

## EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY

### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (*Year A*)

*Sitientes*

*Cf. Is 55: 1 · GR ○*

II

**A** LL who are thirst- y, come to the waters, says the

Lord. Though you have no mon- ey, come and drink with joy.

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Psalm 78 (77): 1, 2, 3, 4ab, 4cd, 5ab

1. Give ear, my people, to my **teaching**; \*  
incline your ear to the words of *my* **mouth**.
2. I will open my mouth in a **parable** \*  
and utter hidden lessons of *the* **past**.
3. The things we have heard and **understood**, \*  
the things our fathers *have* **told** us.
4. These we will not hide from their **children** \*  
but will tell them to the next *generation*.
5. The glories of the LORD and his **might**, \*  
and the marvelous deeds he *has* **done**.
6. He established a decree in **Jacob**; \*  
in Israel he set up *a* **law**.

7. Glory be to the Father, and to the **Son**, \*  
and to the **Holy Spirit**.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall **be**, \*  
world without end. *Amen*.

*Or: (Years ABC)*

*Ps 70 (69): 2 · RM ○ ● \**

VII  
O

God, come to my as- sistance; O Lord, make haste  
to help me! You are my res- cu- er, my help; O Lord,  
do not de- lay.

**Psalm 70 (69): 3ab, 3cd, 4, 5ab, 5cd, 6ab**

1. Let there be shame *and confusion* \*  
on those who seek *my life*.
2. O let them turn back *in confusion*, \*  
who delight in *my harm*.
3. let them retreat, covered *with shame*, \*  
who jeer at me *and mock*.
4. O let there be rejoicing *and gladness* \*  
for all *who seek you*.
5. Let them say forever, "*God is great*," \*  
who love your *saving help*.
6. As for me, wretched *and poor*, \*  
hasten to me, *O God*.

7. Glory be to the Father, and *to the Son*, \*  
and to the Holy Spirit.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and *ever shall be*, \*  
world without end. *Amen*.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (*Year A*)

*Cf. Ps 145 (144): 16*

v  
T HE hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all  
our needs.

Psalm 145 (144): 10-11, 15-16, 17-18

1. All your works shall thank you, *O LORD*, \*  
and all your *faithful ones* bless you.  
They shall speak of the glory of *your reign*, \*  
and declare your *mighty deeds*,
2. The eyes of all look *to you*, \*  
and you give them their food *in due season*.  
You open your hand *and satisfy* \*  
the desire of every *living thing*.
3. The LORD is just in all *his ways*, \*  
and holy in *all his deeds*.  
The LORD is close to all *who call him*, \*  
who call on *him in truth*.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (*Year B*)

*Ps 78 (77): 24b*

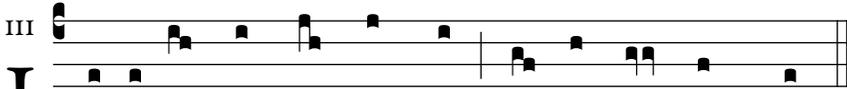
v  
T HE Lord gave them bread from heaven.

Psalm 78 (77): 3 and 4bcd, 23-24, 25 and 54

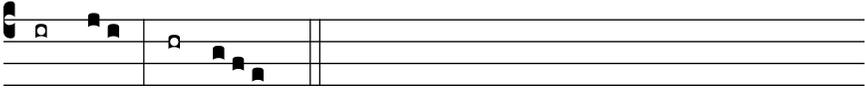
1. The things we have heard and understood, †  
the things our fathers *have told* us, \*  
we will tell to the next *generation*:  
The glories of the LORD and *his might*, \*  
and the marvelous deeds *he has done*.
2. He commanded the clouds *above*, \*  
and opened the *gates of heaven*.  
He rained down manna *to eat*, \*  
and gave them *bread from heaven*.
3. Man ate the bread *of angels*. \*  
He sent them *abundance of food*;  
So he brought them to his *holy land*, \*  
to the mountain his right *hand had won*.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (*Year C*)

*Ps 95 (94): 8*



**I** F to-day you hear his voice, hard-en not your hearts.



**Psalm 90 (89): 3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17**

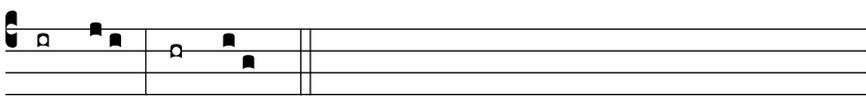
1. You turn man back to **dust**, \*  
and say, "Return, O children of **men**."  
To your eyes a thousand years †  
are like yesterday, come and **gone**, \*  
or like a watch in the **night**.
2. You sweep them away like a **dream**, \*  
like grass which is fresh in the **morning**.  
In the morning it sprouts and is **fresh**; \*  
by evening it withers and **fades**.
3. Then teach us to number our **days**, \*  
that we may gain wisdom of **heart**.  
Turn back, O LORD! How **long**? \*  
Show pity to your **servants**.
4. At dawn, fill us with your merciful **love**; \*  
we shall exult and rejoice all our **days**.  
Let the favor of the LORD our God be upon us; †  
give success to the work of our **hands**. \*  
O give success to the work of our **hands**.

ALLELUIA

III



**A** L- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu- ia.



*Years A & B:*                      **Matthew 4: 4b**

☩. One does not live on bread *alone*,\*  
but on every word that comes forth from the mouth *of God*.

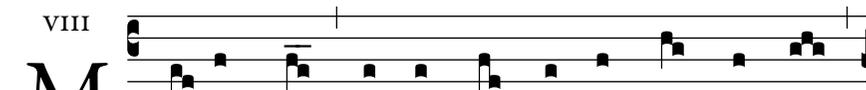
*Year C:*                              **Matthew 5: 3**

☩. Blessed are the poor *in spirit*,\*  
for theirs is the kingdom *of heaven*.

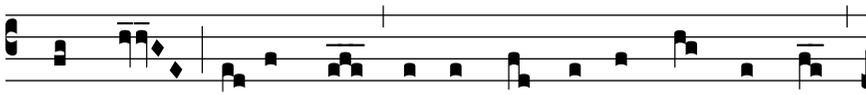
OFFERTORY ANTIPHON (*Years A & B*)

*Cf. Ex 32: 11, 12, 13, 14 · GR ○*

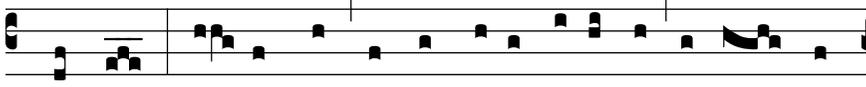
VIII



**M** O-ses prayed in the sight of the Lord his God,



and said;      Moses prayed in the sight of the Lord his God,



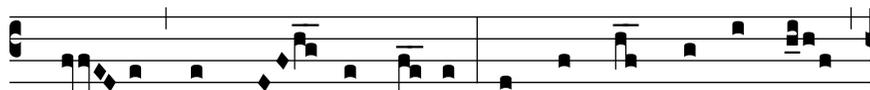
and said: Why, O Lord, is your anger enkindled against your



people? Let the anger of your spir-it cease. Be mindful of A-



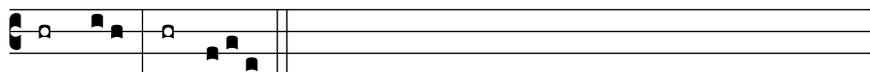
braham, I- saac, and Jacob, to whom you swore to give a land



flow- ing with milk and honey. And the Lord was appeased



from the e-vil which he said he would inflict upon his people.

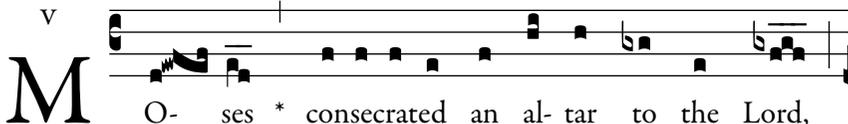


### Exodus 32: 33-35

1. The LORD answered, †  
"Him only who has sinned *against* me \*  
will I strike out *of my book*."
2. Now, go and lead the people whither I *have told* you. \*  
My angel will *go before* you.
3. When it is time for me *to punish*, \*  
I will punish them *for their sin*."

Or: (Year C)

Cf. Ex 24: 4, 5



present- ing up- on it hol- ocausts and sac- ri- fi- cial victims.

He made the evening sac-rifice as a fragrant of-fering to  
the Lord God, in the sight of the sons of Is- ra-el.

Cf. Exodus 34: 4-5

1. The Lord spoke to Moses, saying: †  
Come up to me on *Mount Sinai*, \*  
and stand upon *its top*.
2. Moses arose and went up into *the mountain*, \*  
where God had *appointed him*,  
and the Lord descended upon him in *a cloud*, \*  
and *stood before* him.
3. Moses saw, and fell down before *him*, saying: \*  
I beseech you, O Lord, forgive the sins *of your people*.  
And the Lord said *to him*: \*  
Thus shall I do, according *to your word*.

Or: (Seasonal)

De profundis

Ps 130 (129): 1, 2 · GR ○ ● \*

II

UT of the depths I cry to you, O Lord;

Lord, hear my voice! Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord.

Psalm 130 (129): 2bc, 3-4, 5-6ab, 6c-8

1. O let your ears be attentive \*  
to the sound of *my* pleadings.
2. If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, \*  
LORD, who *could* stand?  
But with you is found forgiveness, \*  
that you may be *revered*.
3. I long for you, O LORD, \*  
my soul longs for *his* word.  
My soul hopes in the LORD \*  
more than watchmen *for* daybreak.
4. More than watchmen for daybreak, \*  
let Israel hope for *the* LORD.  
For with the LORD there is mercy, \*  
in him is plentiful *redemption*.  
It is he who will redeem Israel \*  
from all its *iniquities*.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Wis 16: 20 · GR ○ ● \*

V  
Y OU have giv-en us, O Lord, bread from heav-en,  
endowed with all delights and sweetness in ev-ery taste.

Psalm 78 (77): 1-2, 3-4, 23-24, 25, 27-28, 29

1. Give ear, my people, to *my* teaching; \*  
incline your ear to the words *of my* mouth.  
I will open my mouth in *a* parable \*  
and utter hidden lessons *of the* past.
2. The things we have heard and *understood*, \*  
the things our *fathers* have told us,  
these we will not hide from *their* children \*  
but will tell them to the next *generation*:  
the glories of the LORD and *his* might, \*  
and the marvelous deeds *he* has done.
3. Yet he commanded the clouds *above*, \*  
and opened the *gates* of heaven.  
He rained down manna *to eat*, \*  
and gave them *bread from* heaven.
4. Man ate the bread *of* angels. \*  
He sent them abundance *of* food;
5. He rained flesh upon them *like* dust, \*  
winged fowl like the sands *of the* sea.  
He let it fall in the midst of *their* camp, \*  
and all *around* their tents.

6. So they ate and had *their fill*, \*  
what they *craved*, *he gave* them.

7. Glory be to the Father, and to *the Son*, \*  
and to the *Holy Spirit*.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever *shall be*, \*  
world without *end*. *Amen*.

Or:

*Jn 6: 35 · RM ○ ● \**

VII

I am the bread of life, says the Lord; who-ev- er  
comes to me will not hunger and who-ev- er believes in me  
will not thirst.

Psalm 36 (35): 6, 7, 8, 9, 10

1. Your mercy, LORD, reaches *to heaven*, \*  
your truth to *the clouds*.
2. Your justice is like God's mountains; †  
like the great *deep*, *your justice*. \*  
Both man and beast you save, O LORD.
3. How precious is your mercy, O God! †  
The children of *men seek shelter* \*  
in the shadow of *your wings*.
4. They feast on the riches *of your house*; \*  
you give them drink from the stream of your *delight*.

5. For with you is the *fountain of life*, \*  
and in your light we *see light*.

6. Glory be to the Father, and *to the Son*, \*  
and to the *Holy Spirit*.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and *ever shall be*, \*  
world without end. *Amen*.