Holy Saturday

justí- ti- æ exaudívit De- us tribulati- óne 1. Cum invocárem æ: * in me me-Flex: peccáre: † la*tásti* mi- hi. 2. Miserére mei, * et exáudi oratiónem 1. When I called upon him, the God of my justice heard me: when I was in distress, thou hast meam. 3. Fílii hóminum, úsquequo gravi corenlarged me. de? * ut quid dilígitis vanitátem et quéritis 2. Have mercy on me: and hear my prayer. mendácium? 3. O ye sons of men, how long will you be dull scitóte quóniam mirificávit of heart? Why do you love vanity, and seek after Dóminus sanctum suum : * Dóminus lying? exáudiet me cum clamávero ad eum. 4. Know ye also that the Lord hath made his 5. Irascímini, et nolíte peccáre : † quæ holy one wonderful: the Lord will hear me when dícitis in córdibus vestris, * in cubílibus I shall cry unto him. vestris compungímini. 5. Be ye angry, and sin not: the things you say 6. Sacrificate sacrifícium justítiæ, † et in your hearts, be sorry for them upon your beds. speráte in Dómino. * Multi dicunt : quis 6. Offer up the sacrifice of justice, and trust in osténdit nobis bona? the Lord: many say, Who sheweth us good things? 7. The light of thy countenance, O Lord, is 7. Signátum est super nos lumen vultus tui, **Dó**mine: * dedísti lætítiam in corde signed upon us: thou hast given gladness in my heart. meo. 8. A fructu fruménti, vini et ólei sui * 8. By the fruit of their corn, their wine, and oil, multiplicáti sunt. they are multiplied. 9. In pace in idípsum * dórmiam et re-9. In peace in the selfsame I will sleep, and I

will rest:

10. For thou, O Lord, singularly hast settled me

AT MATINS

In the 1st Nocturn

Psalm 4.

[Pre-1955, Pater noster. Ave Maria. Credo. in silence.]

In peace in the selfsame, I will sleep and rest.

quiéscam;

10. Quóniam tu, Dómine, singuláriter

N pace * in id-ípsum, dórmi-am et requi-éscam.

in spe * constituísti me.

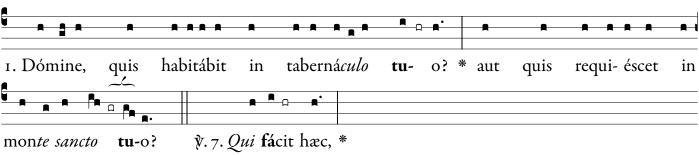
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in hope.



He shall dwell in Thy tabernacle, He shall rest on Thy holy hill.

Psalm 14.



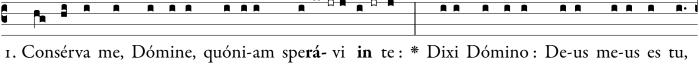
- Qui ingréditur sine mácula, * et operátur justítiam :
- 3. Qui lóquitur veritátem in *corde* **su**o, * qui non egit dolum *in lingua* **su**a :
- 4. Nec fecit próximo *suo* **ma**lum, * et oppróbrium non accépit advérsus *próximos* **su**os.
- 5. Ad níhilum dedúctus est in conspéctu ejus malígnus : * timéntes autem Dóminum gloríficat :
- 6. Qui jurat próximo suo, *et non* **dé**cipit, * qui pecúniam suam non dedit ad usúram, et múnera super innocén*tem non*
- ac**cé**pit.
 7. *Qui* **fa**cit hæc : * non movébi*tur in* æ**tér**num.
- Repeat antiphon.

- 1. Lord, who shall dwell in thy tabernacle? or who shall rest on thy holy hill?
- 2. He that walketh without blemish, and worketh justice:
- 3. He that speaketh truth in his heart, who hath not used deceit in his tongue:
- 4. Nor hath done evil to his neighbour: nor taken up a reproach against his neighbours.
- 5. In his sight the malignant is brought to nothing: but he glorifieth them that fear the Lord:
- 6. He that sweareth to his neighbour, and deceiveth not; He that hath not put out his money to usury, nor taken bribes against the innocent:
- 7. He that doth these things, shall not be moved for ever.

Aro me- a * requi-éscet in spe.

My flesh shall rest in hope.

Psalm 15.



- quóni-am bonórum me-**ó**rum non **e-** ges.
- 2. Sanctis, qui sunt in **ter**ra **e**jus, * mirificávit omnes voluntátes **me**as in **e**is.
 - 3. Multiplicátæ sunt infirmi**tá**tes e**ó**-
- rum : * póstea acce**le**ra**vé**runt. 4. Non congregábo conventícula

eórum de sanguínibus, * nec memor ero

- nóminum eórum per **lá**bia **me**a.
 5. Dóminus pars hereditátis meæ, et
- 5. Dóminus pars hereditátis meæ, et cálicis mei : * tu es, qui restítues heredi-
- 6. Funes cecidérunt mihi **in** præ**clá**ris : * étenim heréditas mea præ**clá**ra est

tátem **me**am **mi**hi.

mihi.

- 7. Benedícam Dóminum, qui tríbuit mihi intelléctum : * ínsuper et usque ad
- noctem increpuérunt me **re**nes **me**i.
- 8. Providébam Dóminum in conspéctu **me**o **sem**per : * quóniam a dextris est mihi, **ne** com**mó**vear.
- 9. Propter hoc lætátum est cor meum, et exsultávit **lin**gua **me**a : * ínsuper et caro
- mea requiéscet in spe.

 10. Quóniam non derelínques ánimam

 meam in inférno: * nec dabis sanctum
- meam **in** in**fér**no : * nec dabis sanctum tuum vidére cor**ru**pti**ó**nem.

- *Flex*: vi-as vitæ, †
- thee. I have said to the Lord, thou art my God, for thou hast no need of my goods.

1. Preserve me, O Lord, for I have trusted in

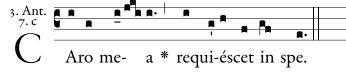
- 2. To the saints, who are in his land, he hath made wonderful all my desires in them.
- 3. Their infirmities were multiplied: afterwards they made haste.4. I will not gather together their meetings for

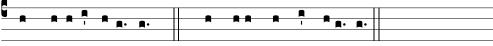
blood offerings: nor will I be mindful of their

- names by my lips.
 5. The Lord is the portion of my inheritance and of my cup: it is thou that wilt restore my in-
- heritance to me.

 6. The lines are fallen unto me in goodly places: for my inheritance is goodly to me.
- 7. I will bless the Lord, who hath given me understanding: moreover my reins also have corrected me even till night.
- 8. I set the Lord always in my sight: for he is at my right hand, that I be not moved.
- 9. Therefore my heart hath been glad, and my tongue hath rejoiced: moreover my flesh also shall rest in hope.
- 10. Because thou wilt not leave my soul in hell; nor wilt thou give thy holy one to see corruption.

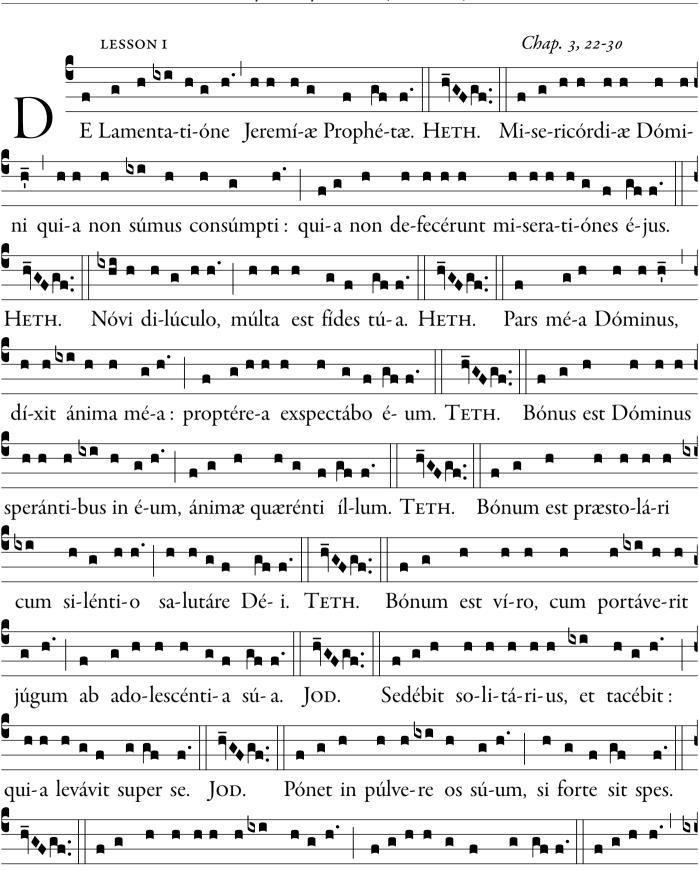
- 11. Notas mihi fecísti vias vitæ, † adimplébis me lætítia cum vultu tuo : * delectatiónes in déxtera tua usque in finem.
- 11. Thou hast made known to me the ways of life, thou shalt fill me with joy with thy countenance: at thy right hand are delights even to the end.





- V. In páce in idípsum. R. Dórmi-am et requi-éscam.
 - v. In peace in the selfsame.
 - R. I will sleep and rest.

Pater noster. in silence.



Jod. Dábit percu-ti-énti se maxíllam, saturábi-tur oppróbri- is. Jerúsa-lem,

Je-rúsa-lem, convértere ad Dóminum Dé-um tú-um.

Heth. It is by the mercies of the Lord that we are not consumed: because His commiserations have not failed. Heth. They are new every

morning, great is thy faithfulness. Heth. The

Lord is my portion, said my soul: therefore will

I wait for Him. *Teth*. The Lord is good to them that hope in Him, to the soul that seeketh Him.

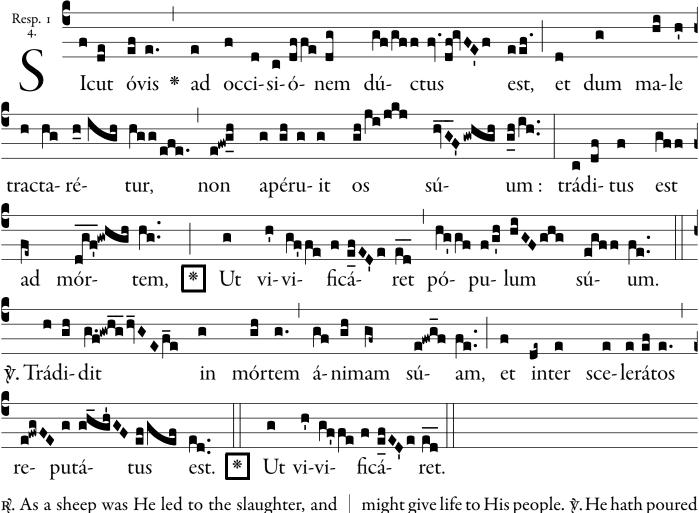
Teth. It is good to wait with silence for the salvation of God. *Teth*. It is good for a man, when

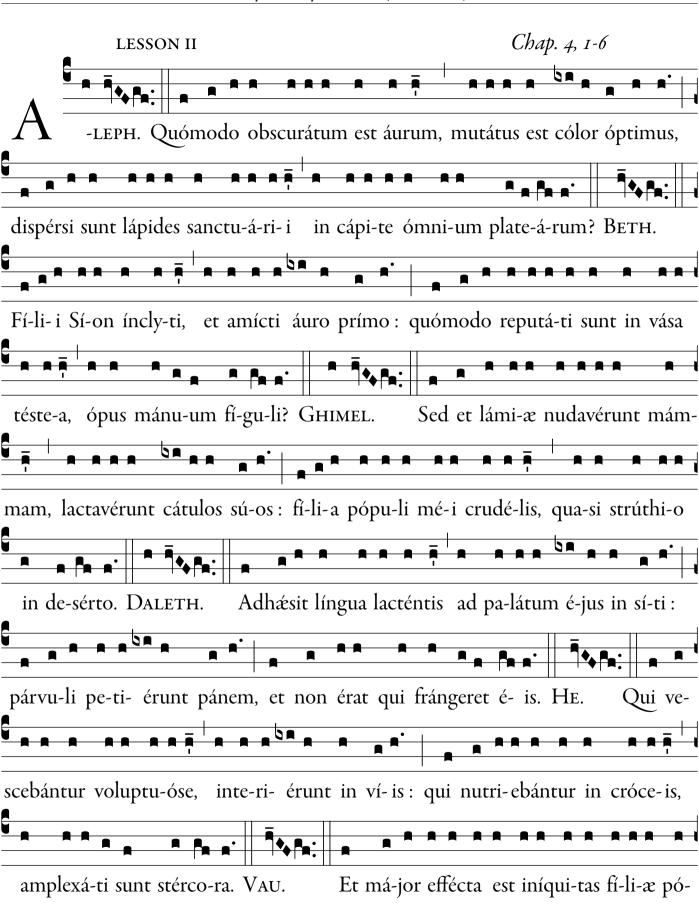
whilst He was evilly treated, He opened not His mouth: He was delivered up to death * That He shall sit solitary, and hold his peace: because he hath taken it up upon himself. Jod. He shall put his mouth in the dust, if so be there may be hope. Jod. He shall give his cheek to him that striketh him, he shall be filled with reproaches. Jerusalem! Jerusalem! Return unto the Lord thy God.

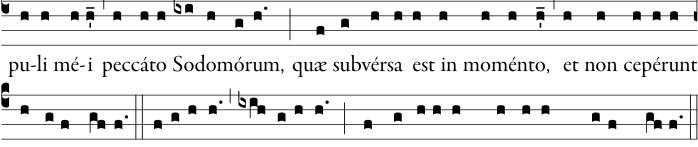
out his soul unto death, and was numbered with

the transgressors. R. That He might give life ...

he hath borne the yoke from his youth. Jod. He







in é-a mánus. Jerúsa-lem, Je-rúsa-lem, convértere ad Dóminum Dé-um tú-um.

Aleph. How is the gold become dim, the finest colour is changed, the stones of the sanctuary are scattered in the top of every street? Beth.

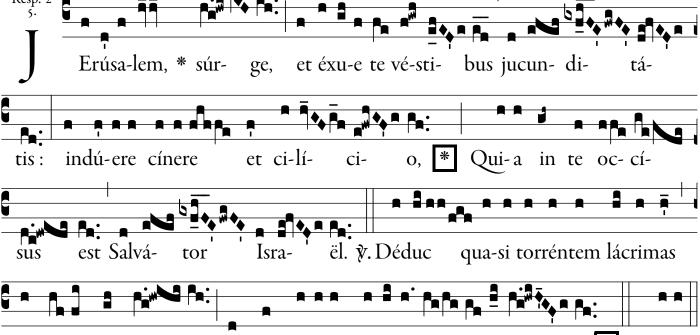
The noble sons of Sion and they that were clothed with the best gold: how are they esteemed as earthen vessels, the work of the potter's hands? *Ghimel*. Even the sea monsters

have drawn out the breast, they have given suck

to their young: the daughter of my people is

cruel, like the ostrich in the desert. *Daleth*. The tongue of the sucking child hath stuck to the

roof of his mouth for thirst: the little ones have asked for bread, and there was none to break it unto them. *He*. They that fed delicately have died in the streets; they that were brought up in scarlet have embraced the dung. *Vau*. And the iniquity of the daughter of my people is made greater than the sin of Sodom, which was overthrown in a moment, and hands took nothing in her. Jerusalem! Jerusalem! Return unto the Lord thy God.



per dí- em et nó- ctem, et non táce-at pupílla ó- cu-li tú- i. * Qui-a. R. Arise, O Jerusalem, and put off thy garments of joy: put on ashes and sack-cloth: * For in thee was slain the Saviour of Israel. V. Shed thy tears the Saviour of Israel.



In animábus nóstris afferebámus pánem nóbis, a fáci-e gládi-i in de-sérto.



Jerúsa-lem, Je-rúsa-lem, convértere ad Dóminum Dé-um tú-um.

heritance is turned to aliens: our houses to strangers. We are become orphans without a father, our mothers are as widows. We have drunk our water for money: we have bought our wood for a price. We were dragged by our necks, we were weary and no rest was given us. We have

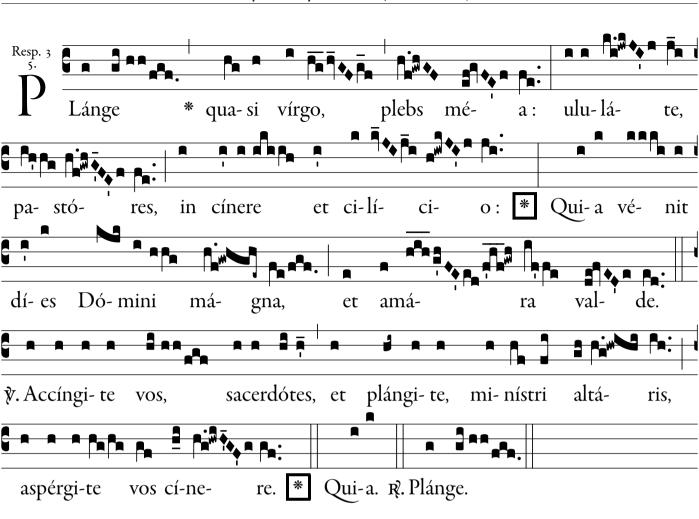
given our hand to Egypt and to the Assyrians, that we might be satisfied with bread. Our fa-

Remember, O Lord, what is come upon us:

consider and behold our reproach. Our in-

us: there was none to redeem us out of their hand. We fetched our bread at the peril of our lives, because of the sword in the desert. Our skin was burnt as an oven, by reason of the violence of the famine. They oppressed the women in Sion, and the virgins in the cities of Juda. Jerusalem! Jerusalem! Return unto the Lord thy God.

thers have sinned, and are no more: and we have borne their iniquities. Servants have ruled over



R. Mourn as a virgin, O my people: howl, ye shepherds, in ashes and sack-cloth: * For the day of the Lord cometh, great and exceeding bit-

ter. V. Gird yourselves, ye Priests, and mourn, ye ministers of the altar; sprinkle yourselves with ashes. R. For the day ... R. Mourn as a virgin ...

In the 2nd Nocturn

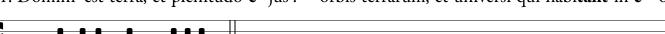
-levámini, * portæ æternáles, et intro-í- bit Rex glóri-æ.

Be ye lifted up, O eternal gates, and the King of glory shall enter in.

Psalm 23.



1. Dómini est terra, et plenitúdo e- jus: * orbis terrárum, et univérsi qui hábitant in e- o.



Flex: príncipes, vestras, †

- 2. Quia ipse super mária fundávit eum: * et super flúmina præpa**rá**vit eum.
- 3. Quis ascéndet in montem **Dó**mini?* aut quis stabit in loco **san**cto **e**jus?
 - 4. Innocens mánibus et mundo **cor**de, *
- qui non accépit in vano ánimam suam, nec jurávit in dolo **pró**ximo **su**o.

5. Hic accípiet benedictiónem a Dó-

- mino : * et misericórdiam a Deo, salu**tá**ri **su**o.
- 6. Hæc est generátio quæréntium eum, * quæréntium fáciem **De**i **Ja**cob.
- 7. Attóllite portas, príncipes, vestras, † et elevámini, portæ æter**ná**les : * et introí-
- bit Rex **gló**riæ.

 8. Quis est iste Rex **gló**riæ? * Dóminus fortis et potens : Dóminus **po**tens in
- prálio.
 9. Attóllite portas, príncipes, vestras, †
 et elevámini, portæ æternáles : * et introí-
- bit Rex **gló**riæ. 10. Quis est iste Rex **gló**riæ? * Dóminus virtútum ipse **est** Rex **gló**riæ.

- The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof: the world, and all they that dwell therein.
 For he hath founded it upon the seas; and
- hath prepared it upon the rivers.
 3. Who shall ascend into the mountain of the
- Lord: or who shall stand in his holy place?
 4. The innocent in hands, and clean of heart, who hath not taken his soul in vain, nor sworn de-

ceitfully to his neighbour.

- 5. He shall receive a blessing from the Lord, and mercy from God his Saviour.
- 6. This is the generation of them that seek him, of them that seek the face of the God of Jacob.
- 7. Lift up your gates, O ye princes, and be ye lifted up, O eternal gates: and the King of Glory shall enter in.
- 8. Who is this King of Glory? the Lord who is strong and mighty: the Lord mighty in battle.
- 9. Lift up your gates, O ye princes, and be ye lifted up, O eternal gates: and the King of Glory shall enter in.
- 10. Who is this King of Glory? the Lord of hosts, he is the King of Glory.

Repeat antiphon.



I believe that I see the good things of the Lord in the land of the living.

Psalm 26.



- 1. Dóminus illumináti-o me-a, et salus me- a, * quem ti- mébo? §. 2. * a quo trepi- dábo?
- 1. The Lord is my light and my salvation,
 - whom shall I fear? 3. Dum apprópiant super me nocéntes, * 2. The Lord is the protector of my life: of
 - whom shall I be afraid? 3. Whilst the wicked draw near against me,
 - to eat my flesh. 4. My enemies that trouble me, have them-
 - selves been weakened, and have fallen. 5. If armies in camp should stand together
 - against me, my heart shall not fear. 6. If a battle should rise up against me, in this will I be confident.

7. One thing I have asked of the Lord, this

- will I seek after; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life. 8. That I may see the delight of the Lord, and
 - may visit his temple. 9. For he hath hidden me in his tabernacle;
 - in the day of evils, he hath protected me in the secret place of his tabernacle.
 - 10. He hath exalted me upon a rock: and now he hath lifted up my head above my enemies.
- 11. I have gone round, and have offered up in his tabernacle a sacrifice of jubilation: I will sing,

and recite a psalm to the Lord.

- 12. Hear, O Lord, my voice, with which I have cried to thee: have mercy on me and hear me.
- 13. My heart hath said to thee: My face hath sought thee: thy face, O Lord, will I still seek.
 - 14. Turn not away thy face from me; decline not in thy wrath from thy servant.
 - 15. Be thou my helper, forsake me not; do not

- 2. Dóminus protéctor vitæ meæ, * a quo trepidábo?
- ut e*dant carnes* **me**as : 4. Qui tríbulant me inimíci mei, * ipsi in-
- firmáti sunt *et ceci*dérunt. 5. Si consistant advérsum me castra, * non
- ti*mébit cor* **me**um. 6. Si exsúrgat advérsum me prælium, * in
- hoc ego sperábo. 7. Unam pétii a Dómino, hanc requí-

ram, * ut inhábitem in domo Dómini óm-

- nibus diébus vitæ meæ:
- 8. Ut vídeam voluptátem Dómini, * et vísi*tem templum e*jus.
- 9. Quóniam abscóndit me in tabernáculo suo: * in die malórum protéxit me in abscón-
- dito taber*náculi s*ui. 10. In petra exaltávit me: * et nunc ex-
- altávit caput meum super inimicos meos. 11. Circuívi et immolávi in tabernáculo
- ejus hóstiam vociferatiónis : * cantábo et psalmum dicam Dómino.
- 12. Exáudi, Dómine, vocem meam, qua clamávi ad te: * miserére mei, et exáudi me.
- 13. Tibi dixit cor meum, exquisívit te fácies mea: * fáciem tuam, Dómine, requíram.
- 14. Ne avértas fáciem tuam a me, * ne declínes in ira *a servo tuo.*
 - 15. Adjútor meus esto : * ne derelínquas
- me, neque despícias me, Deus, salutáris

meus.

- 16. Quóniam pater meus, et mater mea de*reliqu*érunt me: * Dóminus *autem ass*úmpsit me.
- 17. Legem pone mihi, Dómine, in *via* **tu**a: * et dírige me in sémitam rectam propter in*imícos* **me**os.
- 18. Ne tradíderis me in ánimas tribu*lánti-* **um** me: * quóniam insurrexérunt in me testes
- iníqui, et mentíta est in*íquitas si*bi. 19. Credo vidére *bona* **Dó**mini * in *terra*
- vivéntium.

 20. Exspécta Dóminum, viríliter age: * et confortétur cor tuum, et sústine Dóminum.

- thou despise me, O God my Saviour.
- 16. For my father and my mother have left me: but the Lord hath taken me up.
- 17. Set me, O Lord, a law in thy way, and guide me in the right path, because of my enemies.
- 18. Deliver me not over to the will of them that trouble me; for unjust witnesses have risen up against me; and iniquity hath lied to itself.
- 19. I believe to see the good things of the Lord in the land of the living.
- 20. Expect the Lord, do manfully, and let thy heart take courage, and await thou the Lord.



Redo vidé-re * bona Dómini in terra vivénti-um.

O Lord, Thou hast brought my soul out of hell.



Ŷ. 2. * *et sa***ná**sti me.

tibus in lacum.

- 2. Dómine, Deus meus, clamávi **ad** te, * *et sa***ná**sti me.
- Dómine, eduxísti ab inférno ánimam meam: * salvásti me a descendén
 - en-
- 1. I will extol thee, O Lord, for thou hast upheld me: and hast not made my enemies to rejoice over me.
- 2. O Lord my God, I have cried to thee, and thou hast healed me.
 - 3. Thou hast brought forth, O Lord, my soul from

- 4. Psállite Dómino, sancti ejus: * et confitémini memóriæ sanctitátis ejus.
- 5. Quóniam ira in indignatióne ejus : * et vita in volun*táte* ejus.
- 6. Ad vésperum demorábitur fletus: * et ad matutínum lætítia.
- 7. Ego autem dixi in abundántia mea: * Non movébor in ætérnum.
- 8. Dómine, in voluntáte tua, * præstitísti decóri me*o virt*útem.
- 9. Avertísti fáciem tuam a me, * et factus sum *conturbá*tus.
- 10. Ad te, Dómine, clamábo: * et ad Deum meum deprecábor.
 - 11. Quæ utílitas in sánguine meo, *
- dum descéndo in cor*ruptió*nem?
- 12. Numquid confitébitur tibi pulvis, * aut annuntiábit veritátem tuam?
- 13. Audívit Dóminus, et misértus est mei: * Dóminus factus est adjútor meus.
- 14. Convertísti planctum meum in gáudium mihi: * conscidísti saccum
- meum, et circumdedísti me lætítia: 15. Ut cantet tibi glória mea, et non
- compúngar: * Dómine, Deus meus, in ætérnum confitébor tibi.

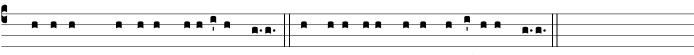
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- hell: thou hast saved me from them that go down into the pit.
- 4. Sing to the Lord, O ye his saints: and give praise to the memory of his holiness.
- 5. For wrath is in his indignation; and life in his good will.
- 6. In the evening weeping shall have place, and in the morning gladness.
- 7. And in my abundance I said: I shall never be moved.
- 8. O Lord, in thy favour, thou gavest strength to my beauty.
- 9. Thou turnedst away thy face from me, and I became troubled.
- 10. To thee, O Lord, will I cry: and I will make supplication to my God.
- 11. What profit is there in my blood, whilst I go down to corruption?
 - 12. Shall dust confess to thee, or declare thy truth? 13. The Lord hath heard, and hath had mercy on
- me: the Lord became my helper. 14. Thou hast turned for me my mourning into joy:

thou hast cut my sackcloth, and hast compassed me

with gladness: 15. To the end that my glory may sing to thee, and I may not regret: O Lord my God, I will praise to thee for ever.

Omine, * abstraxísti ab ínfe-ris ánimam me-am.



- ỳ. Tu autem, Dómine, miserére mé-i. R. Et resúscita me, et retríbu-am é-is.
 - V. But Thou, O Lord, have mercy on me.
 - R. And raise me, and I will repay them.

Pater noster. in silence.

Ex Tractátu sancti Augustíni Epíscopi super Psalmos

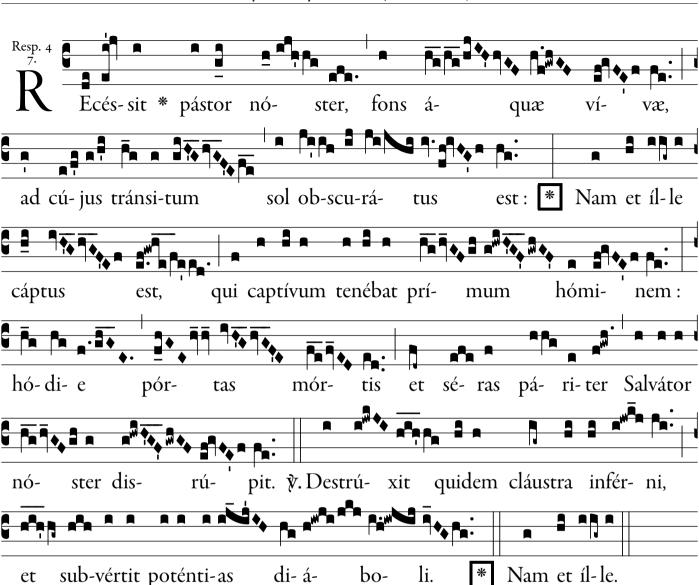
LESSON IV

CCÉDET homo ad cor altum, et exaltábi-

Defecérunt scrutántes scrutationes, consília mala. Accéssit homo ad ipsa consília, passus est se tenéri ut homo. Non enim tenerétur nisi homo, aut viderétur nisi homo, aut cæderétur nisi homo, aut crucifigerétur aut morerétur nisi homo. Accéssit ergo homo ad illas omnes passiones, quæ in illo nihil valérent, nisi esset homo. Sed si ille non esset homo, non liberarétur homo. Accéssit homo ad cor altum, id est, cor secrétum, objíciens aspéctibus humánis hóminem, servans intus Deum: celans formam Dei, in qua æquális est Patri, et offerens formam servi, qua minor est Patre.

On Ps. 63, at verse 7

AN shall come to a deep mind and Man shall be exalted. They said, Who shall see us? The diligent searchers out of evil counsels have failed. A Man came to these very counsels, and suffered Himself to be taken, as Man. For He had not been taken at all, unless Man, or seen, unless Man, or smitten, unless Man, or crucified, or died, unless Man. Man therefore attained unto all these sufferings, which had not availed against Him, unless He had been a Man. But if He had not been Man, man had not been redeemed. Man came to a deep mind, that is, a secret mind; showing Manhood to men, and keeping Godhead within; veiling the form of God, wherein He is Equal to the Father, and presenting the form of a servant, inferior to the Father.



R. Our Shepherd has withdrawn, the fount of living water, at whose passing the sun was dark-

ened: * For he also is led captive, who had taken

the first man captive; this day hath our Saviour

burst the gates and bars of death. V. The bonds of hell He hath utterly abolished, and hath done away the power of the devil. R. For he also is led captive ...

LESSON V

Quas perscrutántes defecérunt, ut étiam mórtuo Dómino et sepúlto, custódes pónerent ad *sepúlcrum*? Dixérunt enim Piláto: Se-

How far did they carry their diligent searchings, which failed so much, that even after the Lord was dead and buried, they set a watch over the sepulchre? For they said to Pilate: "That se-

dúctor ille: hoc appellabátur nómine Dóminus Jesus Christus, ad solátium servórum suórum, quando dicúntur seductóres; ergo illi Piláto: Sedúctor ille, ínquiunt, dixit adhuc vivens: Post tres dies resúrgam. Jube ítaque custodíri sepúlcrum usque in diem tértium, ne forte véniant discípuli ejus, et furéntur eum, et

dicant plebi, Surréxit a mórtuis : et erit no-

víssimus error pejor prióre. Ait illis Pilátus :

Habétis custódiam, ite, custodíte sicut scitis.

Illi autem abeúntes muniérunt sepúlcrum, si-

R. O all ye that pass by, behold and see: * If there

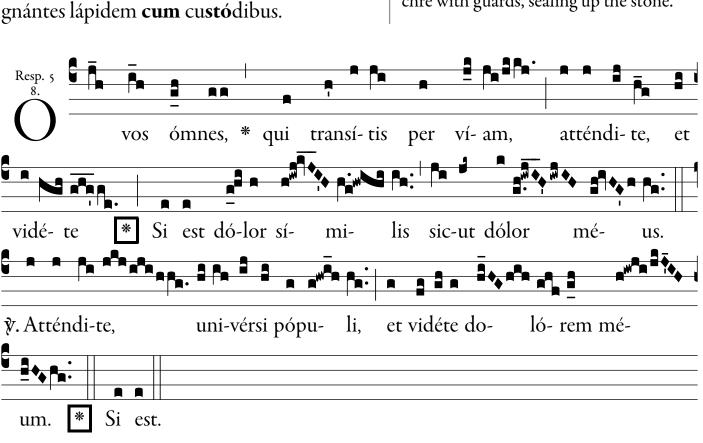
be any sorrow like unto My sorrow. §. Attend,

Christ was called, to the comfort of His servants, when they are called seducers. So they said to Pilate, "That seducer said, while still alive: After three days I shall rise again. Command therefore that the sepulchre be guarded until the third day, lest His disciples come and steal Him away, and say unto the people: He is risen from the dead; and the last error shall be worse than the first." Pilate said to them: Ye have a guard; go, and guard him as ye know. So they went and secured the sepulchre with guards, sealing up the stone.

O all ye peoples, and see My sorrow: R. If there

be any sorrow like unto My sorrow.

ducer," by which name the Lord Jesus



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Tomas Luis de Victoria (1548-1611)



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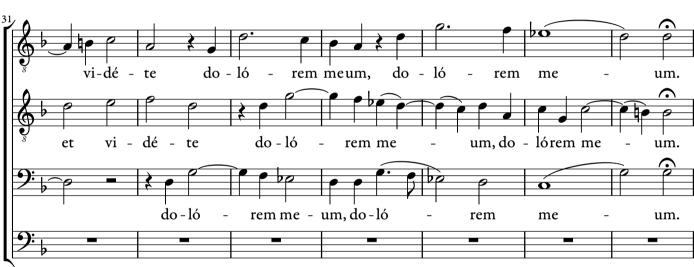
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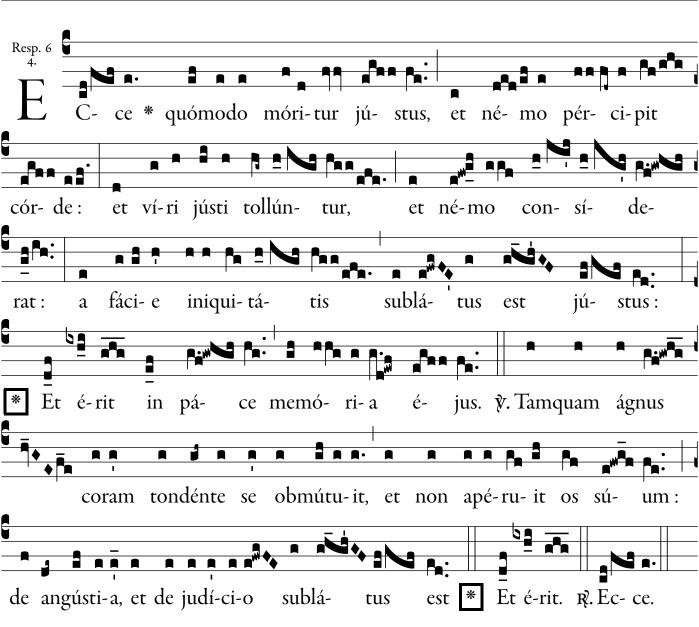




LESSON VI

Posuérunt custódes mílites ad sepúlxit : mirácula facta sunt tália circa sepúlcrum, ut et ipsi mílites, qui custódes advénerant, testes fíerent, si vellent vera nuntiáre. Sed avarítia illa, quæ captivávit discípulum cómitem Christi, captivávit et mílitem custódem sepúlcri. Damus, ínquiunt, vobis pecúniam : et dícite quia vobis dormiéntibus venérunt discípuli ejus, et abstulérunt eum. Vere defecérunt scrutántes scrutatiónes. Quid est quod dixísti, o infélix astútia? Tantúmne déseris lucem consílii pietátis, et in profúnda versútiæ demérgeris, ut hoc dicas : Dícite quia vobis dormiéntibus venérunt discípuli ejus, et abstulérunt eum? Dormiéntes testes ádhibes : vere tu ipse obdormísti, qui scrutándo tália **de**fe**cí**sti.

THEY set a watch of soldiers over the sepulchre. The earth shook and the Lord arose. Such wonders were wrought about the sepulchre that the very soldiers who kept watch might be witnesses thereto, would they declare the truth. But the same love of money that enslaved that disciple and companion of Christ, enslaved also the soldier guarding the sepulchre. "We will give you money," said the chief priests, "and say ye that His disciples came while ye slept and stole Him away." Verily, the diligent searchers out have failed. What didst thou say, O wretched craft? Wast thou indeed so utterly void of the light of godly wisdom, and confounded in the bottomless pit of thine own falsehood as to speak thus: Say ye that His disciples came while ye slept, and stole Him away? Thou callest upon sleeping witnesses: surely thou wast asleep thyself, who has failed in searching out so notable a matter.



R. Behold how the Just dieth, and none taketh it to heart; and just men are taken away, and none considereth. The Just is taken away from

the face of iniquity: * And his memory shall be

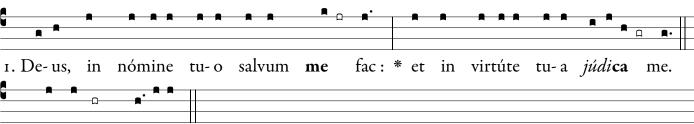
in peace. V. As a lamb before his shearers, He was dumb and opened not His mouth; He was taken from prison and from judgment. R. And his memory shall be in peace. R. Behold how ...

In the 3rd Nocturn



God is my helper, and the Lord is the protector of my soul.

Psalm 53.



Flex: advérsum me, †

- Deus, exáudi oratiónem meam : * áuribus pércipe verba oris mei.
- Quóniam aliéni insurrexérunt advérsum me, † et fortes quæsiérunt ánimam meam : * et non proposuérunt Deum ante conspéctum suum.
- 4. Ecce enim Deus ádju**vat** me : * et Dóminus suscéptor est á*nima* **me**æ.
- 5. Avérte mala inimícis **me**is : * et in veritáte tua dis*pérde* **il**los.
- 6. Voluntárie sacrificábo **ti**bi, * et confitébor nómini tuo, Dómine : quó*niam* **bo**num est :
- 7. Quóniam ex omni tribulatióne eripuísti me : * et super inimícos meos despéxit ó*culus* **me**us.

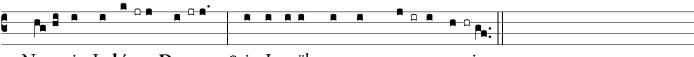
Repeat antiphon.

- 1. Save me, O God, by thy name, and judge me in thy strength.
- 2. O God, hear my prayer: give ear to the words of my mouth.
- 3. For strangers have risen up against me; and the mighty have sought after my soul: and they have not set God before their eyes.
- 4. For behold God is my helper: and the Lord is the protector of my soul.
- 5. Turn back the evils upon my enemies; and cut them off in thy truth.
- 6. I will freely sacrifice to thee, and will give praise, O God, to thy name: because it is good:
- 7. For thou hast delivered me out of all trouble: and my eye hath looked down upon my enemies.

N pace fáctus est * locus e-jus, et in Si-on habi-tá-ti-o e-jus.

His place is in peace and His dwelling-place in Zion.

Psalm 75.



- 1. Notus in Judá- a De- us: * in Isra-ël magnum no-men e- jus.
- habitátio ejus in **Si**on.

 3. Ibi confrégit po**tén**tias **ár**cuum : *
- scutum, gládi**um**, et **bel**lum. 4. Illúminans tu mirabíliter a món-
- ti**bus** æ**tér**nis : * turbáti sunt omnes
- insipi**én**tes **cor**de.

 5. Dormiérunt **som**num **su**um : * et
- nihil invenérunt omnes viri divitiárum in **má**nibus **su**is.
- Ab increpatióne tua, **De**us **Ja**cob, * dormitavérunt qui ascen**dé**runt **e**quos.
 - 7. Tu terríbilis es, et quis re**sí**stet **ti**-
- bi? * ex tunc ira tua.8. De cælo audítum fecísti judícium : *
- terra trémuit **et** qui**é**vit.
 - 9. Cum exsúrgeret in judícium De-
- us, * ut salvos fáceret omnes mansuétos **ter**ræ.
- 10. Quóniam cogitátio hóminis confi**té**bitur **ti**bi : * et relíquiæ cogitatió-
- nis diem festum **a**gent **ti**bi.

 11. Vovéte, et réddite Dómino **De**o **ve**-
- stro : * omnes, qui in circúitu ejus af**fér**tis **mú**nera.
- 12. Terríbili et ei qui aufert spíritum príncipum, * terríbili apud reges terræ.

- 1. In Judea God is known: his name is great in Israel.
- 2. And his place is in peace: and his abode in Sion:
- 3. There hath he broken the powers of bows, the shield, the sword, and the battle.4. Thou enlightenest wonderfully from the ev-
- erlasting hills. All the foolish of heart were troubled.
- 5. They have slept their sleep; and all the men of riches have found nothing in their hands.6. At thy rebuke, O God of Jacob, they have all
- slumbered that mounted on horseback.
 7. Thou art terrible, and who shall resist thee?
- from that time thy wrath.

 8. Thou hast caused judgment to be heard from heaven: the earth trembled and was still,
- 9. When God arose in judgment, to save all the meek of the earth.
- 10. For the thought of man shall give praise to thee: and the remainders of the thought shall keep holiday to thee.
- 11. Vow ye, and pay to the Lord your God: all you that are round about him bring presents.
- 12. To him that is terrible, even to him who taketh away the spirit of princes: to the terrible with the kings of the earth.

Repeat antiphon.

Actus sum * sicut homo sine adjutóri-o, inter mórtu-os liber.

I am become as a man without help, free among the dead.

Psalm 87.



- 1. Dómine, De-us salútis me- æ: * in di-e clamávi, et nocte coram te. Flex: sepúlcris, †
- 1. Lord, the God of my salvation: I have cried
 - in the day, and in the night before thee. 3. Quia repléta est malis ánima mea: * 2. Let my prayer come in before thee: incline
 - thy ear to my petition. 3. For my soul is filled with evils: and my life hath drawn nigh to hell.
 - 4. I am counted among them that go down to the pit: I am become as a man without help, free among the dead.
 - 5. Like the slain sleeping in the sepulchres, whom thou rememberest no more: and they are cast off from thy hand.
 - 6. They have laid me in the lower pit: in the dark places, and in the shadow of death.
 - 7. Thy wrath is strong over me: and all thy waves thou hast brought in upon me. 8. Thou hast put away my acquaintance far
 - themselves. 9. I was delivered up, and came not forth: my eyes languished through poverty.

from me: they have set me an abomination to

- 10. All the day I cried to thee, O Lord: I stretched out my hands to thee.
- 11. Wilt thou shew wonders to the dead? or shall physicians raise to life, and give praise to thee?
- 12. Shall any one in the sepulchre declare thy mercy: and thy truth in destruction?

- 2. Intret in conspéctu tuo orátio mea: * inclína aurem tuam ad precem meam:
- et vita mea inférno appropinquávit. 4. Æstimátus sum cum descendéntibus in lacum: * factus sum sicut homo sine ad-
- jutório, inter mórtuos liber. 5. Sicut vulneráti dormiéntes in sepúl-

cris, † quorum non es memor ámplius: * et

- ipsi de manu tua repúlsi sunt.
- 6. Posuérunt me in lacu inferióri: * in tenebrósis, et *in umbra* mortis.
- 7. Super me confirmátus est furor tuus: * et omnes fluctus tuos in duxisti super
- 8. Longe fecísti notos meos a me: * po-
- suérunt me abominationem sibi.
- 9. Tráditus sum, et non egrediébar : * óculi mei languérunt præ inópia.

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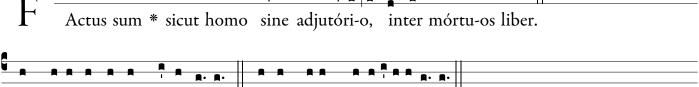
- 10. Clamávi ad te, Dómine, tota die: * expándi ad te manus meas.
- 11. Numquid mórtuis fácies mirabília:* aut médici suscitábunt, et confitebúntur
- tibi? 12. Numquid narrábit áliquis in sepúlcro
- misericórdiam tuam, * et veritátem tuam in perditióne?

- 13. Numquid cognoscéntur in ténebris mirabí*lia* **tu**a, * et justítia tua in terra
- 14. Et ego ad te, Dómine, clamávi: * et mane orátio mea prævéniet te.
- 15. Ut quid, Dómine, repéllis oratiónem meam: * avértis fáciem tuam a me?
- 16. Pauper sum ego, et in labóribus a juventúte mea: * exaltátus autem, humiliátus sum *et contur***bá**tus.
- 17. In me transiérunt ira tuæ: * et terróres tui *conturba*v**é**runt me.
- 18. Circumdedérunt me sicut aqua tota **di**e : * circumde*dérunt me* **si**mul.
- 19. Elongásti a me amícum et próximum: * et notos meos a miséria.

- thy justice in the land of forgetfulness? *oblivi*ónis?
 - 14. But I, O Lord, have cried to thee: and in the morning my prayer shall prevent thee.

13. Shall thy wonders be known in the dark; and

- 15. Lord, why castest thou off my prayer: why turnest thou away thy face from me?
- 16. I am poor, and in labours from my youth: and being exalted have been humbled and troubled.
- 17. Thy wrath hath come upon me: and thy terrors have troubled me.
- 18. They have come round about me like water all the day: they have compassed me about together.
- 19. Friend and neighbour thou hast put far from me: and my acquaintance, because of misery.



- V. In páce fáctus est lócus é-jus. R. Et in Sí-on habitáti-o é-jus.
 - ऐ. His place is in peace.

3. Ant.

R. And His dwelling-place in Sion.

Pater noster. in silence.

De Epístola beáti Pauli Apóstoli ad Hebræos

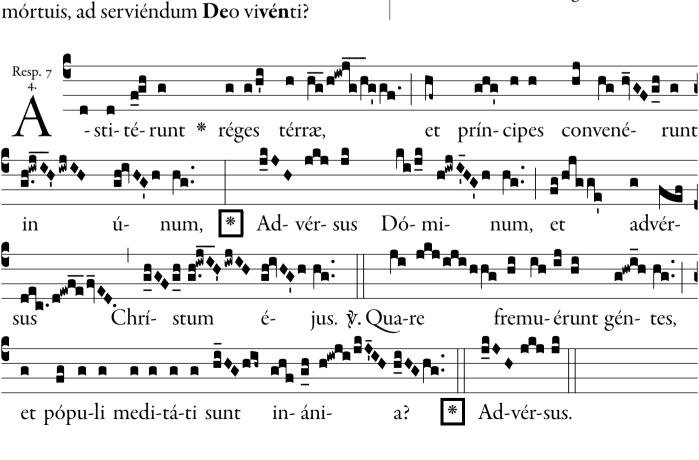
LESSON VII

Christus assístens Póntifex futurórum bonórum, per ámplius et perféctius tabernáculum, non manufáctum, id est, non hujus creatiónis: neque per sánguinem hircórum, aut vitulórum, sed per próprium sánguinem introívit semel in Sancta, ætérna redemptióne invénta. Si enim sanguis hircórum et taurórum, et cínis vítulæ aspérsus inquinátos sanctíficat ad emundatiónem carnis: quanto magis sanguis Christi, qui per Spíritum Sanctum semetípsum óbtulit immaculátum Deo, emundábit consciéntiam nostram ab opéribus

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THRIST, being come a high priest

of the good things to come, by a greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is, not of this creation: Neither by the blood of goats, nor of calves, but by His own blood, entered once into the holies, having obtained eternal redemption. For if the blood of goats and of oxen, and the ashes of a heifer being sprinkled, sanctify such as are defiled, to the cleansing of the flesh: How much more shall the Blood of Christ, who by the Holy Ghost offered Himself spotless unto God, cleanse our conscience from dead works, to serve the living God?



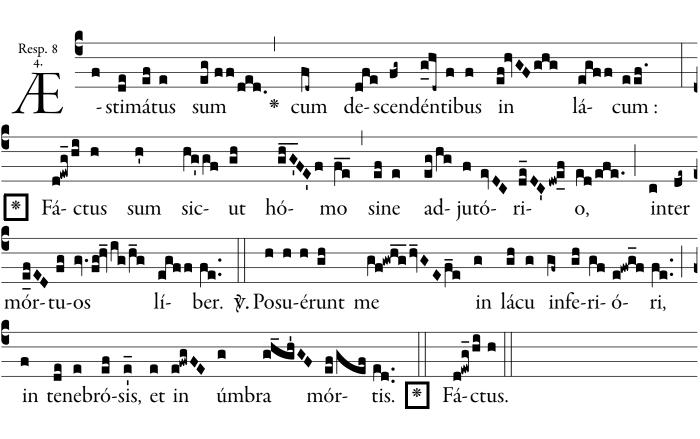
R. The kings of the earth stood up, and the princes met together: * Against the Lord, and against His Anointed. V. Why have the gen-

tiles raged and the people devised vain things? R. Against the Lord, and against His Anointed.

LESSON VIII

E ideo novi testaménti mediátor est: ut, morte intercedénte, in redemptiónem eárum prævaricatiónum, quæ erant sub prióri testaménto, repromissiónem accípiant, qui vocáti sunt ætérnæ hereditátis. Ubi enim testaméntum est: mors necésse est intercédat testatóris. Testaméntum enim in mórtuis confirmátum est: alióquin nondum valet, dum vivit qui testátus est. Unde nec primum quidem sine sánguine dedicátum est.

And therefore He is the Mediator of the New Testament: that by means of His Death, for the redemption of those transgressions, which were under the former Testament, they that are called may receive the promise of eternal inheritance. For where there is a testament, the death of the testator must of necessity intervene. For a testament comes into force through death: otherwise it is as yet of no strength, whilst the testator liveth. Whereupon neither was the first indeed dedicated without blood.



R. I am counted with them that go down into the pit: * I am become as a man without help,

free among the dead. v. They laid me in the

lowest pit, in darkness, and in the shadow of death. R. I am become as a man without help, free among the dead.

LESSON IX

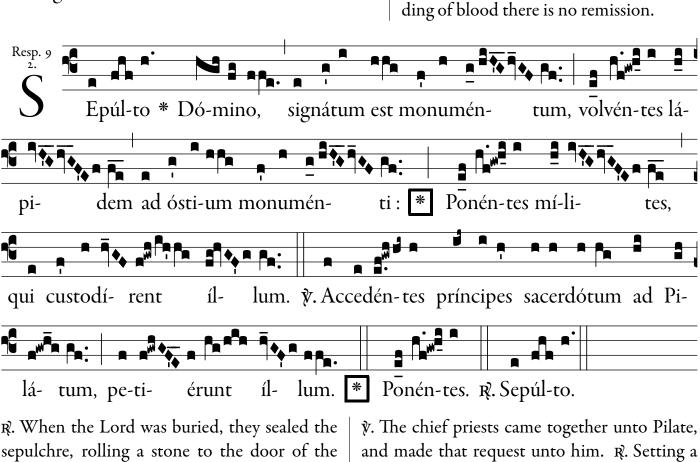
L se univérso pópulo: accípiens sánguinem vitulórum, et hircórum, cum aqua et lana coccínea, et hyssópo: ipsum quoque librum, et omnem populum aspérsit dicens: Hic sanguis testaménti, quod mandávit ad vos Deus. Etiam tabernáculum, et ómnia vasa ministérii sánguine simíliter aspérsit: et ómnia pene in sánguine secúndum legem mundántur: et si-

ne sánguinis effusióne non fit remíssio.

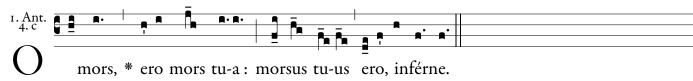
sepulchre: * Setting a watch to guard Him.

POR when every commandment of the law had been read by Moses to all the people, he took the blood of calves and goats, with water, and scarlet wool and hyssop, and sprinkled both the book itself and all the people, Saying: This is the blood of the Testament, which God hath enjoined upon you. The tabernacle also and all the vessels of the ministry, in like manner, he sprinkled with blood. And almost all things, according to the law, are cleansed with blood: and without shed-

watch to guard Him. R. When the Lord ...

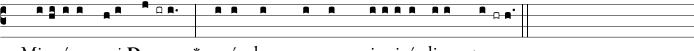


AT LAUDS



O death, I will be thy death; I will be thy destruction, O hell.

Psalm 50.



- 1. Miserére me-i De- us, * secúndum magnam misericórdi-am tu- am.
- 2. Et secúndum multitúdinem miseratió*num tu***á**rum, * dele iniquitátem **me**am.
- 3. Amplius lava me ab iniqui*táte* **me**a:* et a peccáto meo **mun**da me.
- 4. Quóniam iniquitátem meam ego cognósco: * et peccátum meum contra me est
- semper.5. Tibi soli peccávi, et malum coram te
- **fe**ci : * ut justificéris in sermónibus tuis, et vincas cum judi**cá**ris.
- Ecce enim in iniquitátibus concéptus sum : * et in peccátis concépit me mater mea.
- 7. Ecce enim veritátem *dilexí*sti: * incérta et occúlta sapiéntiæ tuæ manifestásti
- mihi.
 8. Aspérges me hyssópo, et mundábor: * lavábis me, et super nivem dealbá-

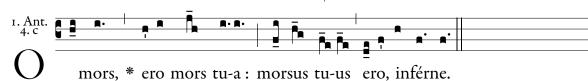
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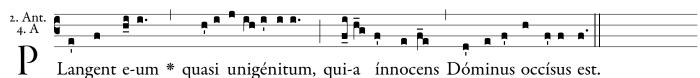
- 9. Audítui meo dabis gáudium *et læ*títiam : * et exsultábunt ossa humili**á**ta.
- 10. Avérte fáciem tuam a pec*cátis* meis: * et omnes iniquitátes meas **de**le.
- 11. Cor mundum crea *in me*, **De**us : * et spíritum rectum ínnova in viscéribus **me**is.

- 1. Have mercy on me, O God, according to thy great mercy.
- 2. And according to the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my iniquity.
- 3. Wash me yet more from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.
- 4. For I know my iniquity, and my sin is always before me.
- 5. Against thee only have I sinned, and done evil before thee: that thou mayst be justified in thy words, and mayst overcome when thou art judged.
- 6. For behold I was conceived in iniquities; and in sins did my mother conceive me.
- 7. For behold thou hast loved truth: the uncertain and hidden things of thy wisdom thou hast made manifest to me.
- 8. Thou shalt sprinkle me with hyssop, and I shall be cleansed: thou shalt wash me, and I shall be made whiter than snow.
- 9. To my hearing thou shalt give joy and gladness: and the bones that have been humbled shall rejoice.
- 10. Turn away thy face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities.
- 11. Create a clean heart in me, O God: and renew a right spirit within my bowels.

- 12. Ne projícias me a fácie **tu**a : * et spíritum sanctum tuum ne áuferas **a** me.
- 13. Redde mihi lætítiam salu*táris* **tu**i : * et spíritu principáli con**fír**ma me.
- 14. Docébo iníquos *vias* **tu**as : * et ímpii ad te conver**tén**tur.
- 15. Líbera me de sanguínibus, Deus, Deus salútis **me**æ : * et exsultábit lingua mea justítiam **tu**am.
- 16. Dómine, lábia me*a a***pé**ries : * et os meum annuntiábit laudem **tu**am.
- 17. Quóniam si voluísses sacrifícium, de*díssem* útique : * holocáustis non delectáberis.
- 18. Sacrifícium Deo spíritus con*tribu*látus: * cor contrítum et humiliátum, Deus, non de**spí**cies.
- 19. Benígne fac, Dómine, in bona voluntáte *tua* **Si**on : * ut ædificéntur muri Je**rú**salem.
- 20. Tunc acceptábis sacrifícium justítiæ, oblatiónes, et *holo*cáusta: * tunc impónent super altáre tuum vítulos.

- 12. Cast me not away from thy face; and take not thy holy spirit from me.
- 13. Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation, and strengthen me with a perfect spirit.
- 14. I will teach the unjust thy ways: and the wicked shall be converted to thee.
- 15. Deliver me from blood, O God, thou God of my salvation: and my tongue shall extol thy justice.
- 16. O Lord, thou wilt open my lips: and my mouth shall declare thy praise.
- 17. For if thou hadst desired sacrifice, I would indeed have given it: with burnt offerings thou wilt not be delighted.
- 18. A sacrifice to God is an afflicted spirit: a contrite and humbled heart, O God, thou wilt not despise.
- 19. Deal favourably, O Lord, in thy good will with Sion; that the walls of Jerusalem may be built up.
- 20. Then shalt thou accept the sacrifice of justice, oblations and whole burnt offerings: then shall they lay calves upon thy altar.





They shall mourn for Him as one mourneth for an only son, for the innocent Lord hath been slain.

Psalm 91.



- 1. Bonum est confitéri Dómino: * et psállere nómini tu-o, Altíssime. Flex: Dómine, †
- 2. Ad annuntiándum mane misericór*di- am tu*am : * et veritátem *tuam per* **no**ctem.
- 3. In decachór*do*, *psalt*ério : * cum cán*ti-*
- 4. Quia delectásti me, Dómine, in factúra tua: * et in opéribus mánuum tuárum exsultábo.
- Quam magnificáta sunt ópera tua, Dómine! * nimis profúndæ factæ sunt cogitatiónes tuæ.
- 6. Vir insípiens *non cognó*scet: * et stultus non *intélliget* hæc.
- 7. Cum exórti fúerint peccatóres *sicut* **fe**num : * et apparúerint omnes, qui operántur *iniqui***tá**tem.
- 8. Ut intéreant in sæculum sæculi : * tu autem Altíssimus in ætérnum, **Dó**mine.
- 9. Quóniam ecce inimíci tui, Dómine, †
- quóniam ecce inimíci tu*i perí*bunt : * et dispergéntur omnes, qui operántur *iniqui*tátem.
- 10. Et exaltábitur sicut unicórnis *cornu* meum : * et senéctus mea in miseri*córdia* úberi.
- 11. Et despéxit óculus meus ini*micos* **me**os: * et in insurgéntibus in me malignántibus
 áudi*et auris* **me**a.

- 1. It is good to give praise to the Lord: and to sing to thy name, O most High.
- 2. To shew forth thy mercy in the morning, and thy truth in the night:
- 3. Upon an instrument of ten strings, upon the psaltery: with a canticle upon the harp.
- 4. For thou hast given me, O Lord, a delight in thy doings: and in the works of thy hands I shall rejoice.
- 5. O Lord, how great are thy works! thy thoughts are exceeding deep.
- 6. The senseless man shall not know: nor will the fool understand these things.
- 7. When the wicked shall spring up as grass: and all the workers of iniquity shall appear:
- 8. That they may perish for ever and ever: but thou, O Lord, art most high for evermore.
- 9. For behold thy enemies, O Lord, for behold thy enemies shall perish: and all the workers of iniquity shall be scattered.
- 10. But my horn shall be exalted like that of the unicorn: and my old age in plentiful mercy.
- 11. My eye also hath looked down upon my enemies: and my ear shall hear of the downfall of the malignant that rise up against me.
 - 12. The just shall flourish like the palm tree:

- 12. Justus, ut palma florébit: * sicut cedrus
- Líbani *multiplicá*bitur.
- 13. Plantáti in domo Dómini, * in átriis domus Dei nostri florébunt.
- 14. Adhuc multiplicabúntur in senécta úberi : * et bene patiéntes erunt, ut
- annúntient:
- 15. Quóniam rectus Dóminus, Deus noster: * et non est iníquitas in eo.

he shall grow up like the cedar of Libanus.

- 13. They that are planted in the house of the Lord shall flourish in the courts of the house of our God.
- 14. They shall still increase in a fruitful old age: and shall be well treated, that they may shew,
- 15. That the Lord our God is righteous, and there is no iniquity in him.



Give heed, all ye people, and see my grief.

1. Exáudi, De-us, orati-ónem me-am cum déprecor: * a timóre inimíci éripe ánimam me- am.

Psalm 63.

- 2. Protexísti me a convéntu malignántium: * a multitúdine operántium iniquitátem. enemy.
- 3. Quia exacuérunt ut gládium linguas suas : * intendérunt arcum rem
- amáram, ut sagíttent in occúltis immaculátum.
- 4. Súbito sagittábunt eum, et non timébunt : * firmavérunt sibi sermónem **ne**quam.
- 5. Narravérunt ut abscónderent láqueos : * dixérunt : Quis vi**dé**bit **e**os?
- 6. Scrutáti sunt iniquitátes: * defecérunt scrutántes scrutínio.

- 1. Hear, O God, my prayer, when I make supplication to thee: deliver my soul from the fear of the
- 2. Thou hast protected me from the assembly of the malignant; from the multitude of the workers of iniquity.
- 3. For they have whetted their tongues like a sword; they have bent their bow a bitter thing, to shoot in secret the undefiled.
- 4. They will shoot at him on a sudden, and will not fear: they are resolute in wickedness.
- 5. They have talked of hiding snares; they have said: Who shall see them?
 - 6. They have searched after iniquities: they have

- 7. Accédet homo ad cor altum: * et exaltábitur Deus.
 - 8. Sagíttæ parvulórum factæ sunt pla-
- gæ eórum: * et infirmátæ sunt contra eos linguæ eórum.
- 9. Conturbáti sunt omnes qui vidébant eos: * et tímuit omnis homo.
- 10. Et annuntiavérunt ópera Dei, * et facta ejus intellexérunt.
- 11. Lætábitur justus in Dómino, et sperábit in eo: * et laudabúntur omnes recti corde.

Repeat antiphon.

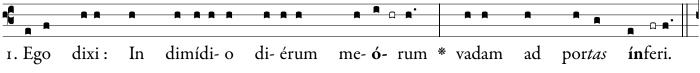
- failed in their search.
- 7. Man shall come to a deep heart: and God shall be exalted.
- 8. The arrows of children are their wounds: and their tongues against them are made weak.
- 9. All that saw them were troubled; and every man was afraid.
- 10. And they declared the works of God: and understood his doings.
- 11. The just shall rejoice in the Lord, and shall hope in him: and all the upright in heart shall be praised.

From the gate of hell, O Lord, deliver my soul.

porta ínfe-ri * éru-e, Dómine, ánimam me-am.

Canticle of Ezechias

Is. 38, 10-20



- Flex: vita me-a: †
- 2. Quæsívi resíduum annórum meórum. * Dixi: Non vidébo Dóminum Deum
- in terra vivéntium.
 - 3. Non aspíciam hóminem ultra, * et
- habitatórem quiétis. 4. Generátio mea abláta est, et con-
- pastórum.

volúta est a me, * quasi tabernáculum

5. Præcísa est, velut a texénte, vita mea: † dum adhuc ordírer, succídit me: * de mane usque ad vésperam fínies me.

the gates of hell: 2. I sought for the residue of my years. I said:

1. I said: In the midst of my days I shall go to

- I shall not see the Lord God in the land of the
- 3. I shall behold man no more, nor the inhabitant of rest.
- 4. My generation is at an end, and it is rolled away from me, as a shepherd's tent.
- 5. My life is cut off, as by a weaver: whilst I was yet but beginning, he cut me off: from morn-

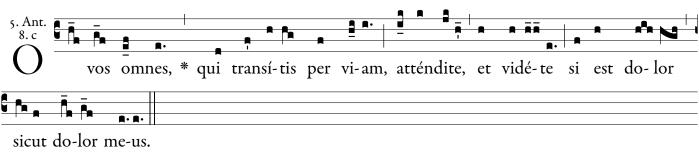
living.

- 6. Sperábam usque ad **ma**ne, * quasi leo sic contrívit ómnia os*sa* **me**a :
- 7. De mane usque ad vésperam fínies
 me : * sicut pullus hirúndinis sic clamábo,
 meditábor ut colúmba :
- 8. Attenuáti sunt óculi **me**i, * suspiciéntes in *excél*sum.
- 9. Dómine, vim pátior, respónde **pro** me. * Quid dicam, aut quid respondébit mihi, cum ipse **fé**cerit?
- 10. Recogitábo tibi omnes annos **me**os * in amaritúdine áni*mæ* **me**æ.
- 11. Dómine, si sic vívitur, et in tálibus vita spíritus mei, † corrípies me, et vivifi**cá**bis me. * Ecce, in pace amaritúdo mea amaríssima:
- 12. Tu autem eruísti ánimam meam ut non períret : * projecísti post tergum tuum ómnia peccá*ta* **me**a.
- 13. Quia non inférnus confitébitur tibi, † neque mors laudábit te:* non exspectábunt qui descéndunt in lacum, veritá*tem* tuam.
- 14. Vivens vivens ipse confitébitur tibi, sicut et ego **hó**die : * pater fíliis notam fáciet veritá*tem* **tu**am.
- 15. Domine, salvum **me** fac * et psalmos nostros cantábimus cunctis diébus vitæ nostræ in do*mo* **Dó**mini.

- ing even to night thou wilt make an end of me.
- 6. I hoped till morning, as a lion so hath he broken all my bones:
- 7. From morning even to night thou wilt make an end of me. I will cry like a young swallow, I will meditate like a dove:
 - 8. My eyes are weakened looking upward:
- 9. Lord, I suffer violence, answer thou for me. What shall I say, or what shall he answer for me, whereas he himself hath done it?
- 10. I will recount to thee all my years in the bitterness of my soul.
- 11. O Lord, if man's life be such, and the life of my spirit be in such things as these, thou shalt correct me, and make me to live. Behold in peace is my bitterness most bitter:
- 12. But thou hast delivered my soul that it should not perish, thou hast cast all my sins behind thy back.
- 13. For hell shall not confess to thee, neither shall death praise thee: nor shall they that go down into the pit, look for thy truth.
- 14. The living, the living, he shall give praise to thee, as I do this day: the father shall make thy truth known to the children.
- 15. O Lord, save me, and we will sing our psalms all the days of our life in the house of the Lord.



porta ínfe-ri * éru-e, Dómine, ánimam me-am.



O all ye that pass by, attend and see if there be any sorrow like unto my sorrow.

Psalm 150.



Flex: benesonántibus: †

- 2. Laudáte eum in virtútibus **e**jus : * laudáte eum secúndum multitúdinem magnitú*dinis* **e**jus.
- 3. Laudáte eum in sono **tu**bæ: * laudáte eum in psaltério, *et* **cí**thara.
- 4. Laudáte eum in týmpano, et **cho**ro: * laudáte eum in chor*dis, et* **ór**gano.
 - 5. Laudáte eum in cýmbalis beesonántibus : † laudáte eum in cýmbalis
- nesonántibus : † laudáte eum in cýmbalis jubilati**ó**nis : * omnis spíritus *laudet*

Repeat antiphon.

Dóminum.

- 1. Praise ye the Lord in his holy places: praise ye him in the firmament of his power.
- 2. Praise ye him for his mighty acts: praise ye him according to the multitude of his greatness.
- 3. Praise him with sound of trumpet: praise him with psaltery and harp.
- 4. Praise him with timbrel and choir: praise him with strings and organs.
- 5. Praise him on high sounding cymbals: praise him on cymbals of joy: let every spirit praise the Lord.
- Y. Cáro mé-a requi-éscet in spe. R. Et non dábis Sánctum tú-um vidére corrupti-ónem.
 - v. My flesh shall rest in hope.
 - \Re . And Thou wilt not give Thy Holy One to see corruption.

Benedictus.



The women sitting at the sepulchre mourned, weeping for the Lord.



- 1. Benedíctus Dóminus, De-us Isra-ël: * qui-a vi-sitávit, et fecit redempti-ónem plebis su- æ:
 - 2. Et eréxit cornu salútis nobis : * in domo David, púeri sui.
 - 3. Sicut locútus est per os sanctórum, * qui a sæculo sunt, prophetárum ejus :
 - 4. Salútem ex in*imícis* nostris, * et de manu ómnium, qui odérunt nos.
 - 5. Ad faciéndam misericórdiam cum pátribus nostris: * et memorári testaménti sui sancti.
 - 6. Jusjurándum, quod jurávit ad Abraham patrem nostrum, * datúrum se nobis :
 - 7. Ut sine timóre, de manu inimicórum nostrórum liberáti, * serviámus illi.
 - 8. In sanctitáte, et justíti*a coram ip*so, * ómnibus di*ébus no*stris.
- 9. Et tu, puer, Prophéta Altís*simi vo*cáberis : * præíbis enim ante fáciem Dómini, paráre *vias* ejus :
 - 10. Ad dandam sciéntiam salú*tis plebi e*jus : * in remissiónem peccató*rum e*órum :
 - 11. Per víscera misericórdiæ Dei nostri: * in quibus visitávit nos, óriens ex alto:
- 12. Illumináre his, qui in ténebris, et in um*bra mortis se*dent : * ad dirigéndos pedes nostros in *viam pa*cis.

Repeat antiphon.

After the repetition of the Antiphon at the Benedictus, all kneel and sing:



When the antiphon Christus fáctus est is finished, Páter nóster is said, in silence throughout.

[Pre-1955, Psalm 50, recto tono]

- 1. Miserére mei Deus, * secúndum magnam misericórdiam tuam.
- 2. Et secúndum multitúdinem miseratiónum tuárum, * dele iniquitátem
- 3. Amplius lava me ab iniquitáte mea: * et a peccáto meo munda me.

meam.

4. Quóniam iniquitátem meam ego

- cognósco: * et peccátum meum contra me est semper.
- 5. Tibi soli peccávi, et malum coram te feci: * ut justificéris in sermónibus tuis, et vincas cum judicáris.
 - 6. Ecce enim in iniquitátibus concéptus sum : * et in peccátis concépit me mater mea.
 - 7. Ecce enim veritátem dilexísti: * in-

- cérta et occúlta sapiéntiæ tuæ manifestásti mihi.
- 8. Aspérges me hyssópo, et mundábor : * lavábis me, et super nivem dealbábor.
- 9. Audítui meo dabis gáudium et lætítiam: * et exsultábunt ossa humiliáta.
- 10. Avérte fáciem tuam a peccátis meis: * et omnes iniquitátes meas dele.
- 11. Cor mundum crea in me, Deus : * et spíritum rectum ínnova in viscéribus
- meis. 12. Ne projícias me a fácie tua : * et
- spíritum sanctum tuum ne áuferas a me. 13. Redde mihi lætítiam salutáris
- tui: * et spíritu principáli confírma me.
 - 14. Docébo iníquos vias tuas : * et

- ímpii ad te converténtur.
- 15. Líbera me de sanguínibus, Deus, Deus salútis meæ : * et exsultábit lingua mea justítiam tuam.
- 16. Dómine, lábia mea apéries : * et os meum annuntiábit laudem tuam.
- 17. Quóniam si voluísses sacrifícium, dedíssem útique : * holocáustis non delectáberis.
- 18. Sacrifícium Deo spíritus contribulátus : * cor contrítum et humiliátum, Deus, non despícies.
- 19. Benígne fac, Dómine, in bona voluntáte tua Sion : * ut ædificéntur muri Jerúsalem.
- 20. Tunc acceptábis sacrifícium justítiæ, oblatiónes, et holocáusta : * tunc impónent super altáre tuum vítulos.

Then is sung, without Orémus, to the ferial tone B (or the ancient simple tone):

ONCÉDE, quæsumus, omnípotens Deus: † ut qui Fílii tui resurrectiónem devóta exspectatióne prævenímus; * ejúsdem resurrectiónis glóriam consequámur. *And in silence*: Per eúmdem Dóminum ... God: that we who anticipate the resurrection of thy Son with pious expectation, may obtain the glory of the same resurrection.

[Pre-1955, Strepitus, started by celebrant, until candle is brought out.]
All then rise and retire in silence.

