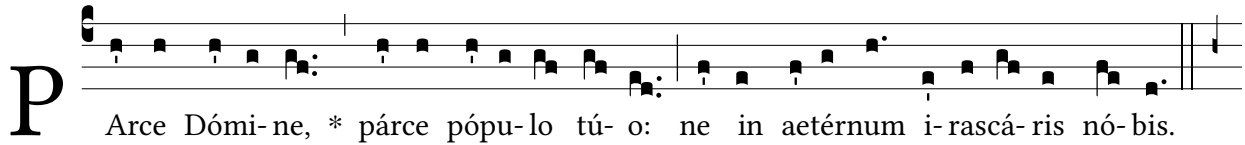


PARCE DOMINE



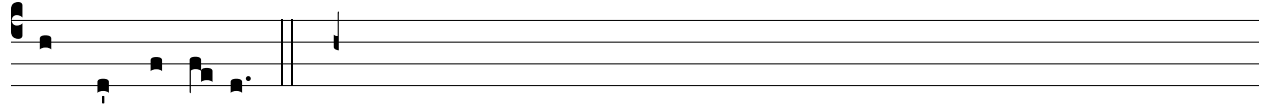
Repeat: Parce Domine ...

Spare, O Lord, spare Thy people, lest Thou be angry with us forever.

VERSES



1. Flectámus í-ram víndi-cem, Plo-rémus ante Jú-di-cem; Clamémus ó-re súppli-ci, Di-cámus

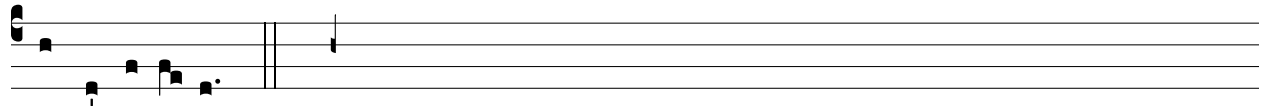


ómnes cérmu- i: R/. Párcce.

1. Let us bow down before the avenging wrath; let us weep before the Judge; let us cry forth in prayer of supplication, and all fall prostrate in prayer:



2. Nóstris má-lis offéndimus Tú- am Dé-us cleménti- am Effúnde nó-bis dé-super Remissor



indulgénti- am. R/. Párcce.

2. By our sins we have offended thy clemency, O God; pour out on us thy pardon from on high, Thou Who dost forgive.

Latin

3. Dans témpus acceptábile, / Da lacrimárum rívilis / Laváre córdis víctimam, / Quam láeta adúrat cáritas.

4. Audi, benígne Cónditor, / Nóstras préces cum flétibus In hoc sácro jejúnio Fúsas quadragenário.

5. Scrutátor álme córdium, Infírma tu scis vírium Ad te revérsis éxhibe Remissiónis grátiam.

Literal English

3. Offering an acceptable time, give streams of tears to wash the sacrifice of our heart, which joyful charity enkindles.

4. Hear, thou merciful Creator, the tearful prayers poured forth during this holy fast of forty days.

5. Beloved searcher of hearts, thou knowest the infirmities of men; show pardoning grace to those who return to thee.

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