

## DECEMBER 25: CHRISTMAS (The Nativity of the Lord)

### Congregation Parts

#### VIGIL MASS

##### Introit

Rx Exodus 16: 6-7

To - day you will know that the Lord is com - ing to save us;  
and to - mor - row you will see his glo - ry.

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##### Responsorial Psalm

Rx Psalm 89(88): 2

For ev - er I will sing the good - ness of the Lord.

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##### Alleluia (Use versicle A)

Rx

excerpted from *Divinum Mysterium*, Chant, Mode V

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

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##### Offertory

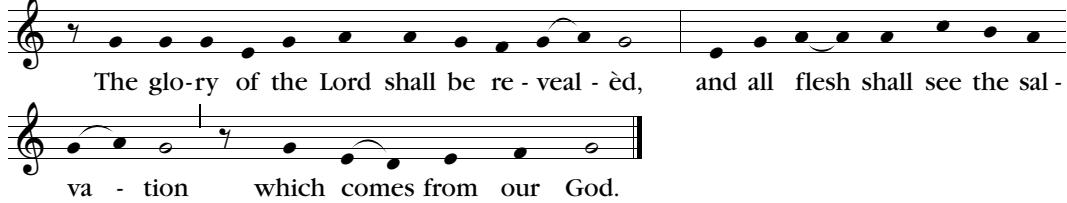
Rx Psalm 24 (23): 9

O prin - ces, lift up your gates, O e - ter - nal gates be lift - ed high,  
and the King of glo - ry shall en - ter.

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## Communion

 cf. *Isaiah 40: 5*



The musical notation consists of two staves of music in common time with a treble clef. The first staff begins with a rest followed by a series of eighth notes. The second staff begins with a half note. The lyrics are integrated into the music, with each word aligned with its corresponding note or rest.

The glo-ry of the Lord shall be re - veal - èd, and all flesh shall see the sal -  
va - tion which comes from our God.

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