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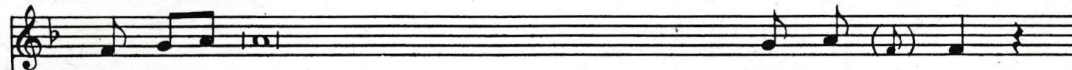
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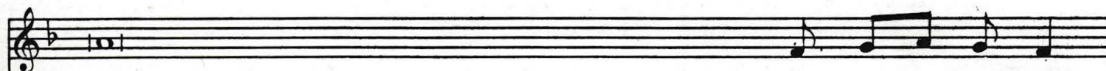
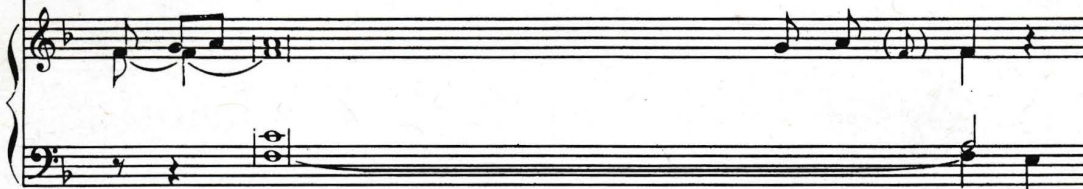
# RESPONSORY

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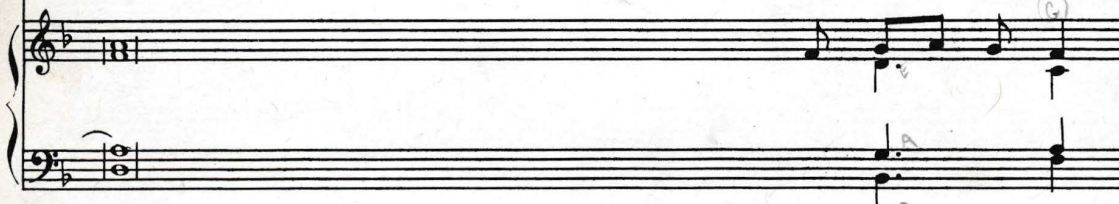
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1. Come to his(her) aid, O saints of God;
2. Tak ing up his(her) soul,
3. May you be received by Christ, who has called you:
4. Tak ing up his(her) soul,
5. E - ter - nal rest grant un to him(her), O Lord:
6. Present ing his(her) soul,



1. hasten to meet him(her), An gels of the Lord;
2. Presenting it in the sight of the Most High.
3. and may the Angels bring you into the bosom of A - bra - ham.
4. Presenting it in the sight of the Most High.
5. and let perpetual light shine up on him(her).
6. in the sight of the Most High.



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For Unison Voices and Organ

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(Begin as celebrant enters the Sanctuary)

## INTROIT

### ANTIPHON

E - ter - nal rest grant un - to them, O Lord: -

and let per - pet - ual light shine up - on them. -

### PSALM

To you we owe our hymn of praise, O God, in Si - on; to you must vows be

ful-filled in Je - ru - sa - lem. Hear my prayer; to you all flesh must come.

(Repeat Antiphon)

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## KYRIE

Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ mer-cy. Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ mer-cy.

Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ mer-cy. Christ, \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ mer-cy.

Christ, \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ mer-cy. Christ, \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ mer-cy.

Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ mer-cy. Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ mer-cy.

Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ mer-cy.

**THE PRAYER (Collect)***Priest:* The Lord be with you.*Response:* And with your spirit.*Priest:* Let us pray. . . .*Response:* Amen.

(Begin Gradual-Tract at the conclusion of the Epistle)

**GRADUAL-TRACT**

Gradual 1. E - ter - nal rest grant unto \_\_\_\_\_ them, O Lord: \*

2. The just man shall be in everlasting re - mem - brance; \*

Tract 3. Ab-solve, O Lord, the souls of all the faithful de - part - ed

4. And by the help of your grace (F) may they de-  
serve to escape the judgment of ven - geance.

1. and let perpetual light shine \_\_\_\_\_ up - on them.

2. an evil report \_\_\_\_\_ he shall not fear.

3. from ev - - - - - 'ry bond of sin.

4. And to enjoy the blessedness of light \_\_\_\_\_ e - ter - nal.

**SEQUENCE \***

1. Day of\_ wrath! O day of mourning! ' See fulfilled the prophets' warning, '

2. Won-drous sound the trumpet flingeth; ' Through earth's sepulchers it ringeth; '

3. Lo! the\_ book, exactly worded, ' Wherein all hath been recorded: '

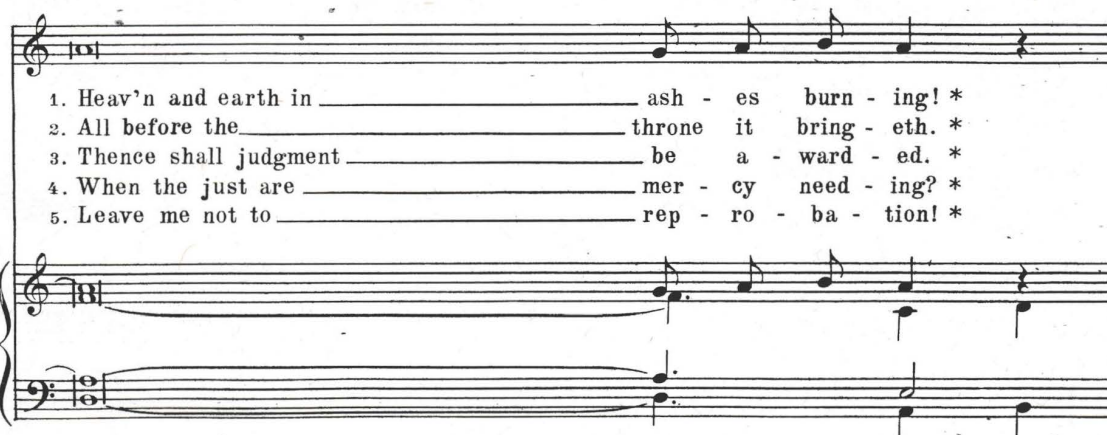
4. What shall I, frail man, be pleading? ' Who for me be interceding, '

5. Think, good Jesus, my salvation ' Cost thy wondrous incarnation; '

\* Optional at Requiem Masses.

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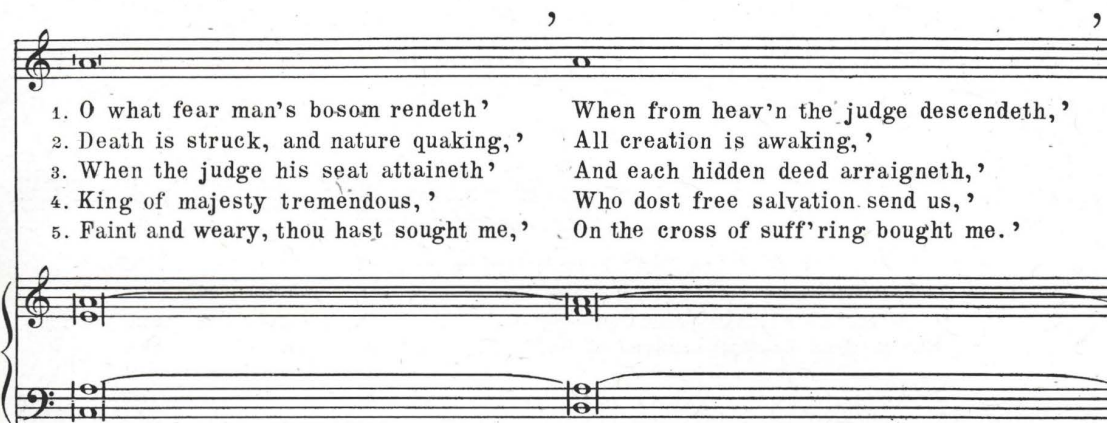
1. Heav'n and earth in \_\_\_\_\_ ash - es burn - ing! \*

2. All before the \_\_\_\_\_ throne it bring - eth. \*

3. Thence shall judgment \_\_\_\_\_ be a - ward - ed. \*

4. When the just are \_\_\_\_\_ mer - cy need - ing? \*

5. Leave me not to \_\_\_\_\_ rep - ro - ba - tion! \*



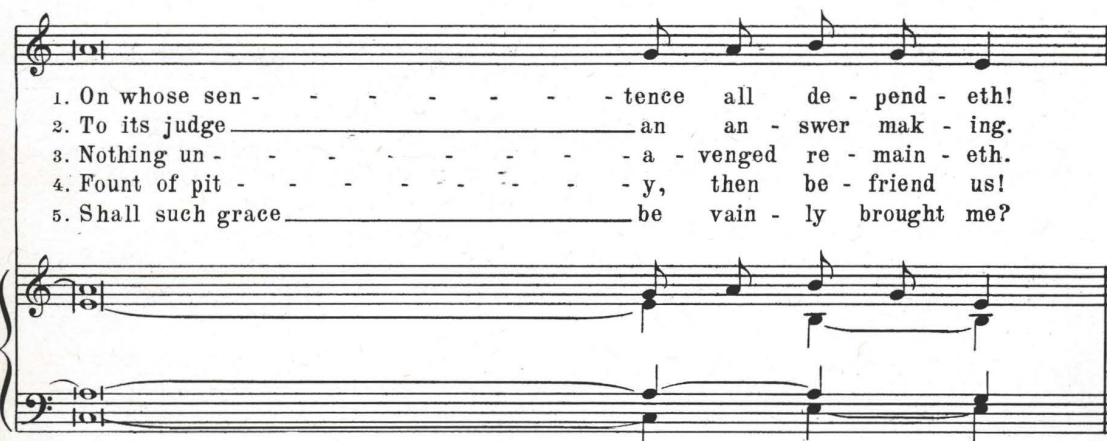
1. O what fear man's bosom rendeth,'      When from heav'n the judge descendeth,'

2. Death is struck, and nature quaking,'      All creation is awaking,'

3. When the judge his seat attaineth,'      And each hidden deed arraigneth,'

4. King of majesty tremendous,'      Who dost free salvation send us,'

5. Faint and weary, thou hast sought me,'      On the cross of suff'ring bought me.'



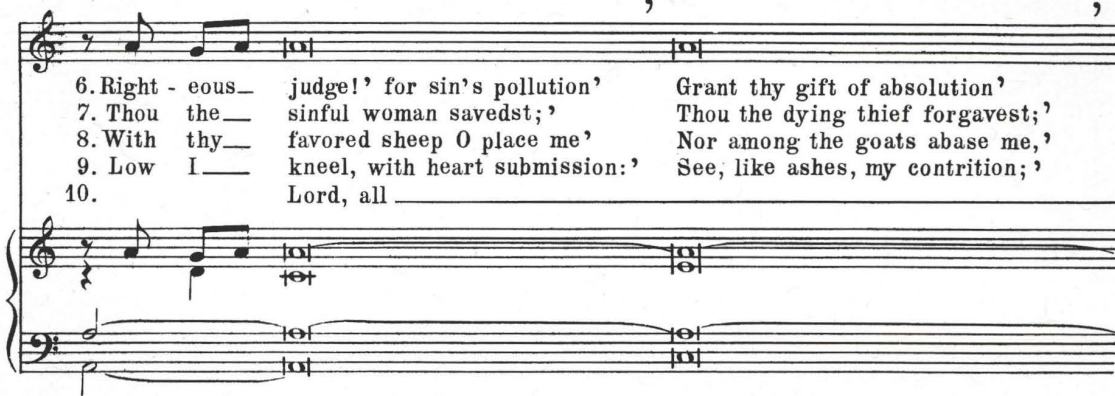
1. On whose sen - - - - - tence all de - pend - eth!

2. To its judge \_\_\_\_\_ an an - swer mak - ing.


3. Nothing un - - - - - a - venged re - main - eth.

4. Fount of pit - - - - - y, then be - friend us!

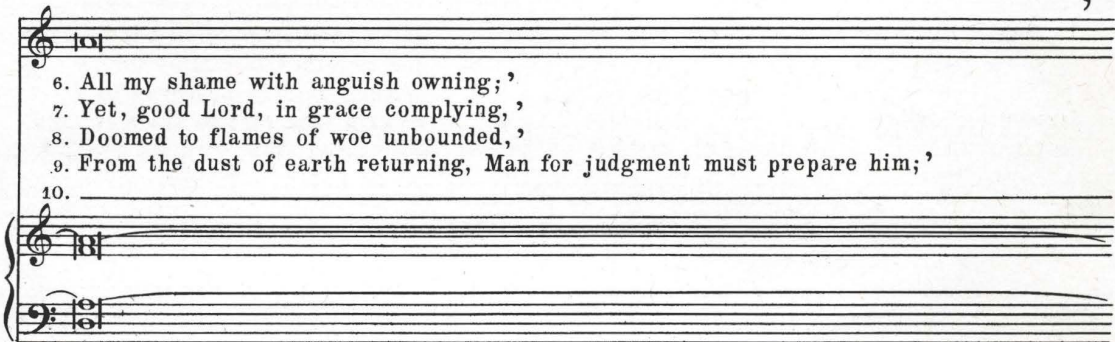
5. Shall such grace \_\_\_\_\_ be vain - ly brought me?



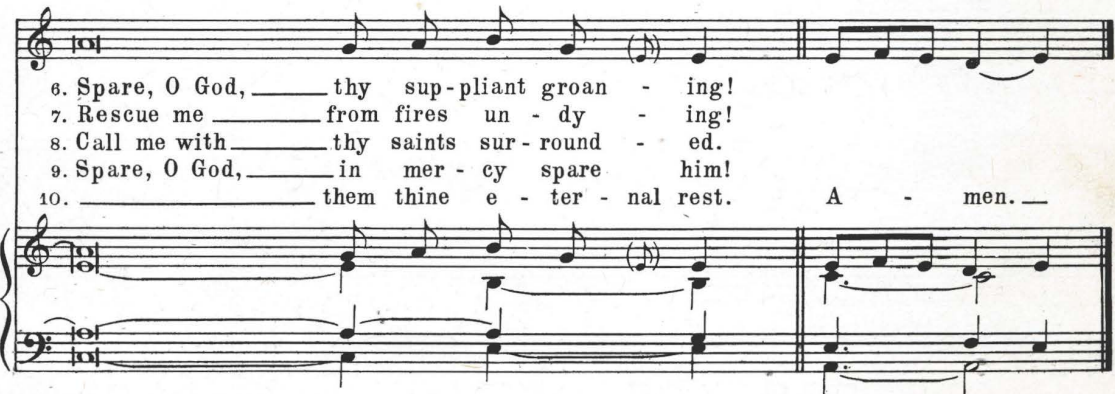
6. Right - eous— judge! ' for sin's pollution' Grant thy gift of absolution'  
 7. Thou the— sinful woman savedst; ' Thou the dying thief forgavest; '  
 8. With thy— favored sheep O place me' Nor among the goats abase me; '  
 9. Low I— kneel, with heart submission: ' See, like ashes, my contrition; '  
 10. Lord, all —



6. Ere the day of ret - ri - bu - tion. \* Guilty, now I pour my moaning, '  
 7. And to me a hope vouch-saf - est. \* Worthless are my pray'rs and sighing, '  
 8. But to thy right hand up - raise me. \* While the wicked are confounded, '  
 9. Help me in my last con - di - tion. \* Ah! that day of tears and mourning! '  
 10. — pit - ying Je - sus blest, \* Grant —



6. All my shame with anguish owning; '  
 7. Yet, good Lord, in grace complying, '  
 8. Doomed to flames of woe unbounded, '  
 9. From the dust of earth returning, Man for judgment must prepare him; '  
 10. —



6. Spare, O God, — thy sup-pliant groan - ing!  
 7. Rescue me — from fires un - dy - ing!  
 8. Call me with — thy saints sur - round - ed.  
 9. Spare, O God, — in mer - cy spare him!  
 10. — them thine e - ter - nal rest. A - men. —



## GOSPEL

*Deacon (or Priest):* The Lord be with you.

*Response:* And with your spirit.

*Deacon (or Priest):* +A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

*Response:* Glory to you, O Lord.

## OFFERTORY

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*Response:* And with your spirit.

*Priest:* Let us pray.

## OFFERTORY

Flex

1. Lord\_ Jesus \_\_\_\_\_

2. deliver them from the li- ons mouth, (F) may hell \_\_\_\_\_

3. but may Michael, the holy standardbear-er, (F) bring them. \_\_\_\_\_

4. We\_ offer you, O Lord, sacrifices \_\_\_\_\_

5. Grant, O Lord, that they \_\_\_\_\_

1. Christ, King of glo - ry, \* deliver the souls of all the faithful

2. not swal- low them up, \* nor may they fall in - - -

3. in - to the ho - ly light: \* Which you once promised to A -

4. and pray- ers of praise; \* receive them for the souls whom

5. may pass from death to life. \* Which you once promised to A -

1. departed' from the pains of hell and \_\_\_\_\_ the deep pit; \_\_\_\_\_

2. - - - - - to dark - ness, \_\_\_\_\_

3. braham \_\_\_\_\_ and to his seed. \_\_\_\_\_

4. we remem - - - - - ber this day. \_\_\_\_\_

5. braham \_\_\_\_\_ and to his seed. \_\_\_\_\_

# RESPONSES

## AT THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER-I

*Priest* The Lord— be with— you. *People* And with your spir - it.

*Priest* Lift up your hearts. *People* We have lift - ed them up to the Lord.

*Priest* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. *People* It is right and just.

## SANCTUS

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav - en and earth are

filled with your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the high - est. †Bless - ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est. —



## CONCLUSION OF THE CANON

*Priest:* . . . for ever and ever.

*Response:* Amen.

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

*Priest:* Let us pray: Taught by our Savior's command and formed by the word of God, we dare to say:

*Response:* Our Father, who art in heaven,\*  
hallowed be thy name;\*  
thy kingdom come;\*  
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.\*  
Give us this day our daily bread;\*  
and forgive us our trespasses\*  
as we forgive those who trespass against us;\*  
and lead us not into temptation,\*  
but deliver us from evil.  
Amen.

[ \* for musical settings see pages 14 and 15 ]

## PRAYER FOR PEACE

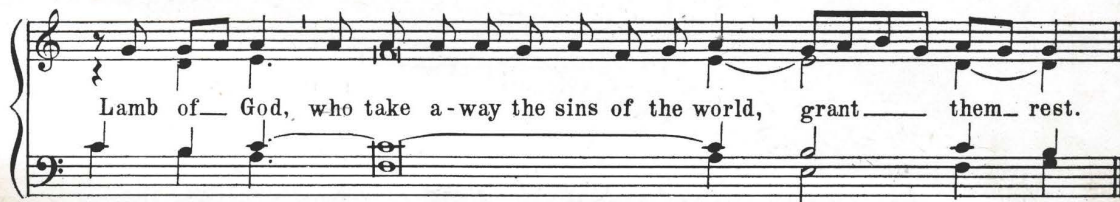
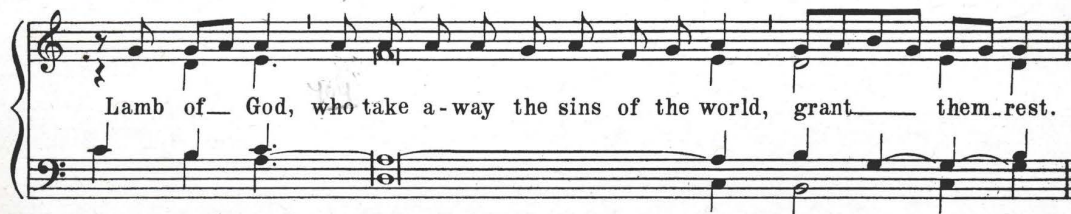
*Priest:* . . . for ever and ever.

*Response:* Amen.

*Priest:* May the peace of the Lord be always with you.

*Response:* And with your spirit.

## AGNUS DEI



The Communion Antiphon is sung while the celebrant is distributing Communion.

## COMMUNION



May light e - ter - nal shine up - on - them, - O - Lord: with - your -

saints - for - ev - er, for you are mer - ci - ful. E - ter - nal rest grant un - to

them, O Lord; and let per - pet - ual light shine up - on them.

With - your - saints - for - ev - er, for you are mer - ci - ful.

### POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*Response:* And with your spirit.

*Priest:* Let us pray . . . for ever and ever.

*Response:* Amen.

### DISMISSAL

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*Response:* And with your spirit.

*Priest:* May they rest in peace.

*Response:* Amen.

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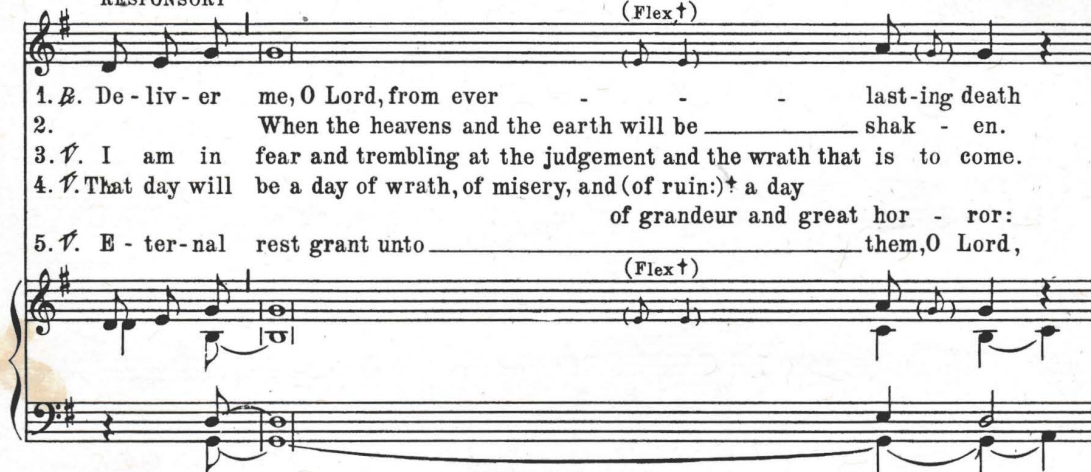
# ABSOLUTION

(Libera)

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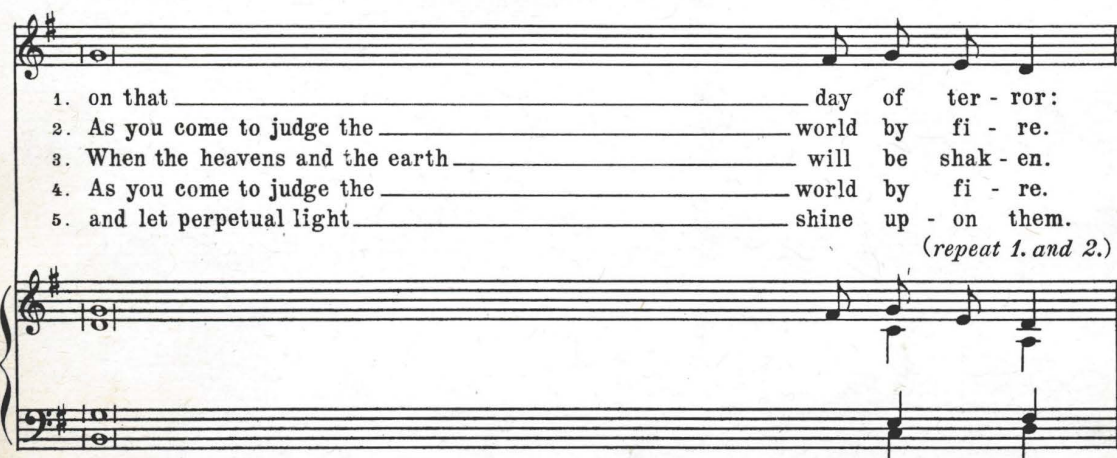
RESPONSORY

(Flex†)



1. *B.* De - liv - er me, O Lord, from ever - - - last-ing death  
 2. When the heavens and the earth will be \_\_\_\_\_ shak - en.  
 3. *V.* I am in fear and trembling at the judgement and the wrath that is to come.  
 4. *V.* That day will be a day of wrath, of misery, and (of ruin:)\* a day  
 of grandeur and great hor - ror:  
 5. *V.* E - ter-nal rest grant unto \_\_\_\_\_ them, O Lord,

(Flex†)



1. on that \_\_\_\_\_ day of ter - ror:  
 2. As you come to judge the \_\_\_\_\_ world by fi - re.  
 3. When the heavens and the earth \_\_\_\_\_ will be shak - en.  
 4. As you come to judge the \_\_\_\_\_ world by fi - re.  
 5. and let perpetual light \_\_\_\_\_ shine up - on them.  
 (repeat 1. and 2.)

\* After the Responsory



Lord, — have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy. Lord, — have mer - cy.

\* The above may be sung in place of the Kyrie given on page 4, when so sung each petition is sung three times.

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℣. Our Father.....

And lead us not into temptation.

℣. From the gate of hell.

℣. May he (she) rest in peace.

℣. O Lord, hear my prayer.

℣. The Lord be with you.

℟. But deliver us from evil.

℟. Rescue his (her) soul, O Lord.

℟. Amen.

℟. And let my cry come to you.

℟. And with your spirit.

## ANTIPHON

(In Paradisum)

(Adapt. by J.G.P.)

May the an - gels take you in to par - a - dise; may the

mar - tyrs come to wel - come you on your way, and lead you

in - to the Ho - ly cit - y, Je - ru - sa - lem. May the choir -

of an - gels wel - come you, and with Laz - a - rus who

once was poor may you have ev - er - last - ing rest.

*deep breath*

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# THE LORD'S PRAYER

For Priest and People in Unison

Approved Settings,  
March '66.

## I

PRIEST:



Let us pray: Taught by our Sav - ior's com - mand and formed by the word

PRIEST and PEOPLE:



of God, we dare to say: Our Fa - ther, who art in heav - en,



hal - lowed be thy name; thy king - dom come; thy will be done on earth as



it is in heav - en. Give us this day our dai - ly bread; and for - give us



our tres - pass - es as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us; and lead



us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us from e - vil.

## II

PRIEST:



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PRIEST and PEOPLE:



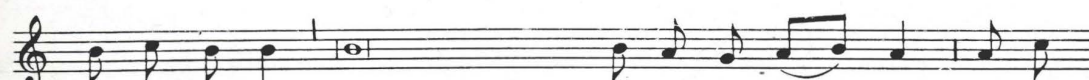
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our tres - pass - es as we forgive those who tres - pass a - gainst us; and lead



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### III

**PRIEST**

Let us pray: Taught by our Sav-ior's com-mand and formed by the

**PRIEST and PEOPLE**

word of God, we dare to say: Our Fa-ther, who art in

heav-en, hal-lowed be thy name; thy king-dom come; thy will be

done on earth as it is in heav-en. Give us this day

our dai-ly bread; and for-give us our tres-pass-es as

we for-give those who tres-pass a-gainst us; and lead us

not in-to temp-ta-tion, but de-liv-er us from e-vil.

### IV (Optional)

**PRIEST**

Let us pray: Taught by our Sav-ior's com-mand and formed by the word of God,

*A tempo*  
(Quiet, moving)

**PRIEST and PEOPLE**

we dare to say: Our Fa-ther, who art in heav-en, hal-lowed be thy

name; thy king-dom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in

heav-en. Give us this day our dai-ly bread; and for-give us our tres-pass-es

as we for-give those who tres-pass a-gainst us; and

lead us not in-to temp-ta-tion, but de-liv-er us from e-vil.



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