

O GOD, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed: Give unto thy servants that peace which the world cannot give; that both our hearts may be set to obey thy commandments, and also that by thee we being defended from the fear of our enemies may pass our time in rest and quietness; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour.



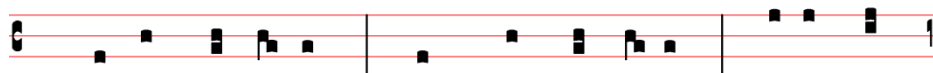
R.\ Amen.

LIGHTEN our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of thy only Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ.



R.\ Amen.

A short period of silence may follow.



V.\ The Lord be with you. R.\ And with thy spir- it. V.\ Let us bless



the Lord. R.\ Thanks be to God. V.\ May the souls of the de-parted,



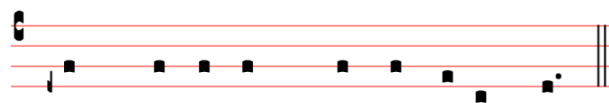
through the mercy and love of God, rest in peace. R.\ Amen.



The
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of
Apostles
Outside Eastertide

The angel of the Lord brought the tidings to Mary:

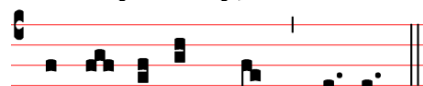


R.\ And she conceived by the Hol-y Ghost.

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

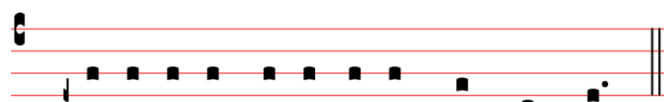


R.\ Hol-y Mar- y, Mother of God, pray for us sin-ners now and at



the hour of our death. Amen.

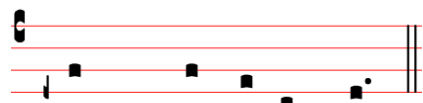
Behold the Handmaid of the Lord:



R.\ Be it unto me according to Thy Word.

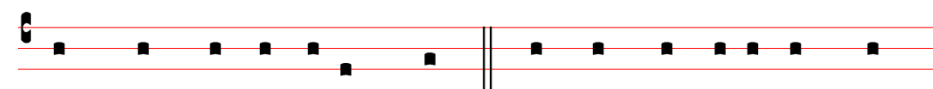
Hail Mary &c

The Word was made flesh:



R.\ And dwelt among us.

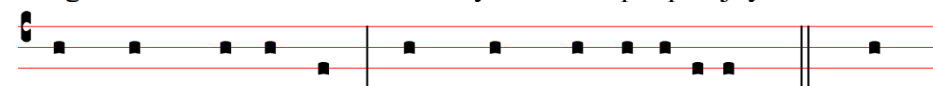
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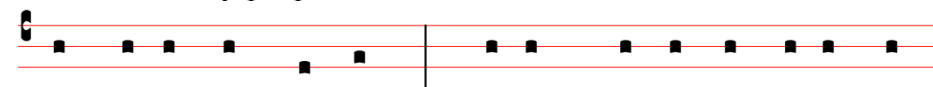
us when we call upon Thee. V.\ Endue Thy mi-ni-sters with



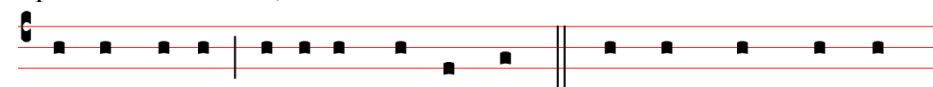
righteousness. R.\ And make Thy cho-sen people joyful. V.\ O



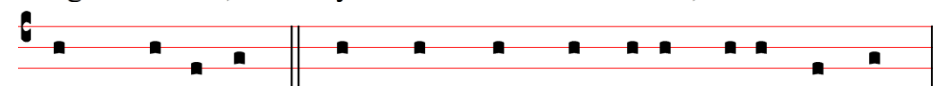
Lord, save Thy people. R.\ And bless Thine inhe-ri-tance. V.\ Give



peace in our time, O Lord. R.\ Be-cause there is none other that



fighteth for us, but only Thou O God. V.\ O God, make clean our



hearts with-in us. R.\ And take not Thy Ho-ly Spi-rit from us.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

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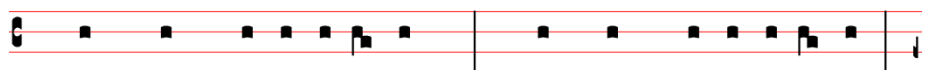


R.\ Amen.

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V.\ The Lord be with you. R.\ And with thy spi- rit. V.\ Let us pray:



V.\ Lord, have mercy upon us. R.\ Christ, have mercy upon us.



V.\ Lord, have mercy upon us.

OUR Father,
which art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy Name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done,
in earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
And forgive us our trespasses,
As we forgive them that trespass against us;



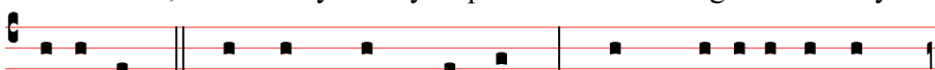
V.\ And lead us not into tempta-tion; R.\ but de-li-ver us from e-vil.



Amen.



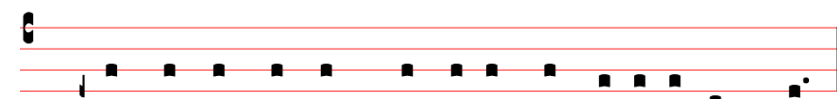
V.\ O Lord, shew Thy mercy upon us. R.\ And grant us Thy



Salva-tion. V.\ O Lord, save the King. R.\ And merci-ful-ly hear

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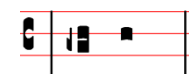
Pray for us, O holy Mother of God:



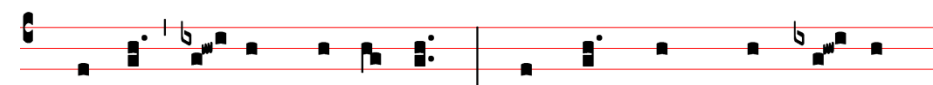
R.\ That we may be made worthy of the promis-es of Christ.

Let us pray:

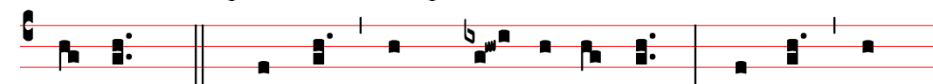
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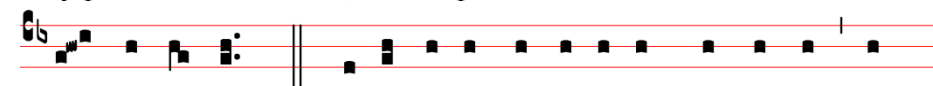
R.\ Amen.



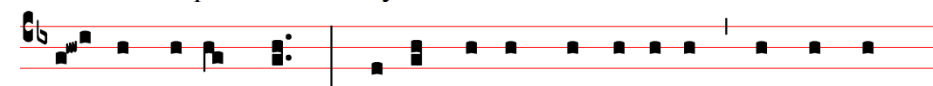
V.\ O Lord, o- pen Thou our lips. R.\ And our mouth shall show forth



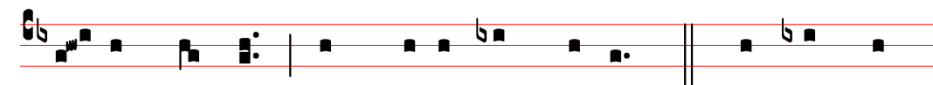
Thy praise. V.\ + O God, make speed to save us. V.\ O Lord make



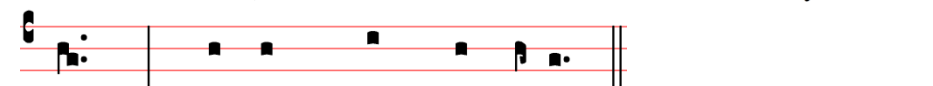
haste to help us. V.\ Glo-ry be to the Father and to the Son and



to the Ho-ly Ghost: R.\ as it was in the be-gim-ing, is now and



e- ver shall be, world without end. Amen. V.\ Praise ye the



Lord. R.\ The Lord's Name be praised.



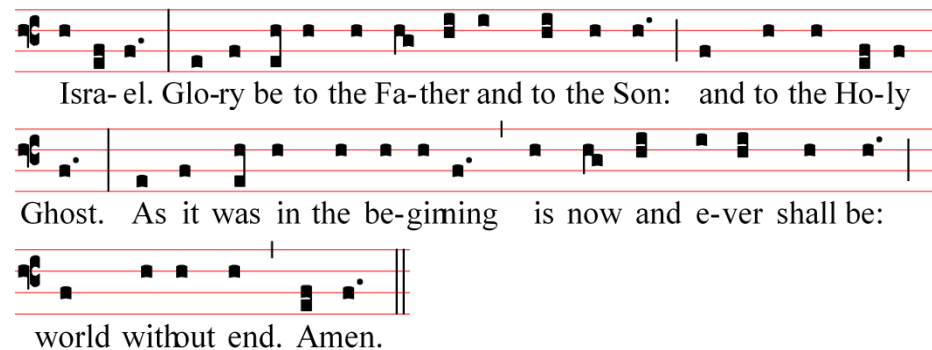
The eternal gifts of Christ the King,
The Apostles' glorious deeds, we sing;
And while due hymns of praise we pay,
Our thankful hearts cast grief away.

The Church in these her princes boasts,
These victor chiefs of warrior hosts;
The soldiers of the heavenly hall,
The lights that rose on earth for all.

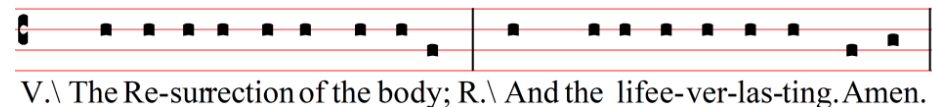
'Twas thus the yearning faith of saints,
The unconquered hope that never faints,
The love of Christ that knows no shame,
The prince of this world overcame.

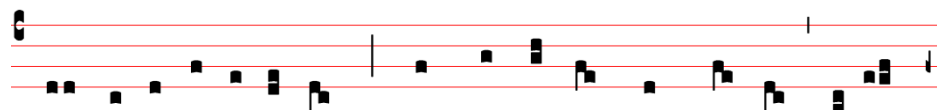
In these the Father's glory shone;
In these the will of God the Son;
In these exults the Holy Ghost;
Through these rejoice the heavenly host.

Redeemer hear us of Thy love,
That, with this glorious band above,
Hereafter, of Thine endless grace,
Thy servants also may have place.



I believe in God,
the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth:
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord,
Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
Born of the Virgin Mary,
Suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, dead, and buried:
He descended into hell;
The third day he rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost;
The holy Catholick Church;
The Communion of Saints;
The Forgiveness of sins;





In the re-ge-ne-ra-tion,* when the Son of Man shall sit upon
 the throne of His glo-ry, ye al-so shall sit, and shall judge
 the twelve tribes of Isra-el, saith the Lord.

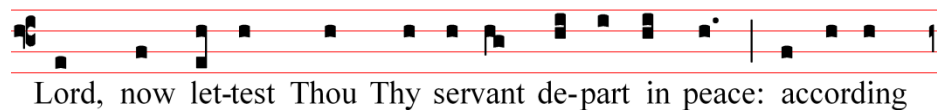
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THE SECOND READING

At the end:

Here endeth the Second Lesson.

STAND



Lord, now let-test Thou Thy servant de-part in peace: according
 to Thy Word. For mine eyes have seen Thy Salva-tion. which Thou
 hast pre-pa-red be-fore the face of all people. To be a light
 to lighten the gentiles: and to be the glo-ry of Thy people

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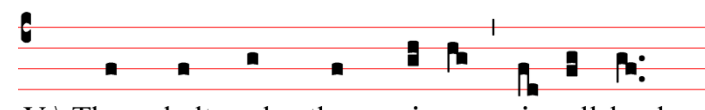
SIT after the intonation, rising for the Gloria Patri.

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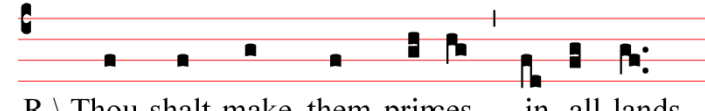
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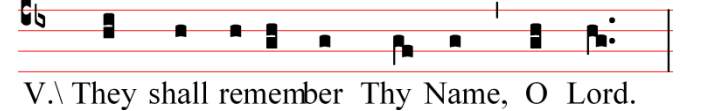
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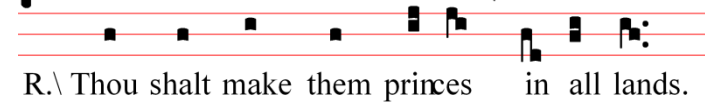
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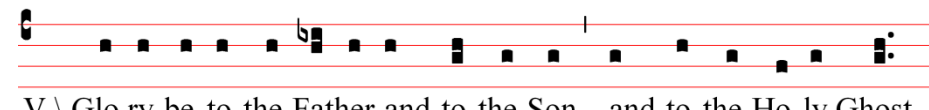


V.\ They shall remember Thy Name, O Lord.

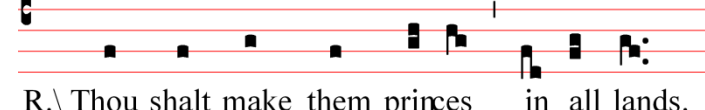


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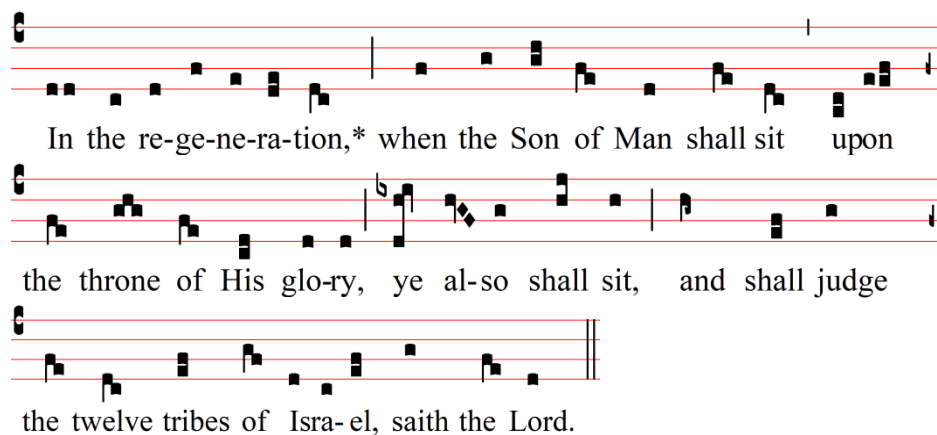
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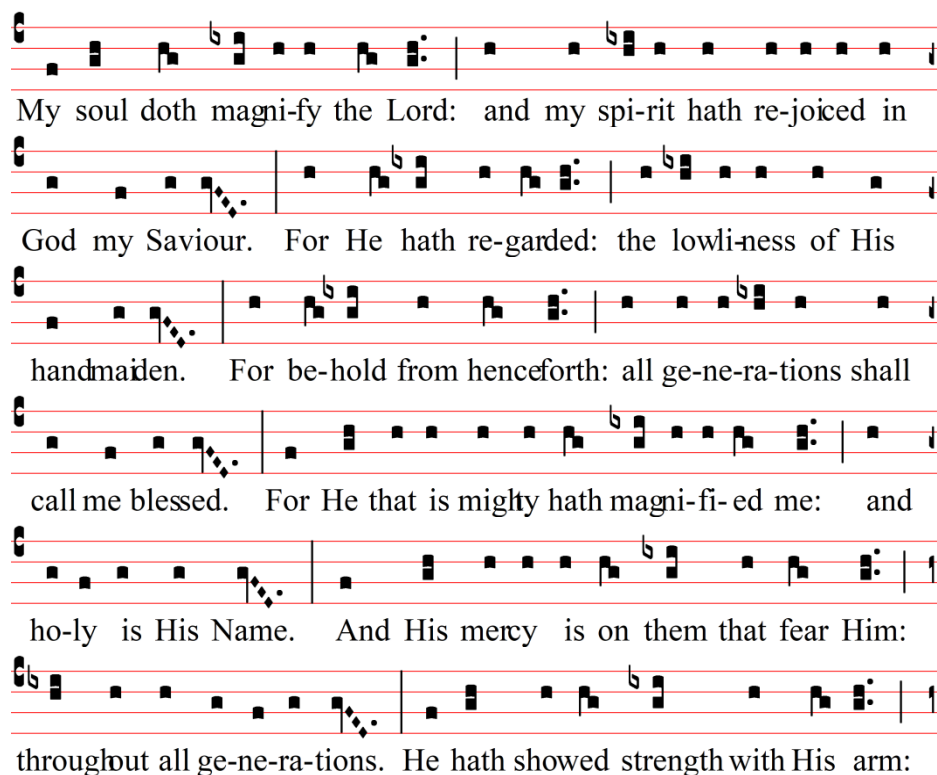
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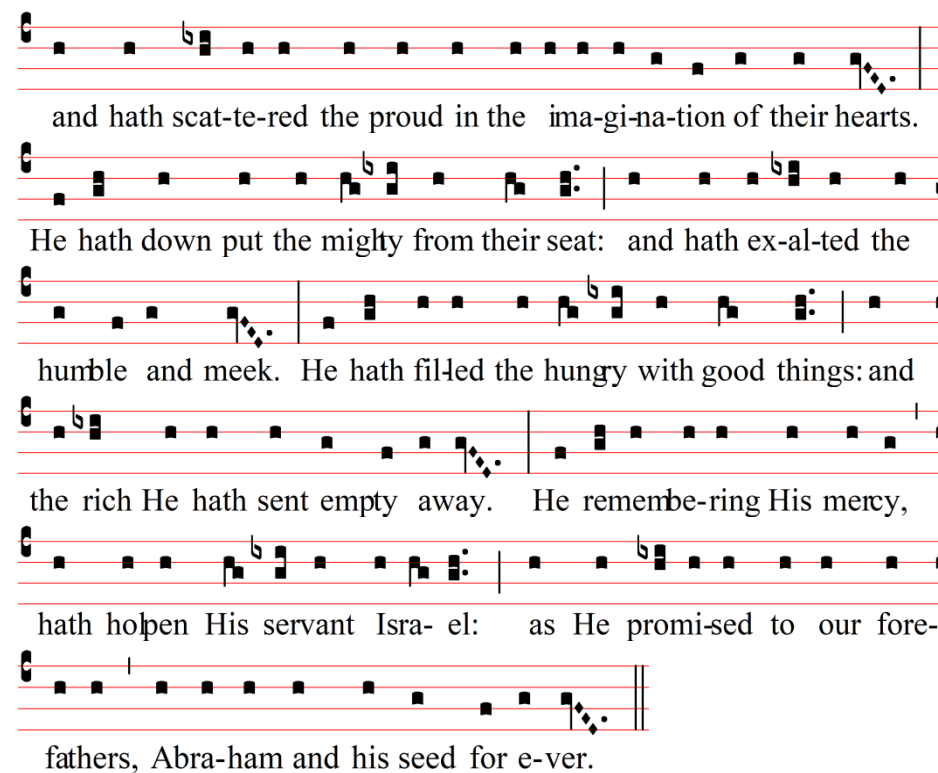


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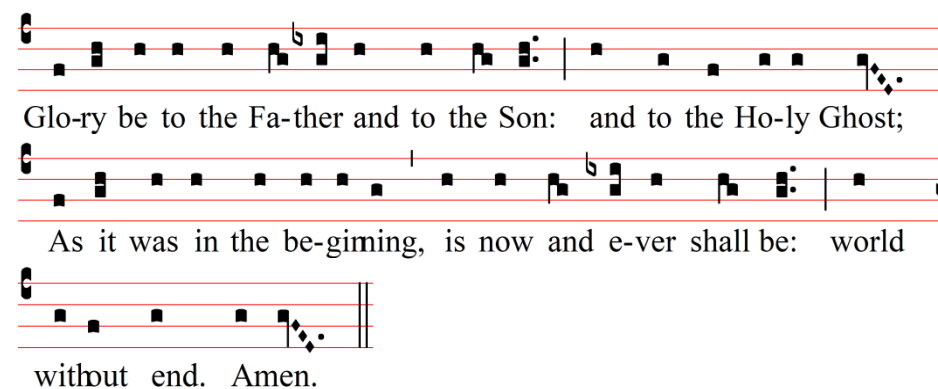
My soul doth magni-fy the Lord: and my spi-rit hath re-joiced in
God my Saviour. For He hath re-garded: the lowli-ness of His
handmaiden. For be-hold from henceforth: all ge-ne-ra-tions shall
call me blessed. For He that is mighty hath magni-fi-ed me: and
ho-ly is His Name. And His mercy is on them that fear Him:
throughout all ge-ne-ra-tions. He hath showed strength with His arm:

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and hath scat-te-red the proud in the ima-gi-na-tion of their hearts.
He hath down put the mighty from their seat: and hath ex-al-ted the
humble and meek. He hath fil-led the hungry with good things: and
the rich He hath sent empty away. He remem-be-ring His mercy,
hath hol-pen His servant Isra-el: as He promi-sed to our fore-
fathers, Abra-ham and his seed for e-ver.

The Gloria Patri does not begin until the censuring is complete.



Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son: and to the Ho-ly Ghost;
As it was in the be-gim-ing, is now and e-ver shall be: world
without end. Amen.

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