

# WEEKDAYS OF HOLY WEEK

— MONDAY —

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Ps 27 (26): 1a*

IV

HE Lord is my light and my sal-va-tion.

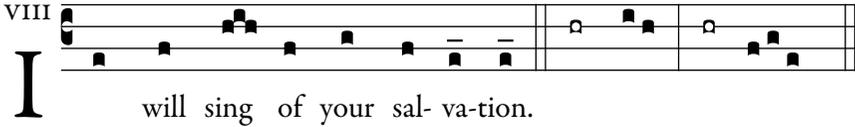
Psalm 27 (26): 1, 2, 3, 13-14

1. The LORD is my light and my salvation; \*  
whom *shall I fear*?  
The LORD is the stronghold of my life; \*  
whom *should I dread*?
2. When those who do evil draw near \*  
to *devour my flesh*,  
it is they, my enemies and foes, \*  
who *stumble and fall*.
3. Though an army encamp *against* me, \*  
my heart *would not fear*.  
Though war break out *against* me, \*  
even then *would I trust*.
4. I believe I shall see the LORD's *goodness* \*  
in the land *of the living*.  
Wait for the LORD; be *strong*; \*  
be stouthearted, and wait *for the LORD!*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Cf. Ps 71 (70): 15

VIII



I will sing of your sal- va-tion.

Psalm 71 (70): 1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17

1. In you, O LORD, I *take refuge*; \*  
let me never be *put to shame*.  
In your justice, rescue *me*, **free me**; \*  
incline your ear to *me and save me*.
2. Be my rock, my *constant refuge*, \*  
a mighty *stronghold to save me*,  
for you are my rock, *my stronghold*. \*  
My God, free me from the hand *of the wicked*.
3. It is you, O LORD, who are *my hope*, \*  
my trust, O LORD, *from my youth*.  
On you I have leaned from *my birth*; \*  
from my mother's womb, you have *been my help*.
4. My mouth will tell of *your justice*, \*  
and all the day long of *your salvation*,  
O God, you have taught me from *my youth*, \*  
and I proclaim your *wonders still*.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Ps 69 (68): 14c*

**L** Ord, in your great love, answer me.

**Psalm 69 (68): 8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34**

1. It is for you that I suffer **taunts**, \*  
 that shame has covered *my* face.  
 To my own kin I have become *an* **outcast**, \*  
 a stranger to the children of *my* mother.  
 Zeal for your house *consumes* me, \*  
 and taunts against you fall *on* me.
  
2. Taunts have broken *my* **heart**; \*  
 here I am *in* anguish.  
 I looked for solace, but there *was* **none**; \*  
 for consolers—not one could *I* find.  
 For food they gave *me* **gall**; \*  
 in my thirst they gave me vinegar *to* **drink**.
  
3. Then I will praise God's name with *a* **song**; \*  
 I will glorify him with *thanksgiving*:  
 The poor when they see it will *be* **glad**, \*  
 and God-seeking hearts will *revive*;  
 for the LORD listens to *the* **needy**, \*  
 and does not spurn his own in *their* **chains**.

