

## Introit (Isaiah 45:8; Ps 18:2)

Rorate, coeli, desuper, et nubes pluant justum: aperiatur terra, et germinet Salvatorem. Vs. Caeli enarrant gloriam Dei: et opera manuum ejus annuntiat firmamentum.



Skies, let the Just One come forth like the dew, let him descend from



the clouds like the rain. The earth will open up and give birth to



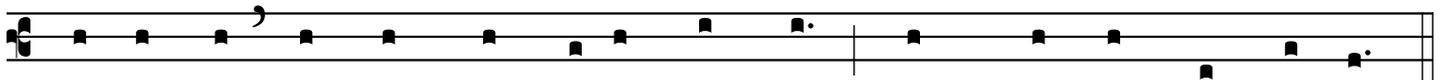
our Saviour. Vs. The heavens declare the glory of God, and the



firmament proclaims the work of his hands. Vs. Glory be to the



Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the

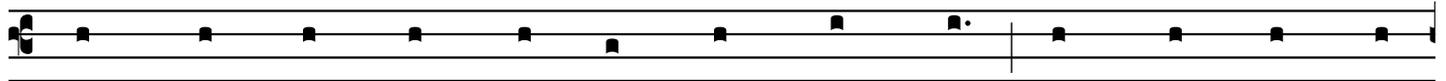


beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

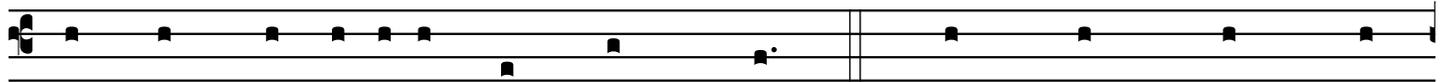
*“Skies, let the Just One . . .” is repeated.*

## Gradual (Ps 144:18, 21)

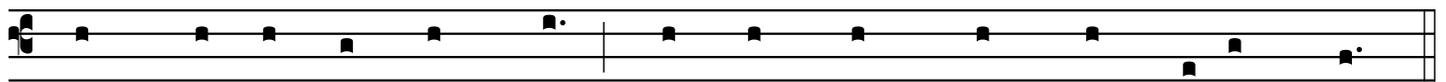
Prope est Dóminus ómnibus invocántibus eum: ómnibus qui ínvocant eum in veritáte. Vs. Laudem Dómini loquétur os meum: et benedícat omnis caro nomen sanctum ejus.



The Lord is close to all who call him, who call on him



in the sin-cer-i-ty of their hearts. Vs. My mouth shall speak

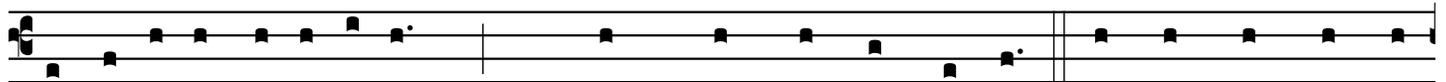


the prais-es of the Lord; let all flesh bless his ho-ly name.

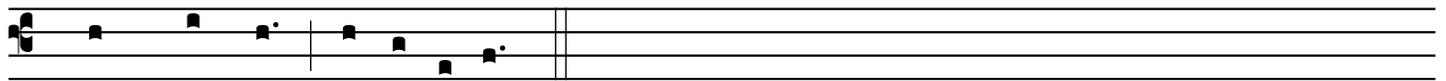
*“The Lord is close . . .” may be repeated*

## Alleluia

Allelúja, allelúja, Vs. Veni, Dómine, et noli tardáre: reláxa facínora plebis tuæ Israël. Allelúja.



Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. Vs. Come Lord! do not de-lay. Par-don the sins of



your peo-ple. Al-le-lu-ia.

## Offertory (Lk 1:28)

Ave, María, gratia plena; Dóminus tecum: benedícta tu in muliéribus, et benedíctus fructus ventris tui.

