

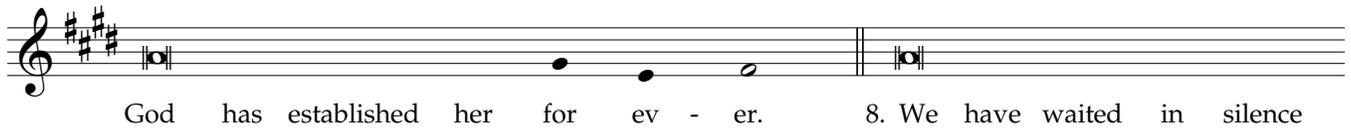
Proper 9 Year B (SC Track)

Psalm 48

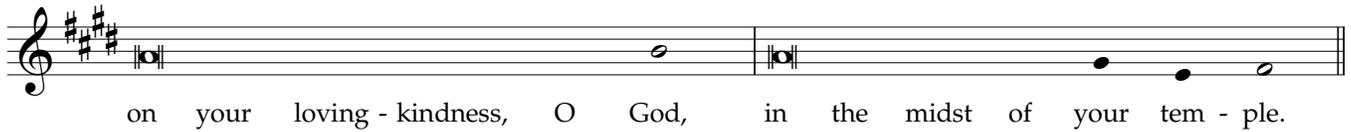
Mode 2 **Refrain**

This God shall be our guide for ev - er - more.

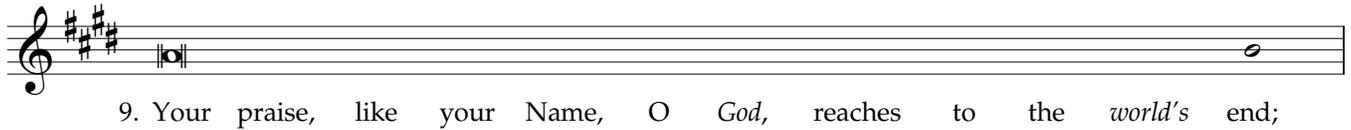
1. Great is the *Lord*, and highly to be praised; in the city of our *God*  
is his ho - ly hill. 2. Beautiful and lofty, the joy of all the *earth*,  
is the hill of Zi - on, the very center of the *world* and the city  
of the *great* King. 3. God is in her ci - ta - dels; he is known to be her  
sure ref - uge. **Refrain** 4. Be - hold, the kings of the earth as - sem - bled  
and *marched* forward to - geth - er. 5. They looked and were a - stound - ed;  
they retreated and fled in ter - ror. 6. Trembling seized them there;  
they writhed like a woman in childbirth, like ships of the *sea*  
when the *east* wind shat - ters them. **Refrain** 7. As we have *heard*,  
so have we seen, in the city of the Lord of *hosts*, in the city of our God;



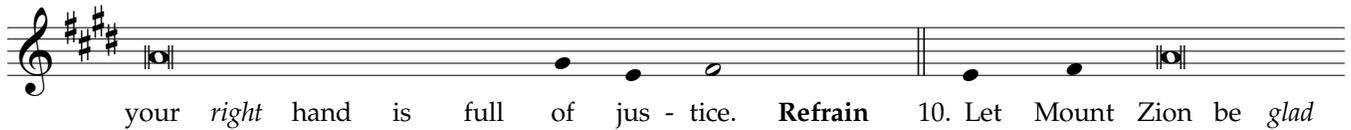
God has established her for ev - er. 8. We have waited in silence



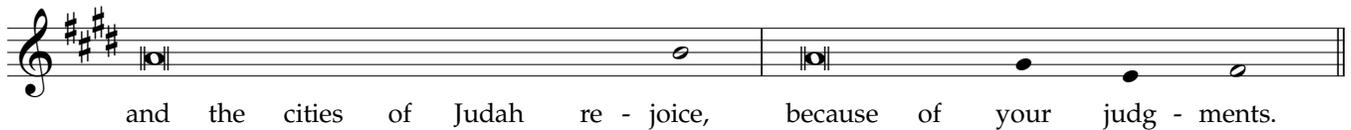
on your loving - kindness, O God, in the midst of your tem - ple.



9. Your praise, like your Name, O God, reaches to the *world's* end;



your *right* hand is full of jus - tice. **Refrain** 10. Let Mount Zion be *glad*



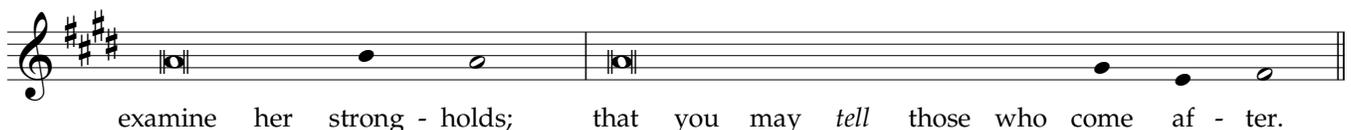
and the cities of Judah re - joice, because of your judg - ments.



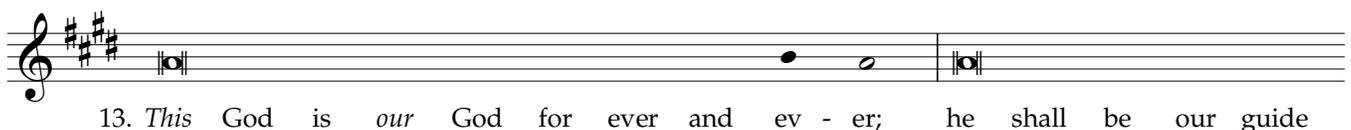
11. Make the circuit of Zion; *walk* round a - bout her;



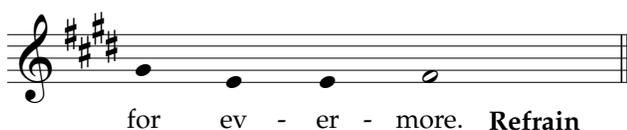
count the number of her tow - ers. 12. Consider well her bulwarks;



examine her strong - holds; that you may *tell* those who come af - ter.



13. *This* God is *our* God for ever and ev - er; he shall be our guide



for ev - er - more. **Refrain**

**Alleluia** *ad libitum*