Gradual for 7 December • Feast of Saint Ambrose (Missale Antiquius)
(Cf. Sirach 44:16) Behold a great priest, who in his days pleased God.
Vs. There was not found the like to him, who kept the law of the Most
High. Alleluia, alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia. (Ps 109:4) The Lord has sworn, and He will not re-
pent: You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchisedec.
Alleluia.

Cce sacérdos ma-gnus, * qui in di- ébus su- is plá- cu-it

De- o. Vs. Non est inventus sími- lis il-li, * qui conservá-ret le-gem

Ex-cél-si.

Alleluia, alleluia.

Vs. Jurá-vit Dóminus, et non pæni-té-bit e-um: * Tu es sacérdos in

ætérum, secúndum órdi- nem Mel-chí-sedech.

Alleluia.