

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 V**

Call to prayer

Leader O God, come to our assistance.

All O God, make haste to help us.

Praise be to the Author,
and to the Only-Begotten,
and to the Gift,
both now and forever. Amen. Alleluia.

Hymn 29

Reading

Psalm 55: 1-15, 17-23

Solo Listen, God, to my plea,
do not ignore my cry.
Listen and answer,
I shake with grief
at the furor of my enemies.
They threaten and attack me;
they shout out curses,
venting their anger against me.

Side 1 My heart is pounding,
I can feel the touch of death.
Terror holds me in its grip,
trembling seizes me.

Side 2 "If I had wings like a dove,
I would fly far and rest,
fly far away to the wilds
to escape the raging storm."

Side 1 Confuse their speech, God!
I see violence and strife
stalk their city walls both day and night.

Side 2 Evil and destruction
live in their midst;
oppression and deceit
never leave the public square.

Side 1 If my enemy insults me,
I can bear it;
if a foe rises against me,
I can hide myself.

Side 2 But it was you, my own friend,
the one I knew so well.
With you I could always talk,
even as we walked to the temple,
my companion amid the crowd.

Side 1 I call out to God who rescues me.
Morning, noon, and night
I plead my case.

Side 2 God hears my cry,
brings me to safety
when the battle is raging
and my foes are many.

Side 1 Enthroned forever,
God acts by humbling them
because they refuse to change;
they will not fear God.

Side 2 My friend turned traitor
and broke old promises,
spoke words smooth as butter
while intending war,
words that flowed like oil
but cut like a sword.

All Give your burden to God,
who will be your support.
If you are faithful,
God will not let you fall.

Stand

Praise be to the Author,
and to the Only-Begotten,
and to the Gift,
both now and forever. Amen.

Gospel

Oration

Dismissal

Leader Let us go in peace.

All And give God thanks.

Farther Than the Farthest Sun

1. Far - ther than the far - thest sun, Near - er than our
 2. Cloud of dark - ness, sea of light, Fire that left the
 3. Force that flings the dis - tant spheres, Love that sets the

breath and thought, Un - cre - a - ted
 bush un - burned, Storm of glo - ry
 heart a - flame, Hand that spills the

Three - in - One, Heart - beat of the
 on the height, Face un - seen but
 flow of years, Word that speaks a

world you wrought, God un - know - a - ble but
 earth - ward turned, Star that burned in east - ern
 name - less Name, Life that af - ter death en -

known, Let us wor - ship you a - lone!
 skies, Let us seek you with the wise!
 dures, God, O God, all praise be yours!

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