**Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work,**

**or watch, or weep this night,**

**and give your angels charge over those who sleep.**

**Tend the sick, Lord Christ;**

**give rest to the weary,**

**bless the dying,**

**soothe the suffering,**

**pity the afflicted,**

**shield the joyous;**

**and all for your love's sake.**

**Amen.**

In peace we will lie down and sleep;

**for you alone, Lord, make us dwell in safety.**

Abide with us, Lord Jesus,

**for the night is at hand and the day is now past.**

As the night watch looks for the morning,

**so do we look for you, O Christ**

The Lord bless us and watch over us;

the Lord make his face shine upon us and be gracious to us;

the Lord look kindly on us and give us peace.

Amen.

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Night Prayer

The Lord almighty grant us a quiet night and a perfect end.

**Amen.**

Our help is in the name of the Lord

**who made heaven and earth.**

Let us reflect on the day behind us; on all the good that God has done in us, through us and for us as well as on the things we have done which have displeased him.

*Silence is kept*

**Most merciful God,**

**we confess to you,**

**before the whole company of heaven and one another,**

**that we have sinned in thought, word and deed**

**and in what we have failed to do.**

**Forgive us our sins,**

**heal us by your Spirit**

**and raise us to new life in Christ. Amen.**

O God, make speed to save us.

**O Lord, make haste to help us.**

**Glory to the Father and to the Son**

**and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning is now**

**and shall be for ever. Amen.**

**Alleluia.**

*A Bible Reading with a short reflection.*

**Save us, O Lord, while waking,**

**and guard us while sleeping,**

**that awake we may watch with Christ**

**and asleep may rest in peace.**

Now, Lord, you let your servant go in peace: ♦

your word has been fulfilled.

My own eyes have seen the salvation ♦

which you have prepared in the sight of every people;

A light to reveal you to the nations ♦

and the glory of your people Israel.

**Glory to the Father and to the Son**

**and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning is now**

**and shall be for ever. Amen.**

**Save us, O Lord, while waking,**

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*Prayers of thanksgiving for the day behind and intercession for the day ahead.*