

Proper 20 Year C (SC Track)

Psalm 79: 1-9

Mode 4 **Refrain**



Help us, O God our Sa - vior.

1. O God, the heathen have come into your inheritance; they have profaned your ho - ly tem - ple; they have made Jerusalem a heap of rub - ble.

2. They have given the bodies of your servants as food for the birds of the air, and the flesh of your faithful ones to the beasts of the field. **Refrain**

3. They have shed their blood like water on every side of Je - ru - sa - lem, and there was no one to bur - y them. 4. We have become a reproach to our neigh - bors, an object of scorn and derision to those a - round us. **Refrain** 5. How long will you be an - gry, O Lord? will your fury blaze like fire for ev - er?

6. *Pour* out your wrath upon the heathen who have not known you and upon the kingdoms that have not called up - on your Name.



7. For they have de - voured Ja - cob, and made his dwel - ling a ru - in. **Refrain**



8. Re - mem - ber not our *past* sins; let your compassion be swift to meet us;



for we have been brought ve - ry low. 9. Help us, O God our Savior,



for the glory of your Name; deliver us and forgive us our



sins, for your Name's sake. **Refrain**

Alleluia *ad libitum*