Ad Vesperas

Evening Prayer

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morte perpétua liberémur. Per eúmdem Christum Dóminum nostrum. ℟. Amen.
℣. Divínum auxílium máneat semper nobíscum. ℟. Amen.

that as we rejoice in her commemoration; so by her fervent intercession we may be delivered from present evils and from everlasting death. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen. May the divine assistance remain always with us. Amen.

Chapter 1

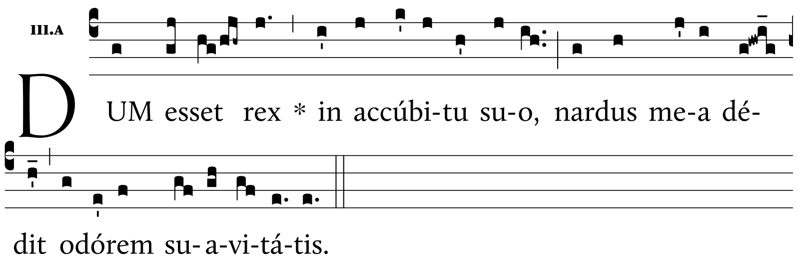
The Beginning

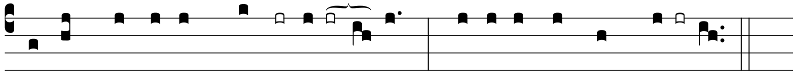
Chapter 2

Psalmody

2.1 Outside Advent and Christmastide

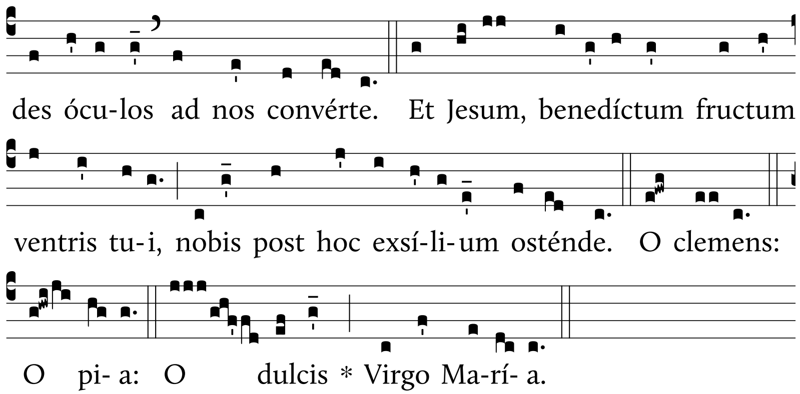
First Psalm: Psalm 109





Di-xit Dóminus **Dó**mino **me-**o: * Sede a dex*tris* **me-** is:
The Lord said to my Lord: Sit thou at my right hand:

2. Donec ponam ini**mí**cos **tu**os, * scabéllum pedum *tu***ó**rum.	Until I make thy enemies thy footstool.
3. Virgam virtútis tuæ emíttet Dómi**nus** ex **Si**on: * domináre in médio inimicórum *tu***ó**rum.	The Lord will send forth the sceptre of thy power out of Sion: rule thou in the midst of thy enemies.
4. Tecum princípium in die virtútis tuæ in splendóri**bus** sanc**tó**rum: * ex útero ante lucíferum gén*u***i** te.	With thee is the principality in the day of thy strength: in the brightness of the saints: from
5. Jurávit Dóminus, et non pœni**té**bit	



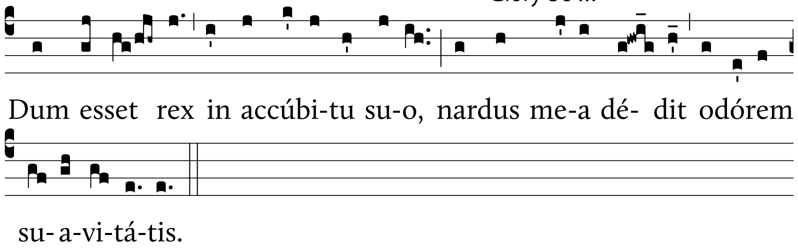
Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy,
hail, our life, our sweetness, and our hope.
To thee do we cry, the children of Eve;
to thee do we send up our sighs,
mourning and weeping in this valley of tears.
Turn, then, most gracious advocate,
thine eyes of mercy toward us;
and after this our exile, show unto us
the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus:
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

℣. Ora pro nobis sancta Dei Génitrix.	Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.
℟. Ut digni efficiámur promissiónibus Christi.	That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.
Orémus.	Let us pray.
Omnípotens sempitérne Deus, qui gloriósae Vírginis Matris Maríae corpus et ánimam, ut dignum Fílii tui habitáculum éffici mererétur, Spíritu Sancto cooperánte praeparásti : † da, ut cujus commemoratióne laetámur, * ejus pia intercessióne ab instántibus malis et a	Almighty, everlasting God, who by the co-operation of the Holy Spirit didst prepare the body and soul of the glorious Virgin-Mother Mary to become a dwelling-place meet for thy Son: grant

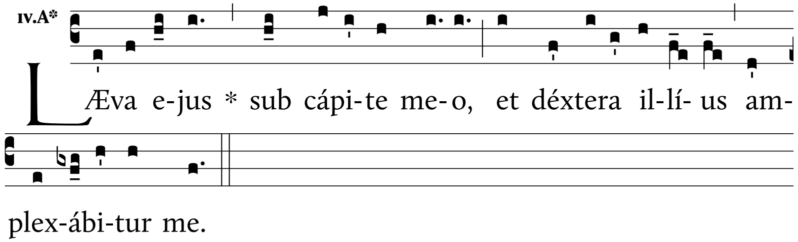
Simple tone:

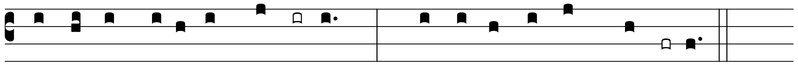
eum: * Tu es sacérdos in ætérnum secúndum órdinem *Mel***chí**sedech.
6. Dóminus a **dex**tris **tu**is, * confrégit in die iræ suæ **re**ges.
7. Judicábit in natiónibus, im**plé**bit ru**í**nas: * conquassábit cápita in terra *mul***tó**rum.
8. De torrénte in **vi**a **bi**bet: * proptérea exaltá*bit* **ca**put.
9. Glória **Pa**tri, et **Fíli**o, * et Spirítu*i* **Sanc**to.
10. Sicut erat in princípio, et **nunc**, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæculó*rum*. **A**men.

the womb before the day star I begot thee.
The Lord hath sworn, and he will not repent: Thou art a priest for ever according to the order of Melchisedech.
The Lord at thy right hand hath broken kings in the day of his wrath.
He shall judge among nations, he shall fill ruins: he shall crush the heads in the land of the many.
He shall drink of the torrent in the way: therefore shall he lift up the head.
Glory be ...



Second Psalm: Psalm 112

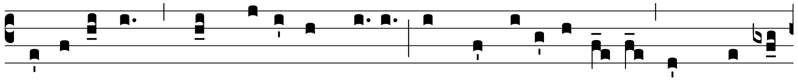




Laudá-te, pú-*e-ri*, **Dó**minum: * laudá-*te nomen* **Dó**mini.
Praise the Lord, ye children: praise ye the name of the Lord.

2. Sit nomen Dómini *bene***díc**tum, * ex hoc nunc, et *usque in* **sǽ**culum.
3. A solis ortu usque *ad oc***cá**sum, * laudábi*le nomen* **Dó**mini.
4. Excélsus super omnes *gentes* **Dó**minus, * et super cælos *glória* **e**jus.
5. Quis sicut Dóminus, Deus noster, qui in *altis* **há**bitat, * et humília réspicit in cæ*lo et in* **ter**ra?
6. Súscitans a *terra* **ín**opem, * et de stércore *érigens* **páu**perem:
7. Ut cóllocet eum *cum prin***cí**pibus, * cum princípibus *pópuli* **su**i.
8. Qui habitáre facit stéri*lem in* **do**mo, * matrem fili*órum læ***tán**tem.
9. Glória Pa*tri, et* **Fí**lio, * et Spi*rítui* **Sanc**to.
10. Sicut erat in princípio, et *nunc, et* **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæ*culórum.* **A**men.

Blessed be the name of the Lord, from henceforth now and for ever.
From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same, the name of the Lord is worthy of praise.
The Lord is high above all nations; and his glory above the heavens.
Who is as the Lord our God, who dwelleth on high: And looketh down on the low things in heaven and in earth?
Raising up the needy from the earth, and lifting up the poor out of the dunghill:
That he may place him with princes, with the princes of his people.
Who maketh a barren woman to dwell in a house, the joyful mother of children.
Glory be ...



Læva e-jus * sub cápi-te me-o, et déxtera il-lí- us amplex-á-

℣. Gaude et laetáre Virgo María, allelúia.
℟. Quia surréxit Dóminus vere, allelúia.
Orémus.
Deus, qui per resurrectiónem Fílii tui Dómini nostri Jesu Christi mundum laetificáre dignatus es : † praesta, quaesumus; ut per ejus Genitrícem Vírginem Maríam, * perpétuae capíamus gáudia vitae. Per eúmdem Christum Dóminum nostrum. ℟. Amen.
℣. Divínum auxílium máneat semper nobíscum. ℟. Amen.

Rejoice and be glad O Virgin Mary, alleluia.
For the Lord has risen indeed, alleluia.
Let us pray.
O God, who through the resurrection of Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ didst vouchsafe to give joy to the world: grant, we beseech thee, that through His Mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.
May the divine assistance remain always with us. Amen.

7.4 During the year

From Trinity Sunday to the Saturday before the first Sunday of Advent. Solemn tone:

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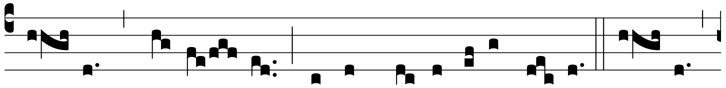
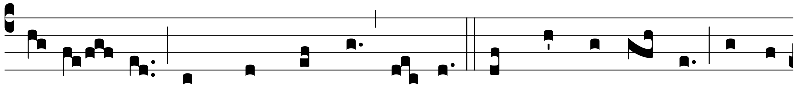
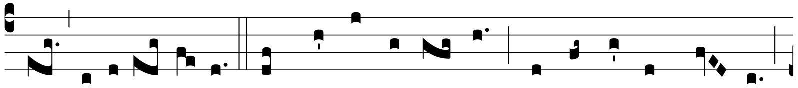


S Al- ve, * Re-gí- na, má-ter mi-se-ricórdi- æ: Ví- ta,



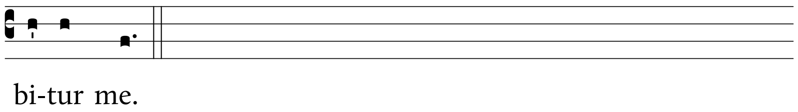
dulcé- do, et spes nóstra, sal-ve. Ad te clamá-mus, éxsu-



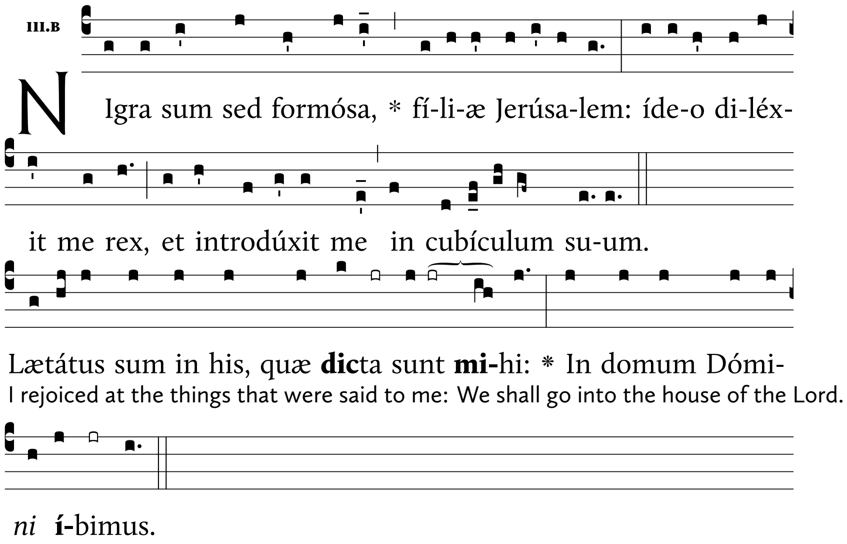
les, fí-li- i Hévæ. Ad te suspi-rá-mus, geméntes et flén-tes

Simple tone:

Queen of heaven, rejoice, alleluia.
For He whom thou didst merit to bear, alleluia,
has risen as he said, alleluia.
Pray to God for us, alleluia.
Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.
For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.



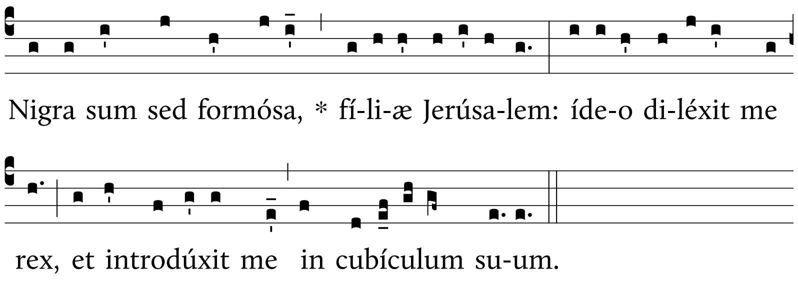
Third Psalm: Psalm 121



2. Stantes erant **pe**des **nos**tri, * in átriis tuis, *Je***rú**salem.	Our feet were standing in thy courts, O Jerusalem.
3. Jerúsalem, quæ ædifi**cá**tur ut **cívi**tas: * cujus participátio ejus in *id***íp**sum.	Jerusalem, which is built as a city, which is compact together.
4. Illuc enim ascendérunt tribus, **tri**bus **Dómi**ni: * testimónium Israël ad confiténdum nómi*ni* **Dó**mini.	For thither did the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord: the testimony of Israel, to praise the name of the Lord.
5. Quia illic sedérunt sedes **in** ju**díci**o, * sedes super do*mum* **Da**vid.	Because their seats have sat in judgment, seats upon the house of David.
6. Rogáte quæ ad pacem **sunt** Je**rúsa**lem: * et abundántia diligén*ti***bus** te:	
7. Fiat pax in vir**tú**te **tu**a: * et	

abundántia in túrri*bus* **tu**is.
8. Propter fratres meos, et **pró**ximos **me**os, * loquébar pa*cem* **de** te:
9. Propter domum Dómini, **Dei nos**tri, * quæsívi bo*na* **ti**bi.
10. Glória **Pa**tri, et **Fíli**o, * et Spirítu*i* **Sanc**to.
11. Sicut erat in princípio, et **nunc**, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæculó*rum*. **A**men.

Pray ye for the things that are for the peace of Jerusalem: and abundance for them that love thee.
Let peace be in thy strength: and abundance in thy towers.
For the sake of my brethren, and of my neighbours, I spoke peace of thee.
Because of the house of the Lord our God, I have sought good things for thee.
Glory be ...



Fourth Psalm: Psalm 126

Hail, Queen of heaven; Hail, Mistress of the Angels;
Hail, root of Jesse; Hail, the gate through which the Light rose over the earth.
Rejoice, Virgin most renowned and of unsurpassed beauty.

Farewell, O most beautiful one, and pray for us to Christ.

℣. Dignáre me laudáre te, Virgo sacráta.
℟. Da mihi virtútem contra hostes tuos.
Orémus
Concéde, miséricors Deus, fragilitáti nostrae praesídium : † ut qui sanctae Dei Genitrícis memóriam ágimus, * intercessiónis ejus auxílio, a nostris iniquitátibus resurgámus. Per eúmdem Christum Dóminum nostrum. ℟. Amen.
℣. Divínum auxílium máneat semper nobíscum. ℟. Amen.

Vouchsafe that I may praise thee, O sacred Virgin.
Give me strength against thine enemies.
Let us pray.
We beseech thee, O Lord, mercifully to assist our infirmity: that like as we do now commemorate Blessed Mary Ever-Virgin, Mother of God; so by the help of her intercession we may die to our former sins and rise again to newness of life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.
May the divine assistance remain always with us. Amen.

7.3 Paschaltide

From Easter Sunday to the Saturday after Pentecost.
Solemn tone:

7.2 Lent

From 2nd February to Holy Wednesday.
Solemn tone:

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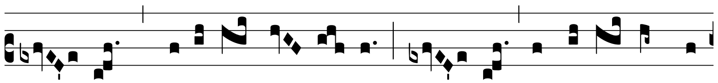
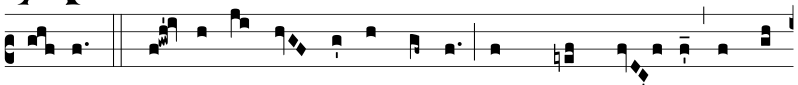
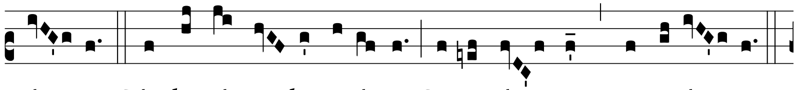


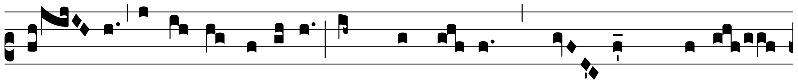
A - ve, * Regína Cæ- ló- rum, A- ve Dómina Ange-



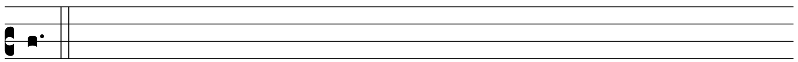
ló- rum: Sál-ve rá- dix, sálve pórta, Ex qua mún- do lux est



ór- ta: Gáude Vírgo glo-ri-ó-sa, Super óm-nes spe-ci-ó- sa:



Vá- le, o valde decóra, Et pro nó- bis Chrí- stum * exó-



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Simple tone:

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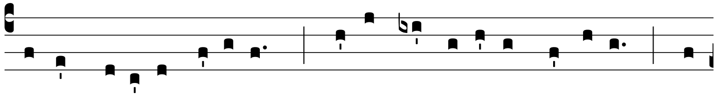
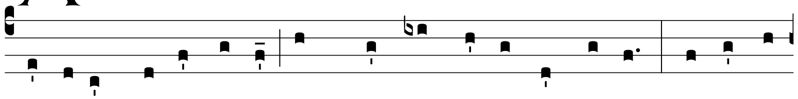
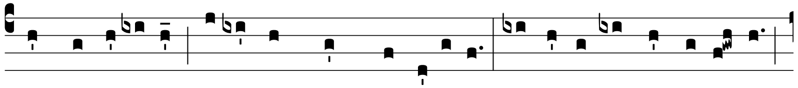


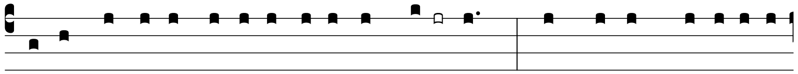
A -ve, Regína cælórum, * Ave Dómina Ange-lórum: Sal-



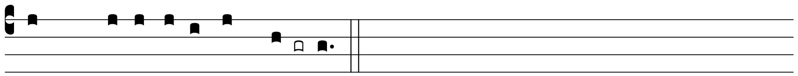
ve radix, salve porta, Ex qua mundo lux est orta: Gaude Vir-



go glo-ri- ósa, Super omnes spe-ci-ósa: Va-le, o valde decó-ra,



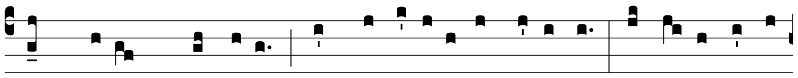
Ni-si Dóminus ædi-fi-cáve-rit **do-**mum, * in vanum laboravé-
Unless the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it.



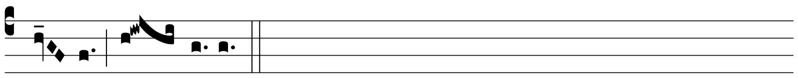
runt qui ædí-*fi-cant* **e-** am.

2. Nisi Dóminus custodíerit civi**tá**tem, * frustra vígilat qui cus*tódit* **e**am.
3. Vanum est vobis ante lucem **súr**gere: * súrgite postquam sedéritis, qui manducátis pa*nem* do**ló**ris.
4. Cum déderit diléctis suis **som**num: * ecce heréditas Dómini fílii: merces, *fructus* **ven**tris.
5. Sicut sagíttæ in manu pot**én**tis: * ita fílii *excus***só**rum.
6. Beátus vir qui implévit desidérium suum ex **ip**sis: * non confundétur cum loquétur inimícis su*is in* **por**ta.
7. Glória Patri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.
8. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcu*lórum.* **A**men.

Unless the Lord keep the city, he watcheth in vain that keepeth it.
It is vain for you to rise before light, rise ye after you have sitten, you that eat the bread of sorrow.
When he shall give sleep to his beloved, Behold the inheritance of the Lord are children: the reward, the fruit of the womb.
As arrows in the hand of the mighty, so the children of them that have been shaken.
Blessed is the man that hath filled the desire with them; he shall not be confounded when he shall speak to his enemies in the gate.
Glory be ...



JAM hi- ems tránsi- it, * imber ábi- it et recéssit: surge amí-ca



me- a, et veni.

Fifth Psalm: Psalm 147

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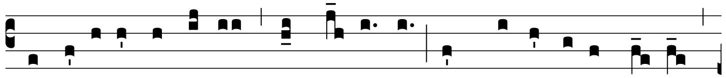
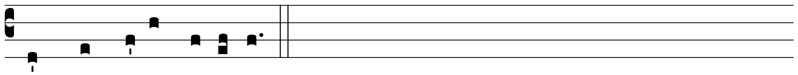
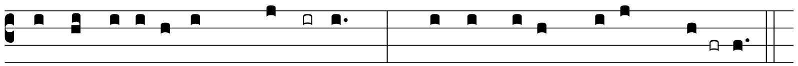


S Pe-ci-ósa facta es * et su-á-vis in de-lí-ci-is tu-is,



sancta De-i Génitrix



Lauda, Jerú*sa-lem*, **Dó**minum: * lauda De-*um tu-um*, **Si-** on.
Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem: praise thy God, O Sion.

2. Quóniam confortávit seras portá*rum tu***á**rum: * benedíxit fíli*is tuis* **in** te.
3. Qui pósuit fines *tuos* **pa**cem: * et ádipe fruménti *sátiat* te.
4. Qui emíttit elóquium *suum* **ter**ræ: * velóciter cur*rit sermo* **e**jus.
5. Qui dat nivem *sicut* **la**nam: * nébulam sicut *cínerem* **spar**git.
6. Mittit crystállum suam si*cut buc***cél**las: * ante fáciem frígoris ejus *quis sustiné*bit?
7. Emíttet verbum suum, et liquefá*ciet* **e**a: * flabit spíritus ejus, *et fluent* **a**quæ.
8. Qui annúntiat verbum *suum* **Ja**cob: * justítias, et judíci*a sua* **Is**raël.

Because he hath strengthened the bolts of thy gates, he hath blessed thy children within thee.
Who hath placed peace in thy borders: and filleth thee with the fat of corn.
Who sendeth forth his speech to the earth: his word runneth swiftly.
Who giveth snow like wool: scattereth mists like ashes.
He sendeth his crystal like morsels: who shall stand before the face of his cold?
He shall send out his word, and

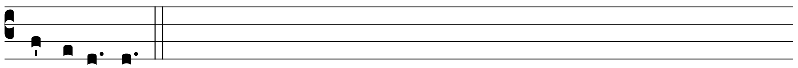
Orémus.
Grátiam tuam, quæsumus Dómine, méntibus nostris infúnde : † ut qui, Angelo nuntiánte, Christi Fílii tui Incarnatiónem cognóvimus, * per passiónem ejus et crucem ad resurrectiónis glóriam perducámur. Per éumdem Christum Dóminum nostrum. ℟. Amen.
℣. Divínum auxílium máneat semper nobíscum. ℟. Amen.

And she conceived by the Holy Spirit.
Let us pray.
Pour forth, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the incarnation of Christ thy Son was made known by the message of an angel, may by his Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of his resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.
May the divine assistance remain always with us. Amen.

From the 24th December to 1st February :

℣. Post partum Virgo invioláta permansísti.
℟. Dei Génitrix, intercéde pro nobis.
Orémus.
Deus, qui salutis aetérnae, beátae Maríae virginitáte fecúnda, humáno géneri prǽmia praestitísti : † tríbue, quǽsumus; ut ipsam pro nobis intercédere sentiámus, * per quam merúimus auctórem vitae suscípere, Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum Fílium tuum. ℟. Amen
℣. Divínum auxílium máneat semper nobíscum. ℟. Amen.

After childbirth, O Virgin, thou didst remain inviolate.
O Mother of God, plead for us.
Let us pray.
O God, Who by the fruitful virginity of blessed Mary, hast given to mankind the rewards of eternal salvation: grant, we beseech You, that we may experience her intercession for us, by whom we deserved to receive the Author of life, our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son. Amen.
May the divine assistance remain always with us. Amen.



mi-seré-re.

Simple tone:

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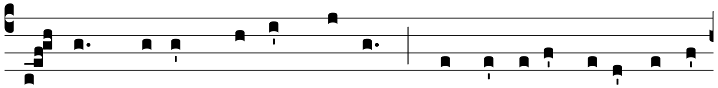
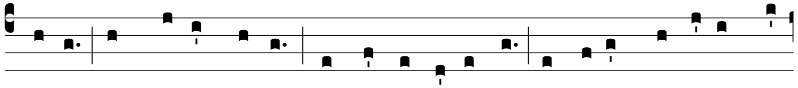
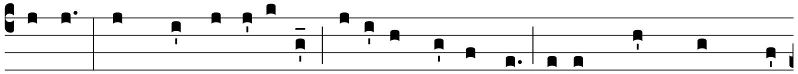


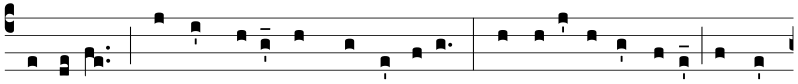
AL-ma * Redemptó-ris Ma-ter, quæ pérvi- a caeli porta



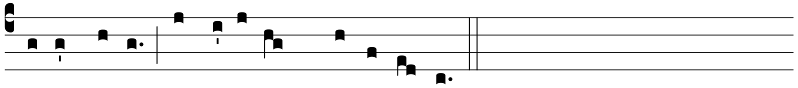
manes, Et stella ma-ris, succúrre cadénti súrgere qui curat pó-



pu-lo: Tu quæ genu-ísti, natúra mi-ránte, tu-um san-ctum Ge-



ni-tórem: Virgo pri-us ac posté-ri-us, Gabri-é-lis ab ore sumens



illud Ave, peccatórum mi-se-ré-re.

Loving Mother of our Saviour, hear thou thy people's cry
Star of the deep and Portal of the sky!
Mother of Him who thee made from nothing made.
Sinking we strive and call to thee for aid:
Oh, by what joy which Gabriel brought to thee,
Thou Virgin first and last, let us thy mercy see.

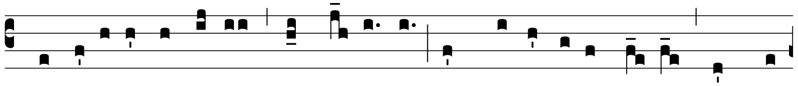
In Advent :

℣. Angelus Dómini nuntiávit Maríae.
℟. Et concépit de Spíritu Sancto.

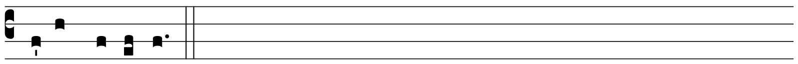
The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.

9. Non fecit táliter omni *nati***ó**ni: * et judícia sua non mani*festávit* **e**is.
10. Glória Pa*tri*, *et* **Fí**lio, * et Spi*rítui* **Sanc**to.
11. Sicut erat in princípio, et *nunc*, *et* **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæ*culórum*. **A**men.

shall melt them: his wind shall blow, and the waters shall run. Who declareth his word to Jacob: his justices and his judgments to Israel. He hath not done in like manner to every nation: and his judgments he hath not made manifest to them. Alleluia. Glory be ...



Spe-ci-ósa facta es * et su- á-vis in de-lí-ci- is tu- is, sancta



De-i Génitrix

2.2 Advent Psalmody

First Psalm - Psalm 109

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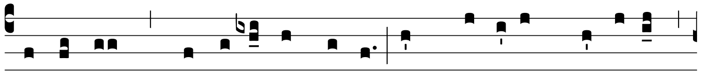
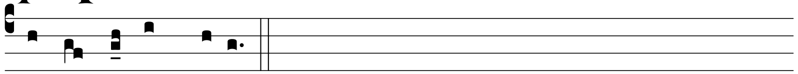
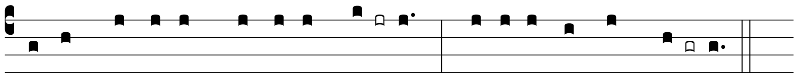


MIssus est * Gábri- el Ange-lus ad Ma-rí-am Vírginem

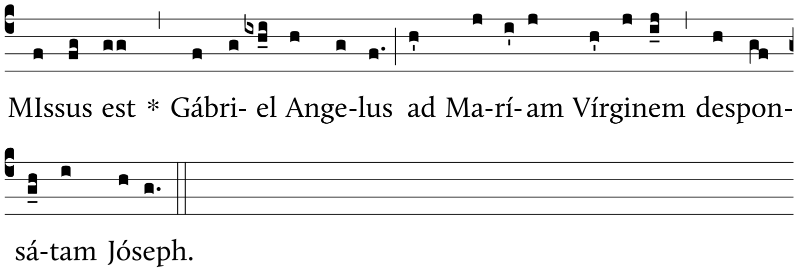


desponsá-tam Jóseph.

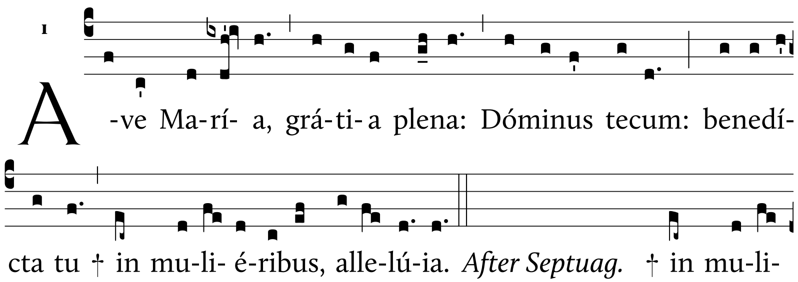


Di-xit Dóminus Dómino **me-** o: * Sede a *dextris* **me-** is:

2. Donec ponam inimícos **tu**os, * scabéllum pe*dum tu***ó**rum.
3. Virgam virtútis tuæ emíttet Dóminus ex **Si**on: * domináre in médio inimicó*rum tu***ó**rum.
4. Tecum princípium in die virtútis tuæ in splendóribus sanc**tó**rum: * ex útero ante lucíferum *génu***i** te.
5. Jurávit Dóminus, et non pœnitébit **e**um: * Tu es sacérdos in ætérnum secúndum órdi*nem Mel***chí**sedech.
6. Dóminus a dextris **tu**is, * confrégit in die iræ *suæ* **re**ges.
7. Judicábit in natiónibus, implébit ru**í**nas: * conquassábit cápita in ter*ra mul***tó**rum.
8. De torrénte in via **bi**bet: * proptérea exal*tábit* **ca**put.
9. Glória Patri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.
10. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcu*lórum*. **A**men.



Second Psalm - Psalm 112



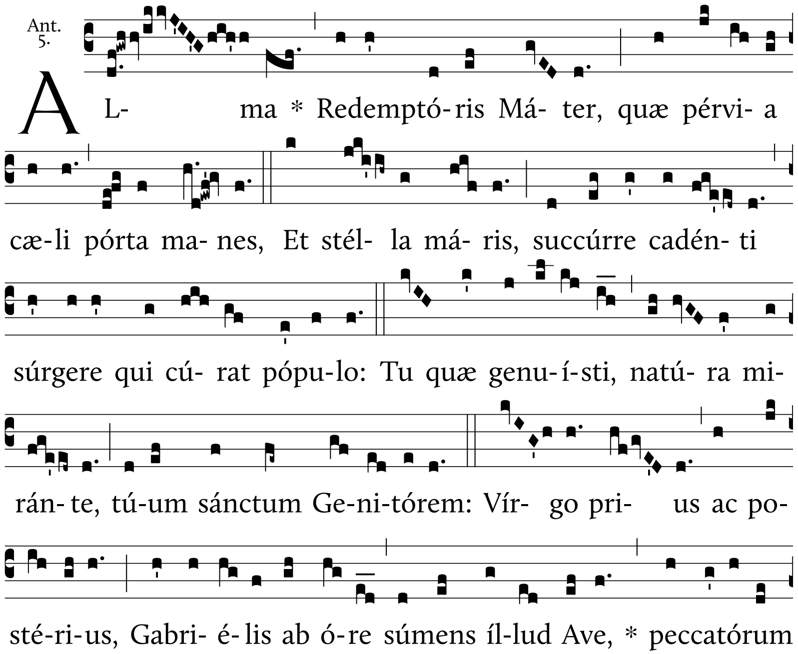
Chapter 7

Marian Antiphon

It is commendable to finish a public recitation of the Little Office with appropriate Marian Antiphon.

7.1 Advent and Christmas

Solemn tone:



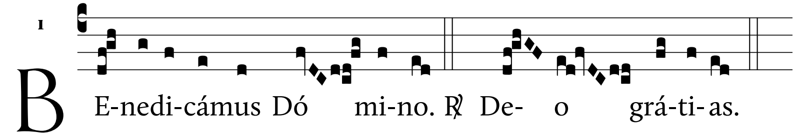
qui vere eam Genitricem Dei credimus, ejus apud te intercessionibus adjuvemur. Per eúndem Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǽcula sæculórum.
℟. Amen.

6.3 Collect for Christmas

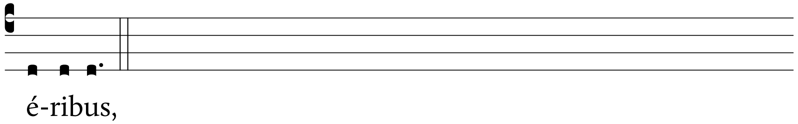
Deus, qui salútis ætérnæ, beátæ Maríæ virginitáte fecúnda, humáno géneri prǽmia præstitísti: tríbue, quǽsumus; ut ipsam pro nobis intercédere sentiámus, per quam merúimus auctórem vitæ suscípere, Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum Fílium tuum: Qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǽcula sæculórum.
℟. Amen.

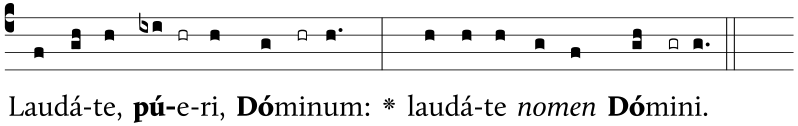
6.4 Conclusio

V. Dómine, exáudi oratiónem meam.
R. Et clamor meus ad te véniat.



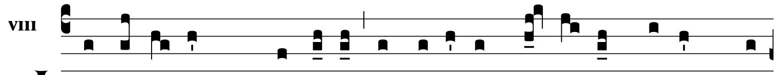
V. Fidélium ánimæ per misericórdiam Dei requiéscant in pace.
R. Amen.



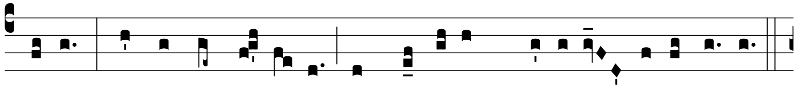


2. Sit nomen Dómini **be**ne**díc**tum, * ex hoc nunc, et us*que in* **sǽ**culum.
3. A solis ortu usque **ad** oc**cá**sum, * laudábile *nomen* **Dó**mini.
4. Excélsus super omnes **gen**tes **Dó**minus, * et super cælos gló*ria* **e**jus.
5. Quis sicut Dóminus, Deus noster, qui in **al**tis **há**bitat, * et humília réspicit in cælo *et in* **ter**ra?
6. Súscitans a **ter**ra **ín**opem, * et de stércore é*rigens* **páu**perem:
7. Ut cóllocet eum **cum** prin**cí**pibus, * cum princípibus pó*puli* **su**i.
8. Qui habitáre facit stéri**lem** in **do**mo, * matrem filió*rum læ***tán**tem.
9. Glória **Pa**tri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.
10. Sicut erat in princípio, et **nunc**, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcu*lórum*. **A**men.

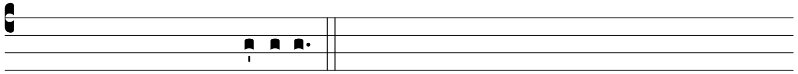
Third Psalm - Psalm 121



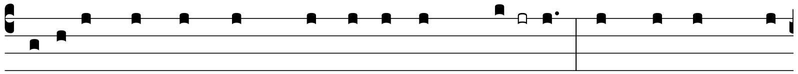
N E tíme- as * Ma-rí- a, invenísti grá- ti- am apud Dó-



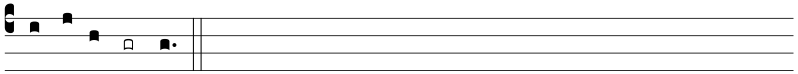
minum: ecce concí- pi- es, et pá-ri- es † fí-li- um, alle-lú-ia.



After Septuag. † fí-li-um,



Lætátus sum in his, quæ dicta sunt **mi-** hi: * In domum Dó-



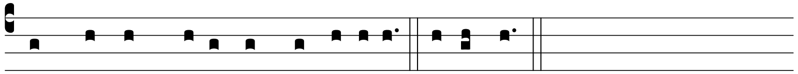
mi-ni **í-**bimus.

2. Stantes erant pedes **nos**tri, * in átriis tu*is*, *Je***rú**salem.
3. Jerúsalem, quæ ædificátur ut **cí**vitas: * cujus participátio ejus *in idí***ip**sum.
4. Illuc enim ascendérunt tribus, tribus **Dó**mini: * testimónium Israël ad confiténdum nó*mini* **Dó**mini.
5. Quia illic sedérunt sedes in ju**dí**cio, * sedes super *domum* **Da**vid.
6. Rogáte quæ ad pacem sunt Je**rú**salem: * et abundántia dili*génti***bus** te:
7. Fiat pax in virtúte **tu**a: * et abundántia in túr*ribus* **tu**is.
8. Propter fratres meos, et próximos **me**os, * loquébar *pacem* **de** te:
9. Propter domum Dómini, Dei **nos**tri, * quæsívi *bona* **ti**bi.
10. Glória Patri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.

Chapter 6

Oratio

Dómine exáudi ora-ti-ónem me- am.
O Lord, hear my prayer.



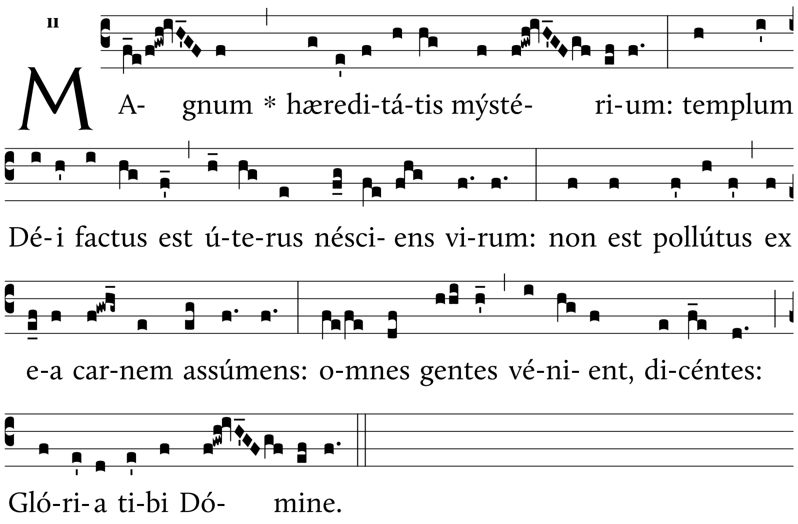
℟Et clamor me-us ad te véni- at. Orémus
And let my cry come unto Thee. Let us pray.

6.1 Collect Per Annum

Concéde nos fámulos tuos, quæsumus, Dómine Deus, perpétua mentis et córporis sanitáte gaudére: et, gloriósa beátæ Maríæ semper Vírginis intercessióne, a præsénti liberári tristítia, et ætérna pérfrui lætítia. Per Dóminum nostrum Jesum Christum, Fílium tuum: qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitáte Spíritus Sancti Deus, per ómnia sæcula sæculórum.
R. Amen.

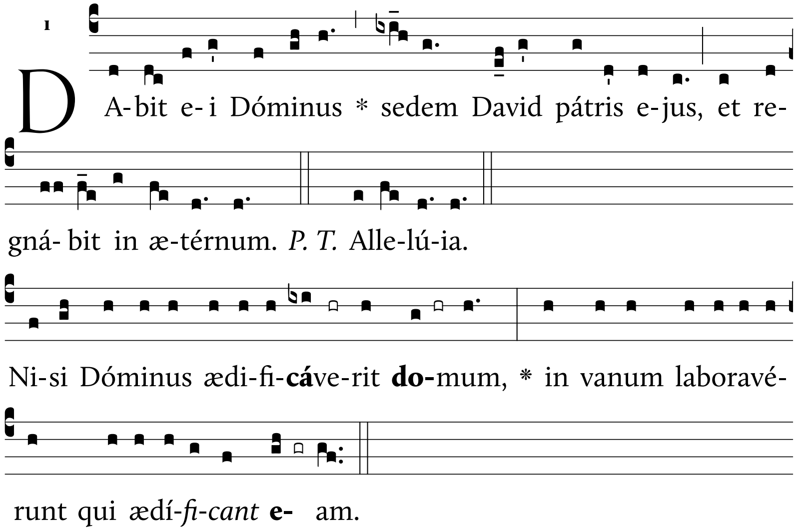
6.2 Collect for Advent

Deus, qui de beátae Maríae Vírginis útero Verbum tuum, Angelo nuntiante, carnem suscipere voluisti: praesta supplicibus tuis; ut,



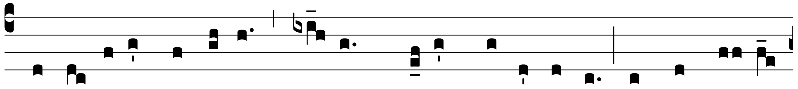
11. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et **sem**per, * et in sæcula sæcul*órum*. **A**men.

Fourth Psalm - Psalm 126

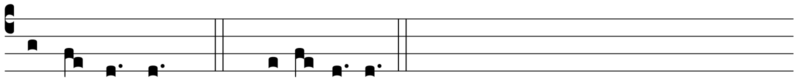


2. Nisi Dóminus custodíerit **ci**vi**tá**tem, * frustra vígilat qui cus*tódit* **e**am.

3. Vanum est vobis ante **lu**cem **súr**gere: * súrgite postquam sedéritis, qui manducátis pa*nem do***ló**ris.
4. Cum déderit diléctis **su**is **som**num: * ecce heréditas Dómini fílii: merces, *fructus* **ven**tris.
5. Sicut sagíttæ in **ma**nu pot**én**tis: * ita fílii *excus***só**rum.
6. Beátus vir qui implévit desidérium **su**um ex **ip**sis: * non confundétur cum loquétur inimícis su*is in* **por**ta.
7. Glória **Pa**tri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.
8. Sicut erat in princípio, et **nunc**, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcu*lórum*. **A**men.

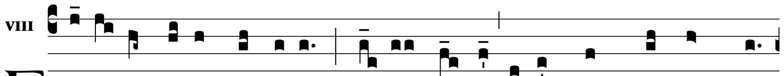


DA-bit e-i Dóminus * sedem David pátris e-jus, et regná- bit

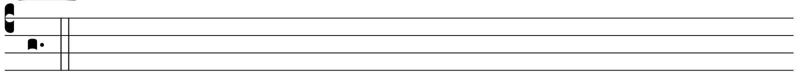


in æ-térnum. *P. T.* Alle-lú-ia.

Fifth Psalm - Psalm 147



ECce ancílla Dómini : * fi- at mí-hi secúndum verbum tu-



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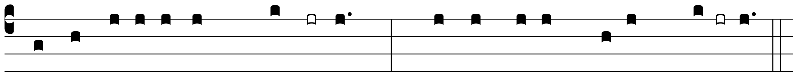
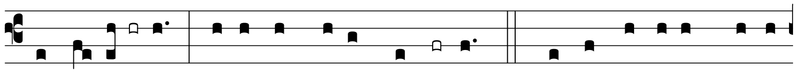
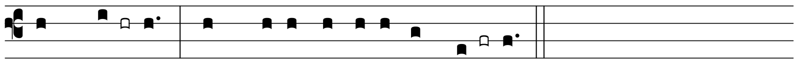


Lauda, Jerúsa-lem, **Dó**minum: * lauda De-um *tu-um*, **Si-** on.

2. Quóniam confortávit seras portárum tu**á**rum: * benedíxit fíliis *tuis* **in** te.



Magní-fi- cat * ánima me-*a* **Dó**minum. 2. Et exsultávit spí-ri-



tus **me-** us * in De-o sa-lutá-*ri* **me-** o.

3. Quia respéxit humilitátem *ancíllæ* **su**æ: * ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes genera*ti***ó**nes.

4. Quia fecit mihi *magna qui* **pot**ens est: * et sanctum no*men* **e**jus.

5. Et misericórdia ejus a progéni*e in pro***gé**nies * timénti*bus* **e**um.

6. Fecit poténtiam in *bráchio* **su**o: * dispérsit supérbos mente cor*dis* **su**i.

7. Depósuit pot*éntes de* **se**de, * et exaltá*vit* **hú**miles.

8. Esuriéntes *implévit* **bo**nis: * et dívites dimísit *in***á**nes.

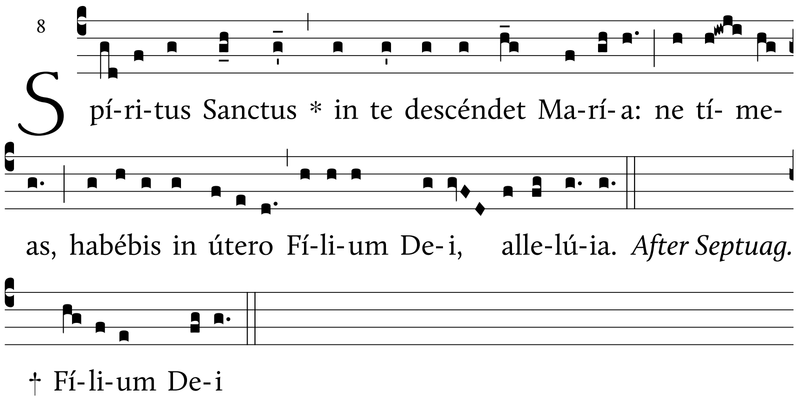
9. Suscépit Israël *púerum* **su**um, * recordátus misericórdi*æ* **su**æ.

10. Sicut locútus est *ad patres* **nos**tros, * Abraham et sémini ejus *in* **sǽ**cula.

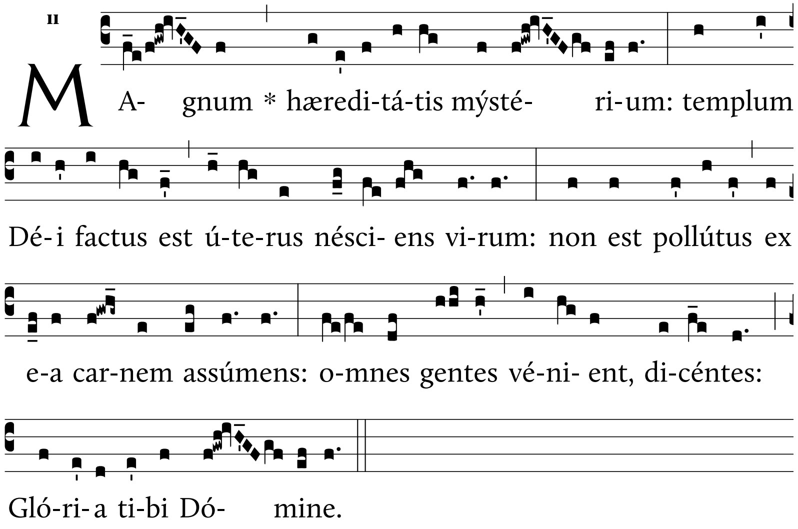
11. Glória *Patri*, *et* **Fí**lio, * et Spirítu*i* **Sanc**to.

12. Sicut erat in princípio, *et nunc*, *et* **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcul*órum*. **A**men.

12. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcu*lórum*. **A**men.



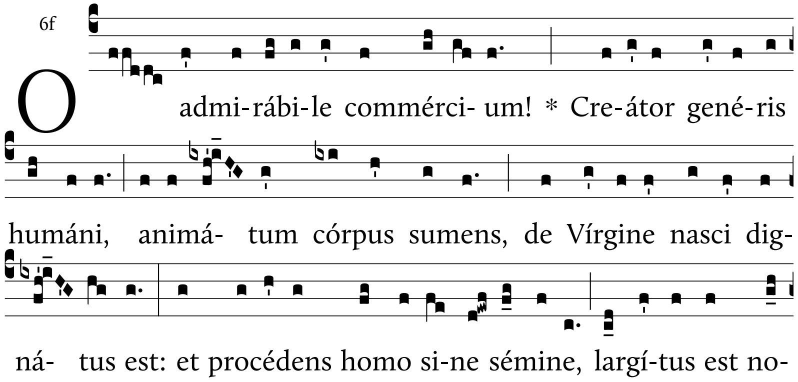
5.4 Christmas

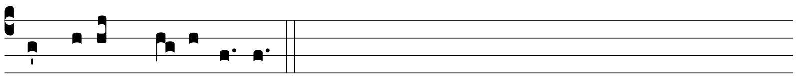


3. Qui pósuit fines tuos **pa**cem: * et ádipe fruménti *sáti***at** te.
4. Qui emíttit elóquium suum **ter**ræ: * velóciter currit *sermo* **e**jus.
5. Qui dat nivem sicut **la**nam: * nébulam sicut c*ínerem* **spar**git.
6. Mittit crystállum suam sicut buc**cél**las: * ante fáciem frígoris ejus quis *susti***né**bit?
7. Emíttet verbum suum, et liquefáciet **e**a: * flabit spíritus ejus, et *fluent* **a**quæ.
8. Qui annúntiat verbum suum **Ja**cob: * justítias, et judícia *sua* **Is**raël.
9. Non fecit táliter omni nati**ó**ni: * et judícia sua non manifes*távit* **e**is.
10. Glória Patri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.
11. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcu*lórum*. **A**men.

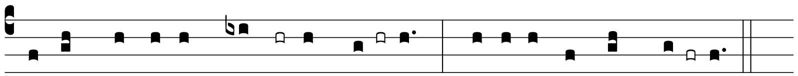
2.3 Christmastide Psalmody

First Psalm - Psalm 109



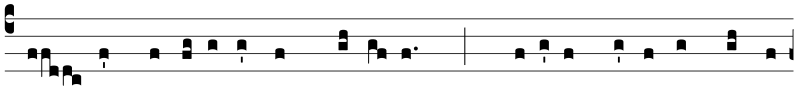


bis su-am de- i-tá-tem.

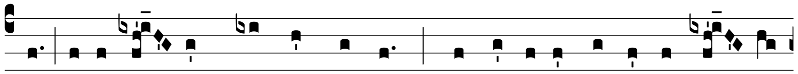


Di-xit Dóminus **Dó**mino **me-** o: * Sede a *dextris* **me-** is:

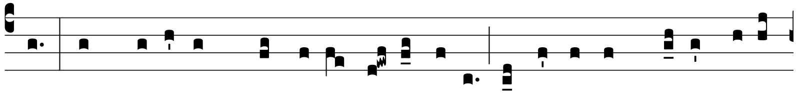
2. Donec ponam ini**mí**cos **tu**os, * scabéllum pe*dum tu***ó**rum.
3. Virgam virtútis tuæ emíttet Dómi**nus** ex **Si**on: * domináre in médio inimicó*rum tu***ó**rum.
4. Tecum princípium in die virtútis tuæ in splendóri**bus** sanc**tó**rum: * ex útero ante lucíferum *génu***i** te.
5. Jurávit Dóminus, et non pœni**té**bit **e**um: * Tu es sacérdos in ætérnum secúndum órdi*nem Mel***chí**sedech.
6. Dóminus a **dex**tris **tu**is, * confrégit in die iræ *suæ* **re**ges.
7. Judicábit in natiónibus, im**plé**bit ru**í**nas: * conquassábit cápita in ter*ra mul***tó**rum.
8. De torrénte in **vi**a **bi**bet: * proptérea exal*tábit* **ca**put.
9. Glória **Pa**tri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.
10. Sicut erat in princípio, et **nunc**, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcu*lórum*. **A**men.



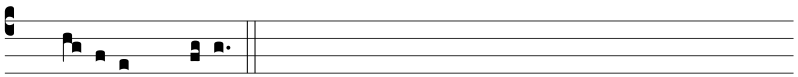
O admi-rábi-le commérci- um! * Cre-átor gené-ris humá-



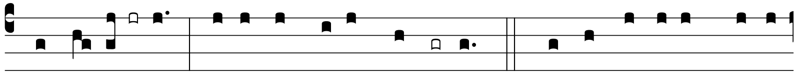
ni, animá- tum córpus sumens, de Vírgine nasci digná- tus



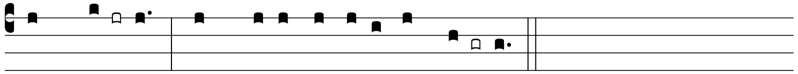
est: et procédens homo si-ne sémine, largí-tus est nobis su-am



† Fí-li-um De-i



Magní-fi- cat * ánima *me-a* **Dó**minum. 2. Et exsultávit spí-ri-



tus **me-** us * in De-o sa-lu*tá-ri* **me-** o.

3. Quia respéxit humilitátem ancíllæ **su**æ: * ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes gene*rati***ó**nes.
4. Quia fecit mihi magna qui **pot**ens est: * et sanctum *nomen* **e**jus.
5. Et misericórdia ejus a progénie in pro**gé**nies * timén*tibus* **e**um.
6. Fecit poténtiam in bráchio **su**o: * dispérsit supérbos mente *cordis* **su**i.
7. Depósuit poténtes de **se**de, * et exal*távit* **hú**miles.
8. Esuriéntes implévit **bo**nis: * et dívites dimí*sit in***á**nes.
9. Suscépit Israël púerum **su**um, * recordátus misericór*diæ* **su**æ.
10. Sicut locútus est ad patres **nos**tros, * Abraham et sémini *ejus in* **sǽ**cula.
11. Glória Patri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.

8. Esuriéntes *implévit* **bo**nis: * et dívites dimí*sit in***á**nes.

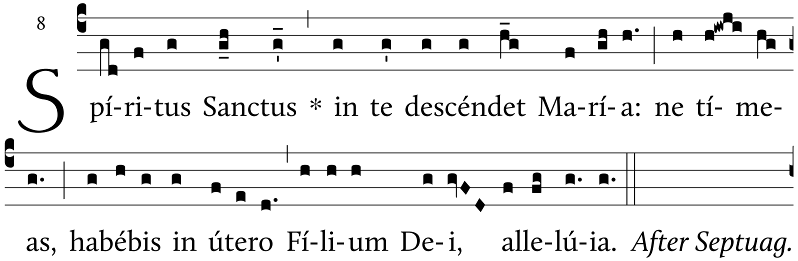
9. Suscépit Israël *púerum* **su**um, * recordátus misericór*diæ* **su**æ.

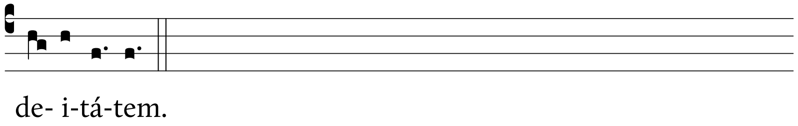
10. Sicut locútus est *ad patres* **nos**tros, * Abraham et sémini e*jus in* **sǽcu**la.

11. Glória *Patri, et* **Fíli**o, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.

12. Sicut erat in princípio, *et nunc*, *et* **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcu*lórum*. **A**men.

5.3 Advent





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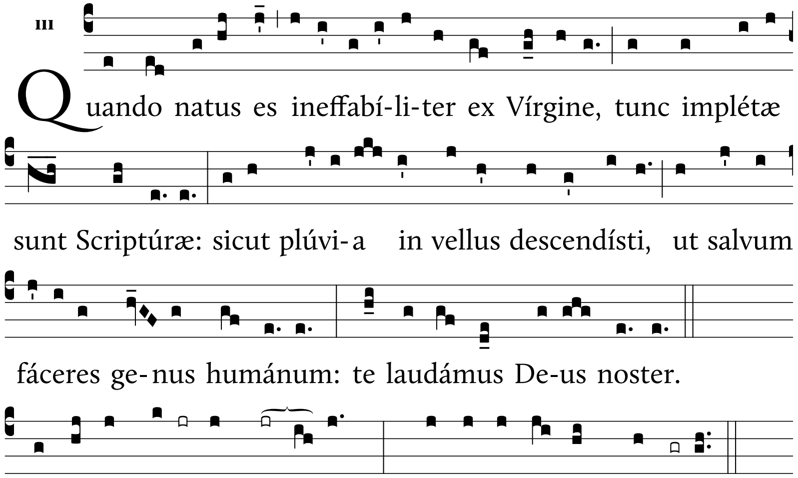
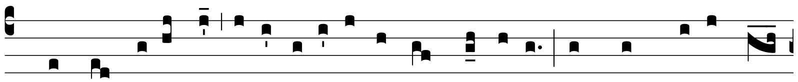
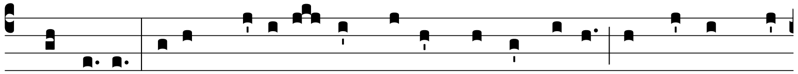


Laudá-te, **pú-**e-ri, **Dómi**num: * laudá-te *nomen* **Dó**mini.
2. Sit nomen Dómini **be**ne**díc**tum, * ex hoc nunc, et us*que in* **sǽ**culum.
3. A solis ortu usque **ad** oc**cá**sum, * laudábile *nomen* **Dó**mini.
4. Excélsus super omnes **gen**tes **Dómi**nus, * et super cælos gló*ria* **e**jus.
5. Quis sicut Dóminus, Deus noster, qui in **al**tis **hábi**tat, * et humília réspicit in cælo *et in* **ter**ra?
6. Súscitans a **ter**ra **íno**pem, * et de stércore *érigens* **páu**perem:
7. Ut cóllocet eum **cum** prin**cípi**bus, * cum princípibus pó*puli* **su**i.
8. Qui habitáre facit stéri**lem** in **do**mo, * matrem filió*rum læ***tán**tem.
9. Glória **Pa**tri, et **Fíli**o, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.

10. Sicut erat in princípio, et **nunc**, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcul*órum*. **A**men.



Quando natus es ineffabí-li-ter ex Vírgine, tunc implétæ sunt



Scriptúræ: sicut plúvi-a in vellus descendísti, ut salvum fá-

ceres ge-nus humánum: te laudámus De-us noster.

Third Psalm - Psalm 121

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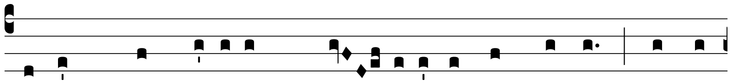
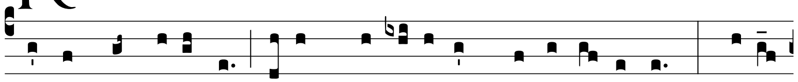
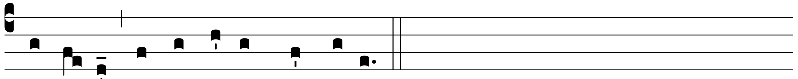


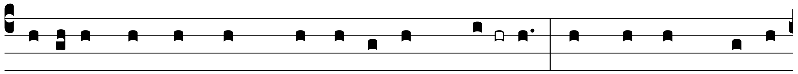
RUbum quem víderat * Mó- yses incombústum, conser-



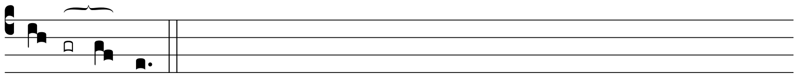
vá-tam agnóvimus tu-am laudábi-lem virgi-ni-tá-tem: De-i



Gé-nitrix, intercéde pro nobis.



Lætátus sum in his, quæ dic*ta sunt* **mi-** hi: * In domum *Dómi-*



ni **í-bi**mus.

5.2 Paschaltide.

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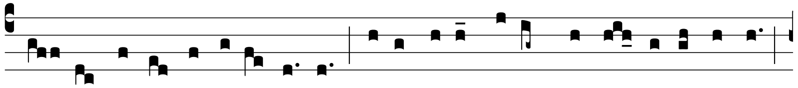
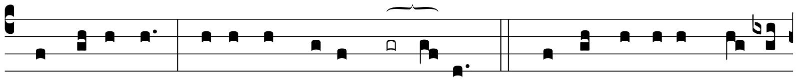
REgina cae- li laetá-re, alle-lú-ia.: qui- a quem me-ru-

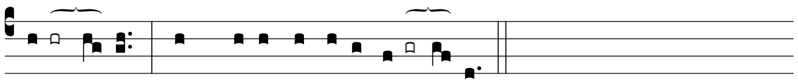


í- sti portá-re, alle-lú-ia.: resurréxit sicut di-xit, alle-lú-ia:

o- ra pro no-bis De-um, alle-lú-ia.:



Magní-fi-cat * ánima *me-a* **Dómi**num. 2. Et exsultávit *spí- ri-*



tus **me-**us * in De-o sa-lu*tá-ri* **me-**o.

3. Quia respéxit humilitátem *ancíllæ* **su**æ: * ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes gener*atió*nes.

4. Quia fecit mihi *magna qui* **potens** est: * et sanctum *nomen* **e**jus.

5. Et misericórdia ejus a progéni*e in pro***géni**es * timén*tibus* **e**um.

6. Fecit poténtiam in *bráchio* **su**o: * dispérsit supérbos mente *cordis* **su**i.

7. Depósuit pot*éntes de* **se**de, * et exal*távit* **húmi**les.

4. Quia fecit mihi *magna qui* **pot**ens est: * et sanctum no*men* **e**jus.

5. Et misericórdia ejus a progéni*e in pro***gé**nies * timénti*bus* **e**um.

6. Fecit poténtiam in *bráchio* **su**o: * dispérsit supérbos mente cor*dis* **su**i.

7. Depósuit pot*éntes de* **se**de, * et exaltá*vit* **hú**miles.

8. Esuriéntes *implévit* **bo**nis: * et dívites dimísit *in***á**nes.

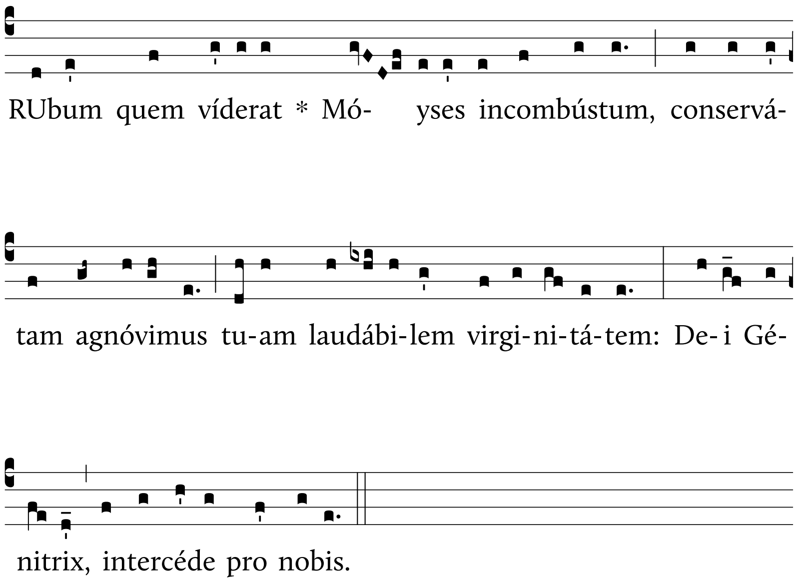
9. Suscépit Israël *púerum* **su**um, * recordátus misericórdiæ **su**æ.

10. Sicut locútus est *ad patres* **nos**tros, * Abraham et sémini ejus *in* **sǽ**cula.

11. Glória *Patri*, *et* **Fí**lio, * et Spirítu*i* **Sanc**to.

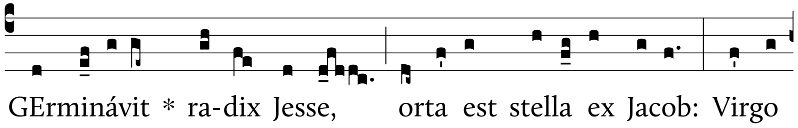
12. Sicut erat in princípio, *et nunc*, *et* **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcul*órum*. **A**men.

2. Stantes erant *pedes* **nos**tri, * in átriis *tuis*, *Je***rúsa**lem.
3. Jerúsalem, quæ ædificá*tur ut* **cí**vitas: * cujus participátio e*jus in* *id***íp**sum.
4. Illuc enim ascendérunt tribus, *tribus* **Dó**mini: * testimónium Israël ad confiténdum *nómini* **Dómi**ni.
5. Quia illic sedérunt sedes *in ju***dí**cio, * sedes su*per domum* **Da**vid.
6. Rogáte quæ ad pacem *sunt Je***rú**salem: * et abundántia di*ligénti***bus** te:
7. Fiat pax in vir*túte* **tu**a: * et abundántia in *túrribus* **tu**is.
8. Propter fratres meos, et pró*ximos* **me**os, * loqué*bar pacem* **de** te:
9. Propter domum Dómini, *Dei* **nos**tri, * quæsí*vi bona* **ti**bi.
10. Glória Pa*tri*, *et* **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.
11. Sicut erat in princípio, et *nunc*, *et* **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæ*culórum*. **A**men.



Fourth Psalm - 126

2. Nisi Dóminus custodíerit **ci**vi**tá**tem, * frustra vígilat qui cus*tódit* **e**am.
3. Vanum est vobis ante **lu**cem **súr**gere: * súrgite postquam sedéritis, qui manducátis pa*nem do***ló**ris.
4. Cum déderit diléctis **su**is **som**num: * ecce heréditas Dómini fílii: merces, *fructus* **ven**tris.
5. Sicut sagíttæ in **ma**nu po**tén**tis: * ita fílii *excus***só**rum.
6. Beátus vir qui implévit desidérium **su**um ex **ip**sis: * non confundétur cum loquétur inimícis su*is in* **por**ta.
7. Glória **Pa**tri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirí*tui* **Sanc**to.
8. Sicut erat in princípio, et **nunc**, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæcu*lórum*. **A**men.



Chapter 5

Magnificat

5.1 Per Annum.

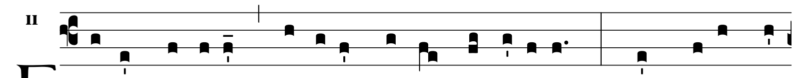
3. Quia respéxit humilitátem *ancíllæ* **su**æ: * ecce enim ex hoc beátam me dicent omnes genera*ti***ó**nes.

4.1 Versicle

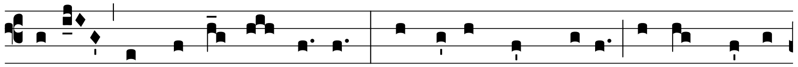
℣. Diffúsa est grátia in lábiis tuis.	Grace was diffused on thy lips.
℟. Proptérea benedíxit te Deus in aetérnum.	Therefore God has blessed thee forever.

pépe-rit Salvató- rem: te laudámus, De-us noster.

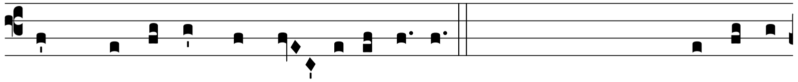
Fifth Psalm - Psalm 147



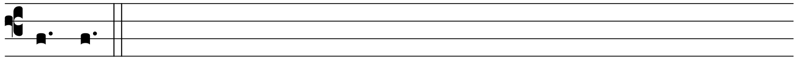
ECce Ma-rí-a * génu-it no-bis Salvatórem, quem Jo-ánnes



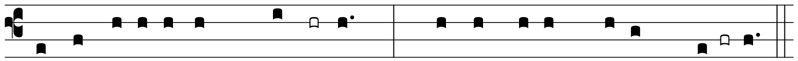
videns exclamá-vit, di-cens: Ecce Agnus De-i, ecce qui tol-



lit † peccá-ta mundi, alle-lú-ia. *After Septuag.* † peccá-ta



mundi.



Lauda, Jerúsa-lem, **Dó**minum: * lauda De-um tu-*um*, **Si-** on.
2. Quóniam confortávit seras portárum tu**á**rum: * benedíxit fíliis tu*is* **in** te.
3. Qui pósuit fines tuos **pa**cem: * et ádipe fruménti sá*ti***at** te.
4. Qui emíttit elóquium suum **ter**ræ: * velóciter currit ser*mo* **e**jus.
5. Qui dat nivem sicut **la**nam: * nébulam sicut cín*erem* **spar**git.
6. Mittit crystállum suam sicut buc**cél**las: * ante fáciem frígoris ejus quis sus*ti***né**bit?

7. Emíttet verbum suum, et liquefáciet **e**a: * flabit spíritus ejus, et flu*ent* **a**quæ.
8. Qui annúntiat verbum suum **Ja**cob: * justítias, et judícia su*a* **Is**raël.
9. Non fecit táliter omni nati**ó**ni: * et judícia sua non manifestá*vit* **e**is.
10. Glória Patri, et **Fí**lio, * et Spirítu*i* **Sanc**to.
11. Sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et **sem**per, * et in sǽcula sæculó*rum*. **A**men.

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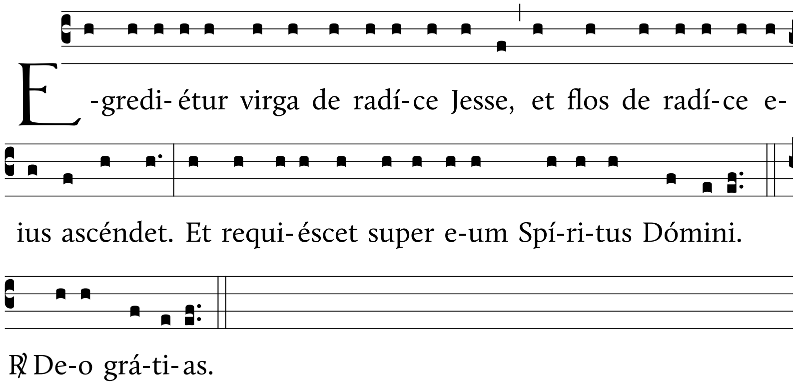
The Famous Tune

Chapter 3

Little Chapter

Outside Advent:

or, during Advent:



Chapter 4

Hymn

The Little Office Tune

Officium Parvum Tune (simplest)

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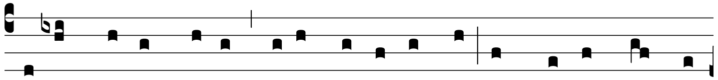
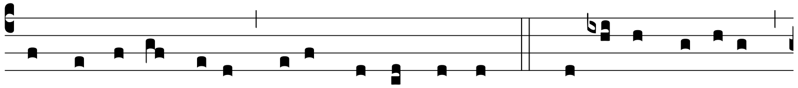
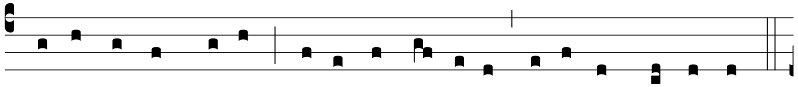


A-ve, ma-ris stella, De-i Ma-ter alma, Atque semper Vir-

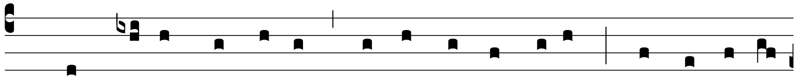
go, Fe-lix caeli porta. 2. Sumens illud Ave Gabri- e-lis ore,



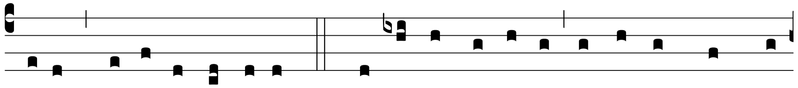
Funda nos in pace, Mutans Evae nomen. 3. Solve vincla re-is,



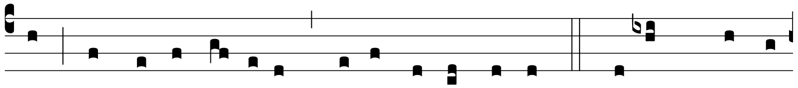
Pro-fer lumen caecis, Ma-la nostra pelle, Bona cuncta posce



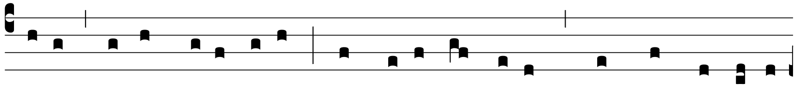
4. Monstra *te* esse matrem, Sumat per te preces, Qui pro no-bis



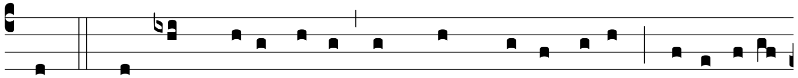
natus Tu-lit esse tu-us. 5. Virgo singu-la-ris, Inter omnes mi-



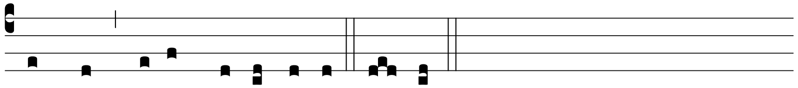
tis, Nos culpis so-lutos, Mi-tes fac et castos. 6. Vi-tam praesta



puram, I-ter para tutum, Ut videntes Jesum, Semper collaete-



mur. 7. Sit laus De-o Patri, Summo Christo decus Spi-ri-tu-i



Sancto, Tribus honor unus. A-men.

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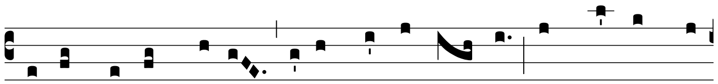
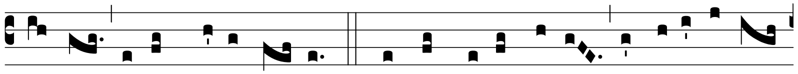
Alter Tonus

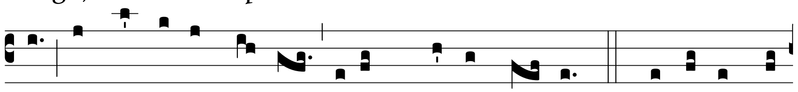
VII



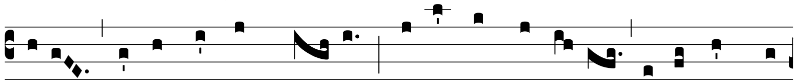
A-ve ma-ris stella, De-i Ma-ter al-ma, Atque semper



Virgo, Fe-lix caeli por-ta. 2. Sumens illud Ave Gabri-e-lis o-



re, Funda nos in pa-ce, Mutans Hevae no-men. 3. Solve vincla



re-is, Pro-fer lumen cae- cis Ma-la nostra pelle, Bona cuncta