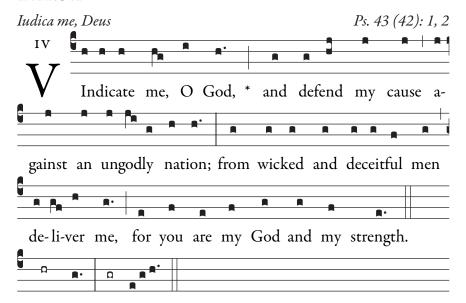
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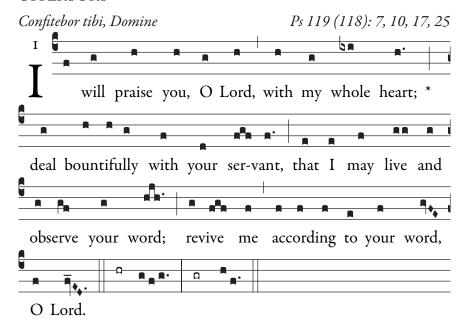


Psalm 43 (42)

- 1. O send forth your light and your **truth**; * they will *guide me* **on**.
 - They will bring me to your holy **mountain**, * to the place *where you* **dwell**.
- And I will come to the altar of God, *
 to God, my joy and gladness.
 - To you will I give thanks on the harp, * O *God, my* God.
- 3. Why are you cast down, my **soul**; * why *groan with* in me?
 - Hope in God; I will praise him yet again, * my saving presence *and my* God.

Glory be to the Father ...

OFFERTORY



Psalm 119 (118)

- Blessed are those whose way is blameless, *
 who walk in the law of the LORD!
 Blessed are those who keep his decrees! *
 With all their hearts they seek him.
- They never do anything evil, *
 but walk in his ways.

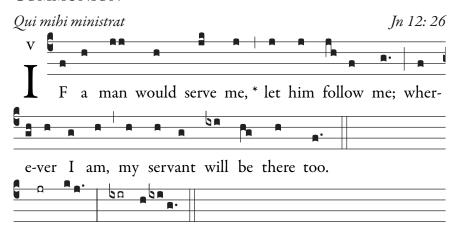
 You have laid down your precepts *
 to be carefully kept.
- 3. May my ways be firm * in keeping your statutes.

Then I shall not be *put to* **shame** * as I observe all your *com***mands**.

4. I will thank you with an *upright* heart, * as I learn your *just* judgments.

I will *keep your* **stat**utes; * do not ever *for* **sake** me.

COMMUNION



Psalm 17 (16)

1. O LORD, hear a cause that *is* **just**; * pay heed *to my* **cry**.

Turn your ear to *my* **prayer**: * no deceit is *on my* **lips**.

From you may my justice *come* **forth**. * Your eyes discern *what is* **up**right.

2. My foes encircle me with deadly *intent*. *
Their hearts tight shut, their *mouths speak* **proud**ly.

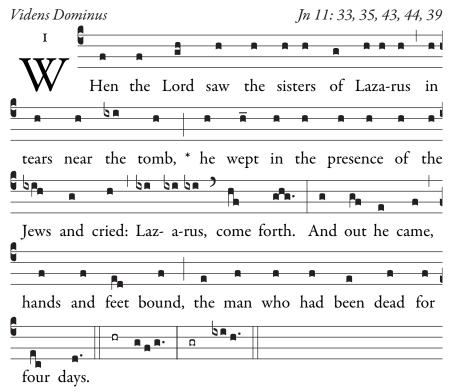
They advance against me, and now they *surround* me. * Their eyes watch to strike me *to the* **ground**.

They are like a lion ready *to* **claw**, * like some young lion *crouched in* **hid**ing.

3. As for me, in justice I shall behold *your* face; * when I awake I shall be filled with the vision *of your* presence.

Glory be to the Father ...

COMMUNION (When the Gospel of Lazarus is read)



Psalm 130 (129)

- Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD; * LORD, hear my voice!
 - O let your ears *be attentive* * to the sound of *my* pleadings.

If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, *
 LORD, who could stand?
 But with you is found forgiveness, *
 that you may be revered.

3. I long for *you*, O LORD, * my soul longs for *his* word.

My soul hopes *in the* **LORD** * more than watchmen *for* **day**break.

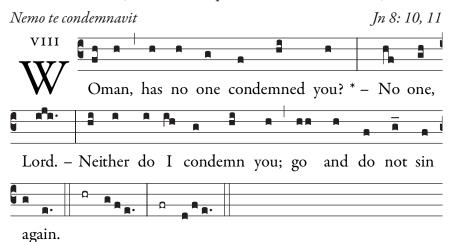
4. More than watch*men for* daybreak, * let Israel hope for *the* LORD.

For with the LORD *there is* **mer**cy, * in him is plentiful *re***demp**tion.

It is he who will *redeem* **Is**rael * from all its *in***iq**uities.

Glory be to the Father ...

COMMUNION (When the Gospel of the Adulteress is read)



Psalm 32 (31)

- Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, * whose sin is remitted.
 - Blessed the man to whom the LORD imputes no guilt, * in whose spirit is no guile.
- 2. I kept it secret and my *frame was* wasted. * I groaned *all day* long,
- 3. To you I have acknowledged my sin; * my guilt I *did not* hide.
 - I said, "I will confess my transgression *to the* LORD." * And you have forgiven the guilt *of my* sin.
- I will instruct you and teach you †
 the way *you should* go; *
 I will fix my eyes *upon* you.
- Many sorrows has the wicked, † but loving mercy surrounds * one who trusts in the LORD.
- 6. Rejoice in the LORD; exult, you just! *
 Ring out your joy, all you upright of heart!
 - Glory be to the Father ...

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