SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

INTROIT

Exaudi, Domine ... tibi dixit Ps 27 (26): 7, 8, 9

Psalm 27 (26)

1. The LORD is my light and my salvation; *
   whom shall I fear?

   The LORD is the stronghold of my life; *
   whom should I dread?

2. When those who do evil draw near *
   to devour my flesh,

   it is they, my enemies and foes, *
   who stumble and fall.
3. Though an army encamp against me, *
   my heart would not fear.

Though war break out against me, *
   even then would I trust.

Glory be to the Father ...

OFFERTORY (Option 1)

*Ascendit Deus*  
*Ps 47 (46): 6*

GOD has gone up * amidst shouts of joy, the*

Lord to the sound of the trumpet, al-le-lu-ia.

Psalm 47 (46)

1. All peoples, clap your hands. *
   Cry to God with shouts of joy!

   For the LORD, the Most High, is awesome, *
   the great king over all the earth.

2. He humbles peoples under us *
   and nations under our feet.

   Our heritage he chose for us, *
   the pride of Jacob whom he loves.

3. God goes up with shouts of joy. *
   The LORD goes up with trumpet blast.

   Sing praise for God; sing praise! *
   Sing praise to our king; sing praise!
4. God is king of all the earth. *
   Sing praise with all your skill.
   God reigns over the nations. *
   God sits upon his holy throne.

5. The princes of the peoples are assembled *
   with the people of the God of Abraham.
   The rulers of the earth belong to God, *
   who is greatly exalted.

OFFERTORY (Option 2)

Viri Galilæi

Acts 1: 11

MEN of Galil-ee, * why do you gaze at the sky in astonishment? * This same Je-sus who was taken up from you into heaven, will come by the very way in which you saw him go into hea-ven, al-le-lu-ia.

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   The LORD goes up with trumpet blast.
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   Sing praise to our king; sing praise!

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   Sing praise with all your skill.
   God reigns over the nations.*
   God sits upon his holy throne.

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   with the people of the God of Abraham.
   The rulers of the earth belong to God,*
   who is greatly exalted.

COMMUNION

Pater, cum essem

Jn 17: 12, 13, 15

Ather, when I was amongst them, * I kept those
whom you had given me, al-le-lu-ia; * but now I am
coming to you; I do not ask you to take them out
of the world, but to keep them from ev-il, al-le-lu-ia,
al-le-lu-ia.
Psalm 122 (121)

1. I rejoiced when they said to me,*
   “Let us go to the house of the LORD.”
   And now our feet are standing* within your gates, O Jerusalem.

2. Jerusalem is built as a city*
   bonded as one together.
   It is there that the tribes go up,*
   the tribes of the LORD.

3. For Israel’s witness it is*
   to praise the name of the LORD.
   There were set the thrones for judgment,*
   the thrones of the house of David.

4. For the peace of Jerusalem pray,*
   “May they prosper, those who love you.”
   May peace abide in your walls,*
   and security be in your towers.

5. For the sake of my family and friends,*
   let me say, “Peace upon you.”
   For the sake of the house of the LORD, our God,*
   I will seek good things for you.

   Glory be to the Father ...
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