

God, be merciful to me

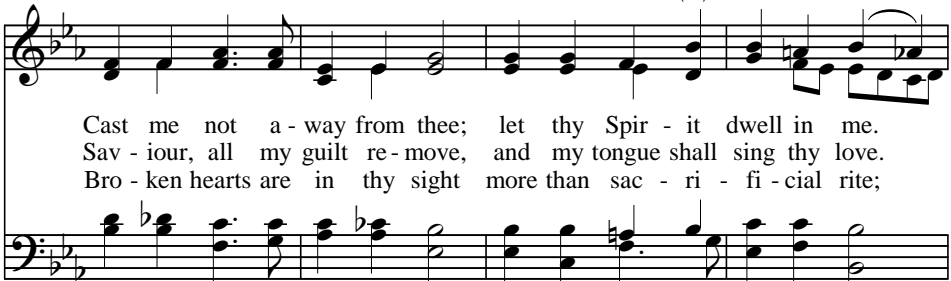
Psalm 51b continued with alternative tune

Capo 1: D (D⁷) Em D E⁷ A D G D (A D) A



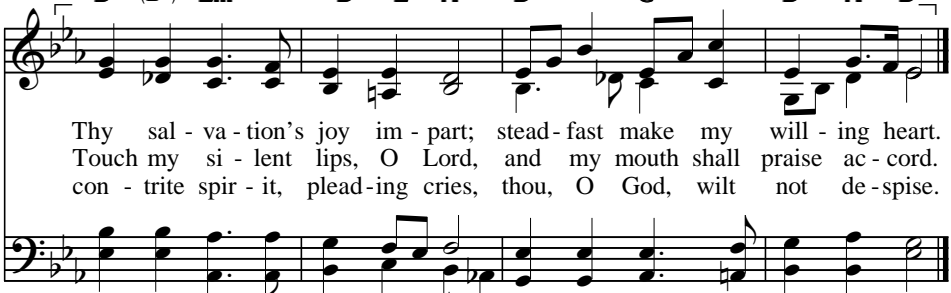
5 Gra-cious God, my heart re-new; make my spir-it right and true.
6 Sin-ners then shall learn from me and re-turn, O God, to thee.
7 Not the for-mal sac-ri-fice has ac-cept-ance in thine eyes.

A Em G D E⁷ (D) Bm⁷ E⁷ A⁷



Cast me not a-way from thee; let thy Spir-it dwell in me.
Sav-iour, all my guilt re-move, and my tongue shall sing thy love.
Bro-ken hearts are in thy sight more than sac-ri-fi-cial rite;

D (D⁷) Em D E⁷ A D G D A⁷ D



Thy sal-va-tion's joy im-part; stead-fast make my will-ing heart.
Touch my si-lent lips, O Lord, and my mouth shall praise ac-cord.
con-trite spir-it, plead-ing cries, thou, O God, wilt not de-spise.

- 8 Prosper Zion in thy grace
and her broken walls replace.
Then our righteous sacrifice
shall delight thy holy eyes;
free-will offerings, gladly made,
on thine altar shall be laid.