

Reading I for Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year A

1 Kings 3:5–12

L écti-o libri primi Regum

I n di-ébus illis: Appáru-it Dóminus Salomóni per sómni-um noc-

te, dicens: « Póstula quod vis ut dem tibi ». Et a-it Sálomon: « Tu fecís-

ti cum servo tu-o David, patre me-o, misericórdi-am magnam, sicut

ambulávit in conspéctu tu-o in veri-táte et iustí-ti-a et recto corde

tecum; custodísti e-i misericórdi-am tu-am grandem, et dedísti e-i fí-

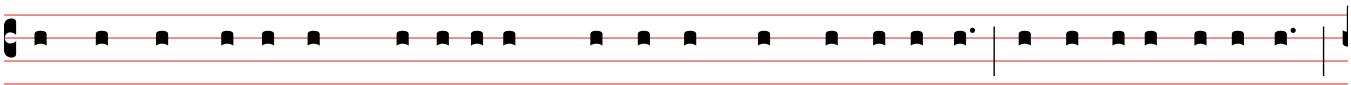
li-um sedéntem super thronum eius, sicut est hódi-e. Et nunc, Dómi-



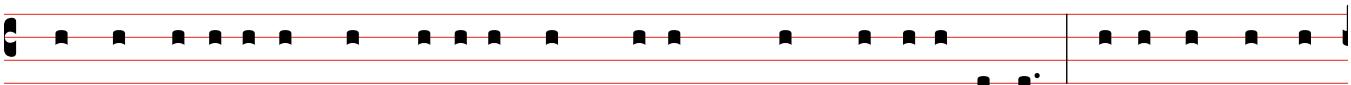
ne De-us, tu regnáre fecísti servum tu-um pro David, patre me-o. Ego



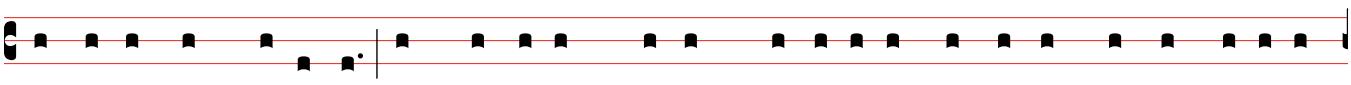
autem sum pu-er párvulus, et ignórans egréssum et intró-itum me-um;



et servus tu-us in médi-o est pópu-li quem e-legísti, pópu-li infiní-ti,



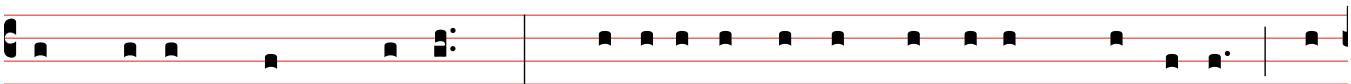
qui numerári et supputári non potest præ multitúdine. Dabis ergo ser-



vo tu-o cor dóci-le, ut pópulum tu-um iudicáre possit et discérnere in-



ter bonum et malum. Quis enim pótterit iudicáre pópulum istum, pópu-



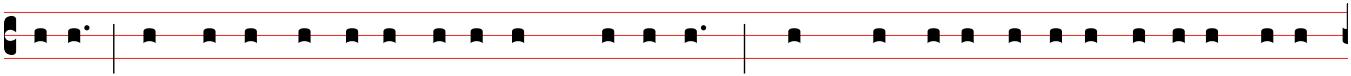
lum tu-um hunc multum? » Plácu-it ergo sermo coram Dómino, quod



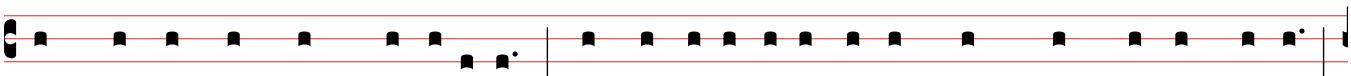
Sálomon postuláasset huiuscémodi rem. Et dixit Dóminus Salomóni:



« Qui-a postulásti verbum hoc, et non pe-tísti tibi di-es multos, nec diví-



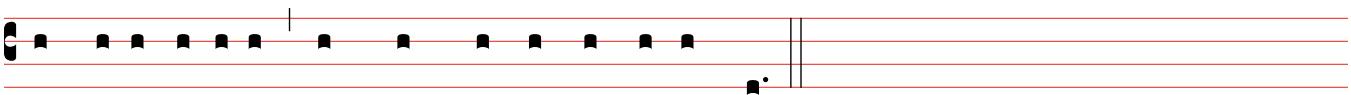
ti-as, aut ánimas inimicórum tu-órum, sed postulásti tibi sapi-énti-am



ad discernéndum iudíci-um, ecce feci tibi secúndum sermónes tu-os,



et dedi tibi cor sápi-ens et intéllegens, in tantum ut nullus ante te sími-



lis tu-i fú-erit nec post te surrectúrus sit ».



¶. Verbum Dómini. ¶. De-o grá-ti-as.