

Responsorial Psalm

for the Vigil Mass of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist / June 23

Psalm 71:(6) 1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17; Tone II

Since my moth - er's womb, you have been my strength.

1 In you, O LORD, I take ref - uge;
In your justice rescue me, and de - liv - er me;

2 Be my rock of ref - uge,
for you are my rock and my for - tress.

3 For you are my hope, O LORD;
On you I de - - - pend from birth;

4 My mouth shall declare your jus - tice,
O God, you have taught me from my youth,

1 let me never be put to shame.
incline your ear to me, and save me. *R.*

2 a stronghold to give me safe - ty,
O my God, rescue me from the hand of the wick - ed. *R.*

3 my trust, O LORD, from my youth.
from my mother's womb you are my strength. *R.*

4 day by day your sal - va - tion.
and till the present I proclaim your won - drous deeds. *R.*