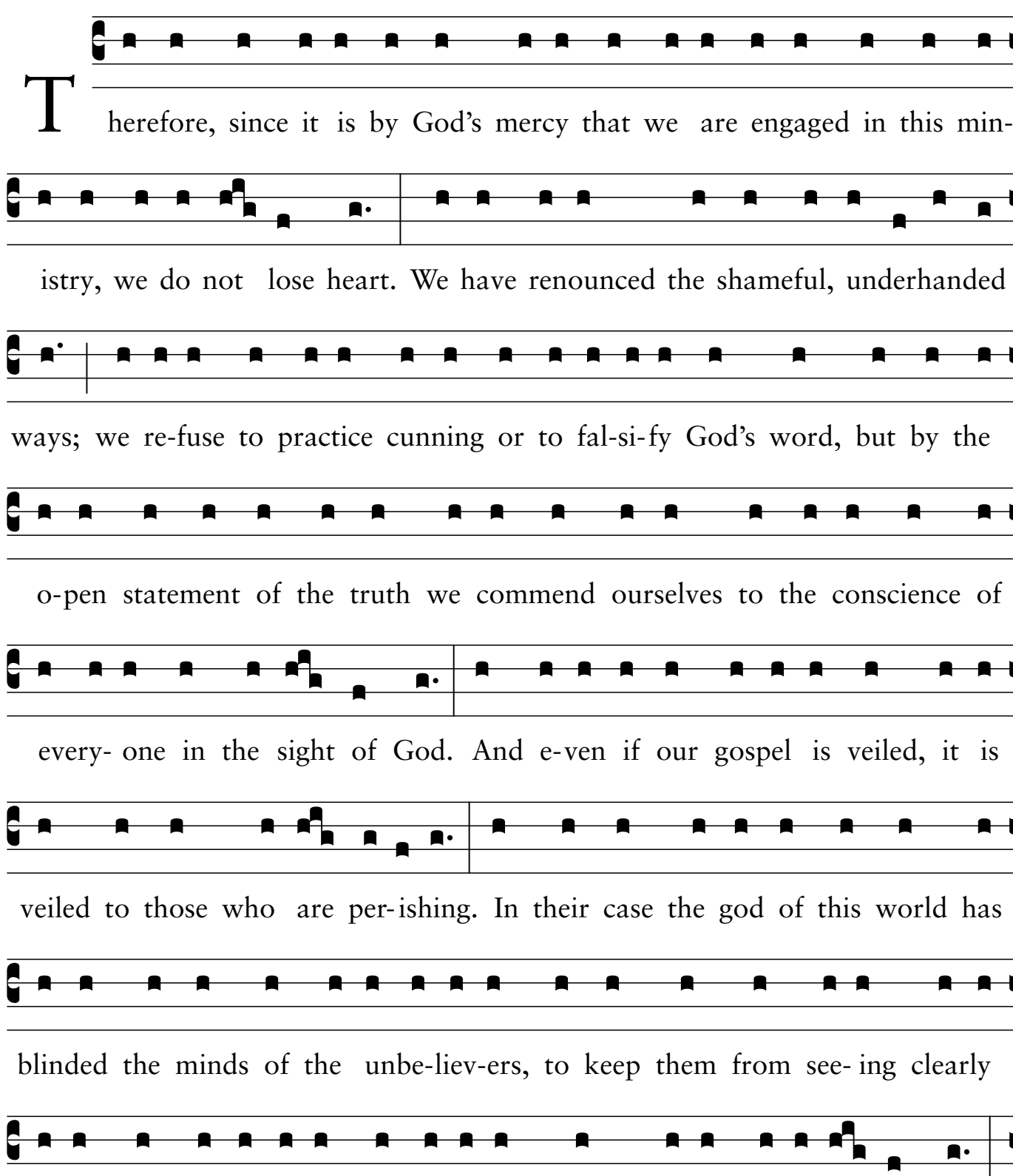
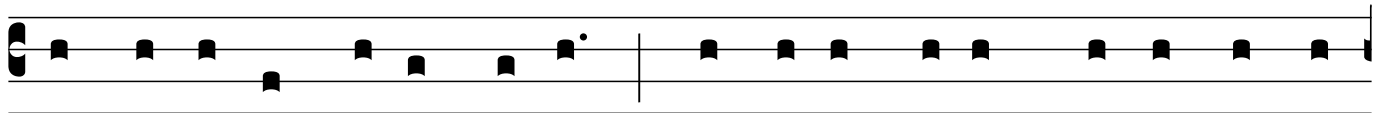


## 2 Corinthians 4:1-6

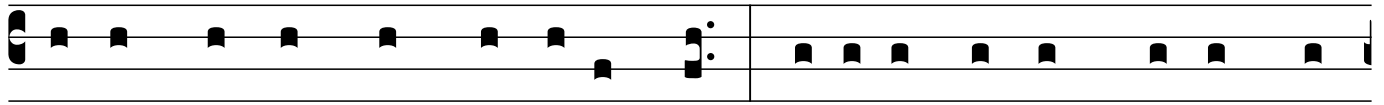
*Ss. Philip and James*



**T** herefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. We have renounced the shameful, underhanded ways; we re-fuse to practice cunning or to fal-si-fy God's word, but by the o-pen statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of every- one in the sight of God. And e-ven if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are per-ishing. In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbe-liev-ers, to keep them from see- ing clearly the light of the gospel of the glo-ry of Christ, who is the image of God.



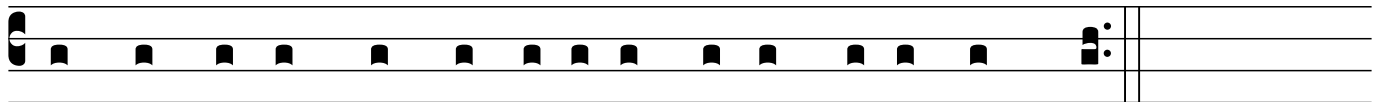
For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Je-sus Christ as Lord and



ourselves as your slaves for Je-sus's sake. For it is the God who said, "Light



will shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light



of the knowledge of the glo-ry of God in the face of Christ.