**Gradual & Alleluia • Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary** (Trad.) Most blessed and worthy of all reverence art thou, O Virgin Mary, for with virginity unsullied, thou wast found to be the mother of the Savior. Vs. O Virgin Mother of God, the world suffices not to contain him, who—made man—was shut up in thy womb. Alleluia, Alleluia. (Trad.) Vs. After child-birth thou didst remain a pure virgin: O Mother of God, intercede for us. Alleluia.

Mode VIII

Enedí-csta et venerábi-lis es, Virgo Marí-a:

Blessed & venerable-thou art, O-Virgin Mary;

quae si-ne tactu pudóris invénta es mater Salvató-

who without stain-to virginity-thou wert-found to-be Mother of-the-Savior.

ris. Vs. Virgo De-i Géni-trix, quem totus non ca-

O-Virgin af-God the-Mother, He-Whom the-entire [world

pit orbis, in tu-a se clausit ví-scera factus homo.

cannot contain] in the HImself hid in-thy-womb having-been made-Man.

Mode VIII

L-le-lú-ia. *ij.* 

After the verse (“Post partum”) the Alleluia is sung straight through.

Vs. Post partum, Virgo, invi-oláta permansí-sti:

After childbirth, a-virgin inviolate thou-didst-remain:

De-i Géni-trix, intercéde pro nobis.

[O Mother of God] intercede for us.