



# SATURDAY MORNING HYMNS & PRAYER

15<sup>th</sup> April 2023

## PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Now the green blade rises from the buried grain,  
wheat that in dark earth many days has lain;  
Love lives again, that with the dead has been;  
Love is come again, like wheat that springs up green.

In the grave they laid him, love by hatred slain,  
thinking that never he would wake again,  
laid in the earth like grain that sleeps unseen;  
Love is come again, like wheat that springs up green.

Forth he came at Easter, like the risen grain,  
he that for three days in the grave had lain;  
raised from the dead, my risen Lord is seen;  
Love is come again, like wheat the springs up green.

When our hearts are wintry, grieving or in pain,  
your touch can call us back to life again,  
fields of our hearts that dead and bare have been:  
Love is come again, like wheat that springs up green.

## Responsorial Psalm

*R. I praise you, Lord, for you have answered me.*

## COMMUNION RELECTION

*Refrain: Lift up your hearts to the Lord, praise God's gracious mercy!  
Sing out your joy to the Lord, whose love is enduring.*

1. Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth!  
Praise the name above all names!  
Say to God, "How wondrous your works,  
how glorious your name!"
2. Let the earth worship, singing your praise.  
Praise the glory of your name!  
Come and see the deeds of the Lord,  
bless God's holy name!

3. God's right hand made a path through the night,  
Split the waters of the sea.  
All creation, lift up your voice:  
our God set us free.

4. Listen now, all you servants of God,  
As I tell of these great works.  
Blessed be the Lord of my life,  
whose love shall endure!

### **RECESSIONAL HYMN**

1. Hail, holy Queen enthroned above,  
O Maria.  
Hail, Queen of mercy and of love,  
O Maria.  
Triumph, all ye cherubim,  
sing with us, ye seraphim,  
heav'n and earth resound the hymn:  
Salve, salve, salve, Regina.

2. The cause of joy to all below,  
O Maria.  
The spring through which all graces  
flow, O Maria.  
Angles, all your praises bring,  
earth and heaven with us sing,  
all creation echoing:  
Salve, salve, salve, Regina.

3. O gentle, loving, holy one, O Maria.  
The God of light became your Son, O Maria.  
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### **Saturday Morning Marian Prayer**

With the Virgin Mary, our souls proclaim the greatness of the Lord and our spirits exult with joy in Jesus our Saviour.

Because you have looked with favour, upon your lowly handmaid.

Because the power of your love has done great things for her.

Because your mercy reaches from age to age to all who worship you.

Because you show the power of your arm and scatter the proud of heart.

Because you cast down princes from their thrones and exalt the lowly.

Because you fill the hungry with good things and send the rich away empty.

Because you are mindful of the mercy promised to our fathers, to Abraham and to his descendants forever.

We pray to you, God our Father:

Give us souls of praise like that of the Virgin Mary,

souls that know how to marvel at your love and find joy in telling you,

"Thanks!"



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