

Morning Prayer.

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Preserve us from all terror by night : and from the arrow that flieth by day. — v. 5.

From the pestilence that walketh in darkness : and from the sickness that destroyeth in the noonday. — v. 6.

Give Thy holy Angels charge of us : to keep us in all our ways. — v. 11.

Let no evil happen to us : nor any plague come nigh our dwelling. — v. 10.

Our soul patiently tarrieth for the Lord : for He is our help and shield. Psalm xxxiii. 10.

Let Thy merciful kindness, O Lord, be upon us : like as we do put our trust in Thee. — v. 21.

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

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

¶ Proper Psalms, VI. XXXII. XXXIX.

¶ First Lesson, Isaiah, LVIII.

¶ Te Deum laudamus.

¶ Second Lesson, St. Luke, XIII. to v. 10.

¶ Benedictus, the Creed, &c.

¶ Instead of the Collect for the Day, the two following shall be used.

MOST gracious Father and God, who hast promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto Thee, look down, we beseech Thee, from Heaven, Thy dwelling place, upon us Thy unworthy Servants, who, under an awful apprehension of Thy judgements, and a deep conviction of our own sinfulness, prostrate ourselves before Thee. Have pity, O Lord, have pity on Thy people, and remove from every part of the United Kingdom, and keep far away from ourselves, that grievous disease, against which our only security is in Thy compassion. We confess with shame and contrition, that, in the pride and hardness of our hearts, we have shewn ourselves unthankful for Thy mercies, and have followed our own imaginations instead of Thy holy laws. Yet cast us not away, O Lord, in displeasure, but give us time for consideration and repentance, so that receiving Thy fatherly correction with meekness, and turning from our evil ways, we may be preserved in body and soul by Thy mighty protection, through the merits of our only Mediator and Advocate Jesus Christ. Amen.