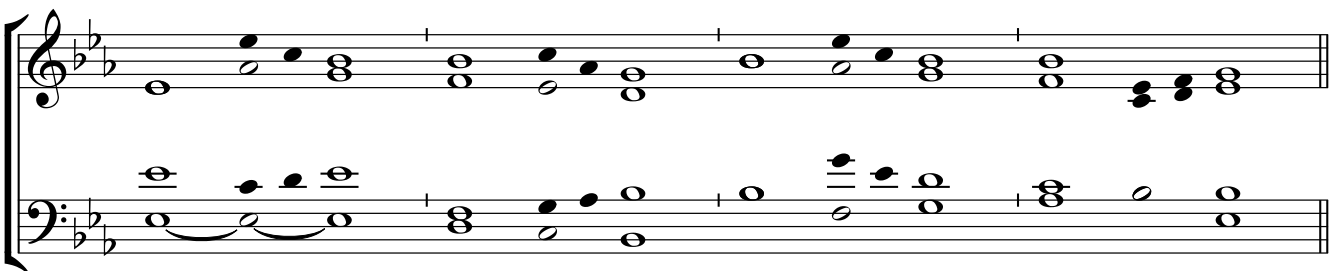
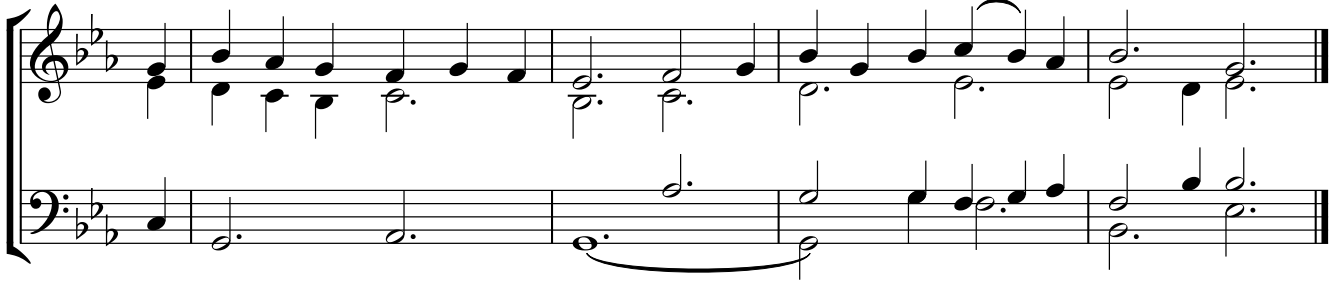


24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 103: 1-4, 9-12. R. v. 8

Robert Gower (b.1952)

R The Lord is com-pass-ion and love, slow to an-ger and rich_ in mer - cy.



1. Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all within me, his holy name.
Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and never forget all his benefits. **R**
2. It is the Lord who forgives all your sins,
who heals every one of your ills,
who redeems your life from the grave,
who crowns you with mercy and compassion. **R**
3. He will not always find fault;
nor persist in his anger for ever.
He does not treat us according to our sins,
nor repay us according to our faults. **R**
4. For as the heav'ns are high above the earth
so strong is his love for those who fear him.
As far as the east is from the west
so far does he remove our transgressions. **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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