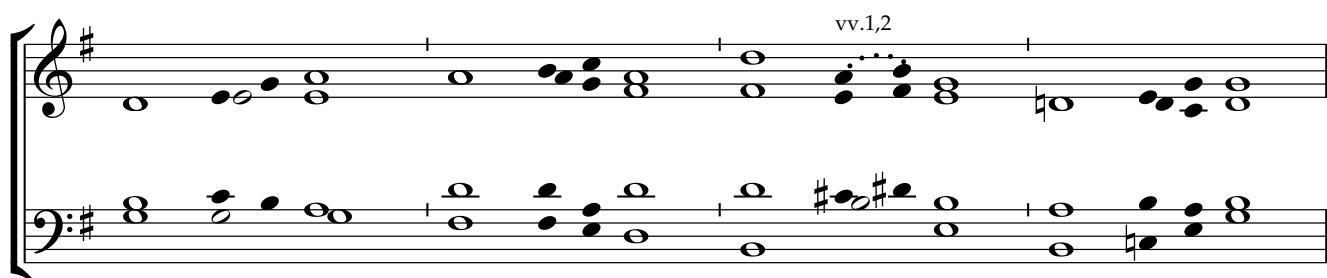


2nd Sunday of Easter (A)

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24. R. v. 1

Robert Gower (b.1952)

R Give praise to the Lord, for he is good, his mer-cy en-dures for - ev - er.



1. Let the house of Israel say: 'His mercy endures forever.'
Let the house of Aaron say: 'His mercy endures forever.'
Let those who fear the Lord say:
'his mercy endures forever.' R
2. They pushed me, pushed me hard to knock me down,
but the Lord was my helper.
The Lord is my strength and my song;
he was my saviour. R
3. The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.
By the Lord has this been done, a marvel in our eyes.
This is day the Lord has made;
let us rejoice in it and be glad. R

*The refrain is heard three times at the start:
first played on the organ,
then sung by the cantor and repeated by all;
it is then repeated after each verse.*

From a complete 3-year cycle of Responsorial Psalms

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