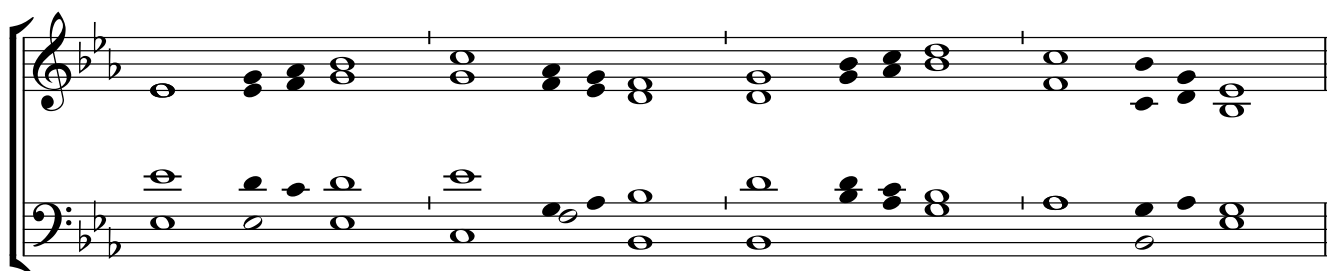
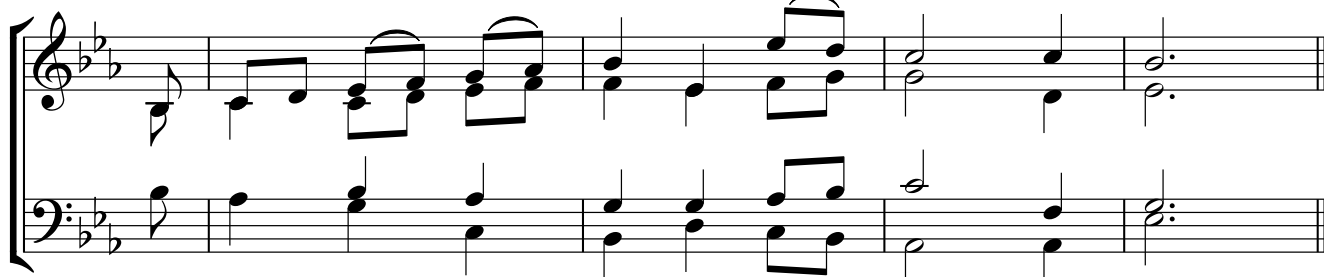


22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 63:2-6, 8-9. R. v. 2

Robert Gower (b.1952)

R For you my soul_ is___ thirst - ing, O___ Lord, my God.



1. O God, you are my God; at dawn I seek you;
for you my soul is thirsting.
For you my flesh is pining,
like a dry, weary land without water. R

2. I have come before you in the sanctuary,
to behold your strength and your glory.
Your loving mercy is better than life;
my lips will speak your praise. R

3. I will bless you all my life;
in your name I will lift up my hands.
My soul shall be filled as with a banquet;
with joyful lips, my mouth shall praise you. R

4. For you have been my strength;
in the shadow of your wings I re-joice.
My soul clings fast to you;
your right hand upholds me. 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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