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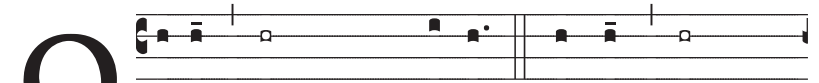
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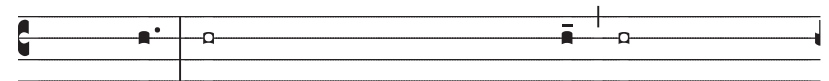
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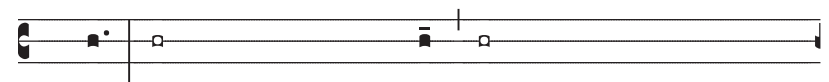
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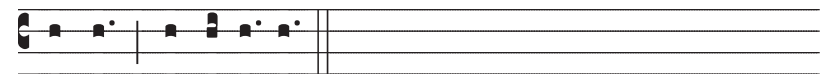
O  God, come to my as-sistance. *R.* O Lord, make haste



to help me. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly



Spir-it : as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever



A-men. Al-le-lu-ia.

Hymn

Aurora iam spargit polum

DAWN sprinkles all the east with light ;
Day o'er the earth is gliding bright ;
Morn's glitt'ring rays their course begin ;
Farwell to darkness and to sin.

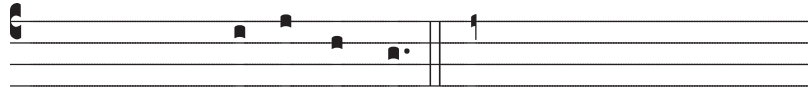
So that last morning, dread and great,
Which we with trembling hope await,
With blessèd light for us shall glow
Who chant the song we sang below :

All laud to God the Father be ;
All praise, eternal Son, to thee ;
All glory, as is ever meet,
To God the Holy Paraclete. Amen.

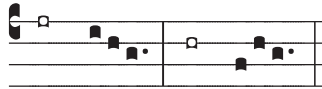
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E do well to sing to your name, Most High, * and pro-



claim your mer-cy at day-break.

**Psalm 91****Praise of God the creator***Sing in praise of Christ's redeeming work (Saint Athanasius)*

IT is good to give thanks to the Lord, * to make music to your name, **O** Most High,

to proclaim your love in the morning * and your truth in the watches of the night,

on the ten-stringed lyre and the lute, * with the murmuring sound of the harp.

Your deeds, O Lord, have made me glad ; * for the work of your hands I shout with joy.

O Lord, how great are your works ! * How deep are your designs !

The foolish man cannot know this * and the fool cannot understand.

Though the wicked spring up like grass * and all who do evil thrive :

they are doomed to be eternally destroyed. * But you, Lord, are eternally on high.

See how your enemies perish ; * all doers of evil are scattered.

To me you give the wild-ox's strength ; * you anoint me with the purest oil.

My eyes looked in triumph on my foes ; * my ears heard gladly of their fall.

The just will flourish like the palm-tree * and grow like a Lebanon cedar.

Planted in the house of the Lord, * they will flourish in the courts of our God,

still bearing fruit when they are old, * still full of sap, still green,

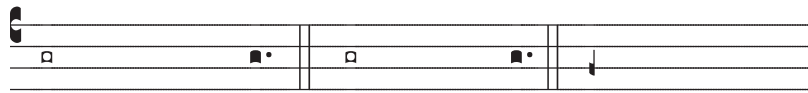
to proclaim that the Lord is just. * In him, my rock, there is no wrong.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Spirit :

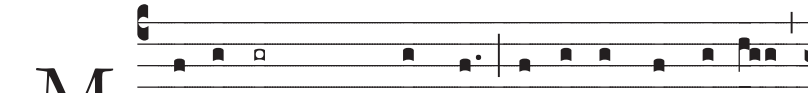
as it was in the beginning, is now, * and will be for ever. Amen.

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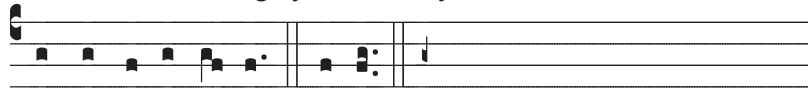
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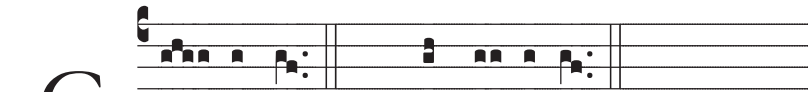
The Lord be with you. *R.* And also with you.



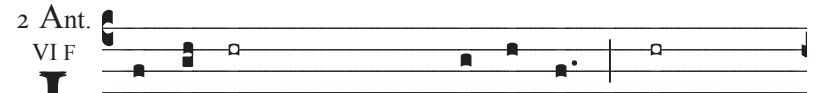
MAY almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son,



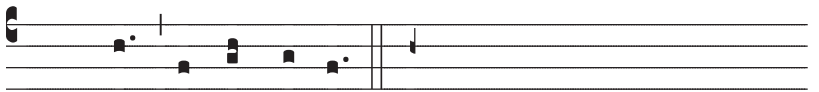
and the Ho-ly Spir-it. *R.* Amen.



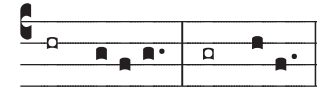
GO in peace. *R.* Thanks be to God.



I will create a new heart with-in you, * and breathe



into you a new spir- it.



Canticle of Ezekiel
Ezekiel 36: 24-28

The Lord will renew his people

They will be his own people and God himself will be with them, their own God (Revelation 21 : 3).

I will take you away from among the nations, † gather you from all the foreign lands, * and bring you back to your own land.

I will sprinkle clean water upon you † to cleanse you from all your impurities, * and from all your idols I will cleanse you.

I will give you a new heart * and place a new spirit within you,

taking from your bodies your stony hearts * and giving you

natural hearts.

I will put my spirit within you † and make you live by my statutes, * careful to observe my decrees.

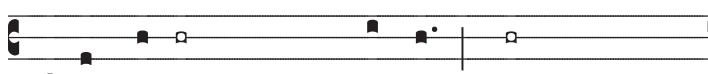
You shall live in the land I gave your fathers ; † and you shall be my people, * and I will be your God.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit :

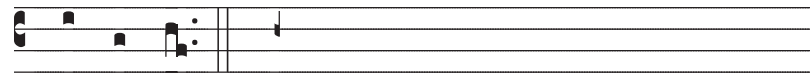
as it was in the beginning, is now, * and will be for ever. Amen.

The Antiphon is repeated.

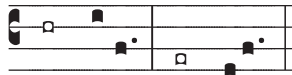
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ON the lips of children and in-fants * you have found



per-fect praise.



Psalm 8 The majesty of the Lord and man's dignity

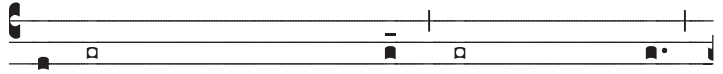
*The Father gave Christ lordship of creation
and made him head of the Church (Ephesians 1 : 22).*

<p>HOW great is your name, O Lord <u>our</u> God, * through all the earth !</p> <p>Your majesty is praised above the heavens ; * on the lips of children and of babes</p> <p>you have found praise to foil your enemy, * to silence the foe and the rebel.</p> <p>When I see the heavens, the works of <u>your</u> hands, * the moon and the stars which you <u>arranged</u>, what is man that you should keep him <u>in</u> mind, * mortal man that you care <u>for</u> him ?</p> <p>Yet you have made him less than <u>a</u> god ; * with glory and</p>	<p>honor <u>you</u> crowned him, gave him power over the works of <u>your</u> hand, * put all things under <u>his</u> feet.</p> <p>All of them, sheep <u>and</u> cattle, * yes, even the <u>savage</u> beasts, birds of the air <u>and</u> fish * that make their way through the <u>wat</u>-ers.</p> <p>How great is your name, O Lord <u>our</u> God, * through all the earth.</p> <p>Glory to the Father, and to the <u>Son</u>, * and to the Holy <u>Spirit</u> : As it was in the beginning, <u>is</u> now, * and will be for ever. <u>A</u>men.</p>
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The Antiphon is repeated.

Prayer

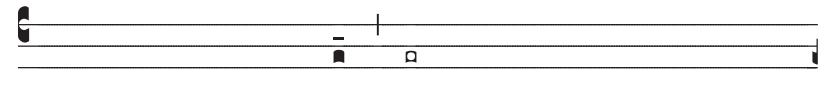
ALL powerful and everliving God, splendor of true light,




and never ending day : * let the radiance of your coming banish



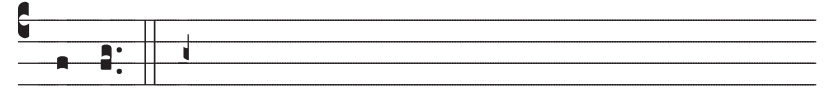
from our minds the darkness of sin. We ask this through our



Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in



the unity of the Ho-ly Spir-it, God, for ev- er and ev- er.



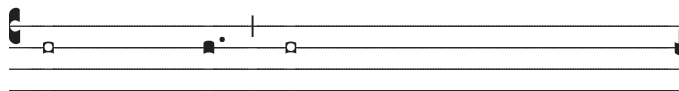
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O Lord, guide our feet in- to the way of peace.

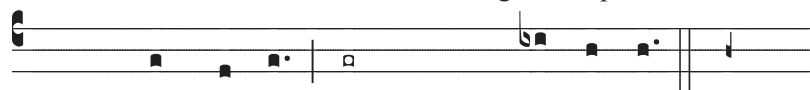
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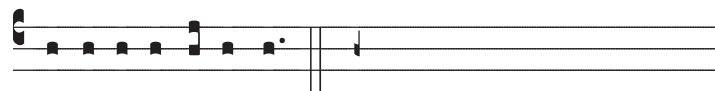
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ET us adore God, who has given hope and life to the



world through his Son, and let us hum- bly ask him :

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Y-ri-e e-le-i-son.

Lord, Father of all, you have brought us to the dawn of this day,
—make us live with Christ and praise your glory.

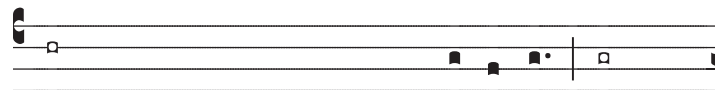
You have poured out faith, hope and love upon us,
—keep them firmly rooted in our hearts.

Lord, let our eyes be always raised up to you,
—so that we may swiftly answer your call.

Protect us from the snares and enticements of evil,
—keep our feet from stumbling.

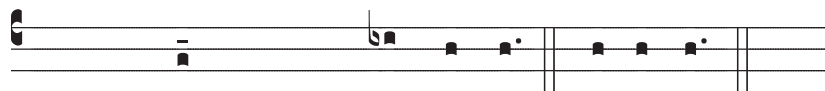
The Lord's Prayer

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ATHERING our prayers and praises in- to one, let us



offer the prayer Christ him-self taught us : R. Our Fa-ther.

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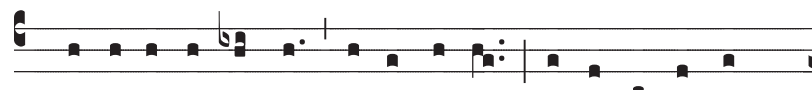
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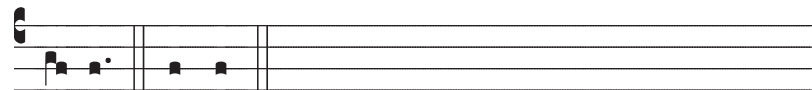
T is my joy, O God, * To praise you with song.



It is. V. To sing as I pon-der your goodness. * To praise.



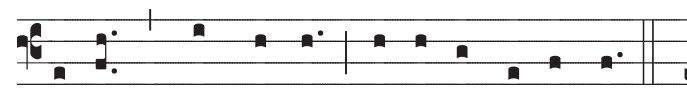
V. Glo-ry to the Fa-ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly



Spir-it. It is.

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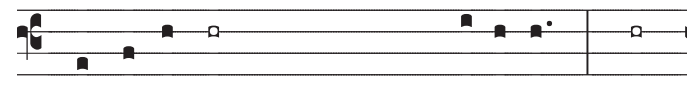


Lord, * guide our feet in- to the way of peace.

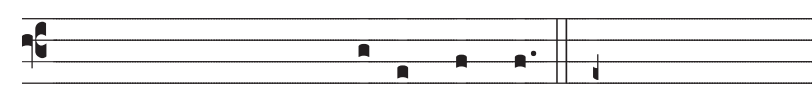
Canticle of Zachary

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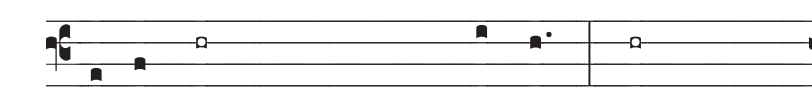
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Les-sèd be the Lord, the God of Is- ra- el ; * he



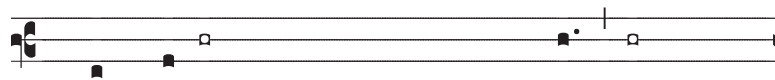
has come to his people and set them free.



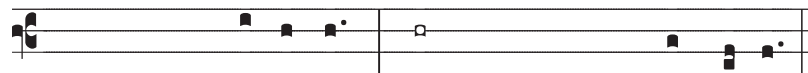
2. He has raised up for us a mighty Sa- vior, * born of the house



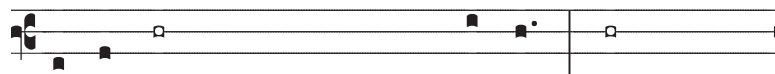
of his ser-vant Da- vid.



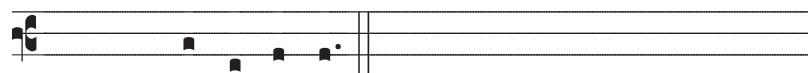
3. Through his holy prophets he promised of old that he would



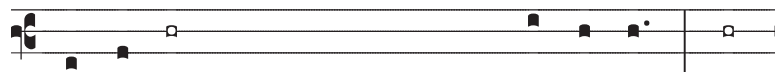
save us from our en- e-mies, * from the hands of all who hate us.



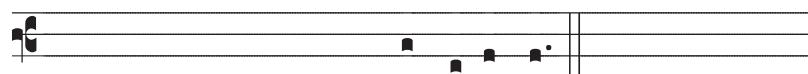
4. He promised to show mercy to our fa-thers * and to remem-



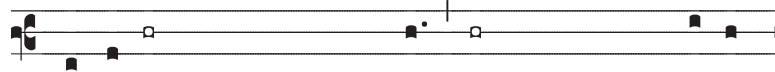
ber his ho- ly cov- e-nant.



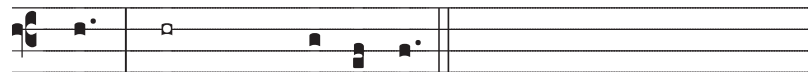
5. This was the oath he swore to our father A- bra-ham : * to



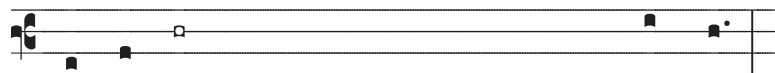
set us free from the hands of our en- e-mies,



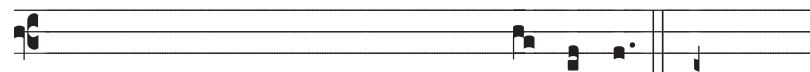
6. Free to worship him without fear, holy and righteous in his



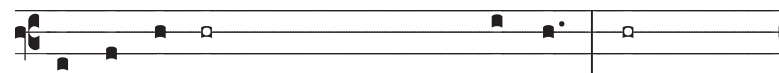
sight * all the days of our life.



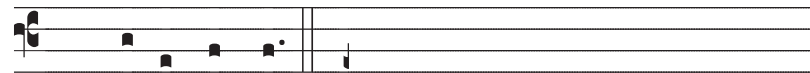
7. You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High ; *



for you will go before the Lord to pre-pare his way,



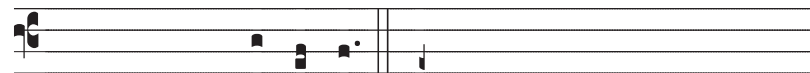
8. To give his people knowledge of sal-va- tion * by the for-



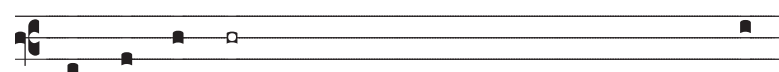
giveness of their sins.



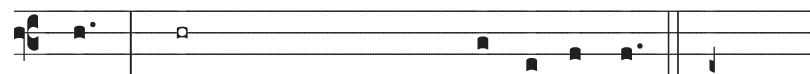
9. In the tender compassion of our God * the dawn from on



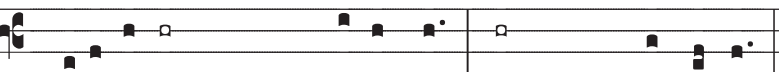
high shall break up- on us,



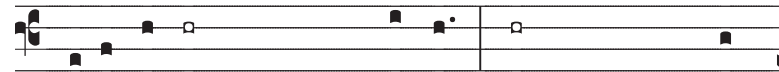
10. to shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of



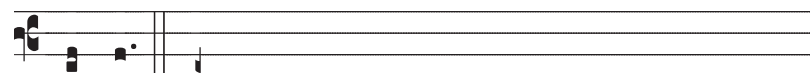
death, * and to guide our feet into the way of peace.



11. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Spir-it :



12. as it was in the beginning, is now, * and will be for ev-er.



A- men.