

*Surge Illuminare*

**Antiphons: (Weekdays of Advent)** The Lord shall be unto thee an everlasting light \* **and the God thy glory.**

**(Weekdays of Epiphanytide)** And the gentiles shall come to thy light, \* **and kings to the brightness of thy rising.**

A-RISE, shine, for thy light is come, : and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee.

<sup>2</sup> For, behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, : and gross darkness the people.

<sup>3</sup> But the Lord shall arise upon thee, : and his glory shall be seen upon thee.

<sup>4</sup> And the Gentiles shall come to thy light, : and kings to the brightness of thy rising.

<sup>5</sup> Thy gates shall be open continually; : they shall not be shut day nor night.

<sup>6</sup> The sons also of them that afflicted thee : shall come bending unto thee;

<sup>7</sup> And all they that despised thee : shall bow themselves down at the soles of thy feet.

<sup>8</sup> And they shall call thee the City of the Lord, : the Zion of the Holy One of Israel.

<sup>9</sup> Violence shall no more be heard in thy land, : wasting nor destruction with-in thy bor-ders.

<sup>10</sup> But thou shalt call thy walls Salvation, : - and thy gates Praise.

<sup>11</sup> The sun shall be no more thy light by day, : neither for brightness shall the moon give light unto thee,

<sup>12</sup> But the Lord shall be unto thee an everlasting light, : and thy God thy glory.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, : and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, : world without end. Amen.

**Repeat Ant.**