



Give Thanks *to the Lord*

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Psalms and Gospel
Acclamations
according to the
*Lectionary for Mass***

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Third Sunday of Advent

Psalm 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Slow; freely

ANTIPHON

Am Em/G Am/G G/F F Dm7 Esus4 E

Lord, come and save us. Lord, come and save us.

VERSES

Am Em/G Fmaj7 Csus2/E C/E

1. The LORD God keeps faith for - ever, secures justice for the op - pressed,
 2. The LORD gives sight to the blind; the LORD raises up those who were bowed down.
 3. The fatherless and the widow he sus - tains, but the way of the wicked he thwarts.

Dm7 Csus2/E C/E Fmaj7 Esus4 E to Antiphon

gives food to the hungry. The LORD sets captives free.
 The LORD loves the just; the LORD protects strangers.
 The LORD shall reign for - ever; your God, O Zion, through all gener - ations.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Isaiah 61:1 (cited in Luke 4:18)

ANTIPHON

D F#m G A A/G F Em A sus4 A D F#m

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia,

G A A/G F C D to Verses Final F C D

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

VERSE

D D sus2/F# G6 Em A to Antiphon

The Spirit of the Lord is up - on me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor.

Fourth Sunday of Advent

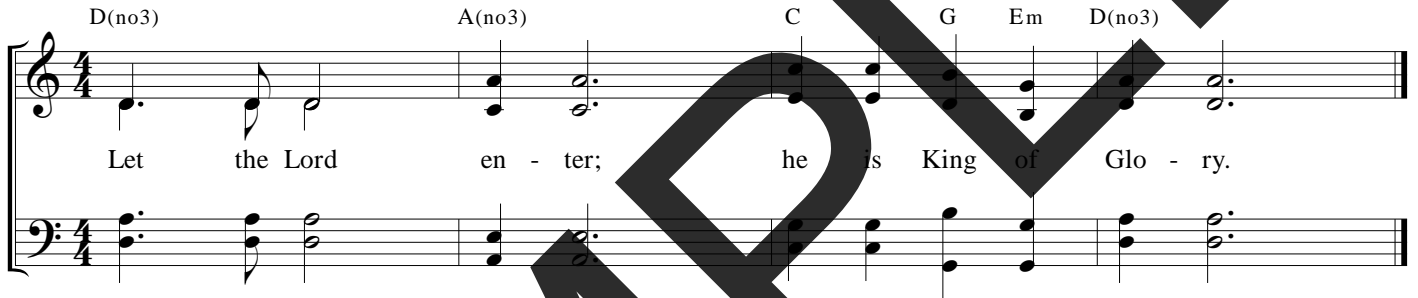
RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6

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ANTIPHON

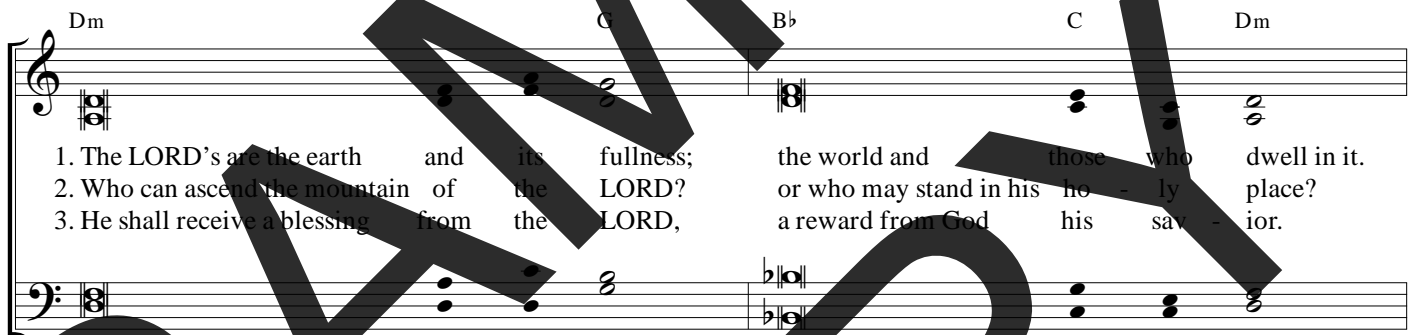
D(no3) A(no3) C G Em D(no3)



Let the Lord en - ter; he is King of Glo - ry.

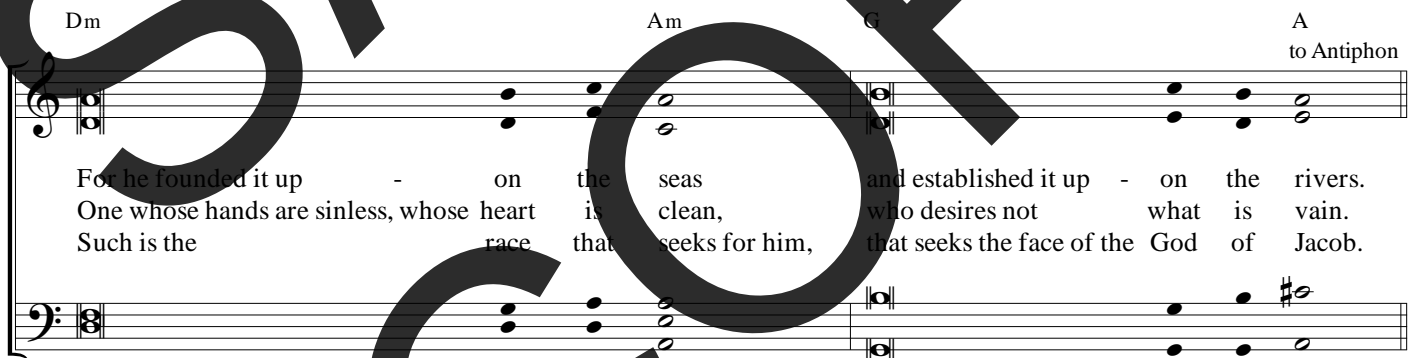
VERSES

Dm C B \flat C Dm



1. The LORD's are the earth and its fullness; the world and those who dwell in it.
 2. Who can ascend the mountain of the LORD? or who may stand in his ho - ly place?
 3. He shall receive a blessing from the LORD, a reward from God his sav - ior.

Dm Am G A to Antiphon



For he founded it up - on the seas and established it up - on the rivers.
 One whose hands are sinless, whose heart is clean, who desires not what is vain.
 Such is the race that seeks for him, that seeks the face of the God of Jacob.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Matthew 1:23

ANTIPHON

D F#m G A A/G F Em Asus4 A D F#m

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia,

G A A/G F C to Verses D Final F C D

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

VERSE

D D sus2/F# G6

The virgin shall conceive, and bear a son,

Em A to Antiphon

and they shall name him Emmanuel.

The Nativity of the Lord

At the Vigil Mass

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29

ANTIPHON

Capo 1: D/F#

E♭/G

Bm Em7

Cm Fm7

D

E♭

A

B♭

Cmaj7

Dmaj7

Am7

B♭m7

Am7/D

B♭m7/E♭

D

E♭



For - ev - er I will sing the good - ness of the Lord.

VERSES

G

A♭

D/F#

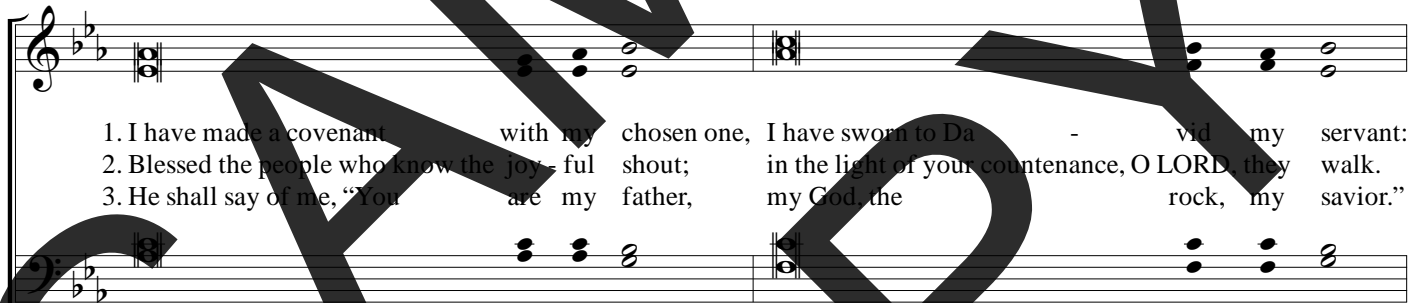
E♭/G

Em7

Fm7

D/F#

E♭/G



1. I have made a covenant with my chosen one, I have sworn to Da - vid my servant:
 2. Blessed the people who know the joy - ful shout; in the light of your countenance, O LORD, they walk.
 3. He shall say of me, "You are my father, my God, the rock, my savior."

C/E

D♭/F

Em

Fm

D

E♭

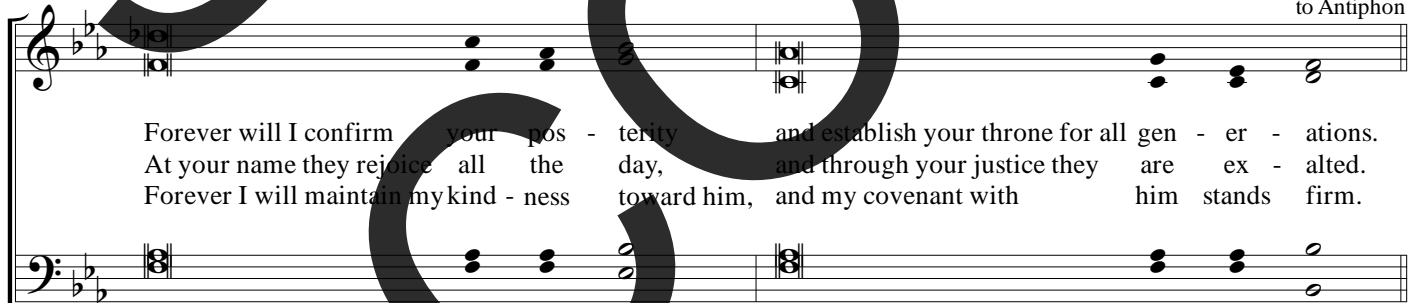
Em

Fm

A

B♭

to Antiphon



Forever will I confirm your pos - terity and establish your throne for all gen - er - ations.
 At your name they rejoice all the day, and through your justice they are ex - alted.
 Forever I will maintain my kind - ness toward him, and my covenant with him stands firm.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Joyous ♩. = 57

ANTIPHON

G D C G C Dsus4 G D

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

G D C G C Dsus4 C/G G

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia

VERSE

C Bm7 Em Am Em D to Antiphon

Tomorrow the wickedness of the earth will be de - stroyed: the Savior of the world will reign o - ver us.

At the Mass During the Night

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13

ANTIPHON

Em D/F# G D D#dim Em Am B Em

To - day is born our Sav - ior, our Sav - ior, Christ the Lord.

VERSES

A D Bm Em F#dim/A Am7 B

1. Sing to the LORD a new song;
 2. Announce his salvation, day af - ter day.
 3. Let the heavens be glad and the earth re - joice; let the sea and what fills it re - sound;
 4. They shall exult before the LORD, for he comes; for he comes to rule the earth.

Bm Gsus²/₄ G D A G aug/B B7 Em to Antiphon

sing to the LORD, all you lands. Sing to the LORD; bless his name.
 Tell his glory a - mong the nations; among all peoples, his won - drous deeds.
 let the plains be joyful and all that is in them! Then shall all the trees of the for - est ex - ult.
 He shall rule the world with justice and the peoples with his constancy.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Luke 2:10–11

Joyous ♩. = 57

ANTIPHON

G D C G C Dsus4 G D

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia

G D C G C Dsus4 C/G G

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia

VERSE

C Bm7 Em Am Em D to Antiphon

I proclaim to you good news of great joy: today a Savior is born for us, Christ the Lord.

At the Mass at Dawn

Psalm 97: 1, 6, 11-12

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Moderately, in 3

Capo 3: C

ANTIPHON

G/C
E♭
G/C
B♭/E♭
G/B
B♭/D
Em7
Gm7
Am
Cm
D
F

A light will shine on us this

G
B♭
G/B
B♭/D
Am7
Cm7
C/D
E♭/F
D7
F7
G
B♭
C/G
E♭/B♭
G
B♭

day: the Lord is born for us!

VERSES

C
E♭
G/B
B♭/D
B♭
D♭
D
F

1. The LORD is king; let the earth rejoice; let the many isles be glad.
2. Light dawns for the just; and gladness, for the upright of heart.

C
E♭
G/B
B♭/D
Am7
Cm7
G
B♭
to Antiphon

The heavens proclaim his justice, and all peoples see his glory.
Be glad in the LORD, you just, and give thanks to his holy name.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Luke 2:14

ANTIPHON

G D C G C Dsus4 G D

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

G D C G C Dsus4 C/G G

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

VERSE

C Bm7 Em Am Em D to Antiphon

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to those on whom his fa - vor rests.

At the Mass During the Day

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 98: 1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6

♩ = 112
ANTIPHON

All the ends of the earth have seen the saving power of God.

VERSES

1. Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done wondrous deeds;
2. The LORD has made his salvation known: in the sight of the nations he has revealed his justice.
3. All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation by our God.
4. Sing praise to the LORD with the harp, with the harp and melodious song.

his right hand has won victory for him, his holy arm.
 He has remembered his kindness and his faithfulness toward the house of Israel.
 Sing joyfully to the LORD, all you lands; break into song; sing praise.
 With trumpets and the sound of the horn sing joyfully before the King, the LORD.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Joyous ♩. = 57

ANTIPHON

G D C G C Dsus4 G D

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

G D C G C Dsus4 C/G G

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

VERSE

C Bm7 Em C EmB Am

A holy day has dawned up - on us. Come, you nations, and a-dore the Lord.

Am Em D to Antiphon

For today a great light has come up - on the earth.

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