## **Tridentine Community News**

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# The Divine Office - Part 7 Terce from the Little Office of the Blessed Virgin Mary

In the September 28, 2025 edition of this column, we printed the Hour of Terce (mid-morning prayer) from the (full) 1962 Divine Office. Today we present Terce from the shorter Little Office of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Terce in this Little Office is the same every day, with only minor seasonal variations.



V. O God ★ come to my assistance;

R. O Lord, make haste to help me.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

#### Hymn

Remember, O creator Lord! That in the Virgin's sacred womb Thou wast conceiv'd, and of her flesh Didst our mortality assume.

Mother of grace, O Mary blest! To thee, sweet fount of love, we fly; Shield us through life, and take us hence To thy dear bosom when we die.

O Jesu! born of Virgin bright, Immortal glory be to Thee; Praise to the Father infinite, And Holy Ghost eternally. Amen.

Ant. The Virgin Mary was taken up to the heavenly chamber, where the King of kings sitteth on his starry throne.

Psalm 119 [1]

When I was in trouble I cried unto the Lord: and he heard me.

O Lord, deliver my soul from wicked lips: and from a deceitful tongue.

What can be given to thee, or what can be superadded to thee: unto a deceitful tongue?

Sharp arrows of the mighty one: with desolating coals.

Woe is me, that my sojourning is prolonged! I have dwelt with the inhabitants of Cedar: my soul hath been long a sojourner.

With them that hated peace, I was peaceable: when I spake unto them, they fought against me without a cause.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

#### Psalm 120 [2]

I have lifted up mine eyes unto the hills: from whence shall come my help. My help is from the Lord: Who hath made heaven and earth.

Let him not suffer thy foot to be moved: neither let him sleep that keepeth thee.

Behold, he shall neither slumber nor sleep: that keepeth Israel.

The Lord is thy keeper, the Lord is thy defense: upon thy right hand.

The sun shall not burn thee by day: nor the moon by night.

The Lord preserveth thee from all evil: may the Lord preserve thy soul. May the Lord preserve thy coming in and thy going out: from this time forth for evermore.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

#### Psalm 121 [3]

I was glad at the things that were said unto me: we will go into the house of the Lord.

Our feet were wont to stand: in thy courts, O Jerusalem.

Jerusalem, which is built as a city: that is at unity with itself.

For thither did the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord: the testimony of Israel, to praise the name of the Lord.

For there are set the seats of judgment: the seats over the house of David.

Pray ye for the things that are for the peace of Jerusalem: and plenteousness be to them that love thee.

Let peace be in thy strength: and plenteousness in thy towers.

For my brethren and companions' sake: I spake peace concerning thee.

Because of the house of the Lord our God: I have sought good things for thee.

V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Ant. The Virgin Mary was taken up to the heavenly chamber, where the King of kings sitteth on his starry throne.

#### Little Chapter

Ecclesiasticus 24:15

And so was I established in Sion, and in the holy city likewise I rested, and my power was in Jerusalem.

R. Thanks be to God.

V. Grace was poured forth on thy lips.

R. Therefore hath God blessed thee for ever.

#### Conclusion

V. O Lord, hear my prayer.

*R*. And let my cry come unto Thee.

Let us pray.

O God, Who, by the fruitful virginity of the Blessed Mary, hast given to mankind the rewards of eternal salvation; grant, we beseech Thee, that we may experience her intercession, through whom we have received the Author of life, our Lord Jesus Christ, thy Son: Who with Thee livest and reignest, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end.

R. Amen.

V. O Lord, hear my prayer.

R. And let my cry come unto Thee.

V. Let us bless the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

V. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

R. Amen.

### Tridentine Masses This Coming Week

<u>Tue. 10/21 7:00 PM:</u> Low Requiem Mass at *St. Benedict/Holy Name of Mary, Windsor* (Daily Mass for the Dead)

Sun. 10/26 11:00 AM: Pontifical Solemn Mass at St. Joseph Shrine (Christ the King) – Call to Holiness Conference Mass, celebrated by Cardinal Gerhard Müller

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