

CHRISTMAS TIME

25 December

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

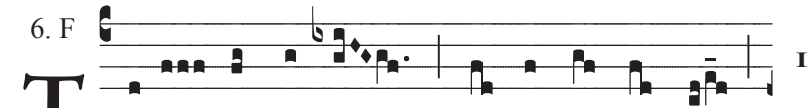
Solemnity

At the Vigil Mass

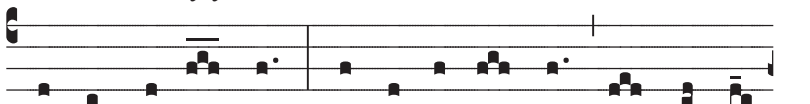
ENTRANCE ANTIPHON. [i]

Hodie scietis. Ex 16 : 6-7

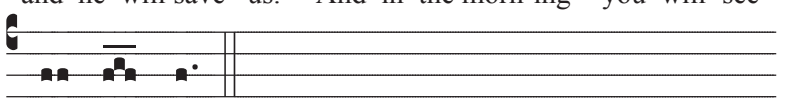
6. F



T O-day you will know * that the Lord will come,




and he will save us. And in the morn-ing you will see



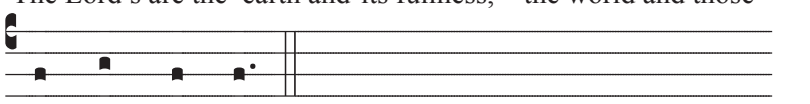
his glo- ry.

VERSES

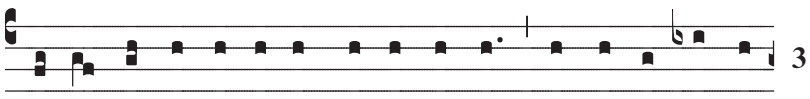
Domini est terra. Ps 23 : 1



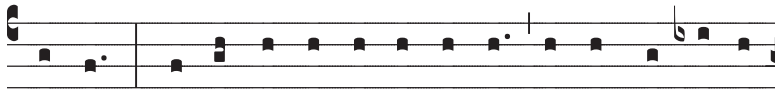
The Lord's are the earth and its fullness, * the world and those



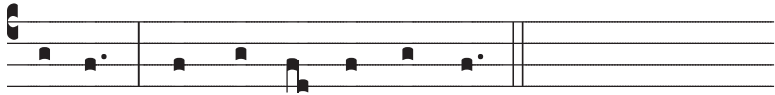
who dwell in it.



Glo- ry be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho- ly



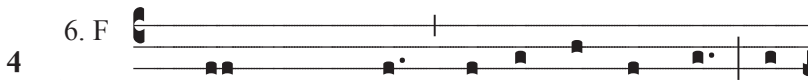
Spir-it. * As it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er



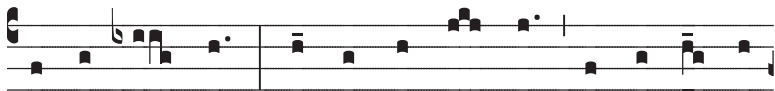
shall be, world with-out end. A- men.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON. [ii]

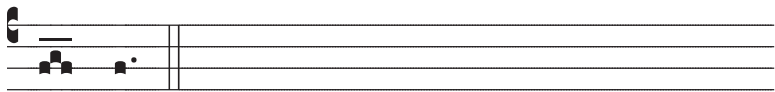
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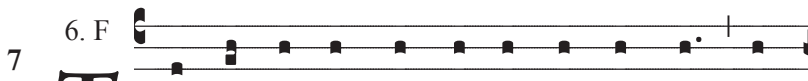


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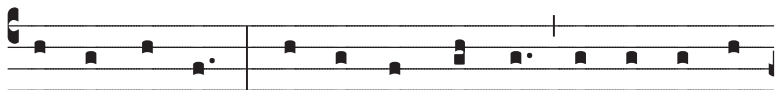
5, 6 Verses, nn. 2-3, p. 57.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON. [iii]

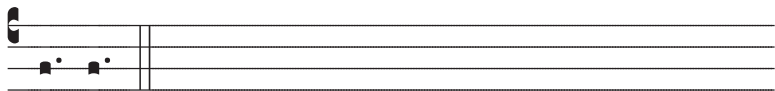
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ENTRANCE REFRAIN [iv]

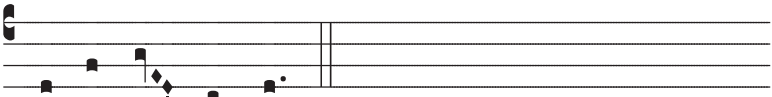
6. a  8

C OME, O Lord, of hosts, do not de- lay !

Or : *Gaude ! gaude ! Emmanuel.*

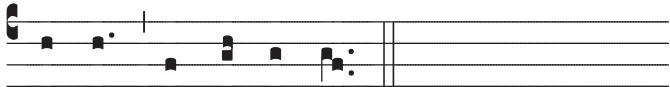
I. a  8 b

R E-joyce ! re-joyce ! Em- man- u- el shall come to



thee, O Is- ra- el.

ENTRANCE REFRAIN [v] *Gaudete, Dominus. Phil 4 : 4-5*

6. a  9

R E-joyce, the Lord is near !

VERSES

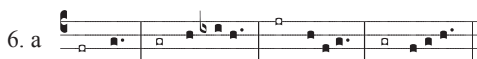
Domini est terra. Ps 23

6. F 

1. The Lord's are the earth and its | **full-ness** ; * 10 a
 the world and those who | *dwell in it*.
 For he founded it up- | *on the seas* *
 and established it upon | *the riv-ers*. (℣)
2. Who can ascend the mountain of the | **Lord** ? *
 or who may stand in his | *ho-ly place* ?
 He whose hands are sinless, / whose | *heart is clean*, *
 who desires not what | *is vain*. (℣)
3. He shall receive a blessing from the | **Lord**, *
 a reward from | *God his sav-ior*.
 Such is the race that | *seeks for him*, *
 that seeks the face of the God | *of Ja-cob*. (℣)



4. Lift up, O gates, your | **lin**-tels ;
reach up, you | *an-cient* **por**-tals,
that the | *king of* **glo**-ry
may | *come in* ! (R̄)
5. Who is this king of | **glo**-ry ?
The Lord, / | *strong and* **migh**-y, (*omit c*)
the Lord, / mighty | *in* **bat**-tle. (R̄)
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10 b

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and established it up- | *on the* **riv**-ers. (R̄)
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or who may stand in his | *ho-ly* **place** ?
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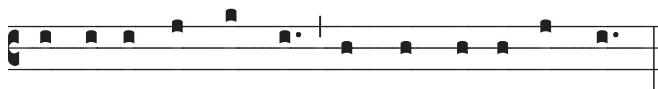
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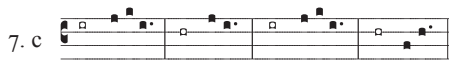
II 7. c 

F Or- ev- er I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

REFRAIN. [ii] *Misericordias tuas, Domine. Ps 88 : 2a*

I2 7. d 

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VERSES. *Misericordias tuas, Domine.*
Ps 88 : 4-5. 16-17. 27. 29

- 13 “ I have made a covenant | *with my chos-en* one,
I have sworn to David | *my ser-vant* :
Forever will I confirm | *your pos-ter-i-ty* *
and establish your throne for all gen- | *er-a-tions*. ” (℞)

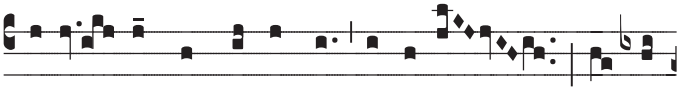
Blessed the people who know the | *joy-ful shout* ;
in the light of your countenance, O Lord, | *they walk*.
At your name they rejoice | *all the day*,
and through your justice / they are | *ex-alt-ed*. (℞)

“ He shall say of me, / ‘ You | *are my fa-ther,*
 my God, the rock, | *my sav-ior.* ’
 Forever I will maintain my kind- | *ness toward him,*
 and my covenant with him | *stands firm.*” (R̄)

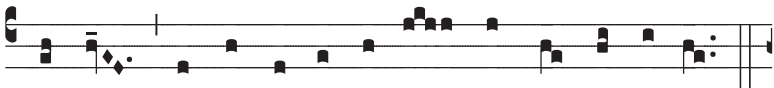
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A L- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu- ia.

VERSE. [i]

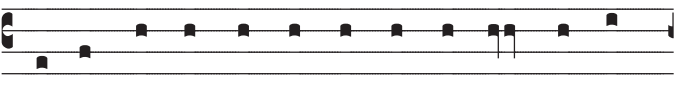
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T O-mor-row the wickedness of the earth will be

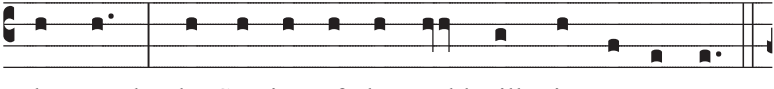
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destroyed : the Sav-ior of the world will reign o- ver us.

VERSE. [ii]

8. G  16


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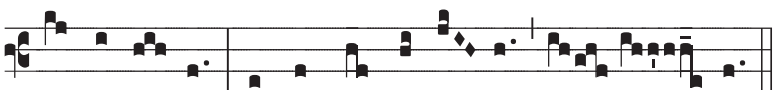
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OFFERTORY. [i]

Tollite portas. Ps 23 : 7

2.  29

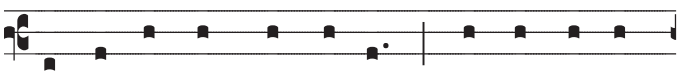
L IFT up, * O gates, your lin-tels ; reach up, you

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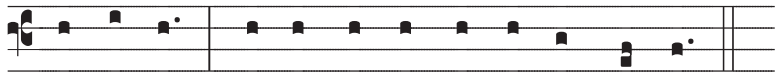
ancient portals, that the King of glo- ry may come in.

OFFERTORY. [iii]

Tollite portas. Ps 23 : 7

2.  33

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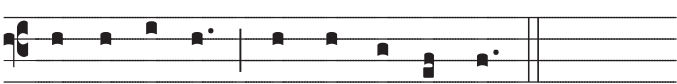
cient por-tals, that the King of glo- ry may come in.

OFFERTORY REFRAIN. [iv]

2. D  34

L ET him en- ter, the King of glo- ry !

OFFERTORY REFRAIN. [v]

2. f  35

L ET him en- ter, the King of glo- ry !

VERSES

Domini est terra. Ps 23

2. D 

2. f 

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2. D 

2. f 


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may come in ! (R̄)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON. [i]

Revelabitur gloria. Is 40 : 5

37 *I. f* 


T HE glo- ry * of the Lord will be re-vealed, and




all flesh will see the sal-va- tion of our God.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON. [ii]

Revelabitur gloria. Is 40 : 5

38 *I. f* 

T HE glo- ry * of the Lord will be revealed, and



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Christmas. At the Vigil Mass

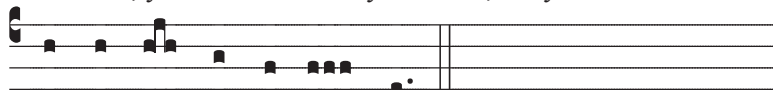
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VERSES

Benedixisti, Domine. Ps 84 : 2

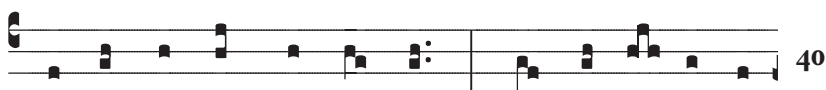


O Lord, you have favored your land ; * you have restored

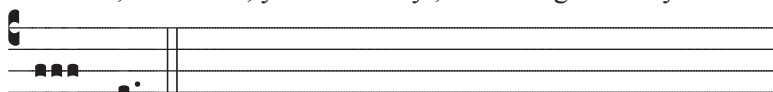


the well- being of Ja- cob.

Ostende nobis, Domine. Ps 84 : 8



Show us, O Lord, your mer- cy ; * and grant us your sal-

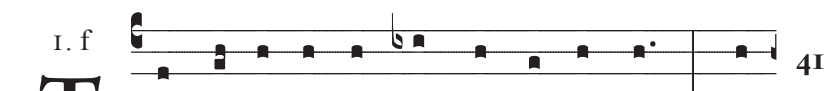


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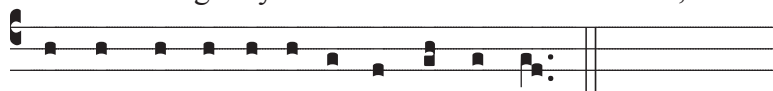
Revelabitur gloria. Is 40 : 5

I. f



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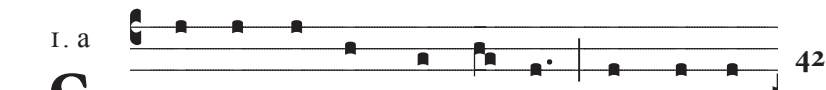


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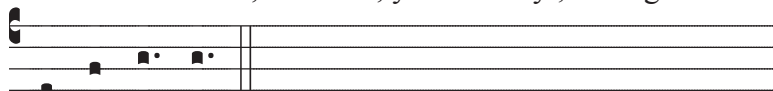
Ostende nobis, Domine. Ps 84 : 8

I. a



S

HOW us, O Lord, your mer- cy ; and grant us



your sal- va- tion.

COMMUNION REFRAIN. [iv] *Ostende nobis, Domine. Ps 84 : 8*

43 I. f

S HOW us, O Lord, your mer-cy ; and grant us

your sal- va- tion.

VERSES

Benedixisti, Domine, terram tuam. Ps 84

I. f

- 44 a
1. Lord, you have | *blessed your land*,
you have turned away the captivity | *of Ja-cob*.
You have forgiven the iniquity | *of your peo-ple* ;
you have covered all | *their sins*.
 2. You have mitigated | *all your an-ger* ;
you have turned away from the wrath of your in- | *dig-na-tion*.
Convert us, O | *God our sav-ior* ;
and turn away your anger | *from us*.
 3. You will turn, O God, and bring | *us to life* ;
and your people shall rejoice | *in you*.
Show us, O | *Lord, your mer-cy* ;
and grant us your | *sal-va-tion*.
 4. I will hear what the | *Lord God speaks* ;
for he will speak peace unto his people, /
unto them that are converted to | *the heart*.
Surely his salvation is near to | *those who fear him*,
that glory may dwell in | *our land*.
 5. Mercy and truth have | *met each oth-er* ;
justice and peace | *have kissed*.
Truth has sprung out | *of the earth*,
and justice has looked down | *from heav-en*.
 6. For the Lord | *will give good-ness* ;
and our earth shall yield | *her fruit*.
Justice shall | *walk be-fore him*,
and make his footsteps | *a way*.

