

## 8e. Responsorial Psalm (December 18)

*℣ Psalm 72 (71): 7*

Jus - tice shall flour-ish in his time, and full-ness of peace for ev - er.

*℣ Psalm 72 (71): 1-2. 12-13. 18-19.*

1. O God, with your judg - ment en - dow the king, and with your justice, the king's son:  
 2. For he shall rescue the poor when he cries out, and the afflicted when he has no one to help him.  
 3. Blessèd be the Lord, the God of Is - ra - el, who alone does won - drous deeds.

*May be sung in SATB*

1. he shall govern your people with justice, and your af - flict-ed ones with judg-ment. *℣*  
 2. He shall have pity for the lowly and the poor; the lives of the poor he shall save. *℣*  
 3. And blessed for ever be his glo - rious Name; may the whole earth be filled with his glo - ry. *℣*

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