

Prayer During the Day on Monday

Preparation

O God, make speed to save us.

O Lord, make haste to help us.

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart
be acceptable in your sight, O Lord,
my strength and my redeemer.

Psalm 19.14

Praise

A hymn, song, canticle, extempore praise or

I bind unto myself today
the strong name of the Trinity,
by invocation of the same,
the Three in One, and One in Three.
Of whom all nature hath creation;
eternal Father, Spirit, Word:
Praise to the Lord of my salvation,
salvation is of Christ the Lord.

from St Patrick's Breastplate

The Word of God

Psalm

- 1 When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion, •
then were we like those who dream.
- 2 Then was our mouth filled with laughter •
and our tongue with songs of joy.
- 3 Then said they among the nations, •
'The Lord has done great things for them.'
- 4 The Lord has indeed done great things for us, •
and therefore we rejoiced. **R**
- 5 Restore again our fortunes, O Lord, •
as the river beds of the desert.
- 6 Those who sow in tears •
shall reap with songs of joy.

7 Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed, •
will come back with shouts of joy,
bearing their sheaves with them.

Psalm 126

The psalm may end with

**Glory to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning is now
and shall be for ever. Amen.**

Bible Reading(s)

Response

Silence, study, song, or words from Scripture, such as
Jesus said, I am the true vine.

My Father is glorified by this, that you bear much fruit.

John 15.1a,8

Prayers

Eternal light, shine into our hearts,
eternal goodness, deliver us from evil,
eternal power, be our support,
eternal wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance,
eternal pity, have mercy upon us;
that with all our heart and mind and soul and strength
we may seek your face and be brought by your infinite mercy
to your holy presence;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Alcuin of York (804)

The Lord's Prayer is said.

The Conclusion

May God bless the work of our hands.

Amen.