

Liturgy of the Hours

Ordinary Time **Volume II**

**Benedictine Women of Madison
Holy Wisdom Monastery
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 IV

Call to prayer

Leader O God, come to our assistance.

All O God, make haste to help us.

Praise God, the Abba bearing love;
Praise God the Servant from above;
Praise God, the Advocate we share;
O triune God, receive our prayer. Amen. Alleluia.

Hymn 7

Reading

Psalm 18:29-37, 45-51

Solo My God, you are my light,
a lamp for my darkness.
With strength from you, God,
I charge the enemy,
I climb their ramparts.

Side 1 God, your way is perfect,
your word is fire-tried.
You shield all who seek refuge.
Who is God but the Almighty?
Who is the rock but our God?

Side 2 Armed with your strength,
my way is sure.
You make me swift as a deer,
bounding over hills.
You train me for combat,
teach me to draw a mighty bow.

Side 1 You gave me your shield for victory,
supported me with your right hand,
made me strong with your might.
I march out boldly,
my stride is firm.

Side 2 They hear me and obey,
they cringe before me.
Exhausted and trembling,
they crawl out from hiding.

Side 1 God lives!
blessed be my rock,
the God who saves me,
the God of justice,
who makes the nations submit.
You humble my foes,
from the violent you rescue me.

Solo Among the nations I praise you,
sing your power and name.
You give great victory
to your anointed ruler,
you are faithful for all time
to the house of David.

Stand

All Praise God, the Abba bearing love;
Praise God the Servant from above;
Praise God, the Advocate we share;
O triune God, receive our prayer. Amen.

Gospel

Oration

Dismissal

Leader Let us go in peace.

All And give God thanks.

Welcome, Word of God

1. Wel - come, Word of God,
 2. Wel - come, Word of God,
 3. Wel - come, Word of God,
 4. Wel - come, Word of God!

seed of God's own sow - ing,
 glad - ly we re - ceive you!
 pa - tient - ly per - sist - ing,
 Yes, we have be - lieved you.

in the dark - ness and in si - lence
 Move from head to heart with - in us,
 thriv - ing in un - like - ly plac - es,
 May our ac - tions ev - er wit - ness

deep with - in us grow - ing.
 who by faith con - ceive you.
 thorns and rocks re - sist - ing!
 that we have re - ceived you.

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