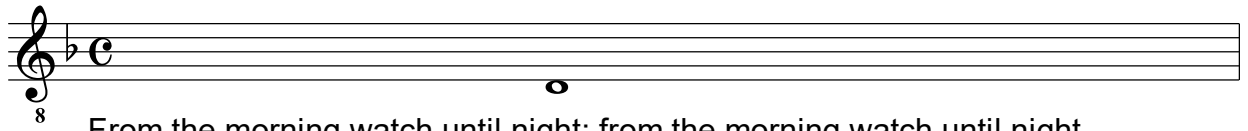
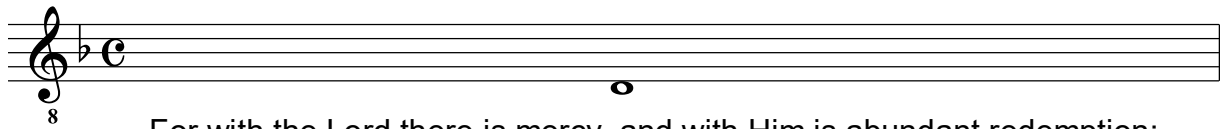


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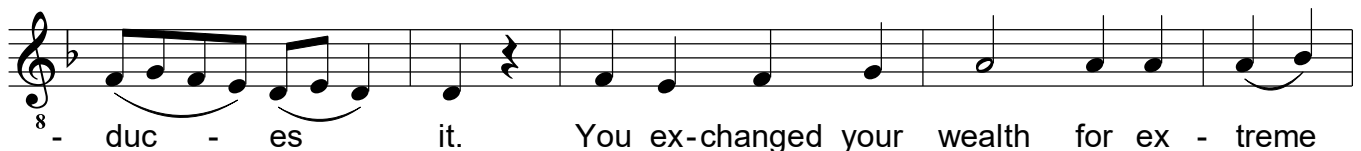
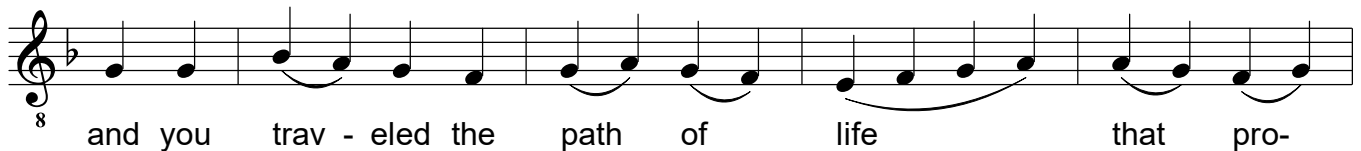
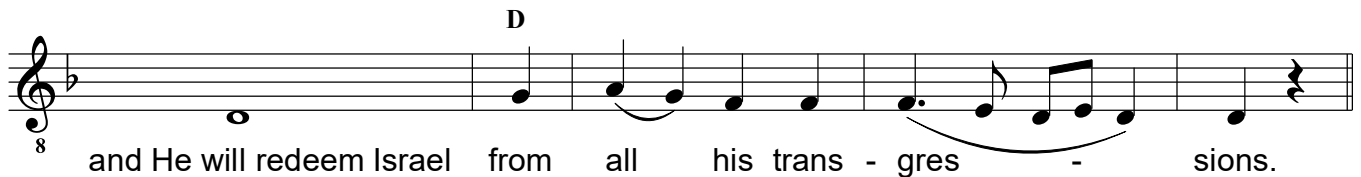
Diatonic



From the morning watch until night; from the morning watch until night,



For with the Lord there is mercy, and with Him is abundant redemption;



8 pov - er - ty, your bod - i - ly bride - groom for the

8 One who lives for - ev - er, fleet-ing pleas-ure for

8 self - con - trol, the eas - y life for la - bors

8 of as - cet - i - ci - sm, mun-

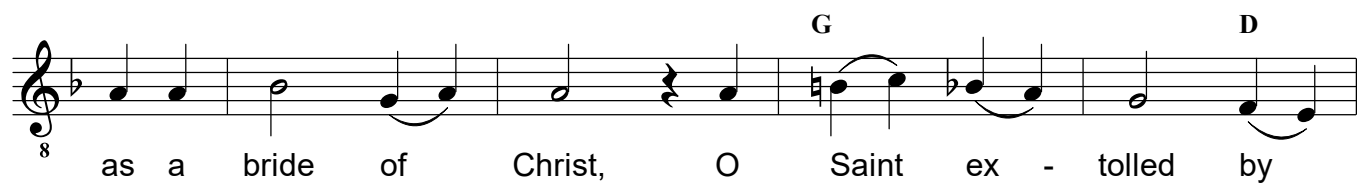
8 - dane life for the su - per - mun-

8 - dane. You at - tained this, to - geth - er with the

8 wise vir - gins, for you kept your lamp from

8 be - ing ex - tin - guished, and you were grant-ed

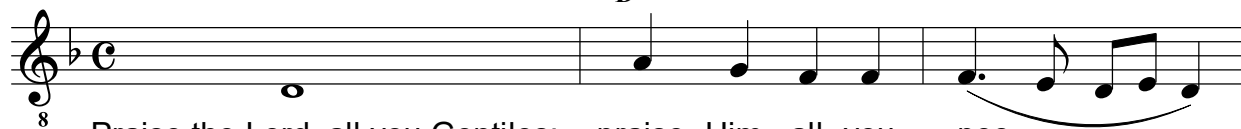
8 en - try in - to the wed-ding hall, as a vir - gin,



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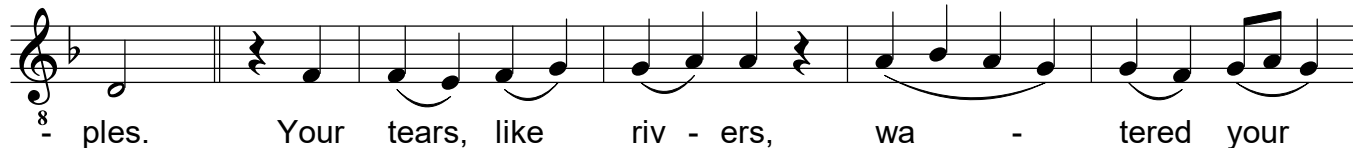
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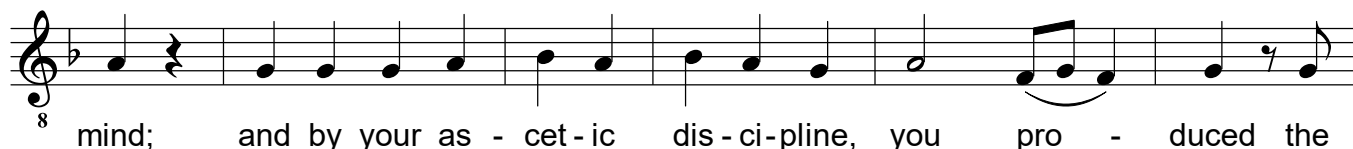


Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles; praise Him, all you peo-

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ples. Your tears, like riv - ers, wa - tered your

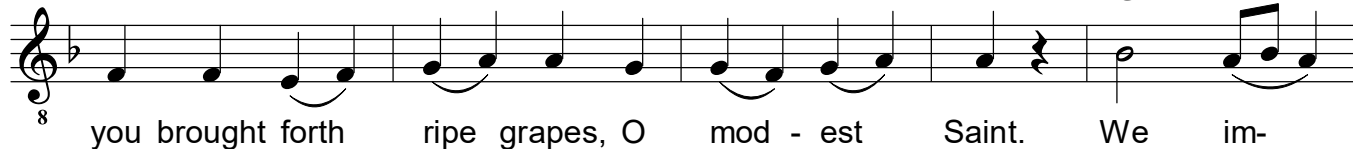


mind; and by your as - cet - ic dis - ci - pline, you pro - duced the



fruits of vir - tue; and like a ma - ture grape - vine

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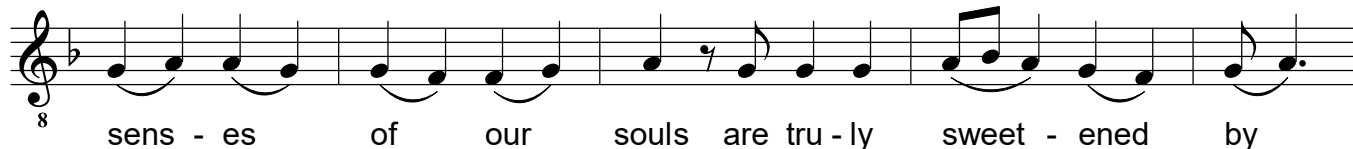


you brought forth ripe grapes, O mod - est Saint. We im-

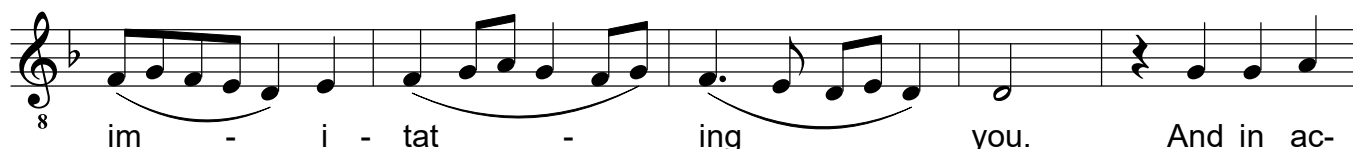
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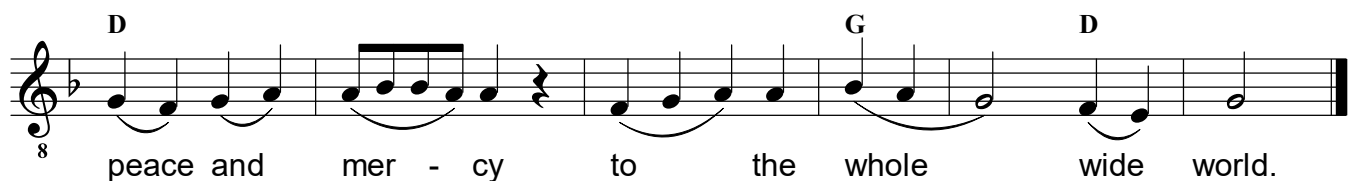
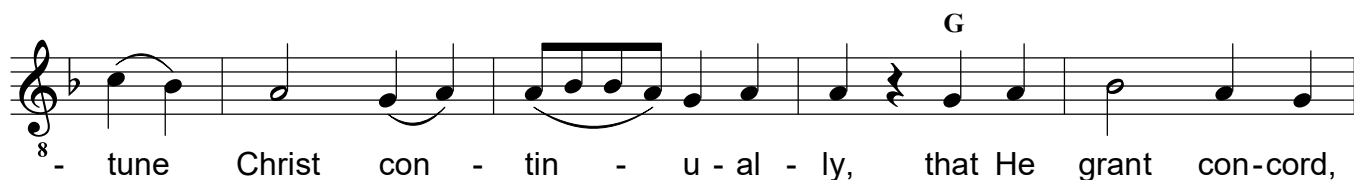
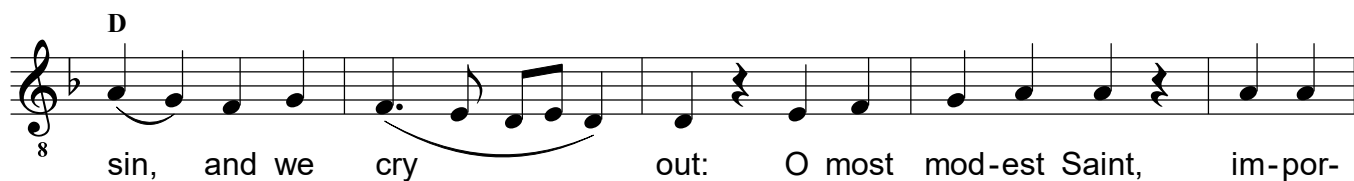
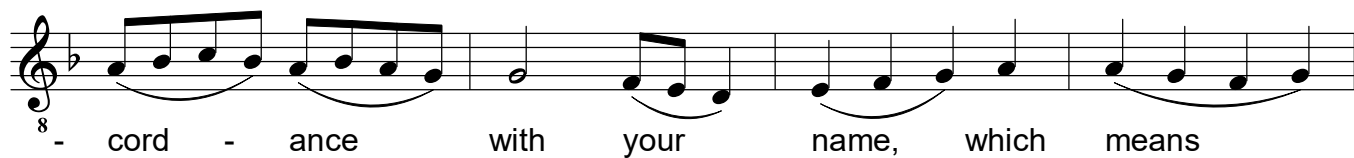
bibe the sweet wine from these, and the



sens - es of our souls are tru - ly sweet - ened by



im - i - tat - ing you. And in ac-



Sticheron 3. Mode pl. 1. *Pa=D. God-bearing Father.*

Diatonic

8 For His mercy rules over us; and the truth of the Lord en - dures

8 for - ev - er. Your sit - u - a - tion was un - u - su - al and

8 nat - ural - ly hard to be - lieve: how you e - lud - ed the cun - ning de -

8 - vic - es of the dev - il who se - duced Eve of old,

8 liv - ing in the com - pa - ny of men, as you

8 did, with such a per - fect frame of mind; how you

8 passed thru the midst of fire and re - mained un -

8 - scathed; how you con - cealed your fem - i - nine

