

Psalm 66 (65)

 Because of the greatness of your strength, * your enemies fawn *up*on you.

Before you all the earth shall bow **down**, * shall sing to you, sing to *your* **name**!"

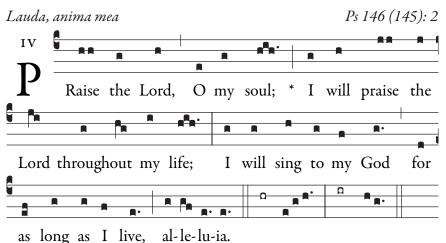
2. Come and see the works of **God**: * awesome his deeds among the children *of* **men**.

He turned the sea into dry land; * they passed through the river *on* foot.

3. Let our joy, then, be in **him**; * he rules forever by *his* **might**.

His eyes keep watch on the **nat**ions: * let rebels not exalt *thems*elves.

OFFERTORY



Psalm 146 (145)

Put no *trust in* princes, *

 in mortal man who can*not* save.

Take their breath, they return *to the* **earth**, * and their plans that day come *to* **noth**ing.

 Blessed is he who is helped by *Jacob's* God, * whose hope is in the LORD *his* God,

who made the heavens *and the* earth, * the seas and all they *contain*,

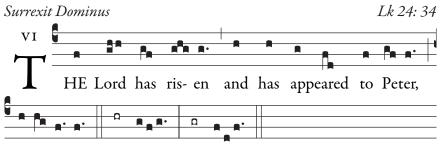
who preserves fideli*ty for*ever, * who does justice to those who are *oppressed*.

3. It is he who gives bread *to the* hungry, * the LORD who sets prison*ers* free,

the LORD who opens the eyes *of the* **blind**, * the LORD who raises up those who are *bowed* **down**. It is the LORD who loves the just, †
 the LORD who protects the stranger *
 and upholds the orphan and the widow, †
 but thwarts the path of the wicked.

The LORD will *reign for*ever, * the God of Sion from age *to* **age**.

COMMUNION (Year A)



al-le-lu-ia.

Psalm 118 (117)

 Give praise to the LORD, for *he is* good; * his mercy en*dures for*ever.

Let the house of Is*rael* say, * "His mercy en*dures for*ever."

2. I called to the LORD in *my distress*; * he has an*swered and* **freed** me.

It is better to take refuge *in the* LORD * than to *trust in* man;

The nations all en*circled* me; *

 in the name of the LORD I *cut them* off.

 They encircled me *all around*; *

 in the name of the LORD I *cut them* off.

 I was thrust down, thrust *down and* falling, * but the LORD *was my* helper.

The LORD is my strength *and my* song; * he *was my* savior.

 There are shouts of joy and salvation * in the tents of the just.

> "The LORD's right hand has done mighty deeds; † his right hand *is exa*lted. * The LORD's right hand has done *mighty* deeds."

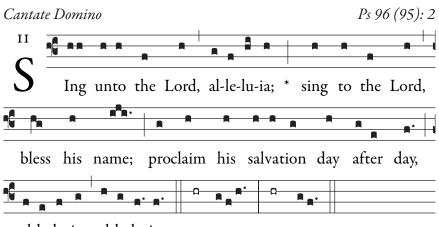
- I shall not die, *I shall* live * and recount the deeds of the LORD.
 I will thank you for you have answered.
 - I will thank you, for *you have* **an**swered, * and you *are my* **sav**ior.
- 7. The stone that the build*ers rejected* * has be*come the* **cor**nerstone.

By the LORD has *this been* **done**, * a marvel *in our* **eyes**.

This is the day the *LORD has* made; * let us rejoice in it *and be* glad.

- O LORD, grant salvation; * O LORD, grant success.
 Blest is he who comes * in the name of the LORD.
- You are my *God*, *I* praise you. * My God, *I* exalt you.

Give praise to the LORD, for *he is* good; * his mercy en*dures for*ever.



al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

Psalm 96 (95)

 O sing a new song to the LORD; * sing to the LORD, all the earth.

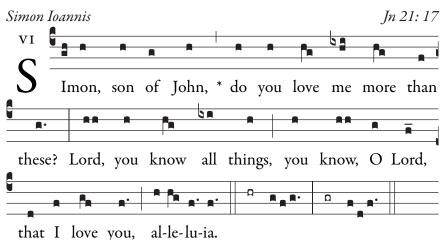
Tell among the na*tions his* **glo**ry, * and his wonders among all *the* **peo**ples.

 For the LORD is great and highly *to be* praised, * to be feared above *all* gods.

Give the LORD, you families of peoples, † give the LORD glo*ry and* **power**; * give the LORD the glory of *his* **name**.

- Bring an offering and enter his courts; † worship the LORD in *holy* splendor. * O tremble before him, all *the* earth.
- Let the heavens rejoice and earth be glad; †
 let the sea and all within it *thunder* praise. *
 Let the land and all it bears *re*joice.

COMMUNION (Year C)



Psalm 34 (33)

- I will bless the LORD *at all* times; * praise of him is always *in my* mouth.
 - In the LORD my soul shall *make its* **boast**; * the humble shall hear *and be* **glad**.
- Glorify the LORD with me; * together let us praise his name.

I sought the LORD, and he *answered* me; * from all my terrors he *set me* free.

 Look towards him *and be* radiant; * let your faces not *be* abashed.

This lowly one called; *the LORD* heard, * and rescued him from all *his distress*.

The angel of the LORD *is encamped* * around those who fear *him, to* **res**cue them.

4. When the just cry out, *the LORD* hears, * and rescues them in all *their distress*.

The LORD is close to the *broken*hearted; * those whose spirit is crushed *he will* save.

The LORD ransoms the souls *of his* servants. * All who trust in him shall not *be con*demned.

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