

Vespers at St. Gregory's

Welcome to St. Gregory's! We are a Western Rite congregation of the Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese, under the authority of His Eminence, Metropolitan JOSEPH (and hence part of the Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Antioch and all the East).

The Order for Vespers begins on p. 16 of "The English Office Noted" (EON). The Hymns are found in "The St. Ambrose Hymnal" (SAH). Please stand for Vespers; you may be seated for the lessons. The Cantor will sing the odd-numbered verses of the Psalms, the congregation will sing the even-numbered verses. If you wish to make your confession, please speak with Fr. Nicholas or Fr. Raphael after Vespers.

Saturday, June 6 **The Vigil of Pentecost**

Saturday, June 13 **First Vespers of Trinity Sunday**

Commemoration of the First Sunday after Pentecost & St.

Basil the Great, Bishop, Confessor & Doctor

Psalms for the 13th Day at Evening Prayer, p. 109

(After the 1st lesson) Office Hymn: 16

*(After the hymn) R. **Let us praise him, and magnify him forever.***

Magnificat, EON, p. 18

(After the 2nd Lesson) Nunc dimittis, p. 20

Hymn after the collects: Gladsome Light

The Reading from the Martyrology for June 14

R. Thanks Be to God

Marian Anthem: 177

Saturday, June 20

First Vespers in the Octave of Corpus Christi

Commemoration of the Second Sunday after Pentecost

Psalms for the 20th Day at Evening Prayer, p. 155

(After the 1st lesson) Office Hymn: 148

*(After the hymn) R. **So man did eat Angel's food, alleluia.***

Magnificat, EON, p. 18

(After the 2nd Lesson) Nunc dimittis, p. 20

Hymn after the collects: Gladsome Light

The Reading from the Martyrology for June 21

R. Thanks Be to God

Marian Anthem: 177

Saturday, June 27

First Vespers of The Third Sunday After Pentecost

Commemoration of St Irenaeus of Lyons, Bishop & Martyr

Psalms for the 27th Day at Evening Prayer, p. 194

(After the 1st lesson) Office Hymn: 16

*(After the hymn) R. **And let thy mercy come down upon us.***

Magnificat, EON, p. 18

(After the 2nd Lesson) Nunc dimittis, p. 20

Hymn after the collects: Gladsome Light

The Reading from the Martyrology for June 28

R. Thanks Be to God

Marian Anthem: 177

Gladsome Light

(Phos hilaron)



Glad - some light of the Ho - ly glo -



ry that shines from the im - mor - tal Fa -



ther in hea - ven, the Ho - ly, the



Blessed, O Je - sus Christ. Lo, now that we come to

faster, in speech rhythm



sun - set, now that we see the ev' ning light, we

a tempo



sing the praise of Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Spir -



it, One God. Wor - thy art



thou at all times to be praised by



voic - es meet for ho - ly song,



Son of God, thou Giv - er of Life, where -



fore the world glor - i - fi - eth thee.

*Text: Phos hilaron, 3rd century or earlier
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