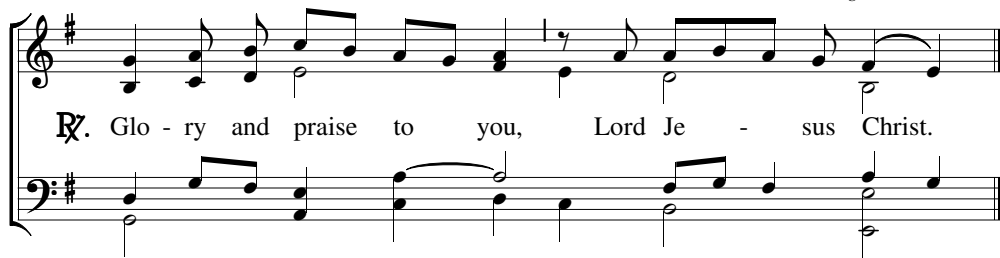


ASH WEDNESDAY

# 75. GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ("Vexilla Regis")

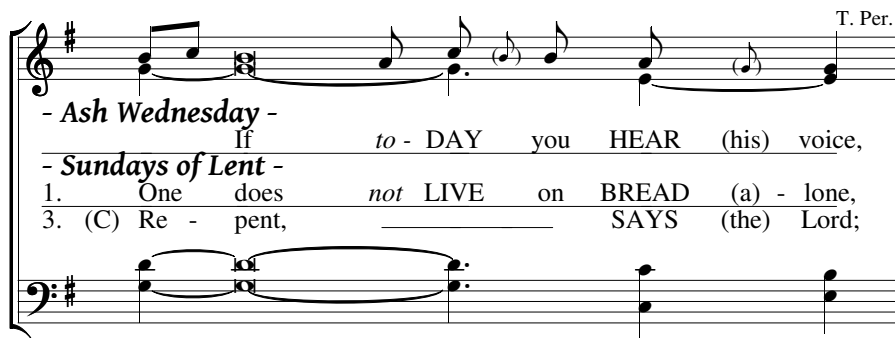
Ash Wednesday and Sundays of Lent

based on *Vexilla Regis*, Chant, Mode I

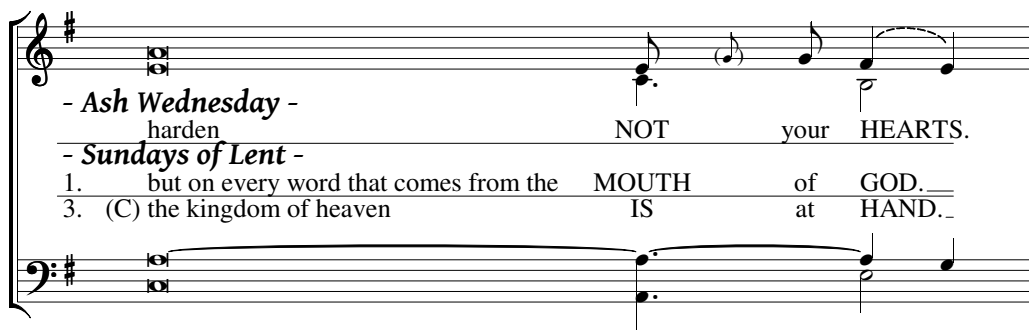


R. Glo - ry and praise to you, Lord Je - sus Christ.

**V** - Ash Wednesday and 3rd Sunday, Year C are presented within these staves. -



T. Per.  
- Ash Wednesday -  
If to - DAY you HEAR (his) voice,  
- Sundays of Lent -  
1. One does not LIVE on BREAD (a) - lone,  
3. (C) Re - pent, SAYS (the) Lord;



- Ash Wednesday -  
harden NOT your HEARTS.  
- Sundays of Lent -  
1. but on every word that comes from the MOUTH of GOD.  
3. (C) the kingdom of heaven IS at HAND.

- Sundays of Lent -

2. From\_ the shining cloud *the* FA-ther's VOICE (is) heard; | This is my be-LOV-(èd) Son, HEAR him.
3. (A) Lord,\_ you are truly *the* SA-vior OF (the) world; | give me living water that I may never THIRST a-GAIN.\_  
(B) God\_ so loved the world that *he* SENT his ON-(ly) Son, | that everyone who believes in him might have e-TER-nal LIFE.\_  
(C) (*see music above*)
4. (A) I\_ am the light of *the* WORLD, says THE Lord; | whoever follows me will have the LIGHT of LIFE.\_  
(B) (*same as 3rd Sunday, B*)  
(C) I\_ shall get up and go to my Fa-ther, AND shall SAY (to) him: | Father I have sinned against heaven AND a-GAINST you.
5. (A) I\_ am the resurrection and *the* LIFE, says THE Lord; | whoever believes in me, even if he DIES, shall LIVE.\_  
(B) Who-\_ ever serves me *must* FOL-(low) me, SAYS (the) Lord, | and where I am, there also shall my SER-vant BE.\_  
(C) E-\_ ven now, says the Lord, return *to* ME (with) your WHOLE heart, | for I am gracious and MER-ci-FUL.\_

\* Alternate SATB setting

BMP

- **Ash Wednesday** -  
If today you hear his voice,

- **Sundays of Lent** -

1. One does not live on bread a - lone,
2. From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard:
3. (A) Lord, you are truly the Savior of the world;
- (B) God so loved the world that he sent his on - ly Son,
- (C) Repent, says the Lord;
4. (A) I am the light of the world, says the Lord;
- (C) I shall get up and go to my Father and shall say to him:
5. (A) I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord;
- (B) Whoever serves me must follow me, says the Lord;
- (C) Even now, says the Lord, return to me with your whole heart,

- **Ash Wednesday** -  
hard - en not your hearts.

- **Sundays of Lent** -

1. but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.
2. This is my beloved Son, hear him.
3. (A) Give me living water that I may never thirst a - gain.
- (B) that everyone who believes in him might have e - ter - nal life.
- (C) the kingdom of heaven is at hand.
4. (A) Whoever follows me will have the light of life.
- (C) Father, I have sinned against heaven and a - gainst you.
5. (A) Whoever believes in me, even if he dies, shall live.
- (B) and where I am, there also will my ser - vant be.
- (C) For I am gracious and mer - ci - ful.

For the congregation:

Glo - ry and praise to you, Lord Je - sus Christ.