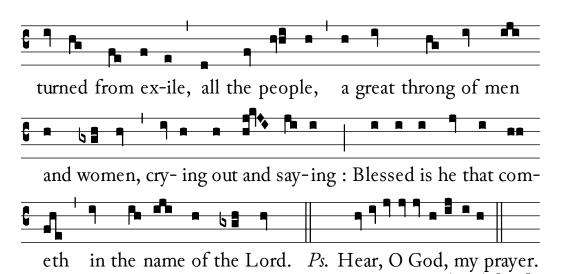




[This preceding Verse together with Glory be. 18 is sung in the middle of the Quire by whichever Priests are willing to sing, in Surplices: except for him who undertaketh the ritual of the Priest.] 19







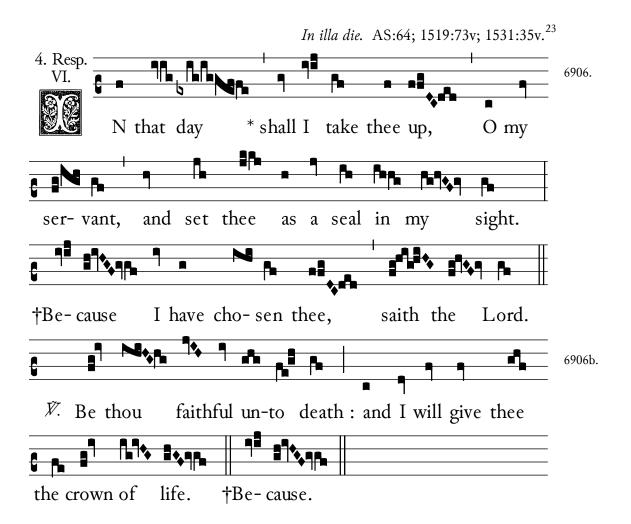
√. Thou shalt make them princes. [737].

Lesson Four.

Ow Aristodimus, turning to the apostle, said, My mind shall been cleansed from all doubt: if these which by the poison have died, thou shalt revive in the name of thy John therefore removing his tunic: gave it to Aristodimus, and said, Go and cast this tunic over the bodies of the dead : and say thus, The apostle of our Lord Jesus Christ hath sent me to you, that in His name ye should rise again: that all may know that life and death are servants of my Lord Jesus Christ. Which when Aristodimus had done, and having seen them arise: adoring John, he ran quickly to the proconsul. And when he had related to him that which had occurred : both parties

coming prostrated themselves before entreating the apostle, pardon. Which, receiving them: offered prayer and thanksgiving to God. Then a fast of one week being completed: he baptized them. After this, having broken up all the idols, they built a church in the name of God and of Saint John: wherein the same Saint John was taken up, as the following discourse will make known. When blessed John was in his ninetyninth year : the Lord Jesus Christ appeared to him and to his disciples, and said unto him, Come unto me my beloved : for the time is come that thou shalt feast at my banquet with thy brethren. But thou [O Lord have mercy upon us].

(lxiij.) [274].



Lesson Five.

Ow John arising: made ready to go. For the Lord had said to him, On Sunday, the day of my resurrection, which is in five days' time: thou shalt come to me. And when he had said this: he was received back into heaven. And so, when the Sunday came: a whole multitude gathered about John in the aforementioned church. Now from the first cock-crow the apostle was

conducting the mysteries of God: and he addressed all the people until the third hour of the day saying, Brethren and fellow-servants, co-heirs and partakers in the kingdom of God, ye know the mighty works of our Lord Jesus Christ: and what great wonders and gifts God hath put before you by my teaching. Persevere therefore in his commandments. For now the Lord deigneth to call me

from this world. After this the blessed apostle John bade a grave to be dug near the altar: descending into which he lifted his hands towards God and said, Invited to thy feast, I come giving thanks, because thou, O Lord Jesus Christ, hast deigned to invite me to thy banquet: knowing that with all my heart I have desired thee. I have seen thy face:

and I have been awakened as if from a tomb. Thine odour: hath stirred in me a desire for eternal things. Thy voice is full of sweetness and flowing honey: and thy comfort without compare. Unto thee have I always desired to come: but thou hast said unto me, Tarry until thou hast delivered the people entrusted to me. But thou.

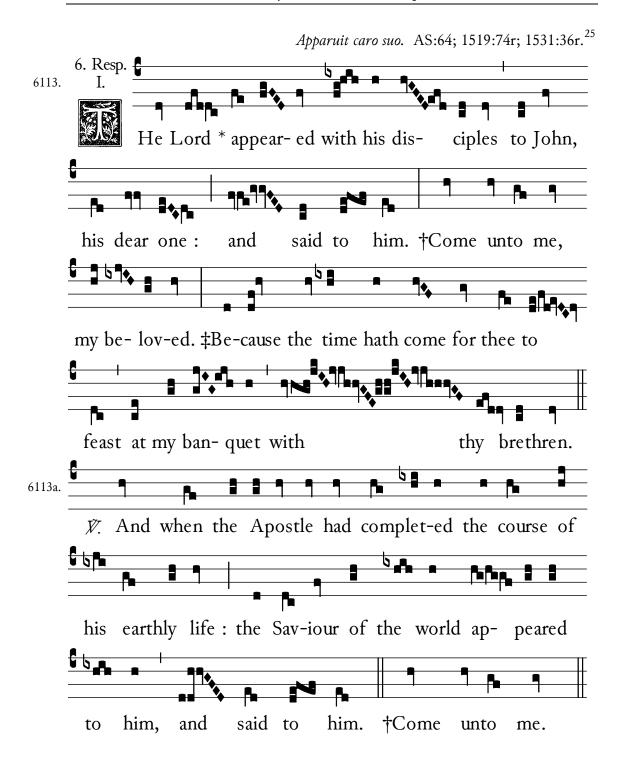
Ecce puer meus. AS:64; 1519:73v; 1531:35v.²⁴

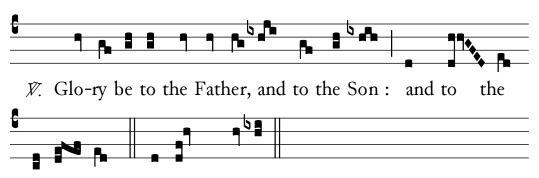
5. Resp. 6603. vant whom I have cho-E- hold * my sersaith the lect. Lord, sen, my e-†In whom my soul de-light-eth. W. I have giv-en my Spi-rit upon him: he shall bring forth judgement to †In whom. the Gentiles.

Lesson Six.

Y Nd thou hast preserved my body from all pollution, and, my soul <hast> always illumined : and hast not forsaken me when I went into exile and <when I> returned. And thou hast placed in my mouth the word of thy truth, and I have written of those things which my eyes have seen: and the words which I have heard from thy mouth. And now O Lord do I commend unto thee the sons which thy true Church as a mother hath regenerated to thee through water and the Holy Ghost. And blessed John also said, Receive me O Lord, that I may be with my brethren: to be with whom thou hast invited me to come. Do thou open unto me, knocking, the gate of life: and may the princes of darkness not oppose me. Let not the foot of pride come to me : and let not the foreign hand seize me from thee. Receive me therefore according to thy word, and lead me unto the feasting of thy banquet: where all thine elect feast with thee. For thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God, who at the command of the Father hast saved

the world: who hast deigned to send down upon us the Holy Ghost, that he might bring to our remembrance thy precepts. Through the same Spirit we render thanks unto thee: through the endless ages of ages. And when all the people had replied Amen : a great light appeared over the apostle for about an hour, of such brightness that none were able to behold it. After this the grave was found to be full, containing in it nothing other than manna: which it produceth even unto this Whence it happeneth, that some assert him to be alive, not dead in the grave, but they contend that he lieth in sleep: mainly because in that place the earth floweth up gently, rising up to the surface of the grave and, like the breath of one resting, bubbleth back down again onto the surrounding dust. Moreover mighty works are done in that same place by his prayers: and all the faithful are delivered from all infirmities and dangers, and obtain the fruits of their petitions.

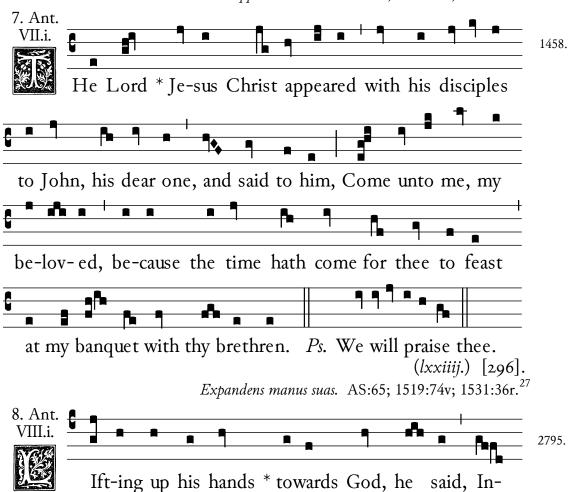


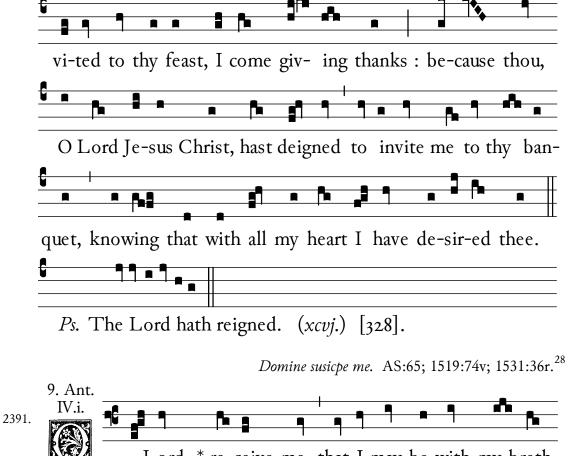


Ho-ly Ghost. ‡Be-cause the time.

■ In the Third Nocturn.

Apparuit caro suo. AS:64; 1519:74r; 1531:36r.²⁶





Lord, * re-ceive me, that I may be with my brethren to be with whom thou hast invit-ed me to come:

do thou o-pen to me the gate of life, and lead me to the

feasting of thy banquet: for thou art the Christ, the Son of



the liv-ing God, who at the command of the Father hast sav-



ed the world: we render thanks unto thee, through the



endless ag- es of ag-es. *Ps.* The Lord hath reigned. (*xcviij.*) [340].

 \mathcal{V} Thy friends are made exceedingly honourable, O God. [741].

 \P Lesson [Seven]. The Holy Gospel according to John. last. John 21. [19-24.]



T that time, Jesus saith unto Peter, Follow me me. Then Peter, turning about, seeth the disciple whom Jesus

loved following; which also leaned on his breast at supper. And that which followeth.

A Homily of the Venerable Bede, Priest.

[vj. book. j.]²⁹

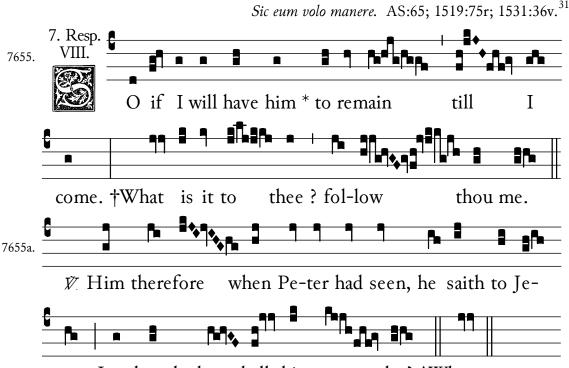
[Lesson Seven.]³⁰

Or us the most blessed evangelist and apostle John commendeth the privilege of the especial love: by which he merited to be more amply honoured by the Lord. He commendeth the testimony of the Gospel description: which relying on

divine truth, none of the faithful is permitted to doubt. He commendeth the placid release from his flesh: which he gained in a special way when the Lord visited him. Indeed after his resurrection the Lord appeared to seven disciples among which were Peter and John, and the same were invited to a meal: while they were eating, thrice he asked Peter to confess his love and thrice committed him to the feeding of his sheep: and then for the sake of the care of the same sheep he told him that he would come even martyrdom on a cross. But lest perhaps the suffering on a cross predicted by the Lord might appear burdensome to Peter : immediately,

to assuage this, he provided his own example, saying, Follow me. As if he were to have said, Because previously for thy redemption I feared not to endure the suffering of the cross:

thou ought by no means to dread to suffer the cross for the confession of my name. But thou O Lord [have mercy upon us].



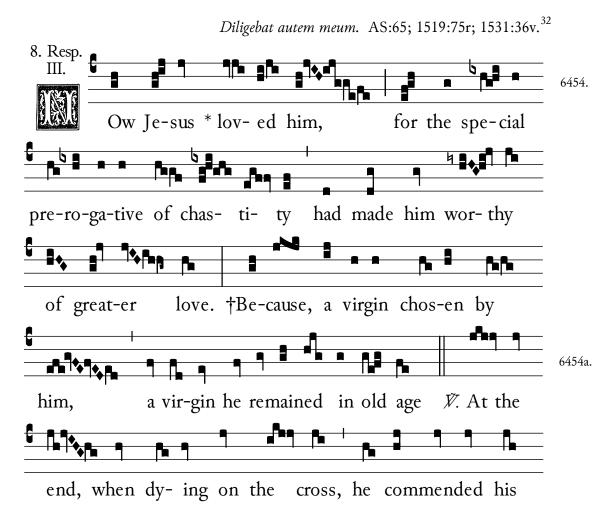
sus: Lord, and what shall this man do? †What.

Lesson Eight.

He Lord was followed indeed by Peter, and that disciple which Jesus loved, evidently the same John whose feast we celebrate this day, and who wrote this Gospel. Indeed Jesus loved him: as one whom the special prerogative of chastity had made worthy of greater love. Indeed a virgin chosen by Him: a virgin he remained in old age. In so much as stories handed down say that He summoned him from a marriage when he wished to marry: and for that reason he whom He had withdrawn from carnal delight, granted His more desirable love. At the end, when dying on the cross, He commended to him His mother: that

virgin might watch over virgin. Indeed in so far as that disciple reclined on the Master's breast: it was a sign of future mystery. Indeed because in the breast of Jesus are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge: rightly he on His breast reclined, who more strongly than the others setting forth divine nature explained the mysteries: he drank,

clearly taking in the heavenly doctrine which flowed from Jesus' breast (which he belched forth for us). Because indeed blessed Peter had heard that he himself by suffering on a cross would glorify God: he wished as well to know about his fellow disciple, by what death he would pass over to eternal life. But thou O Lord.





mother to him, a virgin to a vir- gin. †Be-cause.

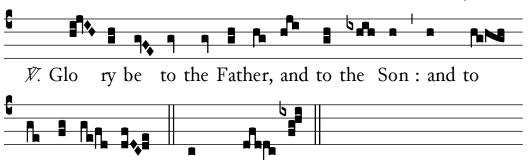
Lesson Nine.

do not wish (said the Lord) that he be brought to perfection until And indeed the brethren I come. took this response of the Lord at that time: to mean that John was never to die. Which John himself took care to admonish that it should not be so understood: but rather that while the rest of Christ's disciples would be brought to perfection through suffering, he himself would await in peace the coming of his call. Indeed as we find in the writings of the fathers, when he had come to a great age, he knew the day of his passing to be drawing near : gathering his disciples, and after admonishing them with exhortation and celebration of the mass, at last he made his farewell. Then, descending into the place of his grave, having made prayer, he was taken to his fathers, being as much free from the sorrow of death: as he had been a stranger to corruption of the flesh. And thus was fully accomplished the truth of the Saviour's words: that he wished <him> to remain, until He should come. This

is the disciple which hath given testimony, proclaiming the word of God: given and written. From the time of the Lord's ascension until the final years of the ruler Domitian: during, about sixty-five years he preached the word of God. By Domitian however who came forth as second persecutor Christians after Nero, he was sent into exile : after his assasination he was allowed to return to Ephesus. Then he was compelled by almost all bishops of Asia, and delegations from many churches, to compose a discourse concerning the coeternal divinity of Christ with the Father: but he thus responded, that he would in no wise do so, unless by a fast being proclaimed in which everyone together entreated the Lord, he might be enabled to write worthily. Which being done : he, being intoxicated by the grace of the Holy Ghost, revealed the mysteries of divine truth which had been granted to no other mortals.

R. 9. In the midst of the church. as above at the Procession³³ 371. and it is sung together with its Prose [namely Born was he of father Zebedee.]³⁴: and with Glory be. by all the Priests, [as is indicated above at Matins of Saint Stephen].³⁵

AS:66; 1519:70v.



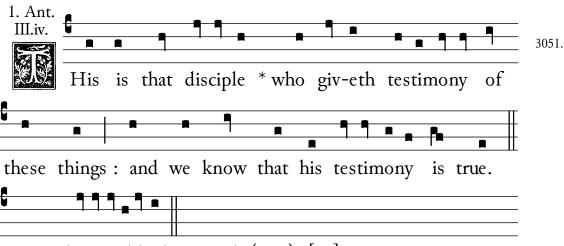
the Ho-ly Ghost. †And the Lord.

Before Lauds.

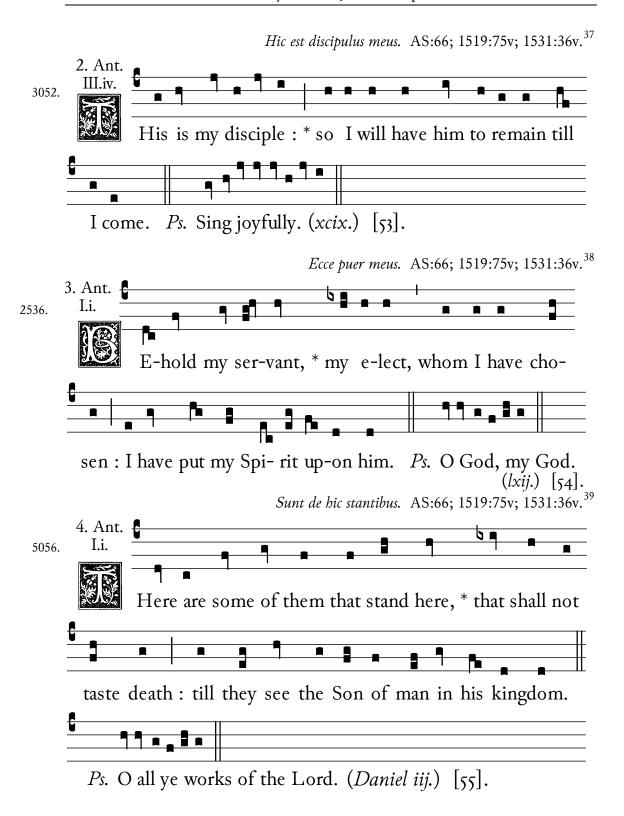
Verse. Greatly to be honoured is blessed John. 402.

At Lauds.

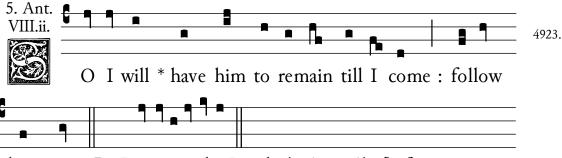
Hic est discipulus. AS:66; 1519:75v; 1531:36v. 36



Ps. The Lord hath reigned. (xcij.) [52].



Sic eum volo. AS:66; 1519:75v; 1531:36v.



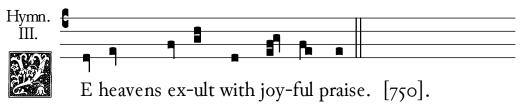
thou me. Ps. Praise ye the Lord. (cxlviij-cl.) [56].

Chapter. Ecclesiasticus 15. [1, 2.]

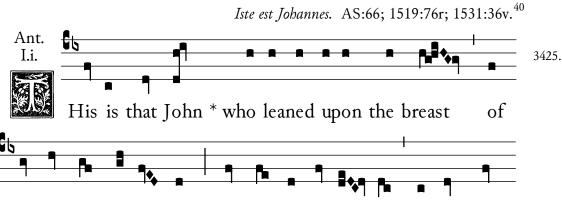
E that feareth God will do good : and he that possesseth justice,

shall lay hold on her, and she will meet him as an honourable mother.

Exultet celum laudibus. AS:66; 1531:36v.



 $\tilde{\mathcal{W}}$. They declared the works of God. [757].



the Lord at the sup-per: the bles-sed Apos-tle unto whom



were re-vealed the secrets of heaven. Ps. Blessed be the Lord. 54^* .

Prayer. Mercifully enlighten. 402.

Memorial of the Nativity.

Ant. This day an undefiled Virgin. 362.

 $\overline{\mathcal{V}}$. Blessed be he that cometh. 347.

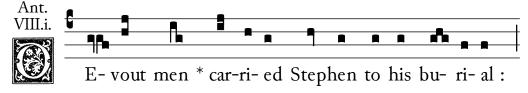
Prayer. Grant, we beseech thee. 347.

[Memorial of Saint Stephen.]

Let a Memorial of Saint Stephen be made at this Matins with this Antiphon whether a Procession for him hath been made earlier: or not.

Sepelierunt Stephanum. AS:66; 1519:76r; 1531:37r. 41







and made great mourning o-ver him. Amen.

 $\overline{\mathcal{N}}$. The just shall flourish. 386.

Prayer. Grant to us, we beseech thee. 360.

 $\blacksquare At j.$

Ant. This is that disciple. 427.

Ps. Save me, O God. (*liij.*) [114].

¶ At iij.

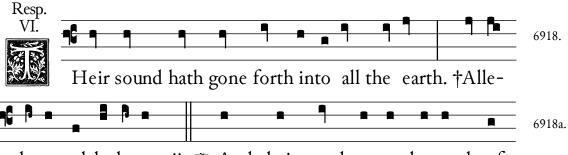
Ant. This is my disciple. 428.

Ps. Set before me. (cxviij. iij.) [158].

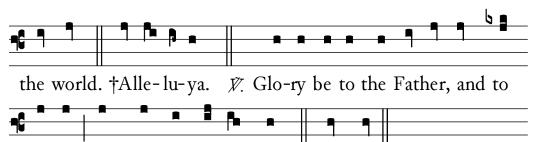
Chapter. He that feareth. 429.

The RR. and NN. of the Common of One Apostle are sung at all the Hours with Alleluya. And the Responses of the Verses are said without Alleluya.

In omnem terram. AS:67; 1519:76r; 1531-P:68r.



lu-ya, al-le-lu-ya. ij. V. And their words unto the ends of



the Son: and to the Ho-ly Ghost. Their sound.

 \tilde{V} . Thou shalt make them. [737]. [Prayer as above.] 402.

$\blacksquare At vj.$

Ant. Behold my servant. 428.

Ps. My soul hath fainted. (cxviij. vj.) [175].

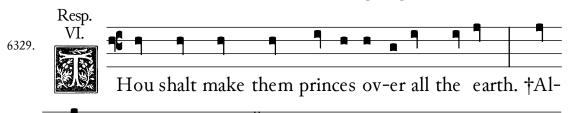
Chapter. Ecclesiasticus 15. [3, 4.]

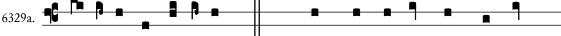
Ith the bread of life and understanding shall [the Lord] 43 feed him, and give him the water of wholesome wisdom to drink 44: and he shall be made strong in him, and he shall not be moved:

and he shall hold him fast, and he shall not be confounded: and he shall

exalt him among his neighbours.

Constitues eos principes. 1519:76v; 1531-P:68r.





le-lu-ya, al-le-lu-ya. ij. $\tilde{\mathcal{W}}$. They shall remember thy Name,





the Son: and to the Ho-ly Ghost. Thou shalt.

 \overline{V} . Thy friends are made exceedingly honourable. [741].

$\blacksquare At ix.$

Ant. So I will. 429.

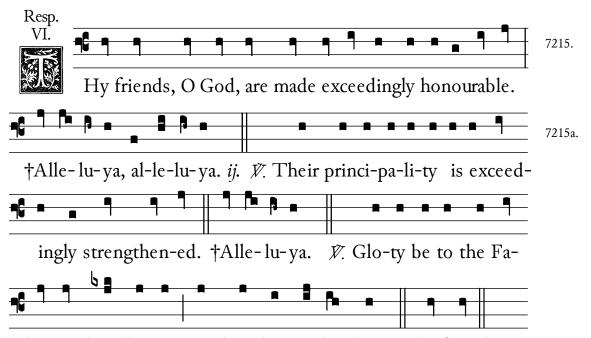
Ps. Thy testimonies are wonderful. (cxviij. ix.) [191].

Chapter. Ecclesiasticus 15. [5.]

M the midst of the church he opened his mouth : and the Lord filled him with the spirit of wisdom

and understanding : he clothed him with a robe of glory. [R7. Thanks be to God.]⁴⁵

Nimis honorati sunt. 1519:76v; 1531-P:68r.



ther, and to the Son: and to the Ho-ly Ghost. Thy friends.

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At Vespers.

Ant. With thee is the principality. 354.

Ps. The Lord said. (cix.) [363]. [&c.]

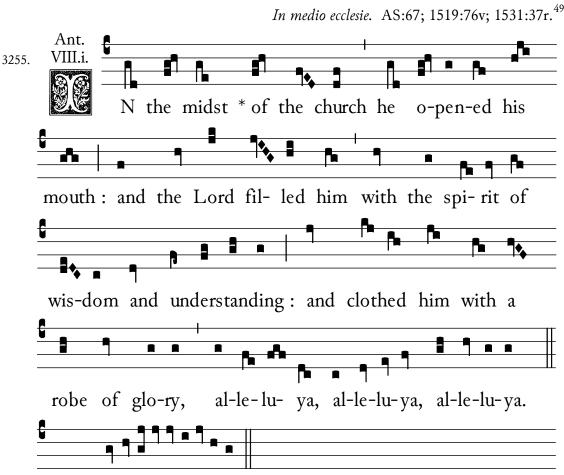
Chapter. He that feareth God. 429.

R. This is that John. 412.

This \mathbb{R}^7 . [should be]⁴⁷ begun by a single Priest at the Quire Step in a silken Cope: and the \mathbb{N} . [namely John is that dear theologian.]⁴⁸ is sung by all the Priests in Surplices in the manner of a Prose in the station of the boys with the \mathbb{N} . Glory be now to the Highest.

Hymn. Ye heavens exult with joyful praise. [750].

 $\tilde{\mathcal{W}}$. They declared the works of God. [757].



Ps. My soul doth magnify. 72*.

Prayer. Mercifully enlighten. 402.

Memorial of the Nativity.

Ant. Be joyful, all ye faithful. 363.

 $\tilde{\mathcal{V}}$. The Word was made flesh. 329.

Prayer. Grant, we beseech thee, almighty God. 347.

This manner is preserved likewise at the Memorial of the Nativity in saying the Versicles at Matins, namely that at Vespers is sung V. The Word was made flesh. and at Matins is sung V. Blessed be he that cometh. 347.

[Memorial of Saint Stephen.]

Memorial of Saint Stephen [Martyr]⁵⁰ with this Antiphon Thou art the foremost. 360. where a Procession of the same was previously made, [but]⁵¹ where indeed a Procession [of the same]⁵² was not made is sung the Ant. They stoned Stephen. 391.

 \vec{V} . Thou hast crowned him. [775].

Collect. Grant to us, we beseech thee. 53 360.

Let it be made likewise of Saint John, and of Saint Thomas.

Now when the proper Antiphons of Saint Stephen have been said: let a Memorial be made of the same with the Antiphons of Lauds in their order: which having been said, let the Antiphons of the Nocturns be said. Let Memorials be made likewise in their order for Saint John, and for the Innocents, and for Saint Thomas in the same way.

However on the Octaves of the aforementioned Saints one of the proper Antiphons is sung at the Memorial, which will be found indicated in that place.

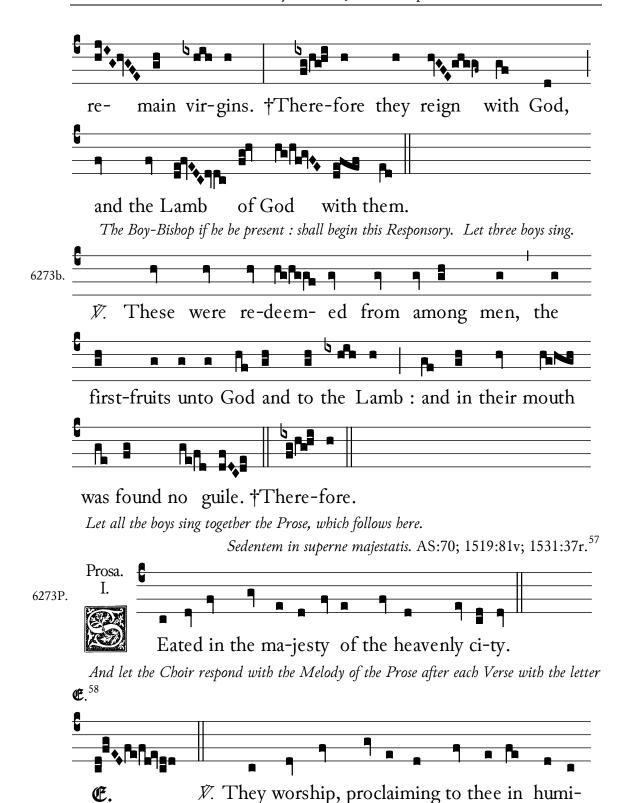
[Procession of the Boys.]

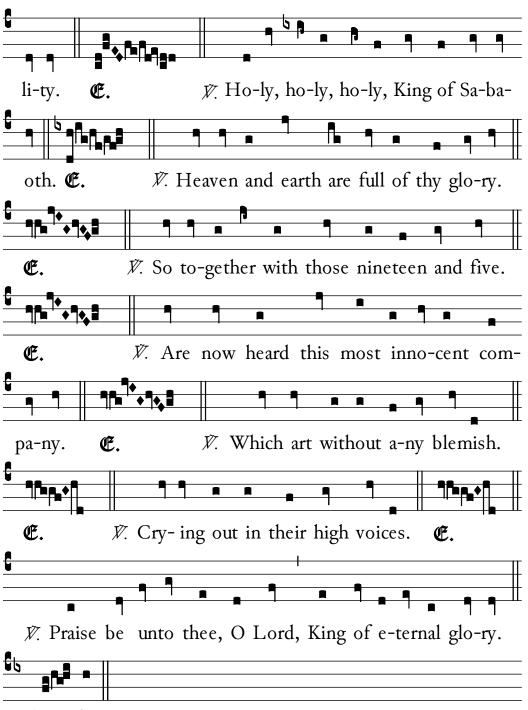
Then let the Procession of the Boys be made [through the midst of the Quire]⁵⁴ to the Altar of the Innocents, or the Holy Trinity,⁵⁵ with Silken Copes, and lighted candles in their hands, singing.

Resp.
I.

N hun- dred * and for- ty four thousand, which were re-deemed from the earth. These

are they which were not de-fil- ed with wo-men, for they





†There-fore.

At this Procession Glory be. is not sung, but while the Prose is sung the Boy-Bishop shall cense the Altar: afterwards the Image of the Holy Trinity: and afterwards let the

Priest⁵⁹ say in a moderate voice this.

 $\overline{\mathcal{V}}$. Be glad in the Lord. [239].

Prayer.

God, whose praise the martryed Innocents confessed this day, not by speaking but by dying : mortify all evils of vice in us, that thy faith which our tongue

professeth, <our> life may also declare by <its> manners. Who livest and reignest with God the Father. ⁶⁰ [in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, for ever and ever. Amen.]

While returning, [let the instructor of the boys introduce some Antiphon, or this R?.] ⁶¹ of Saint Mary. R. Happy indeed art thou. [587]. with its Verse [: and thus in procession let the Choir enter through the West Doorway as above : and all the boys from either side of the Choir themselves take up the Superior Grade. And from this time through to the end of the Procession at Vespers of the next day following, none of the Clerics is to ascend to the Superior Grade no matter what the circumstances may be. At that Procession at the disposition of the boys is written which Canons shall attend to them, the greater to attend to the censing and to bearing the book ⁶²: however the lesser to attend to ⁶³ the candlesticks.] ⁶⁴

Which [Responsory]⁶⁵ being finished, let the Boy-Bishop say in a moderate voice [in his Seat this].⁶⁶

 $\vec{\mathcal{N}}$. Thou art beautiful. [232].

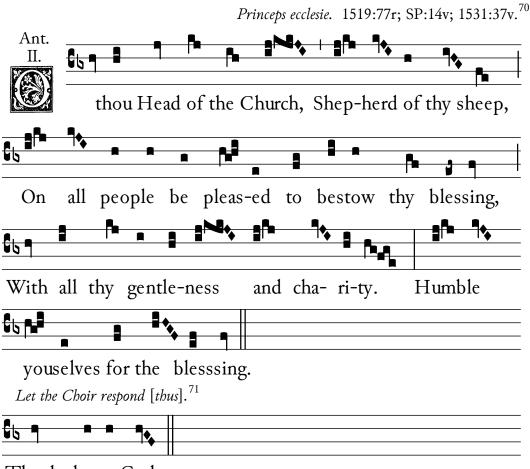
Prayer. O God, who by the fruitful virginity. *which terminateth thus* Who liveth and reigneth with thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, for ever and ever. Amen. [232].

[N]. The Lord be with you.

[R] And with [thy spirit].

Then let follow Benedicamus Domino. by two or three, outside the rule. 67

Then let the Boy-Bishop enter his Stall, ⁶⁸ and meanwhile let the Crucifer take the Bishop's Staff, turning to the Bishop: and let him begin this Antiphon O thou Head of the Church. which is not sung if the Bishop is absent. And when he shall come to these words, With all thy gentleness. let him turn himself towards the people and sing the rest of the Antiphon [through to the end, this way]. ⁶⁹



Thanks be to God.

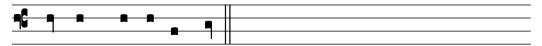
Then let him hand over the Staff to the [Boy-]⁷²Bishop: and then let the Boy-Bishop begin first to sign himself on his forehead, beginning this way.





Ur help is in the name of the Lord.

Let the Choir respond.



Who made heaven and earth.

Likewise let the Bishop, signing himself on the breast, say.



Blessed be the name of the Lord.

Let the Choir respond [thus]. 73



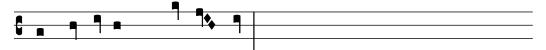
From henceforth, now and for ev-er.

Then let the $[Boy-]^{74}$ Bishop, turned to the Choir, raise his arms: and begin this Benediction this way.



With the sign of the Cross: do I seal you.

Here let him turn himself to the people, singing.



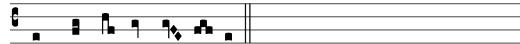
May he be your pro-tec-tion.

Then let him turn himself to the Altar, singing [thus]. 76



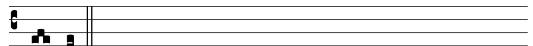
Who sendeth you forth and re-deemeth you.

Afterwards, returning his hands to their place over his breast, let him sing.



At the price of his bo-dy.

[Let the] Choir [respond thus]. 77



A-men.

[At Compline on this day and at Mass on the morrow, and at Second Vespers the vicars are accustomed to serve their lords according to the Tabula, before the Bishop and his Canons, as the boys attend [to them] through the remaining time of the year.]⁷⁸

And so with this being completed, let the Boy-Bishop begin Compline of the day [433]. in the usual manner: after Pater noster. and Ave Maria. [5].

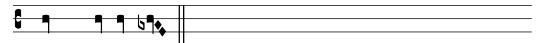
And after Compline, [while the Crucifer brings the Staff, let the Bishop say.

1519:77v.⁷⁹



Humble yourselves for the blessing.

Let the Choir respond thus.]⁸⁰



Thanks be to God.

Let the Boy-Bishop turning to the Choir say on the foregoing Tone.

1519:77v; 1531:37v.⁸¹



 \mathcal{V} . Our help is in the Name of the Lord.

[The Choir.] 82

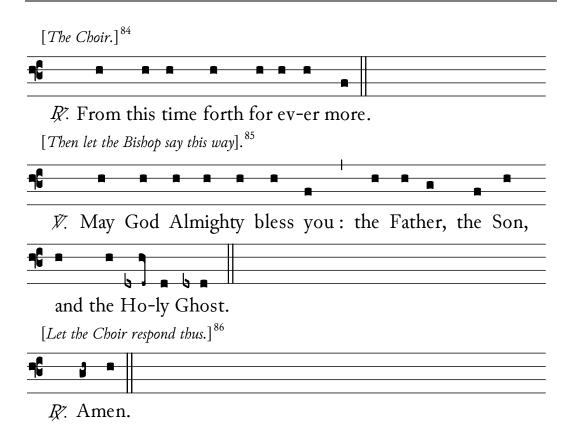


R. Who made heaven and earth.

 $[The Bishop.]^{83}$

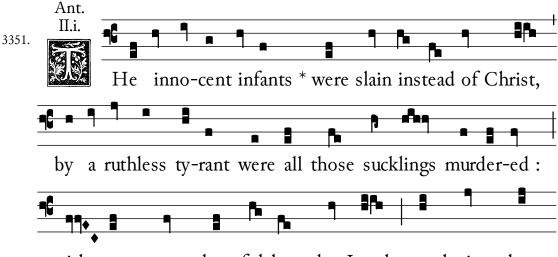


 \mathcal{V} . Blessed be the name of the Lord.



Where no Procession of the Innocents is made: then first let a be made Memorial of the same before the Memorial of the Nativity, with this Antiphon.

Innocentes pro Christo. AS:67; 1531:37v.



with- out spot, they fol-low the Lamb: and sing they



ev-er, Glo-ry be to thee, O Lord. Amen.

 $\overline{\mathcal{V}}$. Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice, ye just. [839].

Prayer.⁸⁷

God, whose praise [the martryed Innocents confessed this day, not by speaking but by dying: mortify all evils of vice in us,

that thy faith which our tongue professeth, <our> life may also declare by <its> manners. Who livest and reignest with God the Father.]⁸⁸

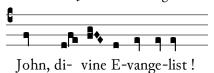
De sancto iohane cuangelista, Folkriij,



[1519:74r.]

Notes, pages 405-444.

- ¹ 1519:71r.
- ² In BL-52359:42r. the first 'Veníte' is set EDC.DF.F.
- ³ 1519:71r.
- ⁴ 1519:71r.
- ⁵ In HS:10r. 'Johánnes' is set GA.B.C.
- ⁶ 1519:71v.
- ⁷ 1519:71v. Cf. SB-P:364.
- ⁸ AS:62. gives the incipit only. In HS:12v. 'Johánnes theóloge' is set thus:



- ⁹ 1519:71v.
- ¹⁰ Cf. 1531-P:67r.
- ¹¹ The first eight antiphons for matins this day proceed through the modes in order I-VIII. In BL-52359:42r. 'apóstolus' is st D.F.D.C.
- ¹² In PEN:13v. 'fonte' is set Dc.D.
- ¹³ In AS:62. the psalm-tone appears as III.iv. In BL-52359:42r. 'orbe diffúdit' is set AGG.G.GAG.E.E.
- ¹⁴ 1519:72r.
- ¹⁵ In BL-52359:42v. 'est' is set DEFDEDDC.
- ¹⁶ In AS:63. this ℝ. is set a fifth lower, with B♭ throughout. In AS:63. the second 'testimónium' begins FE.FG.G. In BL-52359:42v. 'discípulus' is set A.AC.GF.FGFFDED. In AS:63. 'est' is set CDE.DC. In 1519:72r. 'est' is set GAB.AG—both are well attested in continental sources. In PEN:13v. the final syllable of 'testimónium' begins DEEDCD.
- ¹⁷ In AS:63. 'Johánnes' begins GFG; 'celéstia' is set AFGFE.ED.DEFEF.ED. The ♥. is in metre and rhyme, as is the *Glória Patri*. In AS:63. the ♥. 'Valde' and the following ♥. 'Glória' repeat back to '‡Cui'. In 1519:73r. and 1531:35v. the final repeat after the ♥. 'Glória' is back to '‡Beátus'. In BL-52359: 'Johánnes' is set AGFG.B♭AGAB♭.A; 'cena' is set G.GE; 'reveláta' is set F.AG.A.GFEFGFG; 'filius' is set AGA.F.ED; 'génito' is set AGA.F.ED. In PEN:14r. 'célitus' is set A.G; 'Maríe' is set DC.BA.ABCBA; 'Quod' is set DC; 'ingénito' is set Dc.E.FE.D.
- ¹⁸ Presumably this should be 'Gloria sit altíssimo'. Harley:16r. gives only the indication 'Glória'.
- ¹⁹ 1519:72v.
- ²⁰ In BL-52359:43r. 'Johánnes apóstolus' is set D.Dc.D DF.FE.DE.E. PEN:14r. has 'divína protegénte se', set DAB_b.AAG.GA G.GF.G.GAG FE.

- ²¹ In AS:63. 'Propter insupe-' appears a third higher; 'divine visió-' appears a third lower. BL-52359. does not indicate B-natural at 'allocutiónis'. In BL-52359:43r. 'consolatióne' is set A.G.A.G.F.
- ²² 1519:73r. has no flats. In BL-52359:43r. 'Johánni' is set DED.C.C; 'omnis' is set G.A; there are no flats. PEN:14r. has no flats. The transposition of the chant supports the use of Bb.
- ²³ 1519:73v. has no flat at 'die'. In AS:64. 'et ponam' is set C G.GE; the second 'te' is set CCDABA. BL-52359:43v. has 'In die illa'; 'conspéctu' is set G.EED.E. In PEN:14v. 'elégi te' is set FEF.DCCD AGABA.
- ²⁴ In AS:64. '-gi, di-' is set a third higher. In BL-52359:43v. 'electus meus' appears differently and in a higher register: DE.D.EFG.GAGDEFEF.ED.
- In AS:64. 'suo' is set FGFA.GFE. AS:64. indicates a flat at 'vite' and at the third 'et'; other sources have naturals. 1519:74r. has flats only at 'Fílio'. In BL-52359:44r. 'tempus' is set AB_b.AG; 'frátribus' is set AGACBAGAAGFEGAGACDBACCAAGF.ED.EFDD; no flats appear at 'ei', 'mundi', or 'Fílio'. PEN:14v. has 'dixit illi'; 'appáruit' is set GF.G.GA.G. PEN:14v. has 'et ait illi'; 'Fílio' is set GA.AB[_b]A.A.
- ²⁶ PEN:15r. has 'frátribus meis', set AC.DC.AG .ABA.G.
- 27 BL_52359:44r. has no note for the first syllable of 'vénio'; 'dignátus' is set Ag.AB.AG; 'toto' appears to be set EGA.G.
- In 1519:74v. 'apéri' is set FFE.DC.DF; 'tibi' is set CD.EFF. In AS:65. 'salvásti' is set FD.EF.E; 'áperi' is set FFE.DC.DFD; the psalm-tone appears a fifth lower. In BL-52359:44r. no flats appear at 'tu es enim Christus'; 'Fílius' is set A.A.A.
- ²⁹ Serm. Hyemales de Sanctis. Op. Tom. VII. col. 310, 311. [SB:cxxiii.]
- ³⁰ 1519:75r.
- ³¹ In AS:65. 'manére' is set GA.A.AGACGGF; 'donec' is set FACDCA.FAFG. In BL-52359:44v. 'séquere' is set ACCGAGFGFACCDGCAFG.G.GAAG. PEN:15v. omits the final note of 'eum'.
- ³² In 1519:75r. 'Jesus' begins ACCB. AS:65. has no flat at 'speciális prerogatíva'. BL-52359:44v. has no flat at 'speciális'; the second 'virgo' is set Fd.F.
- ³³ 'Seek for it at First Vespers', 1519:75v.
- ³⁴ 1519:75v.
- ³⁵ 1519:75v.
- ³⁶ In BL-52359:45r. 'Hic est discípulis' is set G A C.C.C.A; 'verum est' is set C.B G.
- ³⁷ In BL-52359:45r. 'Hic est discípulis' is set G A C.C.C.A.
- ³⁸ In AS:66. no flat appears; 'séquere' is set G.G.G. In 1519:75v. 'meus' is set FA.A; 'Spíritum' is set ED.EG.FE.
- ³⁹ In 1519:75v. the psalm-tone appears as I.ii.
- ⁴⁰ In AS:66. 'celéstia' is set FE.E.E. In 1519:76r. 'recúbuit' is set GF.GA.FE.D. n BL-52359:45v. 'beátus apóstolis cui' is set G.G.G G.A.G.F F.F.
- ⁴¹ In AS:66. 'timoráte' is set G.G.GAGF.F. In BL-52359:45v. 'timoráti' is set A.G.AG.F; 'fecérunt planctum magnum super' is st AC.C.B. C.A A.G AG.FG.

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<sup>42</sup> 1519:76r.
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⁴³ 1519:76r.

^{44 1519:76.}r. and *Vulgate* have 'potábit'; 1531:37v. has 'potávit'.

⁴⁵ 1519:76v.

⁴⁶ 1519:76v.

⁴⁷ 1519:76v.

⁴⁸ 1519:76v.

⁴⁹ 1531:37r. has 'stola glórie'. Other, non-Sarum sources, have 'stolámque'.

⁵⁰ 1519:76v.

⁵¹ 1519:77r.

⁵² 1519:77r.

⁵³ 1519:77r. indicates the prayer 'Da nobis quésumus omnípotens Deus', which is in fact the prayer for S. Silvester.

⁵⁴ 1519:77r.

^{55 &#}x27;to the Altar of the Holy Trinity and All Saints which is called Salve.' 1519:77r.

⁵⁶ 1531:37r. has 'undevigintiquínque' and 'Qui sunt sine ulla labe.' AS:70. has no flat at 'muliéribus' or 'permánserunt.' In 1519:71v. 'Agnus' is set DFEDCD.DC. In BL-52359:48v. 'quátuor' is set FG.G.GAFGFFE. BL-52359:48v. has no flat from 'terra' through to 'permansérunt'; 'qui cum' is set DC F; 'muliéribus' is set F.G.GAGFGAGAB.A.A; 'coinquináti' is set F.Fd.CD.CEFEF.ED; 'Deo' is set FE.D; 'Agnus' is set DEDCD.DC. In the verse, BL-52359:48v. has 'ex homínibus', this is set G.GA.G.G. BL-52359:48v. has no flat at the final 'Ideo'. PEN:19r. omits 'quátuor' and its music; 'enim' is set GA.AG; no flats appear in the verse.

In BL-52359:48v. 'supérne' is set Fe.D.F; 'unde-' has no music; 'Dicéntes' is set A.G.G. BL-52359:48v. has 'Laus sit tibi'. BL-52359:48v. and PEN:19r. omit the vocalized repetitions. BL-52359:48v. has no flats in the verse 'Glória Patri'.

⁵⁸ While the rubic instructs the choir to sing on the vowel 'E' after each versicle, it may rather be appropriate to sing on the final vowel of each versicle in turn. I am grateful to John Hackney for this ingenious interpretation of the rubrics.

⁵⁹ 1519:77r. omits '*priest*'.

⁶⁰ The Prayer ends as it does because it is addressed directly to God the Son, presuamably because of the direct connection between the birth of Christ and the murder of the Innocents.

⁶¹ 1519:77r.

^{62 &#}x27;bearing the Books', 1518:77r.

⁶³ 'to', 1519:77r.

⁶⁴ 1519:77r.

⁶⁵ 1519:77r.

⁶⁶ 1519:77r.

⁶⁷ 'outside the rule by two Vicars.' 1519:77r.

^{68 &#}x27;standing in his Stall', 1519:77r.

- ⁶⁹ 1519:77r.
- In SP:14v. 'óvilis' ends GFED.EC; 'benedícere dignéris' is set a tone higher; 'ad benedictiónem' is set a third higher. In 1519:77v. 'consígno' is set BG.ABAA.G.
- ⁷¹ 1519:88v.
- ⁷² 1519:77v.
- ⁷³ 1519:88v.
- ⁷⁴ 1519:77v.
- ⁷⁵ '*hold*', 1519:77v.
- ⁷⁶ 1519:77v.
- ⁷⁷ 1519:77v.
- ⁷⁸ 1519:77v.
- This versicle and response does not appear in 1531. It may be appropriate to use the previous music of *Princeps ecclesie*. This could explain the appearance of the bar line and capital letter in 1519:77r. at this point.
- ⁸⁰ 1519:77v.
- ⁸¹ The flats are editorial.
- ⁸² 1519:77v.
- ⁸³ 1519:77v.
- ⁸⁴ 1519:77v.
- ⁸⁵ 1519:77v.
- ⁸⁶ 1519:78r.
- ⁸⁷ Only the incipit appears at this location in 1531:37v.
- ⁸⁸ 1519:78r.