

Communion Antiphon for Divine Worship

Primum quærite (Mth. 6:33)

Comm. VIII
SEEK ye first * the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added
un-to you, saith the Lord.

Plainsong Gradual

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SEek ye first of all * the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be
added unto you, saith the Lord.

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PRI-MUM quaéri- te * regnum De- i, et ó-mni- a adjí-ci- éntur vo- bis,
di- cit Dómi- nus.

Psalm Tone

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One or more psalm verses and a Glory Be may be alternated with the antiphon.

Ps. 37:1,3,16,18,19,27-30,34

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Fret not thy-self because of the un-god-ly : neither be thou envi-ous a-*gainst* the ev-il-do-ers.

3. Put thou thy trust in the Lord, *and* be *do*-ing good : dwell in the land, and ver-*i*-ly thou shalt be fed.
16. A small thing *that* the *right*-eous hath : is better than great riches of the ungodly.¹
18. The Lord knoweth the *days* of the *god*-ly : and their inheritance *shall* endure for ev-er.
19. They shall not be confounded in *the* peri-*lous* time : and in the days of *dearth* they shall have e-nough.
27. Flee from evil, and do *the* thing *that* is good : - | *and* dwell for ev-er-more.
28. For the Lord loveth *the* thing that *is* right : he forsaketh not his that be godly, but they are pre-*ser*-vèd for ever.
29. The unrighteous *shall* be *pun*-ishèd : as for the seed of the ungodly, it *shall* be rooted out.
30. The righteous shall *in*-herit *the* land : - | *and dwell* therein for ev-er.
34. Hope thou in the Lord, and keep his way, and *he* shall pro-*mote* thee : that thou *shalt* possess the land.

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Glo-ry be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the be-ginning, is now, and ever shall be, world with-out end. Amen.

1 great riches of the ungod-ly.