

# Tridentine Community News

November 30, 2025 – First Sunday of Advent

*The Divine Office – Part 10 of 10*

*New Sung Divine Office Web Site*


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## Dominica I Adventus

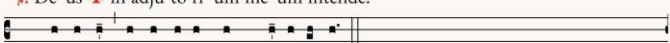
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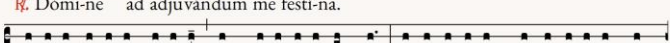
Incipit




✠ De-us ✠ in adju-tó-ri-um me-um intén-de.



✠ Dómi-ne ad adjuvándum me festí-na.



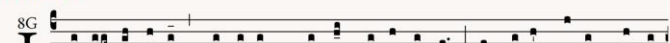
Gló-ri-a Patri, et Fí-li-o, et Spi-rí-tu-i Sancto. Sic-ut e-rat in princí-pi-o, et nunc,



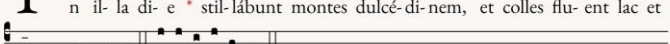
et semper, et in saéc-u-la saccu-ló-rum. Amen. Alle-lú-ia.

Psalmi

Psalmus 109




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I n il-la di-e \* stil-lábunt montes dulcé-di-nem, et colles flu-ent lac et



mel, al-le-lú-ia. E u o u a e.

*In that day \* the mountains shall drop sweetness, and the hills shall flow with milk and honey, alleluia.*



1. Di-xit Dóminus Dómino me-o: \* Sede a dextris me- is:

*The Lord said to my Lord: \* Sit thou at my right hand:*

2. Donec ponam inimícos tuos, \* scabéllum pedum tuórum.

*Until I make thy enemies \* thy footstool.*

Reader Matthew Lacey brought to our attention a new web site, *Breviárum Gregoriánum*, which offers all hours of the Extraordinary Form Breviary set to chant notation. It's analogous to Benjamin Bloomfield's Chant Tools web site and app, except it's for the Divine Office instead of for Mass. Explore the site at: <https://breviariumgregorianum.com/>

## *A Big Book of Little Offices*

Rather timely given our recent columns about the various Little Offices, the anonymous Benedictine Oblate behind the web site [www.lobvm.com](http://www.lobvm.com) has released the 687 page *A Big Book of Little Offices*. As the name implies, it is a collection of numerous Little Offices, far more than just the few which are enriched with a Partial Indulgence. A free PDF is currently available, and a printed edition is promised soon. Read about this project and download the book from this article at The New Liturgical Movement:

Comments? Ideas for a future column? Please e-mail [info@windsorlatinmass.org](mailto:info@windsorlatinmass.org). Previous columns are available at [www.windsorlatinmass.org](http://www.windsorlatinmass.org).

<https://www.newliturgicalmovement.org/2025/09/a-big-book-of-little-offices.html>

## Little Office of S. Barbara, Virgin and Martyr, for the Purpose of Asking for a Blessed Death

From the *Coeleste Palmetum* (1879 edition).

### Matins

Diffusa est gratia in labiis tuis: propterea benedixit te Deus in aeternum.  
✠ Domine, labia mea aperies.  
✠ Et os meum annuntiabit laudem tuam.  
✠ Deus, in adiutorium meum intende.  
✠ Domine, ad adjuvandum me festina.  
✠ Gloria Patri. Alleluia.

*A Septuagesima usque ad Pascha, loco Alleluia, dicitur:  
Laus tibi, Domine, Rex aeternae gloriae.*

### Hymnus

Fatalis o agonis  
Patrona Barbara,  
Coelestibus coronis,  
Gemmisque fulgida!  
Moerentis in novissimo  
Mors certa spiculo  
Sed, Virgo, te favente,  
Sum par periculo.

*Ant. Osee. 2. 19.* Sponsabo te mihi in sempiternum; et sponsabo te mihi in iustitia et iudicio, et in misericordia, et in miserationibus.  
✠ Ora pro nobis, sancta Virgo et Martyr Barbara.  
✠ Ut felix nobis sit mortis hora.

Oremus,

**I**NTERCESSIO, quaesumus, Domine, sanctae virginis et martyris tuae Barbarae nos adjuvet: ut qui ejus patrocinio in angustiis et necessitatibus nostris imploramus, auxilium quoque in hora potissimum mortis experiamur. Per Dominum nostrum.

✠ Domine, exaudi orationem meam.  
✠ Et clamor meus ad te veniat.  
✠ Benedicamus Domino.  
✠ Deo gratias.  
✠ Fidelium animae per misericordiam Dei requiescant in pace.  
✠ Amen.

### Prime

Diffusa est gratia in labiis tuis: propterea benedixit te Deus in aeternum.  
✠ Deus, in adiutorium meum intende.  
✠ Gloria Patri. Alleluia.

### Hymnus

Tu vincis innocenti  
Candore lilia,  
Per prata quae nitenti  
Stant lacte turgida.  
Da candido nitore  
Ut, Virgo, fulgeam,  
Castoque fac amore  
Ut purus ardeam.

*Ant. Cant. 8. 7.* Aquae multae non potuerunt extinguere charitatem, nec flumina obruent illam.  
✠ Ora pro nobis, etc. cum Oratione, ut supra.

### Terce

Diffusa est gratia in labiis tuis: propterea benedixit te Deus in aeternum.  
✠ Deus, in adiutorium.  
✠ Gloria Patri. Alleluia.

### Hymnus

Dum proprio cruore  
Asperas pingeris,

## *Christmas Concert at Old St. Mary's*

Many of the singers who sang at the now-discontinued First Friday Tridentine Masses at Old St. Mary's Church in Detroit are reuniting for a Christmas concert to be held there on Friday, December 12 at 7:00 PM. J.S. Bach's *Magnificat* and carols will be sung. There is no charge for admission, but a freewill offering may be made.

## *Saginaw Latin Mass "Paused"*

The Sunday 3:00 PM Tridentine Mass at Saginaw's Holy Family Church has been suspended by the pastor, Fr. Christopher Coman. Details of the reasons are sketchy, but all sources seem to agree that this has nothing to do with the bishop or the diocese, and that this is only a "pause" until a solution to a current difference of opinion satisfactory to all parties can be reached. Updates to the situation will be posted at:

<https://www.saginawlatinmass.org/index.html>

## *Tridentine Masses This Coming Week*

Tue. 12/02 7:00 PM: Low Mass at *St. Benedict/Holy Name of Mary, Windsor* (St. Bibiana, Virgin & Martyr)