

Evening Prayer.

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people; and for the restoration of peace to them, and to the world, now visited with the calamities of war. Vouchsafe thy assistance to his Fleets and Armies. Be thou their shield in the day of Battle, and crown their exertions with victory. Thy judgments are abroad, may the Inhabitants of the earth learn righteousness. And when thou hast performed thy whole work on a degenerate world, in reclaiming those who have forsaken thee, and conyincing them there is a God who ruleth and judgeth the earth, may the blessings of amity and peace succeed the horrors of discord. And may our gracious Sovereign, according to his benevolent disposition, be a happy instrument in thy hand, of accomplishing thy merciful purpose, and of diffusing those blessings. Hear us, O Lord, and grant these our petitions for Jesus Christ his sake. Amen.

¶ *Then the Minister shall dismiss the Congregation, with the usual Benediction* [The peace of God which passeth all understanding].

Order for Evening Prayer.

¶ *Let the Minister read the Sentences of Scripture appointed for Morning Prayer; and after them the Exhortation—Dearly beloved Brethren, &c.*

¶ *Proper Psalms, XXXVII, CXXI, CXXIV:*

¶ *First Lesson, II Chron. XX. 1—24.*

¶ *The Magnificat*

¶ *Second Lesson, I Corinth. X. 1 to the end of verse 13.*

¶ *God*