

73. RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Also I Lent (A)

℟. Be mer-ci - ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

℣. Psalm 51

based on *Parce, Domine*, Chant, Mode I

1. Have mercy on me, O God, in your good-ness; in the greatness of your com - pas-sion wipe out my of - fense.
 2. For I acknowledge my of - fense, and my sin is al - ways be-fore me.
 3. A clean heart create for me, O God, and a steadfast spir - it re - new with-in me.
 4. Give me back the joy of your sal - va - tion, and a willing spir - it sus - tain in me.

1. Thoroughly wash me from my guilt, and of my sin cleanse me.
 2. Against you on - ly have I sinned, and done what is evil in your sight.
 3. Cast me not out of your presence, and your Holy Spirit take not from me.
 4. O Lord, o - pen up my lips, and my mouth shall pro - claim your praise.

Text: (℟) *Lectionary for Mass*, © 1969, 1981, 1997 ICEL. (℣) *New American Bible*, © 1970, 1997, 1998 CCD.Music: *Parce, Domine*, Chant, Mode I, adapted by Brian Michael Page (b. 1964), © 2014 Christus Vincit Music. cvmusic.christusvincit.com
Creative Commons License (CC BY-ND 3.0)

For the congregation:

Be mer-ci - ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

Text: *Lectionary for Mass*, © 1969, 1981, 1997 ICEL.Music: *Parce, Domine*, Chant, Mode I, adapted by Brian Michael Page (b. 1964), © 2014 Christus Vincit Music.
Creative Commons License (CC BY-ND 3.0). cvmusic.christusvincit.com