

Proper 22 Year C (SC Track)

Psalm 137: 1-6, (7-9) (alt.)

Mode 3 **Refrain**

We wept when we re - mem - bered Zi - on.

1. By the waters of Babylon we sat down and wept, when we remembered
you, O Zi - on. 2. As for our harps, we hung them up
on the trees in the midst of that land. **Refrain** 3. For those who led us away
captive asked us for a song, and our op - pres - sors called for mirth:
"Sing us one of the songs of Zi - on." 4. How shall we sing the Lord's song
up - on an a - lien soil. **Refrain** 5. If I forget you, O Je - ru - sa - lem,
let my *right* hand for - get its skill. 6. Let my *tongue* cleave to the roof
of my mouth if I do not re - mem - ber you, if I do *not* set Jerusalem
The following verses may be omitted.
a - bove my high - est joy. **Refrain** 7. Re - mem - ber the day of Jerusalem, O Lord,
against the peo - ple of E - dom, who *said*, "Down with it! down with it!"

ev - en to the ground!" 8. O Daughter of Babylon, doomed to de - struc - tion,
 happy the one who pays you back for what you have done to us! 9. Happy shall
 he be who takes your lit - tle ones, and dashes them a - gainst the rock! **Refrain**

Alleluia *ad libitum*