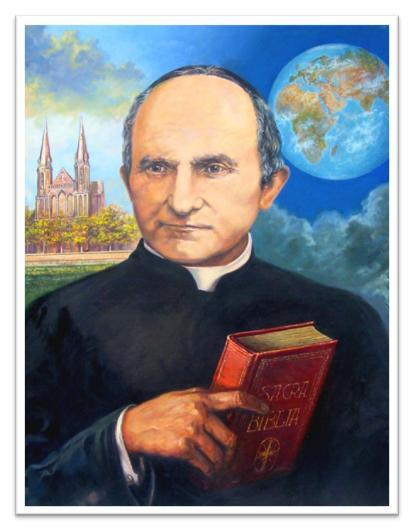
St. Arnold Janssen Priest and Missionary Evening Praise



1837 – 1909

L: God, come to our assistance.

A: Lord, make haste to help us. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son...

Sing:

May the Holy Triune God



L: If we trust in the Lord and do what is in our power, he will not abandon us.

Psalm 15

- 1: LORD, who may abide in your tent? Who may dwell on your holy hill?
- 2: Those who walk blamelessly, and do what is right, speak the truth from their heart;
 Who do not slander with their tongue, do no evil to their friends, nor take up a reproach against their neighbors;
- In whose eyes the wicked are despised,
 But who honor those who fear the LORD;
 Who stand by their oath despite even to their hurt,
- 2: Who do not lend money at interest,
 And do not take a bribe against the innocent.
 Those who do these things shall never be moved.
- A: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son...

 If we trust in the Lord and do what is in our power, he will not abandon us.

L: Unless the grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains a single seed; but if it dies, it will yield a rich harvest.

Psalm 112

- 1: Praise the Lord! Happy are those who fear the Lord, who greatly delight in his commandments. Their descendents will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed.
- 2: Wealth and riches are in their houses, and their righteousness endures forever. They rise in the darkness as a light for the upright; they are gracious, merciful, and righteous.
- 1: It is well with those who deal generously and lend, who conduct their affairs with justice. For the righteous will never be moved; they will be remembered forever.
- 2: They are not afraid of evil tiding; their hearts are firm, secure in the Lord. Their hearts are steady, they will not be afraid; in the end they will look in triumph on their foes.
- 1: They have distributed freely, they have given to the poor; their righteousness endures forever; their horn is exalted in honor.
- 2: The wicked see it and are angry; they gnash their teeth and melt away; the desire of the wicked comes to nothing.
- A: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son...

 Unless the grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains a single seed; but if it dies, it will yield a rich harvest.

- **L**: Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we shall come to them and make our home in them.
 - 1: Great and amazing are your deeds, Lord God the Almighty! Just and true are your ways, King of the nations!
 - 2: Lord, who will not fear and glorify your name? For you alone are holy.
 - **1**: All nations will come and worship before you, for your judgments have been revealed.
- A: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son...

Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we shall come to them and make our home in them.

Reading: Romans 5:3-5

And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial

You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you.

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You will be my witnesses even to the ends of the earth,

- when the Holy Spirit comes upon you.

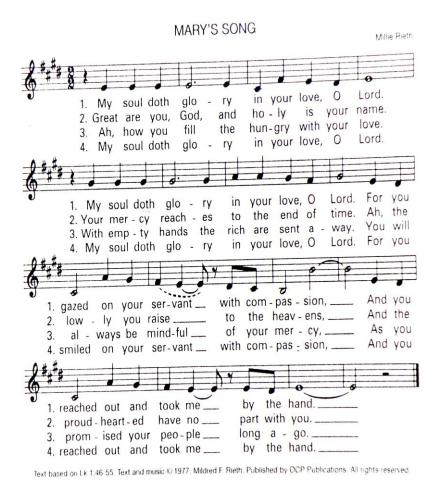
Glory to the Father...

- You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you.



Canticle of Mary - Mary's Song by Millie Rieth

L: Ant: May the Holy Triune God – the power of the Father, the wisdom of the Son and the love of the Holy Spirit – be known, loved and glorified by everyone.



A: Ant: May the Holy Triune God – the power of the Father, the wisdom of the Son and the love of the Holy Spirit – be known, loved and glorified by everyone.

Intercessions

- ✓ Let us raise our voices in praise to the Triune God, from whom all goodness comes: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
- Merciful and loving Father, you care for all your creatures,
 may the unloved, the unwanted, and the estranged
 experience your love.
- ✓ Jesus, Son of God and Word made flesh, you died on the cross to save us, may all be touched by your grace.
- ✓ Holy Spirit, Comforter and Giver of life, may the blind see the oppressed go free, and the poor hear the Good News.
- ✓ Holy Trinity, you are one in love, may the church and the world live in unity and peace.
- ✓ You feed us with the Word and with the Bread of Life, may we always be aware of your presence and our
 power in our lives.

Our Father...

- A: Loving God, through your incarnate Word you continue to reconcile the world. May the prayers of Saint Arnold Janssen, your priest and missionary, help all peoples walk in the way of salvation, freed from the darkness of sin by the light of the Word and the Spirit of grace. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.
- **L**: May the Lord bless us, protect us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life.

A: Amen.