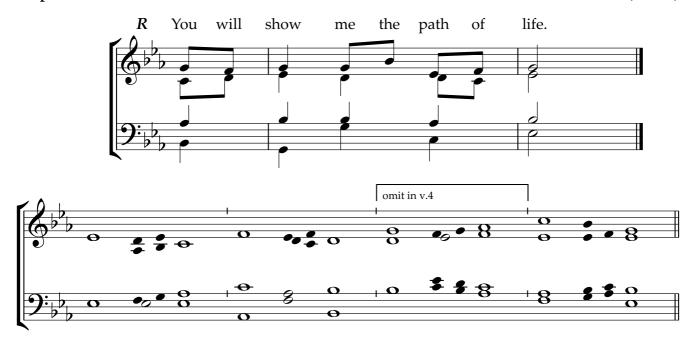
## 3rd Sunday of Easter (A)

**Responsorial Psalm**: Psalm 16: 1-2, 5, 7-11. R. v. 11

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- Preserve me, O God, for in you <u>I</u> take refuge.
  I say to the Lord, 'You <u>are</u> my Lord'.
  O Lord, it is you who are my por<u>tion</u> and cup; you yourself who se<u>cure</u> my lot. *R*
- I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel, who even at night directs my heart.
  I keep the Lord before me always: with him at my right hand, I shall not be moved. R
- And so, my heart rejoices, my <u>soul</u> is glad; even my flesh shall <u>rest</u> in hope.
   For you will not abandon my <u>soul</u> to Sheol, nor let your holy one <u>see</u> corruption. *R*
- 4. You will show me the <u>path</u> of life, the fullness of joy <u>in</u> your presence, at your right hand, <u>bliss</u> forever. *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.

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