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Morning Prayer

Evening Prayer

Monday November 20

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- 1) Ecclus 16.17-end*
- 2) Acts 9.1-31

Ps 104

- 1) Ecclus 17.1-24*
- 2) Acts 9.32-end

Tuesday November 21

Ps 105

- 1) Ecclus 18.1-14*
- 2) Acts 10.1-23

Pss 106

- 1) Ecclus 19.13-end*
- 2) Acts 10.24-end

Wednesday November 22

Ps 107

- 1) Ecclus 21.1-17*
- 2) Acts 11.1-18

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- 1) Ecclus 22.6-22*
- 2) Acts 11.19-end

Thursday November 23: **THANKSGIVING DAY**

Pss 110-113

- 1) Ecclus 22.27-23.15*
- 2) Acts 12.1-24

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- 1) Ecclus 24.1-22*
- 2) Acts 12.25-13.12

Friday November 24

Pss 116-18

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- 2) Acts 13.13-43

Ps 119 pts. 1-4

- 1) Ecclus 27.30-28.9*
- 2) Acts 13.44-14.7

Saturday November 25

Ps 119 pts. 5-9

- 1) Ecclus 31.1-11*
- 2) Acts 14.8-end

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- 1) Ecclus 34.9-end*
- 2) Acts 15.1-21

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- Lord’s Prayer (Morning, p. 7; Evening, 24)

Proclaiming God’s Praise

- “O Lord, open thou our lips” etc. (Morning, pp 7-8; Eve, 25)
- Psalm(s) appointed, each ending with:

‘Glory be to the Father, to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.’

- Old Testament Lesson
- New Testament Lesson
- Cantic: *Benedictus* in the Morning (p 14)
Magnificat in the Evening (p 26)

Prayers for God’s Grace

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