

2021 LENT MIDWEEK WORSHIP
(based on Compline)

PRELUDE

WELCOME

OPENING

Almighty God grant us a quiet night **and peace at the last. Amen.**

It is good to give thanks to the Lord, **to sing praise to your name, O Most High;**
to herald your love in the morning, **your truth at the close of the day.**

NIGHT HYMN

1. "The Day You Gave Us, Lord, Has Ended" (ELW #569, vs. 1, 5)
2. "All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night" (ELW #565, vs. 1-2, 5)
3. "Now the Day Is Over" (ELW #570, vs. 1, 3, 6)
4. "God, Who Made the Earth and Heaven" (ELW #564, vs. 1-2)
5. "Joyous Light of Heavenly Glory" (ELW #561)

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Holy and gracious God,

I confess that I have sinned against you this day. Some of my sin I know—the thoughts and words and deeds of which I am ashamed—but some is known only to you. In the name of Jesus Christ I ask forgiveness. Deliver and restore me, that I may rest in peace.

By the mercy of God we are united with Jesus Christ, in whom we are forgiven. We rest now in the peace of Christ and rise in the morning to serve.

PSALM 119 (selections)

READINGS


1. Exodus 20:1-7; Exodus 32:1-20
2. Exodus 20:8-12; Matthew 5:17-20
3. Exodus 20:13-14; Matthew 5:21-30
4. Exodus 20:15-16; Ephesians 4:25—5:2
5. Exodus 20:17; Matthew 6: [19-24] 25-34

TEACHING AND REFLECTION

1. 1st and 2nd Commandments
2. 3rd and 4th Commandments
3. 5th and 6th Commandments
4. 7th and 8th Commandments
5. 9th and 10th Commandments

RESPONSE:

Into your hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit.



In - to your hands I com - mend my spir - it.

You have redeemed me, O Lord, God of truth.

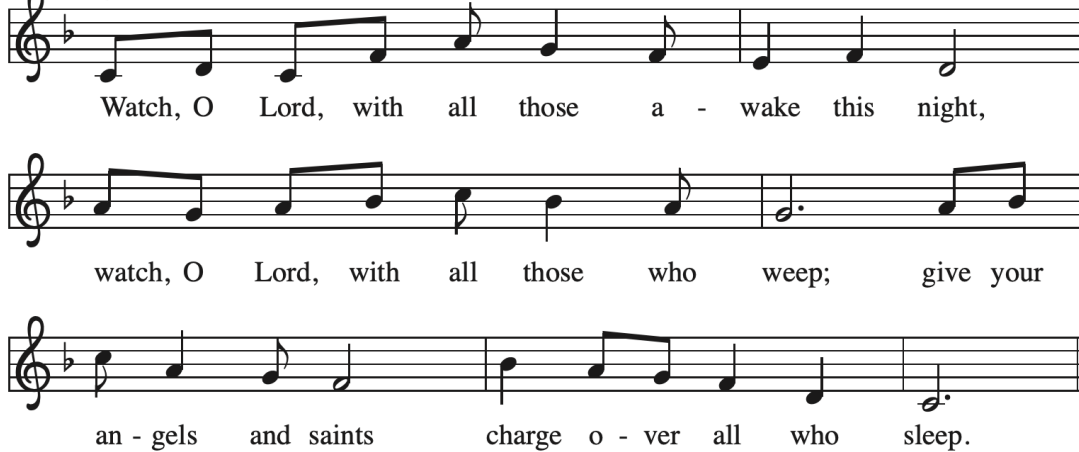
Into your hands I commend my spirit.

Glory to the Father, to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Into your hands, I commend my spirit.

PRAYERS: "Watch, O Lord" (ACS #996)

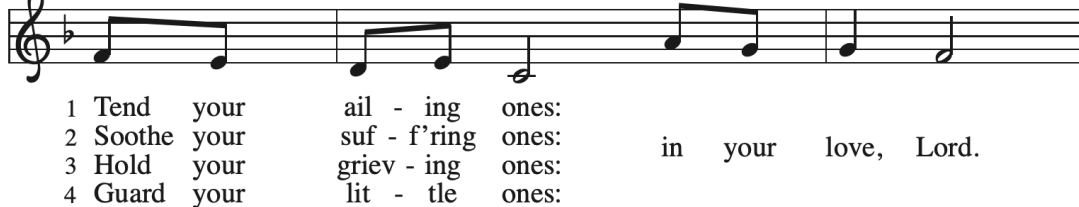
Refrain - All



Watch, O Lord, with all those a - wake this night,
 watch, O Lord, with all those who weep; give your
 an - gels and saints charge o - ver all who sleep.

Leader

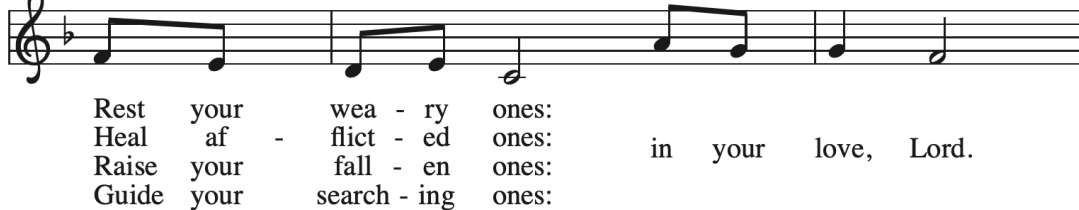
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1 Tend your ail - ing ones:
 2 Soothe your suf - f'ring ones:
 3 Hold your griev - ing ones:
 4 Guard your lit - tle ones:
 in your love, Lord.

Leader

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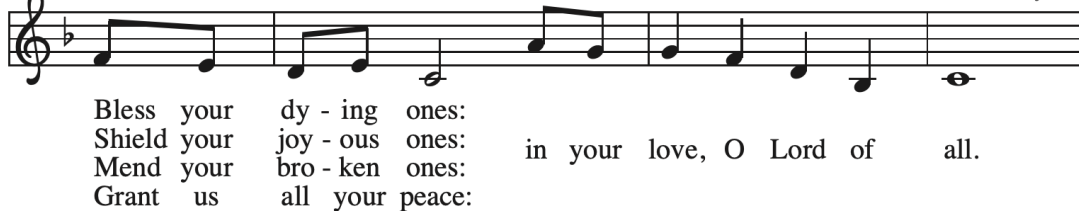


Rest your wea - ry ones:
 Heal af - flict - ed ones:
 Raise your fall - en ones:
 Guide your search - ing ones:
 in your love, Lord.

Leader

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Refrain



Bless your dy - ing ones:
 Shield your joy - ous ones:
 Mend your bro - ken ones:
 Grant us all your peace:
 in your love, O Lord of all.

Gracious God, we give you thanks for the day, especially for the good we were permitted to give and to receive; the day is now past and we commit it to you. We entrust to you the night; we rest securely, for you are our help, and you neither slumber nor sleep; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Let us bless the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Almighty and merciful God, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless, preserve, and keep us, this night and forevermore. **Amen.**

POSTLUDE

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