

Jeremiah 33:14-18

¹⁴Behold, the days are coming,' says the LORD, 'that I will perform that good thing which I have promised to the house of Israel and to the house of Judah: ¹⁵In those days and at that time I will cause to grow up to David A Branch of righteousness; He shall execute judgment and righteousness in the earth. ¹⁶In those days Judah will be saved, And Jerusalem will dwell safely. And this *is the name* by which she will be called: THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS.' ¹⁷For thus says the LORD: 'David shall never lack a man to sit on the throne of the house of Israel; ¹⁸nor shall the priests, the Levites, lack a man to offer burnt offerings before Me, to kindle grain offerings, and to sacrifice continually.'

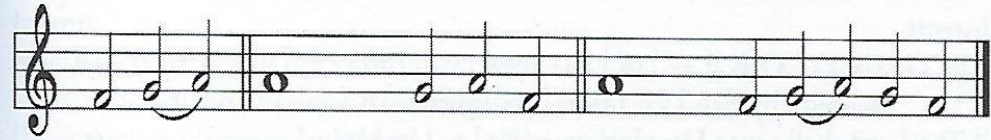
Romans 13:11-14

¹¹And *do* this, knowing the time, that now *it is* high time to awake out of sleep; for now our salvation *is* nearer than when we *first* believed. ¹²The night is far spent, the day is at hand. Therefore let us cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armor of light. ¹³Let us walk properly, as in the day, not in revelry and drunkenness, not in lewdness and lust, not in strife and envy. ¹⁴But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to *fulfill its* lusts.

Matthew 21:1-9

¹Now when they drew near Jerusalem, and came to Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, then Jesus sent two disciples, ²saying to them, "Go into the village opposite you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her. Loose *them* and bring *them* to Me. ³"And if anyone says anything to you, you shall say, 'The Lord has need of them,' and immediately he will send them." ⁴All this was done that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet, saying: ⁵"Tell the daughter of Zion, 'Behold, your King is coming to you, Lowly, and sitting on a donkey, A colt, the foal of a donkey.'" ⁶So the disciples went and did as Jesus commanded them. ⁷They brought the donkey and the colt, laid their clothes on them, and set *Him* on them. ⁸And a very great multitude spread their clothes on the road; others cut down branches from the trees and spread *them* on the road. ⁹Then the multitudes who went before and those who followed cried out, saying: "Hosanna to the Son of David! 'Blessed *is* He who comes in the name of the LORD!' Hosanna in the highest!"

THE FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT (VIOLET) PSALMS I (MATINS)/143 (VESPERS)



Introit

Ant. UN-TO || Thee, O Lord, do I lift | up | my | soul:
O my God, | I | trust | in | Thee;

|| Let me not be | a- | sham- | ed:
let not mine enemies tri- | umph | o- | ver | me;

|| Yea, let none that | wait | on | Thee:
be | — | a- | sham- | ed.

Psalm. || Show me Thy | ways, | O | Lord:
teach | — | me | Thy | paths.

GLO- RY || be to the Father and | to | the | Son:
and to | the | Ho- | ly | Ghost.

AS IT || was in the beginning, is now, and ev- | er | shall | be:
world with | out | end. | A- | men. (*Ant. repeated.*)

Collect

Stir up, we beseech Thee, Thy power; O Lord, and come, that by Thy protection we may be rescued from the threatening perils of our sins, and saved by Thy mighty deliverance; who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

Epistle: Romans 13:11–14

Gospel: Matthew 21:1–9

Additional reading: Jeremiah 33:14–18

Gradual

|| All they that | wait | for | Thee:
shall not be | a- | shamed, - | O | Lord.

|| Show me Thy | ways, | O | LORD:
teach | — | me- | Thy | paths.

|| Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Show us Thy mer- | cy, | O | LORD:*
and grant us Thy salvation. | Hal- | le- | lu- | jah.

1st Sunday in Advent

1. Savior of the Heathen, Come

From the Latin of Ambrosius
Dr. Martin Luther, 1524 ab

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Erfurt Enchiridion, 1524

1. Sav - ior of the heath - en, come, Vir - gin's Son, here
2. Not by hu - man flesh and blood, By the Spi - rit
3. Though the vir - gin was with child, Chas - ti - ty proved

make Thy home; Won - der at it, heav'n and earth,
of our God Was the Word of God made flesh -
un - de - filed; Many a vir - tue rare forth shone,

That the Lord chose such a birth.
Wo - man's blos - som, sweet and fresh.
God was there up - on His throne. A - men.

4. From the Father forth He came,
And returned unto the same,
Down to hell He went alone,
And again to God's high throne.

6. Lord, Thy manger is so bright,
Night sends forth a novel light;
Darkness must not enter there,
Faith abides in light fore'er.

5. Thou, the Father's equal, win
Victory in the flesh o'er sin,
By Thy strength divine, O Lord,
Help to our frail flesh afford.

Δ7. Praise to God the Father sing,
Praise to God the Son, our King,
Praise to God the Spirit be
Ever and eternally.