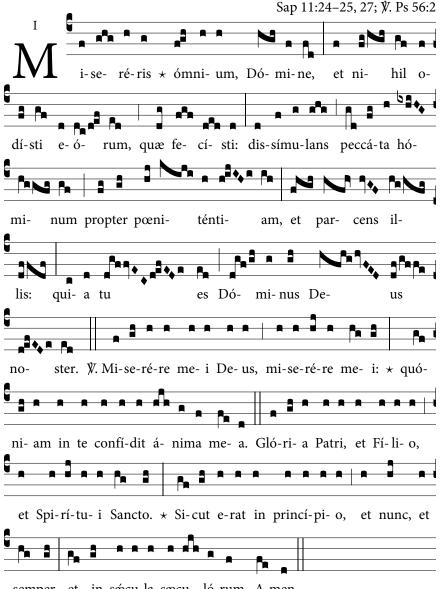
GRADUALE O.P. ASH WEDNESDAY



AD RITUS INITIALES ET LITURGIAM VERBI

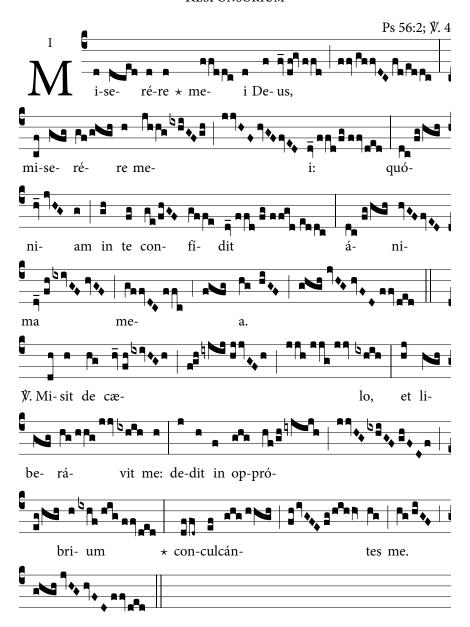
OFFICIUM



semper, et in sæcu-la sæcu- ló-rum. A-men.

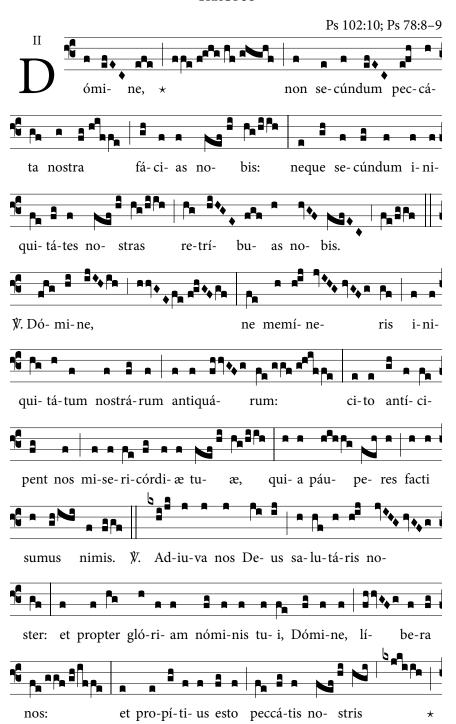
You are merciful to all, O Lord, and despise nothing that You have made, overlooking the sins of men for the sake of repentance and sparing them, for You are the Lord our God. V. Have mercy on me, O God, have mercy on me, for my soul confides in You.

RESPONSORIUM



Have mercy on me, O God, have mercy on me, for my soul confides in You. V. He has sent forth from heaven and delivered me; He has made them a reproach who trod upon me.

TRACTUS



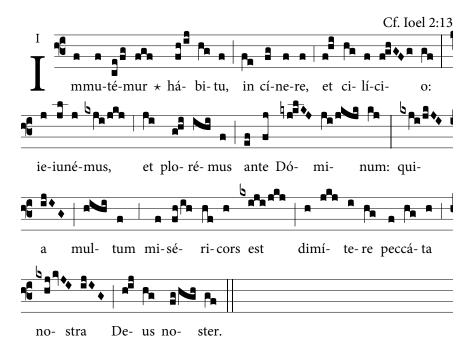


O Lord, you have not dealt with us according to our sins, nor repaid us according to our iniquities. V. O Lord, do not remember our iniquities of old; let Your mercies speedily come before us, for we have become very poor. V. Help us, O God our Savior, and for the glory of Your name, O Lord, deliver us, and forgive us our sins for Your name's sake.

AD BENEDICTIONEM ET IMPOSITIONEM CINERUM

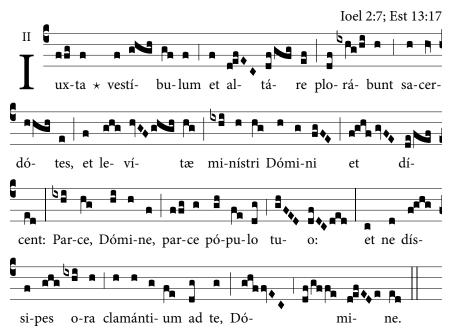
Dum celebrans principalis imponit cineres, cantantur:

ANTIPHONA



Let us change our garments for ashes and sackcloth; let us fast and lament before the Lord; for plenteous in mercy to forgive our sins is our God.

ANTIPHONA



Between the porch and the altar the priests and the Levites, the ministers of the Lord, shall weep and shall say: "Spare, O Lord, spare Your people, and destroy not the mouths of those who cry to You, O Lord."

Responsorium



i San- cto. ★ At-tende.

Let us make amends for the sins which through ignorance we have committed, lest suddenly overtaken by the day of death, we seek time for repentance, and are unable to find it. * Hearken, O Lord, and have mercy, for we have sinned against You. *Y. We have sinned like our fathers; we have committed injustice and have done wrong. * Hearken, O Lord.

ANTIPHONA

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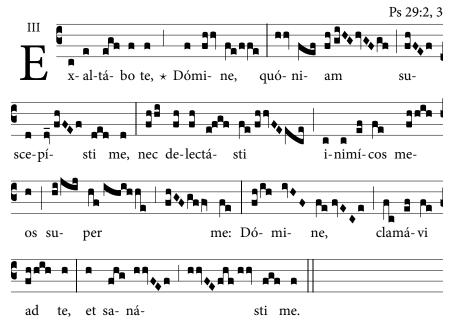


sæcu- ló-rum. A-men.

Hear us, O Lord, for Your mercy is kind; according to the multitude of Your mercies look upon us, O Lord. V. Save me, O God, for the waters have come in even unto my soul.

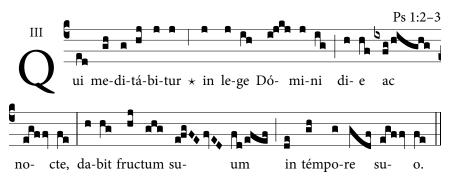
AD LITURGIAM EUCHARISTICAM

OFFERTORIUM



I will extol You, O Lord, for You have upheld me and have not made my enemies rejoice over me; O Lord, I have cried to You, and You have healed me.

Communio



He who shall meditate upon the law of the Lord day and night shall bring forth his fruit in due season.