REFRAIN (SATB) for Lent • With Psalm 50
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SOME CHOIRS MAY WISH TO TRANPOSE THIS PIECE TO A HIGHER PITCH

REFRAIN: O gracious Jesus, what evil hast Thou done? What crime is in Thee? or whom hast Thou offended? Savior of the world, have mercy on us. O loving Jesus!

1.) Have mercy on me, O God, * according to thy great mercy.

1. Mi-se-re-re me-i, De-us, se-cün-dum ma-gnam mi-se-ri-cór-di-am tu-am.
2.) And according to the multitude of thy tender mercies * blot out my iniquity.

3.) To my hearing thou shalt give joy and gladness: * and the bones that have been humbled shall rejoice.

4.) Create a clean heart in me, O God: * and renew a right spirit within my bowels.

5.) Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation, * and strengthen me with a perfect spirit.

6.) I will teach the unjust thy ways: * and the wicked shall be converted to thee.

7.) O Lord, thou wilt open my lips: * and my mouth shall declare thy praise.