

# Second Sunday in Lent Year C

## Psalm 27

Mode 2

**Refrain<sup>1</sup>**

The Lord is my light and my sal - va - tion.

1. The Lord is my light and my salvation; *whom* then shall I fear?  
the Lord is the strength of my life; of *whom* then shall I be a - fraid?

2. When evildoers came upon me to *eat* up my flesh, it was they, my foes and  
my adversaries, who stum - bled and fell. **Refrain** 3. Though an army should encamp  
a - against me, yet my heart shall not be a - fraid; 4. And though war  
should *rise* up a - gainst me, yet will I put my trust in him. **Refrain**

5. *One* thing have I asked of the Lord; *one* thing I seek;  
that I may dwell in the house of the *Lord* all the days of my life;

6. To behold the *fair* beauty of the Lord and to seek him in his tem - ple. **Refrain**

<sup>1</sup>Revision of an antiphon centonized by James McGregor. Altered and used with his permission.



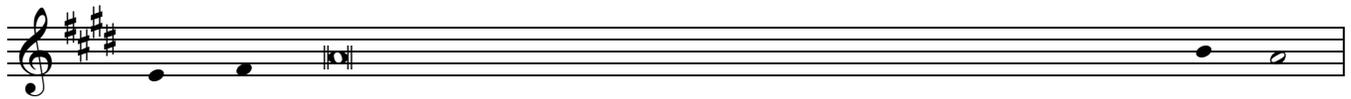
7. For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe in his shel - ter;



he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling and set me high up - on a rock.



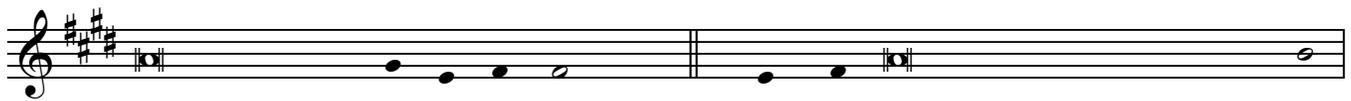
8. Even now he *lifts* up my head above my enemies round a - bout me. **Refrain**



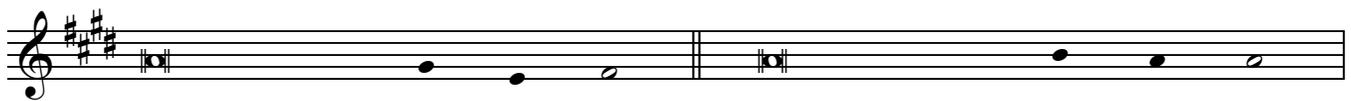
9. There - fore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation with sounds of *great* glad - ness;



I will sing and *make* mu - sic to the Lord. 10. Hearken to my voice, O *Lord*, when I call;



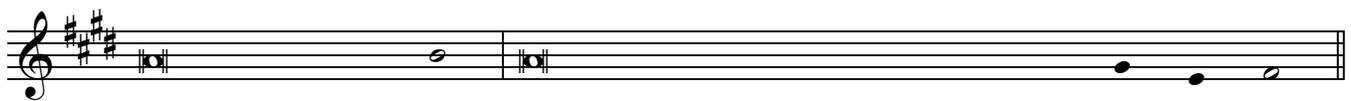
have mercy on me and an - swer me. **Refrain** 11. You speak in my heart and *say*, "Seek my face."



Your *face*, Lord, will I seek. 12. *Hide* not your face from me,



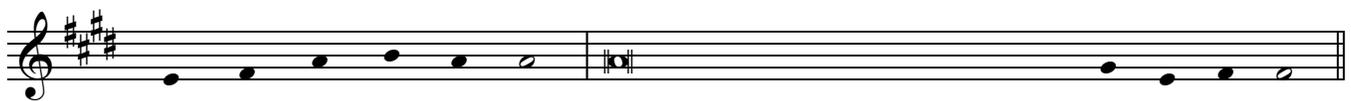
nor turn away your servant in dis - plea - sure. **Refrain** 13. You have been my helper;



cast me not a - way; do not forsake me, O God of my sal - va - tion.



14. Though my father and my mother for - sake me, the Lord wil sus - tain me. **Refrain**



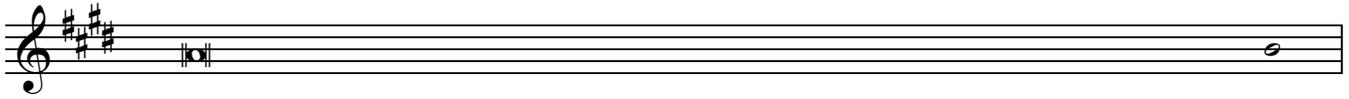
15. Show me your way, O Lord; lead me on a level path, because of my en - e - mies.



16. Deliver me *not* into the hand of my ad - ver - sa - ries,



for *false* witnesses have risen up against me, and also those who speak mal-ice. **Refrain**



17. What if I had not believed that I should see the goodness of the Lord



in the land of the liv - ing! 18. O tarry and await the *Lord's* pleasure;

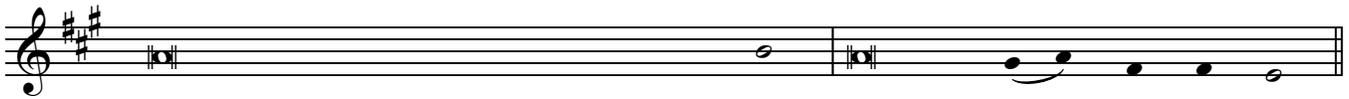


be strong, and he shall comfort your heart; *wait* patient - ly for the Lord. **Refrain**

**Tract: Psalm 106: 1-2 (3) 4-5**



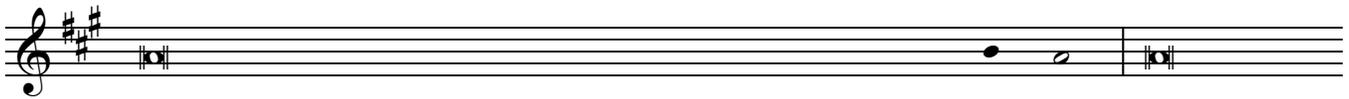
1. Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his mercy en-dures for ev - er.



2. Who can declare the mighty acts of the Lord or *show* forth all his praise?



3. Happy are those who act with jus - tice and always do what is right!



4. Remember me, O Lord, with the favor you have for your peo - ple, and visit me



with your sav - ing help; 5. That I may see the prosperity of your elect and be glad



with the gladness of your peo - ple, that I may glory with your in - her - i - tance.

**Verse Amos 5: 14 (Optional Replacement for Tract)**



Seek good and *not* evil, that you may live, and the God of hosts will be with you.