# **MP EASTER Sunday 2014**



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Misericordias: I will sing of the Lord's mercy for ever

Misericordias Domini in aeternum cantabo. Misericordias Domini in aeternum cantabo.

Confitemini Domino quoniam bonus Quoniam in aeternum misericordia ejus. Misericordias Domini in aeternum cantabo. Misericordias Domini in aeternum cantabo.

Gloria Patri et Filio et Spiritui Sancto Gloria Patri et Filio et Spiritui Sancto Misericordias Domini in aeternum cantabo. Misericordias Domini in aeternum cantabo.

Sicut erat in principio et nunc et simper, Et in saecula saeculorum. Amen. Misericordias Domini in aeternum cantabo. Misericordias Domini in aeternum cantabo.

### Let us pray

God of the promise to Abraham, and of the Covenant with Moses, you have triumphed in the raising of Christ from the dead. Let us and all your people be filled with hope as we recount your mighty deeds and thank you Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Psalm 102



My soul give thanks, thanks to the Lord, All my being bless his holy name.

My soul give thanks, thanks to the Lord,

never forget, never forget, never forget all his blessings.

### The love of the Lord, the everlasting love blesses us all.

The Lord is compassion and he is love, Slow to anger and rich in mercy. The Lord fills your life with all that is good,

Renewing your strength, crowning your love, Never forget all his blessings.

The love of the Lord, the everlasting love blesses us all.

Glory to the Father, glory to the only Son, glory to the Holy Spirit now and for evermore, now and for ever.

The love of the Lord, the everlasting love blesses us all.

Short reading Acts 10:40-43

God raised Jesus to life on the third day and allowed him to be seen, not by the whole people but only by certain witnesses God had chosen beforehand. Now we are those witnesses – we have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead – and he has ordered us to proclaim this to his people and to tell them that God has appointed him to judge everyone, alive or dead. It is to him that all the prophets bear this witness: that all who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name.

### Canticle Benedictus verse 4

And you, my child, are favoured by the Most High: you shall be called a prophet of our God. You shall go forth as herald from the Lord, and shall prepare the ways on which he comes. You shall make known the wonders of salvation to everyone called chosen by the Lord.

#### Intercessions

Let us pray to Christ, the source of life.

God raised him from the dead; in turn, he will raise us to life by his power.

We cry out to him: - Christ, our life, save us.

Christ, you are the lightning that flashes across the darkness, the prince of life, the sanctifier of all that is mortal:

may we praise you by the way we live. - Christ, our life, save us.

Lord, you trod the path of the Passion and the Cross: grant that we, suffering and dying with you, may also be resurrected with you. – *Christ, our life, save us.* 

Son of the Father, our teacher and our brother, you have made us a royal priesthood for our God: may we joyfully offer you a sacrifice of praise. – *Christ, our life, save us.* 

King of glory, we look forward to the day when you come again to show us your face and let us be like you. - Christ, our life, save us.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Taize Gloria Gloria, gloria gloria Patri et Filio, gloria, gloria, gloria Spiritui Sancto.

On this day, Lord God, you opened for us the way to eternal life through your only Son's victory over death. Grant that as we celebrate the feast of his resurrection we may be renewed by your Holy Spirit and may rise again in the light of life. We make our prayer through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

May the Lord bless us and keep us from all harm; and may he lead us to eternal life. **AMEN** 

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