Liturgy of the Hours

Ordinary Time
Volume I

Benedictine Women of Madison
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Middleton, Wisconsin
Welcome to the Liturgy of the Hours

Welcome to the liturgy of the hours as practiced by the Benedictine Women of Madison.

We pray each day at morning, midday, and evening according to the monastic pattern of worship using hymns, psalms, scripture and prayer. We invite you to join us in prayer and to share with us in this ancient pattern of worship.

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Tuesday Midday
Week II

Call to prayer

Leader  O God, come to our assistance.

All     O God, make haste to help us.

Source of All Being,
Eternal Word, and Gentle Spirit,
we give praise to you,
and bless your name forever. Amen. Alleluia.

Hymn 29

Reading

Psalm 119:161-176

Solo    Rulers threaten for no cause,
        I fear only your word.
        I delight in your promise,
        it is my treasure.

Side 1  I despise deceit
        but love your law,
        and seven times a day
        I praise your justice.

Side 2  Great peace with no stumbling
        for those who love your law.
        I long for safety, God,
as I follow your commandments.
Side 1  I obey your decrees
       and revere them.
       I keep your laws,
       for you see all that I do.

Side 2  I rejoice before you, God,
       let your word bring me light.
       Hear my prayer,
       rescue me as you promised.

Side 1  May praise be on my lips,
       because you taught me your rule.
       May praise be on my tongue,
       because your commands are just.

Side 2  Reach out and lead me,
       I choose your path.
       I long to be safe, God,
       your law is my delight.

All  May I live to praise you,
       upheld by your word.
       If I stray like a lost sheep,
       seek out your servant,
       for I never forget your laws.

Stand

Source of All Being,
Eternal Word, and Gentle Spirit,
we give praise to you,
and bless your name forever. Amen.
Gospel

Oration

Dismissal

*Leader*  Let us go in peace.

*All*  And give God thanks.
Farther Than the Farthest Sun

1. Farther than the farthest sun, Nearer than our
   breath and thought, Un-created
   Three-in-One, Heart-beat of the
   world you wrought, God unknownable but
   known, Let us worship you alone!

2. Cloud of darkness, sea of light, Fire that left the
   bush unburned, Storm of glory
   on the height, Face unseen but
   earthward turned, Star that burned in eastern
   skies, Let us seek you with the wise!

3. Force that flings the distant spheres, Love that sets the
   heart aflame, Hand that spills the
   flow of years, Word that speaks a
   nameless Name, Life that after death endured.
   dures, God, O God, all praise be yours!

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