

THIRD WEEK OF ADVENT

Congregation Parts

WEDNESDAY

Introit

R cf. *Isaiah 45: 8*

Rorate Caeli, Chant, Mode I



Ro - rá - te cae - li dé - su - per, et nu - bes plu - ant iu - stum.

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Responsorial Psalm

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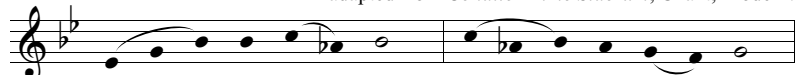
Let the clouds rain down the Just One, and the earth bring forth a Sa - vior.

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Alleluia (Use versicle 4)

adapted from *Conditor Alme Siderum*, Chant, Mode IV



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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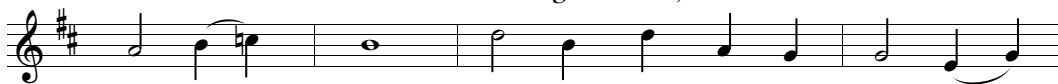
Offertory

Psalm 85 (84)

¶ 1 and 4 are required; Other verses may be added (before and/or after) ad libitum.



1. Lord, you have great - ly blessed your land; You have freed Ja - cob's
2. Lord, you who in a for - mer day Turned all your dread - ful
3. Lord, will your an - ger ev - er cease? For ev - er will your
4. To us your mer - cy now af - ford, And show us your sal -
5. The Lord's sal - va - tion will ap - pear To those of faith and
6. Now truth a - grees with mer - cy mild, Now law and peace are
7. The Lord shall send his bless - ing down, And har - vests all our



1. cap - tive band. Your par - d'ning grace has made us
2. wrath a - way, In grace, your peo - ple, Lord, re -
3. wrath in - crease? Re - ceive, re - vive us, Lord, once
4. va - tion, Lord. We hear the Lord, who speaks of
5. god - ly fear, And glo - ry in our land shall
6. rec - on - ciled. Be - hold the truth in earth a -
7. land shall crown. Be - fore him right - eous - ness a -



1. free And cov - ered our in - i - qui - ty.
2. turn, And let your wrath no long - er burn.
3. more And your sal - va - tion's joy re - store.
4. peace, If from our sin - ful - ness we cease.
5. dwell When we shall heed God's pre - cepts well.
6. rise, With jus - tice shin - ing from the skies.
7. bides, And in his steps our feet he guides.

Text: Psalm 85 (84), Author unknown.

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Communion

℟̥ Isaiab 35: 4

based on *Dicite: Pusillánimes*, Chant, Mode VII



Say to the faint of heart: "Be strong, fear not;



be - hold, the Lord will come, and he will save us."

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