

83. M. Chr. Arab. 113 (Cat. 36)

Contents: Miniature prayer book of the Greek Uniate Church, with short office, canons and hymns of the most important saints of the year.

Provenance: Written (colophon, fol. 78r) in the village of Bīno near Tripoli in 1866 A.D., by the priest Michael, son of Abraham.

Binding: Original, brown leather with floral stamps arranged in a cross shape.

Although without miniatures, the elaborate calligraphy of the titles of prayers throughout the manuscript, beginning on fol. 1r, which opens the section with the morning prayers and the Hours is worthy of note. Fol. 37v opens the ecclesiastical calendar and synaxarium divided into months, together with prayers to be recited on the principal days of the months.

Bibliography: Mingana, *Catalogue* II, 40.