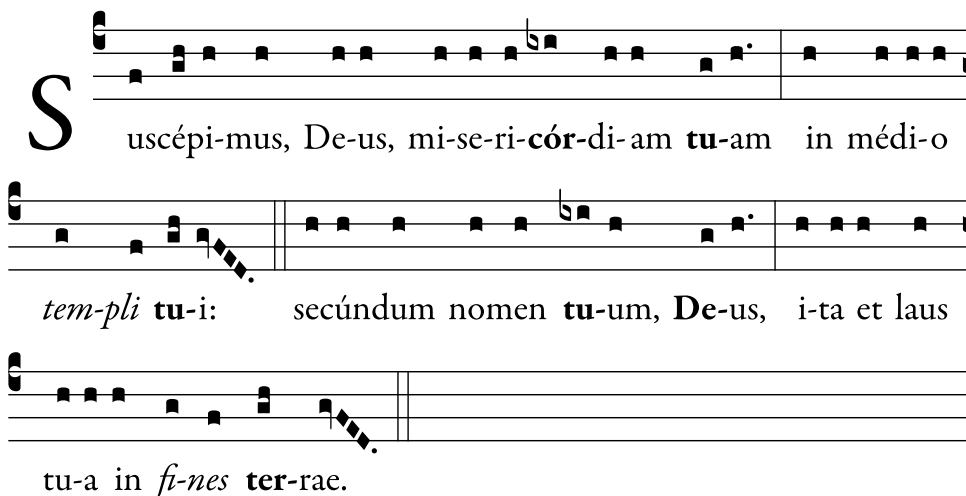


Feast of the Purification (2 February): Gradual & Alleluia

Suscépi-mus, Deus, misericórdiam tuam in médio templi tui: secúndum nomen tuum, Deus, ita et laus tua in fines terræ. ⁊. Sicut audívimus, ita et vídimus in civitáte Dei nostri, in monte sancto ejus. (Ps 47: 10-11, 9)

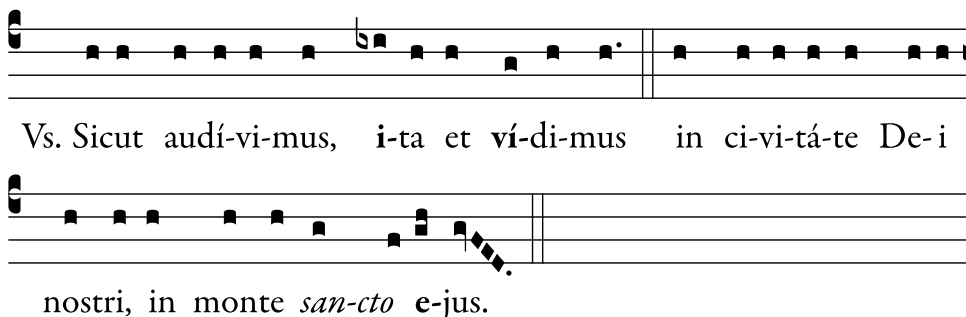
We have received Thy mercy, O God, in the midst of Thy temple: according to Thy name, O God, so also is Thy praise unto the ends of the earth. ⁊. As we have heard, so have we seen, in the city of our God, and in His holy mountain.

Cantor intones,
men complete
the verse:



Suscépi-mus, De-us, mi-se-ri-cór-di-am **tu-am** in médi-o
tem-pli **tu-i**: secúndum nomen **tu-um**, **De-us**, i-ta et laus
tu-a in *fi-nes* **ter-rae**.

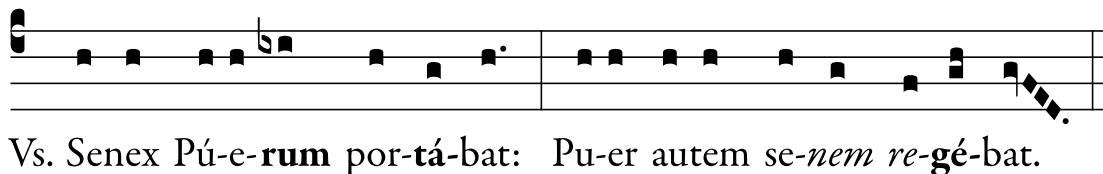
Ladies sing
this verse:



Vs. Sicut audí-vi-mus, **i-ta** et **ví-di-mus** in ci-vi-tá-te De-i
nostri, in monte *san-cto* **e-jus**.

Allelúja, allelúja.

Cantor intones, men and women complete the verse:



Vs. Senex **Pú-e-rum** por-tá-bat: Pu-er autem se-nem re-gé-bat.

Allelúja.

“The old man held the boy in his hands; but it was the boy who was master of the old man.”—*Fulton Sheen Sunday Missal* (1961)