

EUROPEAN YOUTH PILGRIMAGE

Evening prayer in the lodges

4 August 2022

- Opening chant.

- Initial invocation.

V. O God, come to our aid.

R. O Lord, make haste to help us.

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. Alleluia.

- Hymn.

Now that the daylight dies away,
By all thy grace and love,
Thee, Maker of the world, we pray
To watch our bed above.

Let dreams depart and phantoms fly,
The offspring of the night,
Keep us, like shrines, beneath thine eye,
Pure in our foe's despite.

This grace on thy redeemed confer,
Father, co-equal Son,
And Holy Ghost, the Comforter,
Eternal Three in One.

- Psalm 15.

R. My body shall rest in safety.

Preserve me, Lord, I put my hope in you.
I have said to the Lord “You are my Lord,
in you alone is all my good.”
As for the holy and noble men of the land,
in them is all my delight.

But for those who run to alien gods,
their sorrows are many.
I will not share in their libations of blood.
I will not speak their names.

You, Lord, are my inheritance and my cup.
You control my destiny,
the lot marked out for me is of the best,
my inheritance is all I could ask for.

I will bless the Lord who gave me understanding;
even in the night my heart will teach me wisdom.
I will hold the Lord for ever in my sight:
with him at my side I can never be shaken.

Thus it is that my heart rejoices,
heart and soul together;
while my body rests in calm hope.
You will not leave my soul in the underworld.
You will not let your chosen one see decay.

You will show me the paths of life,
the fullness of joy before your face,
and delights at your right hand for ever.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

- **Short Reading.**

From the letter of the Apostle Paul to the Thessalonians.

May the God who gives us peace make you completely his, and keep your whole being, spirit, soul, and body, free from all fault, at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

- **Silence – Review of what I have experienced today.**

- **Song.**

- **Prayer PEJ'22.**

Apostle James,
You who knew Jesus
And gave your life to announce the Gospel
by coming to the ends of the earth,
help us to meet today
the living and risen Christ.

Friend of the Lord,
Intercede before God the Father for all young people,
especially for those who are going to participate
in the European pilgrimage,
so that with their love and joy they can be light
for those around them.

In the pilgrimage of our life
may we know to open ourselves to all,
and along with them, walk the way
to the portico of glory
where the Lord is waiting to embrace us.

Mary, our mother,
you who never cease to care for us,
help us discover the deep joy
that the Holy Spirit gives
to those who open their hearts to Him.

By Jesús Christ, our Lord.
Amen.

- **Our Father.**

- Prayer.

Lord our God,
restore us again by the repose of sleep
after the fatigue of our daily work,
so that, continually renewed by your help,
we may serve you in body and soul.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

- Conclusion.

V. Let's bless the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

- Final song.