

¶ *The Absolution or Remission of sins, to be pronounced by the Minister alone.*

ALMIGHTY God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who desireth not the death of a sinner, but rather that he may turn from his wickedness and live; and hath given power, and commandment to his Ministers, to declare and pronounce to his people, being penitent, the Absolution and Remission of their sins: He pardoneth and absolveth all them that truly repent, and unfeignedly believe his holy Gospel. Wherefore let us beseech him to grant us true repentance, and his holy Spirit, that those things may please him, which we do at this present, and that the rest of our life hereafter may be pure and holy; so that at the last we may come to his eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

OUR Father which 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 them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, The power, and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen.

O Lord, open thou our lips.

Peo. And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

Min. O God, make speed to save us.

Peo. O Lord, make haste to help us.

Min. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost.

Peo. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Min. Praise ye the Lord.

Peo. The Lord's Name be praised.

¶ *Then shall be sung a Hymn, after which the Ten Commandments shall be rehearsed. Then may be said the following by the Minister and people.*

Venite, exultemus Domino.

O COME, let us sing unto the Lord: let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation.

Peo. Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving: and shew ourselves glad in him with Psalms.