

December 25: CHRISTMAS (The Nativity of the Lord)

9m. Offertory (at the Mass during the Day)

Also: Octave Weekdays of Christmas, Weekdays before Epiphany

℟ *Psalm 89 (88): 12a*

Yours are the heav - ens, and yours is the earth.

This musical score is for the first part of Psalm 89 (88): 12a. It is written for SATB choir in the key of D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The melody is primarily in the soprano part, with the alto and tenor parts providing harmonic support. The lyrics are "Yours are the heav - ens, and yours is the earth."

℣ *Psalm 89 (88): 12b, 15*

May be sung in SATB

The world and the fullness thereof have been found-ed by you.

This musical score is for the second part of Psalm 89 (88): 12b, 15. It is written for SATB choir in the key of D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The melody is primarily in the soprano part, with the alto and tenor parts providing harmonic support. The lyrics are "The world and the fullness thereof have been found-ed by you."

Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne. **℟**

This musical score is for the third part of Psalm 89 (88): 12b, 15. It is written for SATB choir in the key of D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The melody is primarily in the soprano part, with the alto and tenor parts providing harmonic support. The lyrics are "Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne. ℟".

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