

## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### INTROIT

*Misericordia Domini*

*Ps 33 (32): 5, 6*

IV

**T** HE earth is full of the mercy of the Lord, al-le-  
lu-ia; \* by the word of the Lord, the heavens were es-  
tablished, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

### Psalm 33 (32)

1. Ring out your joy to the LORD, O you **just**; \*  
for praise is fitting *for the upright*.  
Give thanks to the LORD upon the **harp**; \*  
with a tenstringed lute *sing him songs*.  
O sing him a song that is **new**; \*  
play skillfully, with *shouts of joy*.
2. For the word of the LORD is **faithful**, \*  
and all his works *to be trusted*.  
The LORD loves justice and **right**, \*  
and his merciful love *fills the earth*.
3. By the word of the LORD the heavens were **made**, \*  
by the breath of his mouth *all their host*.  
As in a flask, he collects the waves of the ocean; \*  
he stores up the depths *of the sea*.

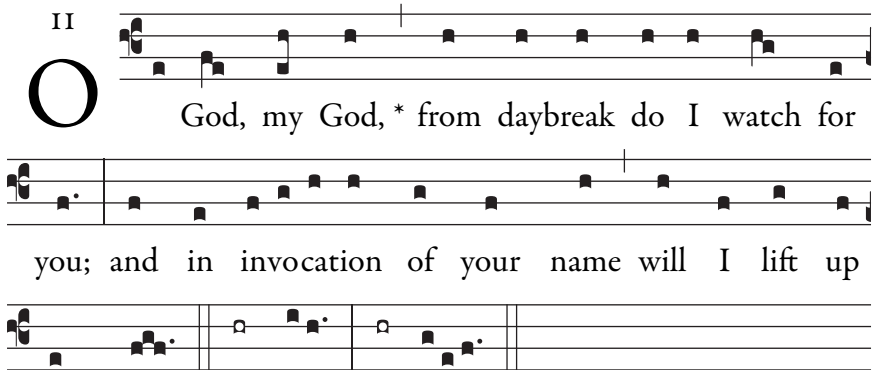
Glory be to the Father ...

OFFERTORY

*Deus, Deus meus*

*Ps 63 (62): 2, 5*

II



O God, my God, \* from daybreak do I watch for  
you; and in invocation of your name will I lift up  
my hands.

Psalm 63 (62)

1. O God, you are my God; at dawn *I seek you*; \*  
for you my *soul is thirsting*.  
For you my flesh *is pining*, \*  
like a dry, weary land *without water*.  
I have come before you in *the sanctuary*, \*  
to behold your strength *and your glory*.
2. Your loving mercy is better *than life*; \*  
my lips will *speak your praise*.  
I will bless you all *my life*; \*  
in your name I will lift *up my hands*.  
My soul shall be filled as with *a banquet*; \*  
with joyful lips, my *mouth shall praise you*.

3. When I remember you upon *my bed*, \*  
 I muse on you through the watches of *the night*.  
 For you have been *my strength*; \*  
 in the shadow of your wings *I rejoice*.  
 My soul clings fast *to you*; \*  
 your right *hand upholds* me.
4. Those who seek to destroy *my life* \*  
 shall go down to the depths of *the earth*.  
 Put to the power of *the sword*, \*  
 they shall be left as prey *for the jackals*.
5. But the king shall rejoice in God; †  
 all that swear by him shall *exult*, \*  
 for the mouth of liars *shall be silenced*.

## COMMUNION

*Ego sum pastor bonus*

*Jn 20: 14*

II  
**I** am the good shepherd, al-le-lu-ia; I know my  
 sheep and my own know me, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

Psalm 23 (22)

1. The LORD *is my shepherd*; \*  
there is nothing I *shall want*.  
Fresh and green *are the pastures* \*  
where he gives me *repose*.  
Near restful *waters he leads me*; \*  
he revives *my soul*.
2. He guides me along *the right path*, \*  
for the sake of *his name*.  
Though I should walk in the valley of the shadow of death, †  
no evil would I fear, for *you are with me*. \*  
Your crook and your staff will give *me comfort*.
3. You have prepared a *table before me* \*  
in the sight of *my foes*.  
My head you have anointed *with oil*; \*  
my cup is *overflowing*.
4. Surely goodness and mercy *shall follow me* \*  
all the days of *my life*.  
In the LORD's own house *shall I dwell* \*  
for length of days *unending*.

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