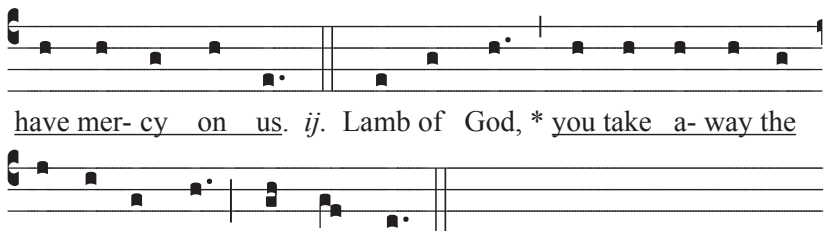


# Simple Chants for Lent

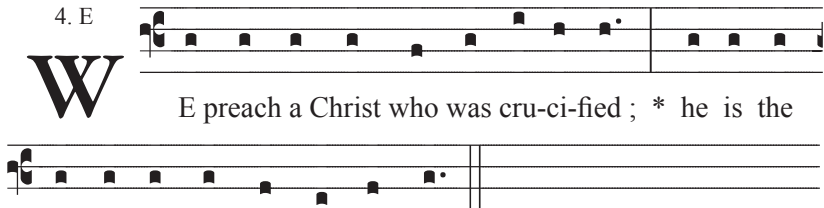
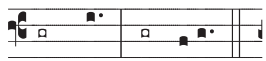


have mer- cy on us. *ij.* Lamb of God, \* you take a- way the  
sins of the world, grant us peace.

## Communion

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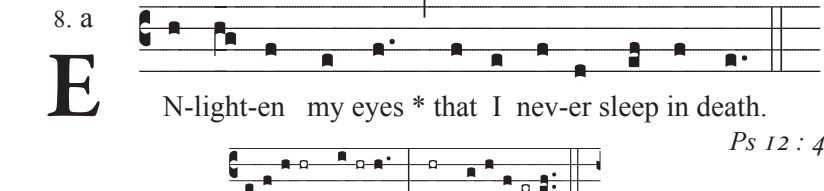
**W** E preach a Christ who was cru-ci-fied ; \* he is the  
pow-er and the wis-dom of God. *1 Cor 1 : 23*

- ∇ 1 Sing to the Lord a new | **song**. \*  
sing to the Lord, all | **you lands**.
- ∇ 2 Tell his glory among the | **na-tions** ; \*  
among all peoples, / his won- | **drous deeds**. (℟)
- ∇ 3 For great is the Lord, and highly to be | **praised**, \*  
awesome is he, / beyond | **all gods**.
- ∇ 4 Splendor and majesty go be- | **fore** him ; \*  
praise and grandeur are in | **his sanc-tu-a-ry**. (℟) *Ps 95 : 1. 3. 4. 6*

13 8. a

**E** N-light-en my eyes \* that I nev-er sleep in death. *Ps 12 : 4*

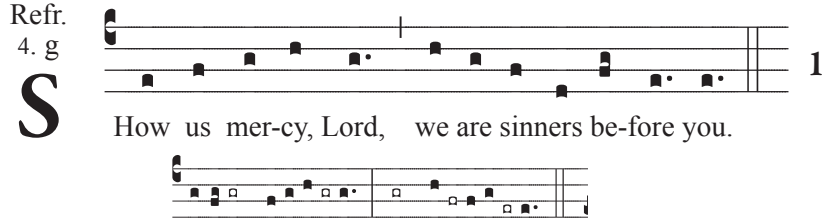


- ∇ 1 *How long*, | O Lord ? / Will you utterly for- | **get** me ? \*  
How long will you | *hide your face* from **me** ? (℟)
- ∇ 2 *Let my* | heart rejoice in your sal- | **va-tion** ; \*  
let me sing to the Lord, /  
' He | *has been good* to **me**. ' (℟) *Ps 12 : 1. 6*

## Introit

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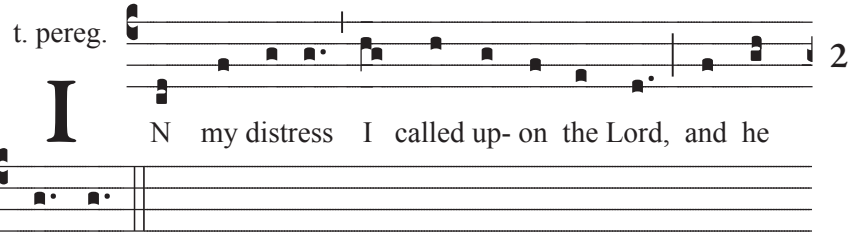
**S** How us mer-cy, Lord, we are sinners be-fore you.



- ∇ 1 *The Lord* | is gra- | **ci-ous and mer-ci-ful**, \*  
slow to anger, / a- | **bound-ing in kind-ness**. (℟)
- ∇ 2 *The love* | of the Lord is from eternity | **to e-ter-ni-ty** \*  
toward | **those who fear** him. (℟) *Ps 102 : 8. 17*

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**I** N my distress I called up-on the Lord, and he  
heard me. *Ps 17 : 7*



- ∇ 1 *This* | God, — | **his way is perfect** ; \*  
the promise of | **the Lord** proves **true**. (℟)
- ∇ 2 *So* | I will praise you, Lord, | **a-mong the na-tions**, \*  
I will sing a psalm | **un- to** your **Name**. (℟) *Ps 17 : 31. 50*

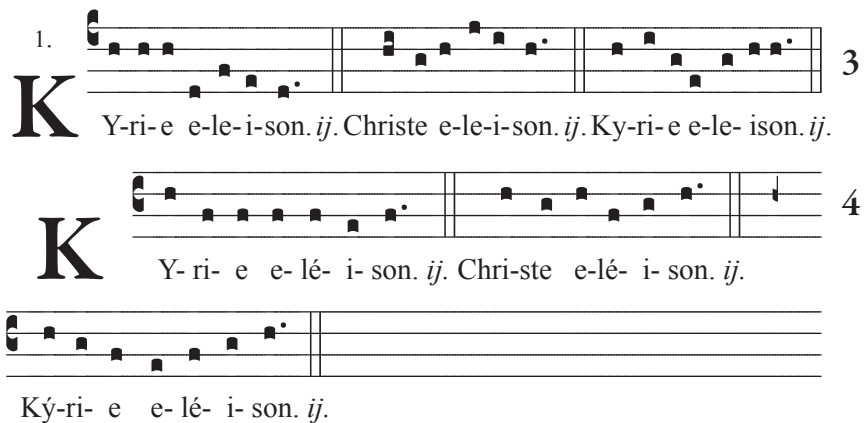
## Kyrie

1.

**K** Y-ri-e e-le-i-son. *ij.* Christe e-le-i-son. *ij.* Ky-ri-e e-le-ison. *ij.*

**K** Y-ri- e e- lé- i- son. *ij.* Chri-ste e-lé- i- son. *ij.*

Ký-ri- e e- lé- i- son. *ij.*



## Liturgy of the Word

5 4. g **O** Lord, my God, in you I take re-fuge.

Psalm 7 : 2-3. 9-10. 11-12

O Lord, my God, / in you | *I take re-fuge* ;  
save me from all my pursu- | *ers and re-scue* me,  
lest I become like the | *li-on's prey*,  
to be torn to pieces, / with no | *one to res-cue* me. (R)

Do me justice, O Lord, because | *I am just*,  
and because of the innocence | *that is mine*.  
Let the malice of the wicked come to an end, / but sus- | *tain the just*,  
O searcher of heart and soul, / | *O just God*. (R)

A shield before | *me is God*,  
who saves the up- | *right of heart* ;  
a just | *judge is God*,  
a God who punishes | *day by day*. (R)

6 5. c **P** Raise to you, Lord Je-sus Christ, King of endless glo-ry.

☩ *I take* | no pleasure in the death of the wicked man, / *says the Lord* ; \*  
but rather in his conversion / that | *he may live*. (R)

## Offertory

7 5. **G**IVE ear, O Lord, our God, and show us mer- cy, for  
we are sin- ners be-fore you.

☩ I O King ex- alt- ed, Savior of all peo-ples, see how our weeping  
lifts our eyes to heaven ; hear us Re-deem-er, as we pray for mer- cy.

5. a **P** UT your hope in the Lord. \* Take courage and be strong.  
*Ps 26 : 14*

☩ 1 *Hear O* | Lord the sound of my | **plead-** ing ; \*  
have pity on | **me** and **an-**swer me. (R)

☩ 2 *In-struct* | me, Lord, in your way ; / on an even path | **lead** me \*  
for you are | **God** my **Savior**. (R)

☩ 3 *I be-* lieve that I shall see the Lord's | **good-**ness \*  
in the | **land** of the **living**. (R) *Ps 26 : 7. 9. 13*

After an Ambrosian chant

2. **H** O- ly, \* ho- ly, ho- ly is the Lord God of hosts.  
Heaven and earth are full of your glo- ry. Hosanna in the high-  
est. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-  
san-na in the high- est.

8. **L** ET us proclaim the mys-t'ry-of faith.  
**W** E proclaim your Death, O Lord, \* and profess your Res-  
sur-rec-tion un- til you come a- gain.

4. **L** AMB of God, \* you take a- way the sins of the world,