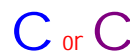


**The Sunday nearest 7  
December**



Book of Common Prayer (1979)

**Second Sunday of Advent**

**Part 1. English Rite I**

**Introit**

Populus Sion

Cf. Isaiah 30:19,30,29/Psalm 80:1

People of Sion, behold, the Lord shall come to redeem the nations, and in the gladness of your heart he shall cause his glorious voice to be heard. *Psalm*. Hear, O thou Shepherd of Israel, thou that leadest Joseph like a flock. *Gloria Patri*.

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

When the Ministers have taken their places, the following may be said or sung, standing, kneeling, or in procession

**The Decalogue and Penitential Order**

God spake these words, and said:

I am the Lord thy God who brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. Thou shalt have none other gods but me.

*Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Thou shalt not make to thyself any graven image, nor the likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or in the earth beneath, or in the water under the earth; thou shalt not bow down to them, nor worship them.

*Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Thou shalt not take the Name of the Lord thy God in vain.

*Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Remember that thou keep holy the Sabbath day.

*Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Honour thy father and thy mother.

*Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Thou shalt do no murder.

*Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Thou shalt not commit adultery.

*Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Thou shalt not steal.

*Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour.

*Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.*

Thou shalt not covet.  
*Lord, have mercy upon us, and write all these thy laws in our hearts, we beseech thee.*

The Celebrant may read one of the following sentences

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

[Matthew 22:37-40](#)

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us; but if we confess our sins, God is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

[1 John 1:8,9](#)

Seeing that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.

[Hebrews 4:14,16](#)

The Deacon or Celebrant then says

Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

Silence may be kept. Either of the following two forms may be used.

Minister and People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. *Amen.*

or this

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep, we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts, we have offended against thy holy laws, we have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, spare thou those who confess their faults, restore thou those who are penitent, according to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord; and grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of thy holy Name. *Amen.*

The Bishop when present, or the Priest, stands and says

The Almighty and merciful Lord grant you absolution and remission of all your sins, true

repentance, amendment of life, and the grace and consolation of his Holy Spirit. *Amen.*

The service continues with the Kyrie eleison or the Trisagion in the setting of the Mass.

## Collect

Merciful God, who sent thy messengers the prophets to preach repentance and prepare the way for our salvation: Give us grace to heed their warnings and forsake our sins, that we may greet with joy the coming of Jesus Christ our Redeemer; who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

**Lesson A** Isaiah 11:1-10

**B** Isaiah 40:1-11

**C** Baruch 5:1-9

## Gradual

Ex Sion species

Psalm 50:2/5

Out of Sion hath God appeared in perfect beauty. *Verse.* Gather my saints together unto me; those that have made a covenant with me with sacrifice.

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

**Epistle A** Romans 15:4-13

**B** 2 Peter 3:8-15a

**C** Philippians 1:1-11

## Alleluia

Lætatus sum

Psalm 122:1

Alleluia, alleluia. *Verse.* I was glad when they said unto me, "We will go into the house of the Lord. Alleluia.

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

**The Holy Gospel** **A** Matthew 3:1-12

**B** Mark 1:1-8

**C** Luke 3:1-6

## Nicene Creed

### Collect after the Prayers of the People

O Lord Jesus Christ, who at thy first coming didst warn us to prepare for the day when thou shalt come to be our judge: Mercifully grant that being awake from the sleep of sin, we may always be watching and intent upon the work thou hast given us to do; who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. *Amen.*

Prayers for every occasion (1974), no. 7 (W.E. Scudamore)

## Offertory

Psalm 85:6,7

## Deus tu convertens

Wilt thou not turn again and quicken us, O God, that thy people may rejoice in thee? Show us thy mercy, O Lord, and grant us thy salvation.

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

### Secret

Accept, O Lord, we beseech thee, the prayers and sacrifices of thy humble servants; and, though we can plead no merits of our own, be pleased to come to our aid; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Catholic missal (1935), Second Sunday of Advent, slightly altered

### Preface of Advent

#### Communion

Jerusalem surge

Baruch 5:5: 4:36

Arise, O Jerusalem, and stand on high, and behold the joy that cometh unto thee from thy God.

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

Years A & B

Year C

#### Postcommunion Collect

Filled with the food of spiritual nourishment, we beseech thee, O Lord, that by partaking of this mystery, we may learn to turn aside from the things of earth, and long for the things of heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Catholic missal (1935), Second Sunday of Advent, slightly altered

#### Postcommunion Collect

O Almighty Father, fountain of light and salvation, we adore thine infinite goodness in sending thy only begotten Son into the world that, believing in him, we may not perish but have everlasting life; and we pray thee that, through the grace of his first advent to save the world, we may be ready to meet him at his second advent to judge the world; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Prayers for every occasion (1974), no. 5 (William Walsam How)

### Solemn Blessing

May Almighty God, by whose providence our Saviour Christ came among us in great humility, sanctify you with the light of his blessing and set you free from all sin. *Amen.*

May he whose second Coming in power and great glory we await, make you steadfast in faith, joyful in hope, and constant in love. *Amen.*

May you, who rejoice in the first Advent of our Redeemer, at his second Advent be rewarded with unending life. *Amen.*

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.*

[The Book of occasional services \(1991\)](#)

## Part 2. English Rite II

### Introit

Populus Sion

Cf. Isaiah 30:19,30,29/Psalm 80:1

People in Zion, the Lord will come and save the nations, and in gladness of heart you will hear the majestic voice of God. *Psalm.* Hear, O Shepherd of Israel, leading Joseph like a flock.  
*Gloria Patri.*

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

*When the Ministers have taken their places, the following may be said or sung, standing, kneeling, or in procession*

### The Decalogue and Penitential Order

Hear the commandments of God to his people:

I am the Lord your God who brought you out of bondage. You shall have no other gods but me.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

You shall not make for yourself any idol.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

You shall not invoke with malice the Name of the Lord your God.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

Remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

Honor your father and your mother.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

You shall not commit murder.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

You shall not commit adultery.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

You shall not steal.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

You shall not be a false witness.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

*Amen. Lord have mercy.*

*The Celebrant may read one of the following sentences*

Jesus said, "The first commandment is this:

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive

Since we have a great high priest who has

Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these."

Mark 12:29-31

ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:8,9

passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

Hebrews 4:14,16

The Deacon or Celebrant then says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. *Amen.*

The Bishop when present, or the Priest, stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.*

The service continues with the Kyrie eleison or the Trisagion in the setting of the Mass.

## Collect

Merciful God, who sent your messengers the prophets to preach repentance and prepare the way for our salvation: Give us grace to heed their warnings and forsake our sins, that we may greet with joy the coming of Jesus Christ our Redeemer; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

**Lesson A** Isaiah 11:1-10

**B** Isaiah 40:1-11

**C** Baruch 5:1-9

Year A

Year B

Year C

**Gradual**

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## Florebit

Cf. Psalm 72:7, with verses 1,2/3,4/5,6/7,8

The refrain is recited first by a leader or cantor and then repeated by the congregation. It is repeated again by all where indicated in the text.

**Refrain.** In that day justice and peace shall flourish.

**V.** Give the King your justice, O God, \* and your righteousness to the King's Son;

**V.** That he may rule your people righteously \* and the poor with justice;

**Refrain.**

**V.** That the mountains may bring prosperity to the people, \* and the little hills bring righteousness.

**V.** He shall defend the needy among the people; \* he shall rescue the poor and crush the oppressor.

**Refrain.**

**V.** He shall live as long as the sun and moon endure, \* from one generation to another.

**V.** He shall come down like rain upon the mown field, \* like showers that water the earth.

**Refrain.**

## Ostende nobis

Psalm 85:7, with verses 8,9/10,11/12,13

The refrain is recited first by a leader or cantor and then repeated by the congregation. It is repeated again by all where indicated in the text.

**Refrain.** Show us your mercy, O Lord, and grant us your salvation.

**V.** I will listen to what the Lord God is saying, \* for he is speaking peace to his faithful people and to those who turn their hearts to him.

**V.** Truly, his salvation is very near to those who fear him, \* that his glory may dwell in our land.

**Refrain.**

**V.** Mercy and truth have met together; \* righteousness and peace have kissed each other.

**V.** Truth shall spring up from the earth, \* and righteousness shall look down from heaven.

**Refrain.**

**V.** The Lord will indeed grant prosperity, \* and our land will yield its increase.

**V.** Righteousness shall go before him, \* and peace shall be a pathway for his feet.

**Refrain.**

## Magnificavit

Psalm 126:4, with verses 1,2/3,4/5,6/7

The refrain is recited first by a leader or cantor and then repeated by the congregation. It is repeated again by all where indicated in the text.

**Refrain.** The Lord has done great things for us, and we are glad indeed.

**V.** When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion, \* then were we like those who dream.

**V.** Then was our mouth filled with laughter, \* and our tongue with shouts of joy.

**Refrain.**

**V.** Then they said among the nations, \* "The Lord has done great things for them."

**V.** The Lord has done great things for us, \* and we are glad indeed.

**Refrain.**

**V.** Restore our fortunes, O Lord, \* like the watercourses of the Negev.

**V.** Those who sowed with tears \* will reap with songs of joy.

**Refrain.**

V. In his time shall the righteous flourish; \* there shall be abundance of peace till the moon shall be no more.

V. He shall rule from sea to sea, \* and from the River to the ends of the earth.

Refrain.

Missale romanum cum lectionibus (1977),  
Feria Tertia Hebdomadæ Primæ Adventus

Missale romanum cum lectionibus (1977),  
Dominica Secunda Adventus

V. Those who go out weeping, carrying the seed, \* will come again with joy, shouldering their sheaves.

Refrain.

Missale romanum cum lectionibus (1977),  
Dominica Secunda Adventus

**Epistle A** Romans 15:4-13

**B** 2 Peter 3:8-15a,18

**C** Philippians 1:1 11

**Alleluia**

Parate viam

Luke 3:4,6

Alleluia, alleluia. *Verse.* Prepare the way of the Lord, make God's paths straight; and all flesh shall see the salvation of our God. Alleluia.

Missale romanum cum lectionibus (1977), Dominica Secunda Adventus

**The Holy Gospel**

**A** Matthew 3:1-12

**B** Mark 1:1-8

**C** Luke 3:1-6

**Nicene Creed**

**Collect after the Prayers of the People**

Lord Jesus Christ, at your first coming you warned us to prepare for the day when you would come to be our judge: Mercifully grant that being awake from the sleep of sin, we may always be watching and intent upon the work you have given us to do; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Prayers for every occasion (1974), no. 7 (W.E. Scudamore); altered in Rite II

**Offertory**

Deus tu convertens

Psalm 85:6,7

Will you not give us life again, O God, so that your people may rejoice in you? Show us your mercy, O Lord, and grant us your salvation.

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

**Secret**

God our strength, we are nothing without you: Receive all we offer you this day as you

sustain us with your mercy; in the Name of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The book of alternative services of the Anglican Church of Canada (1985), Second Sunday of Advent

### **Preface of Advent**

#### **Communion**

Jerusalem surge

Baruch 5:5: 4:36

Arise, O Jerusalem, stand upon the right, and see the joy that is coming to you from your God.

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

#### **Postcommunion Collect**

Faithful God, we thank you for feeding us with this heavenly banquet; help us always to hear the prophet's call to turn our hearts to you; in the Name of Jesus Christ the Lord. *Amen.*

The book of alternative services of the Anglican Church of Canada (1985), Second Sunday of Advent

#### **Solemn Blessing**

May Almighty God, by whose providence our Savior Christ came among us in great humility, sanctify you with the light of his blessing and set you free from all sin. *Amen.*

May he whose second Coming in power and great glory we await, make you steadfast in faith, joyful in hope, and constant in love. *Amen.*

May you, who rejoice in the first Advent of our Redeemer, at his second Advent be rewarded with unending life. *Amen.*

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.*

The Book of occasional services (1991)

## Parte 3. Español

### Introito

Populus Sion

Cf. Isaías 30:19,30,29/Salmo 80:1

Pueblo de Sión, vendrá el Señor para salvar las naciones, y en alegría de corazón hará oír su voz majestuosa. *Salmo.* Oh Pastor de Israel, escucha, tú que pastoreas a José como a un rebaño. *Gloria Patri.*

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

Cuando los Ministros llegan a su lugar, lo siguiente se puede decir o cantar, de pie, de rodillas, o en procesión. Cualquiera de las fórmulas indicadas se puede usar:

### El Decálogo y Orden Penitencial

Dios habló estas palabras, y dijo:

Yo soy el Señor tu Dios que te sacó de la tierra de Egipto, de la casa de la servidumbre. No tendrás otros dioses delante de mí.

*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, e inclina nuestros corazones a guardar esta ley.*

No te harás imagen ni ninguna semejanza de cosa que esté arriba en el cielo, ni abajo en la tierra, ni en las aguas debajo de la tierra; no te inclinarás ante ellas, ni les darás culto.

*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, e inclina nuestros corazones a guardar esta ley.*

No tomarás el Nombre del Señor tu Dios en vano.

*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, e inclina nuestros corazones a guardar esta ley.*

Acuérdate del día de descanso para santificarlo.

*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, e inclina nuestros corazones a guardar esta ley.*

Honra a tu padre y a tu madre.

*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, e inclina nuestros corazones a guardar esta ley.*

No matarás.

*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, e inclina nuestros corazones a guardar esta ley.*

Escuchen los mandamientos de Dios a su pueblo:

Yo soy el Señor tu Dios que te sacó de la servidumbre. No tendrás otros dioses delante de mí.

*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

No te harás imagen alguna.

*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

No invocarás en falso el Nombre del Señor tu Dios.

*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

Recuerda el día del sábado para santificarlo.

*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

Honra a tu padre y a tu madre.

*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

No asesinarás.

*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

No cometerás adulterio.  
*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, e inclina nuestros corazones a guardar esta ley.*

No hurtarás.  
*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, e inclina nuestros corazones a guardar esta ley.*

No dirás contra tu prójimo falso testimonio.  
*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, e inclina nuestros corazones a guardar esta ley.*

No codiciarás.  
*Señor, ten misericordia de nosotros, y graba todos estos tus mandamientos en nuestros corazones, te suplicamos.*

No cometerás adulterio.  
*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

No robarás.  
*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

No darás testimonio falso.  
*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

No codiciarás nada de lo que pertenezca a tu prójimo.  
*Amén. Señor, ten piedad.*

*El Celebrante puede leer uno de los siguientes versículos.*

Oíd lo que dice Jesucristo nuestro Señor: Amarás al Señor tu Dios de todo tu corazón, y de toda tu alma, y de toda tu mente. Este es el primero y el grande mandamiento. Y el segundo es semejante a éste: Amarás a tu prójimo como a ti mismo. De estos dos mandamientos dependen toda la Ley y los Profetas.

San Mateo 22:37-40

Si decimos que no tenemos pecado, nos engañamos a nosotros mismos, y la verdad no está en nosotros. Si confesamos nuestros pecados, él es fiel y justo para perdonar nuestros pecados, y limpiarnos de toda maldad.

1 San Juan 1:8,9

Por tanto, teniendo un gran sumo sacerdote, que traspasó los cielos, Jesús el Hijo de Dios, acerquémonos confiadamente al trono de la gracia, para alcanzar misericordia y hallar gracia para el oportuno socorro.

Hebreos 4:14,16

Jesús dijo: "El primer mandamiento es éste: Escucha, Israel: El Señor nuestro Dios es el único Señor. Amarás al Señor tu Dios con todo tu corazón, con toda tu alma, con toda tu mente y con todas tus fuerzas. El segundo es éste: Amarás a tu prójimo como a ti mismo. No hay otro mandamiento mayor que éstos".

San Marcos 12:29-31

Si decimos: "No tenemos pecado", nos engañamos y la verdad no está en nosotros. Si reconocemos nuestros pecados, fiel y justo es él para perdonarnos los pecados y purificarnos de toda injusticia.

1 San Juan 1:8,9

Por tanto, teniendo tal Sumo Sacerdote que penetró los cielos, Jesús, el Hijo de Dios, acerquémonos confiadamente al trono de gracia, a fin de alcanzar misericordia y hallar gracia para una ayuda oportuna.

Hebreos 4:14,16

*El Diácono o el Celebrante dice cualquier de estas fórmulas:*

Confesemos humildemente nuestros pecados a Dios todopoderoso.

Confesemos nuestros pecados contra Dios y contra nuestro prójimo.

Puede guardarse un periodo de silencio.

Ministro y Pueblo:

Dios de misericordia, confesamos que hemos pecado contra ti por pensamiento, palabra y obra, por lo que hemos hecho y lo que hemos dejado de hacer. No te hemos amado con todo el corazón; no hemos amado a nuestro prójimo como a nosotros mismos. Sincera y humildemente nos arrepentimos. Por amor de tu Hijo Jesucristo, ten piedad de nosotros y perdónanos; así tu voluntad será nuestra alegría y andaremos por tus caminos, para gloria de tu Nombre. *Amén.*

o ésta:

Omnipotente y misericordiosísimo Padre: Hemos errado, y nos hemos extraviado de tus caminos como ovejas perdidas. Hemos seguido demasiado los designios y deseos de nuestro propio corazón. Hemos faltado a tus santas leyes. Hemos dejado de hacer lo que debíamos haber hecho; y hemos hecho lo que no debíamos hacer. Mas tú, oh Señor, compadécete de nosotros; libra a los que confiesan sus culpas; restaura a los que se arrepienten, según tus promesas declaradas al género humano en Jesucristo nuestro Señor. Y concédenos, oh Padre misericordiosísimo, por su amor, que de aquí en adelante vivamos una vida sobria, santa y justa, para gloria de tu santo Nombre. *Amén.*

El Obispo, si está presente, o el Presbítero, puesto de pie, dice:

El Señor Omnipotente y misericordioso, os conceda absolución y remisión de todos vuestros pecados, verdadero arrepentimiento, enmienda de vida y la gracia y el consuelo de su Espíritu Santo. *Amén.*

La Liturgia continúa con el Kyrie eleison o el Trisagio en la música de la Misa.

## Colecta

Dios de misericordia, que enviaste a tus mensajeros, los profetas, a predicar el arrepentimiento y preparar el camino de nuestra salvación: Danos gracia para atender sus advertencias y abandonar nuestros pecados, a fin de que recibamos gozosamente la venida de Jesucristo nuestro Redentor; que vive y reina contigo y el Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, ahora y por siempre. *Amén.*

**Lección**  
A Isaías 11:1-10  
B Isaías 40:1-11  
C Baruc 5:1-9

Año A

Año B

Año C

**Gradual**

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Florebit

Ostende nobis

Magnificavit

Un cantor o lector recita la antifona por primera parte y luego el pueblo la repita. Todos la repitan otra vez donde se indica en el texto.

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**Antífona.** En aquel día habrá abundancia de justicia y paz.

**Antífona.** Señor, muéstranos tu misericordia, y concédenos tu salvación.

**Antífona.** Proezas ha hecho el Señor con nosotros, y estamos sumamente alegres.

**V.** Oh Dios, da tu juicio al Rey, \* y tu justicia al Hijo del Rey;

**V.** Escucharé lo que dice el Señor Dios; \* porque anuncia paz a su pueblo fiel, a los que se convierten de corazón.

**V.** Cuando el Señor cambió la suerte de Sión, \* éramos como los que sueñan.

**V.** Para que rija a tu pueblo con justicia, \* y a tus pobres con juicio;

**V.** Ciertamente cercana está su salvación a cuantos le temen, \* para que habite su gloria en nuestra tierra.

**V.** Entonces nuestra boca se llenó de risa, \* y nuestra lengua

**Antífona.**

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**Antífona.**

**V.** Para que los montes traigan prosperidad a tu pueblo, \* y los collados justicia.

**V.** La misericordia y la verdad se encontraron; la justicia y la paz se besaron.

**V.** Y decían entre las naciones: \* "Ha hecho el Señor proezas con ellos."

**V.** Defenderá a los necesitados del pueblo; \* rescatará a los pobres y aplastará al opresor.

**V.** La verdad brotará de la tierra, \* y la justicia mirará desde los cielos.

**V.** Proezas he hecho el Señor con nosotros, \* y estamos sumamente alegres.

**Antífona.**

**Antífona.**

**Antífona.**

**V.** Vivirá mientras duren el sol y la luna, \* de generación en generación.

**V.** En verdad el Señor dará la lluvia, \* y nuestra tierra dará su fruto.

**V.** Tú, oh Señor, has cambiado nuestra suerte, \* como los torrentes del Neguev.

**V.** Descenderá como el agua sobre el campo segado, \* como la lluvia que empapa la tierra seca.

**V.** La justicia irá delante de él, \* y la paz será senda para sus pasos.

**V.** Los que sembraron con lágrimas, \* con gritos de alegría segarán.

**Antífona.**

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**V.** En aquél día florecerán los justos, \* y habrá abundancia de paz, hasta que no haya luna.

**V.** Los que van llorando, llevando la semilla, \* volverán entre cantares, trayendo sus gavillas.

V. Dominará de mar a mar, \* y del río hasta los confines de la tierra.

Antífona.

Missale romanum cum lectionibus (1977),  
Feria Tertia Hebdomadæ Primæ Adventus

Missale romanum cum lectionibus (1977),  
Dominica Secunda Adventus

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Missale romanum cum lectionibus (1977),  
Dominica Secunda Adventus

**Epístola**     **A** Romanos 15:4-13  
                  **B** 2 Pedro 3:8-15a,18  
                  **C** Filipenses 1:1-11

**Aleluya**

Parate viam

Lucas 3:4,6

Aleluya, aleluya. *Versículo.* Preparad el camino del Señor, enderezad sus sendas, y toda carne verá la salvación de Dios. Aleluya.

Missale romanum cum lectionibus (1977), Dominica Secunda Adventus

**El Santo Evangelio**   **A** Mateo 3:1-12  
                              **B** Marcos 1:1-8  
                              **C** Lucas 3:1-6

**Credo Niceno**

**Colecta después de la Oración de los Fieles**

Señor Jesucristo, en tu primera venida tú nos advertiste preparar para el día en que vinieras a juzgarnos: Concédenos misericordiosamente que, despertados del sueño del pecado, siempre vigilemos intentos en el trabajo que nos has asignado; tú que vives y reinas con el Padre y el Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, por los siglos de los siglos. *Amén.*

Prayers for every occasion (1974), no. 7 (W.E. Scudamore); tr.ed.

**Ofertorio**

Deus tu convertens

Salmo 85:6,7

)No volverás a darnos vida, oh Dios, para que tu pueblo se regocije en tí? Señor, muéstranos tu misericordia, y concédenos tu salvación.

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

**Secreta**

Rogamos, Señor, que te aplaques con las oraciones y ofrendas de nuestra humildad; y pues podemos alegar méritos propios, socórrenos con tus auxilios; por nuestro Señor Jesucristo. *Amén.*

Misal completo latino-español para uso de los fieles (1963), Domingo Segundo del Adviento

## Prefacio del Adviento

### Comunión

Jerusalem surge

Baruc 5:5; 4:36

Levántate, Jerusalén; sube a lo alto, y contempla la alegría que te viene de tu Dios.

Graduale Romanum (1961), Dominica Secunda Adventus

### Poscomunión

Llenos del manjar que es espiritual alimento, te rogamos, Señor, humildemente, que con la participación de este misterio, nos enseñes a despreciar lo terreno y amar lo celestial; por nuestro Señor Jesucristo. *Amén.*

Misal completo latino-español para uso de los fieles (1963), Domingo Segundo del Adviento

### Bendición Solemne

Que Dios todopoderoso, por cuya providencia nuestro Salvador Cristo vino a nosotros en gran humildad, les santifique con la luz de su bendición y les libre de todo pecado. *Amén.*

Que aquél cuya segunda venida en poder y gran gloria aguardamos, les haga firmes en la fe, gozosos en la esperanza, y constantes en el amor. *Amén.*

Que ustedes, los que regocijan en el primer Adviento de nuestro Redentor, en el segundo sean recompensados con la vida eterna. *Amén.*

Y la bendición de Dios omnipotente, el Padre, el Hijo, y el Espíritu Santo, sea con ustedes y more con ustedes eternamente. *Amén.*

Ritual para ocasiones especiales (1990)