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Processional Hymn (No. 149)

- Come, O come, Thou quickening Spirit,
 Thou for ever art divine:
 Let Thy power never fail me,
 Always fill this heart of mine;
 Thus shall grace, and truth, and light
 Dissipate the gloom of night.
- Grant my mind and my affections
 Wisdom, counsel, purity,
 That I may be ever seeking
 Naught but that which pleases Thee.
 Let Thy knowledge spread and grow,
 Working error's overthrow.
- 3. Holy Spirit, strong and mighty
 Thou who makest all things new,
 Make my work within me perfect,
 Help me by Thy Word so true;
 Arm me with that sword of Thine,
 And the victory shall be mine.
- 4. In the faith, O make me steadfast;
 Let not Satan, death or shame
 Of my confidence deprive me,
 Lord, my refuge is Thy Name.
 When the flesh inclines to ill,
 Let Thy Word prove stranger still.

Amen.

Psalm (No. 20)

The Lord hear thee in the day of trouble: the Name of the God of Jacob defend thee; Send thee help from the sanctuary: and strengthen thee out of Zion;

Remember all thy offerings: and accept thy burnt sacrifice.

Grant thee according to thine own heart; and fulfil all thy counsel.

We will rejoice in thy salvation, and in the Name of our God we will set up our banners: the Lord fulfil all thy petitions.

Now know I that the Lord saveth His anointed: He will hear him from His holy heaven, with the saving strength of His right hand.

Some trust in chariots, and some in horses: but we will remember the Name of the Lord our God.

They are brought down and fallen: but we are risen and stand upright.

Save, Lord: let the King hear us when we call.

The First Lesson—Jeremiah 1:1-12

The Anthem—"We Give Thee But Thine Own"—Wm. W. Howe,
St. John's Girls' Choir

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The Second Lesson—Acts 1:1-11