Psalm 31
31:1 Blessed are those whose iniquities are forgiven * and whose sins are covered.
31:2 Blessed is the man to whom the Lord hath not imputed sin, * and in whose spirit there is no guile.
31:3 Because I was silent my bones grew old; * whilst I cried out all the day long.
31:4 For day and night thy hand was heavy upon me: * I am turned in my anguish, whilst the thorn is fastened.
31:5 I have acknowledged my sin to thee, * and my injustice I have not concealed.
31:6 I said I will confess against myself my injustice to the Lord: * and thou hast forgiven the wickedness of my sin.
31:7 For this shall every one that is holy pray to thee * in a seasonable time.
31:8 And yet in a flood of many waters, * they shall not come nigh unto him.
31:9 Thou art my refuge from the trouble which hath encompassed me: * my joy, deliver me from them that surround me.
31:10 I will give thee understanding, and I will instruct thee in this way, in which thou shalt go: * I will fix my eyes upon thee.
31:11 Do not become like the horse and the mule, * who have no understanding.
31:12 With bit and bridle bind fast their jaws, * who come not near unto thee.
31:13 Many are the scourges of the sinner, * but mercy shall encompass him that hopeth in the Lord.
31:14 Be glad in the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Spirit.
R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Psalm 37
37:1 Rebuke me not, O Lord, in thy indignation; * nor chastise me in thy wrath.
37:2 For thy arrows are fastened in me: * and thy hand hath been strong upon me.
37:3 There is no health in my flesh, because of thy wrath: * there is no peace for my bones, because of my sins.
37:4 For my iniquities are gone over my head: * and as a heavy burden are become heavy upon me.
37:5 My sores are putrified and corrupted, * because of my foolishness.
37:6 I am become miserable, and am bowed down even to the end: * I walked sorrowful all the day long.
37:7 For my loins are filled with illusions; * and there is no health in my flesh.
37:8 I am afflicted and humbled exceedingly: * I roared with the groaning of my heart.
37:9 Lord, all my desire is before thee, * and my groaning is not hidden from thee.
37:10 My heart is troubled, my strength hath left me, * and the light of my eyes itself is not with me.
37:12 My friends and my neighbours * have drawn near, and stood against me.
37:13 And they that were near me stood afar off: * and they that sought my soul used violence.
37:14 And they that sought evils to me spoke vain things, * and studied deceit all the day long.
37:15 But I, as a deaf man, heard not: * and as a dumb man not opening his mouth.
37:16 And I became as a man that heareth not: * and that hath no reproofs in his mouth.
37:17 For in thee, O Lord, have I hoped: * thou wilt hear me, O Lord my God.
37:18 For I said: Lest at any time my enemies rejoice over me: * and whilst my feet are moved, they speak great things against me.
37:19 For I am ready for scourges: * and my sorrow is continually before me.
37:20 For I will declare my iniquity: * and I will think for my sin.
37:21 But my enemies live, and are stronger than I: * and they that hate me wrongfully are multiplied.
37:22 They that render evil for good, have detraeted me, * because I followed goodness.
37:23 Forsake me not, O Lord my God: * do not thou depart from me.
37:23 Attend unto my help, * O Lord, the God of my salvation.
V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Spirit.
R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Psalm 50
50:1 Have mercy on me, O God, * according to thy great mercy.
50:2 And according to the multitude of thy tender mercies * blot out my iniquity.
50:3 Wash me yet more from my iniquity, * and cleanse me from my sin.
50:4 For I know my iniquity, * and my sin is always before me.
50:5 To thee only have I sinned, and have done evil before thee: * that thou mayst be justified in thy words, and mayst overcome when thou art judged.
50:6 For behold I was conceived in iniquities; * and in sins did my mother conceive me.
50:7 For behold thou hast loved truth: * the uncertain things did my mother conceive me.
50:8 Thou shalt sprinkle me with hyssop, and I shall be cleansed: * thou shalt wash me, and I shall be made whiter than snow.
50:9 To my hearing thou shalt give joy and gladness: * and the bones that have been humbled shall rejoice.
50:10 Turn away thy face from my sins, * and blot out all my iniquities.
Psalm 101

101:13 But thou, O Lord, endurest for ever: * and thy memorial to all generations.  
101:14 Thou shalt arise and have mercy on Sion: * for it is time to have mercy on it, for the time is come.  
101:15 For the stones thereof have pleased thy servants: * and they shall have pity on the earth thereof.  
101:16 And the Gentiles shall fear thy name, O Lord, * and all the kings of the earth thy glory.  
101:17 For the Lord hath built up Sion: * and he shall be seen in his glory.  
101:18 He hath had regard to the prayer of the humble: * and he hath not despised their petition.  
101:19 Let these things be written unto another generation: * and the people that shall be created shall praise the Lord:  
101:20 Because he hath looked forth from his high sanctuary: * from heaven the Lord hath looked upon the earth.  
101:21 That he might hear the groans of them that are in fetters: * that he might release the children of the slain:  
101:22 That they may declare the name of the Lord in Sion: * and his praise in Jerusalem;  
101:23 When the people assemble together, * and kings, to serve the Lord.  
101:24 He answered him in the way of his strength: * Declare unto me the fewness of my days.  
101:25 Call me not away in the midst of my days: * and of my years let there be no tear.  
101:26 In the beginning, O Lord, thou foundedest the earth: * and the heavens are the works of thy hands.  
101:27 They shall perish but thou remainest: * and all of them shall grow old like a garment:  
101:28 And as a vesture thou shalt change them, and they shall be changed. * But thou art always the same, and thy years shall not fail.  
101:29 The children of thy servants shall continue: * and their seed shall be directed for ever.  
101:30 And they shall be numbered: * and thou shalt not fail.  
101:31 The Lord will come again, and all flesh shall see that it is he. * For he shall come in judgment: and he shall be a witness for the Lord, and a Namen for the Gentiles.  
101:32 And the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea.  
R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, * world without end. Amen.

Psalm 129

129:1 Out of the depths I have cried to thee, O Lord: * Lord, hear my voice.  
129:2 Let thy ears be attentive * to the voice of my supplication.  
129:3 If thou, O Lord, wilt mark iniquities: * Lord, who shall stand it.  
129:4 For with thee there is merciful forgiveness: * and by reason of thy law, I have waited for thee, O Lord.  
129:5 My soul hath relied on his word: * my soul hath hoped in the Lord.  
129:6 From the morning watch even until night, * let Israel hope in the Lord.  
129:7 Because with the Lord there is mercy: * and with him plentiful redemption.  
129:8 And he shall redeem Israel * from all his iniquities.  
V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Spirit.  
R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, * world without end. Amen.

(The Litany of Saints follows)