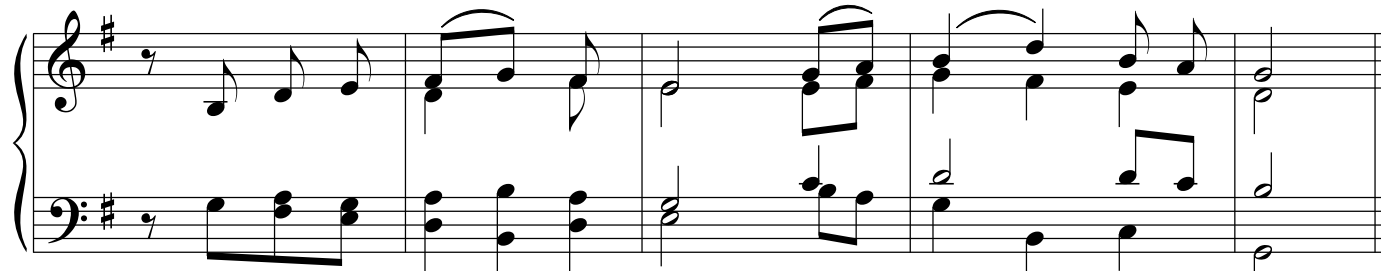


25th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

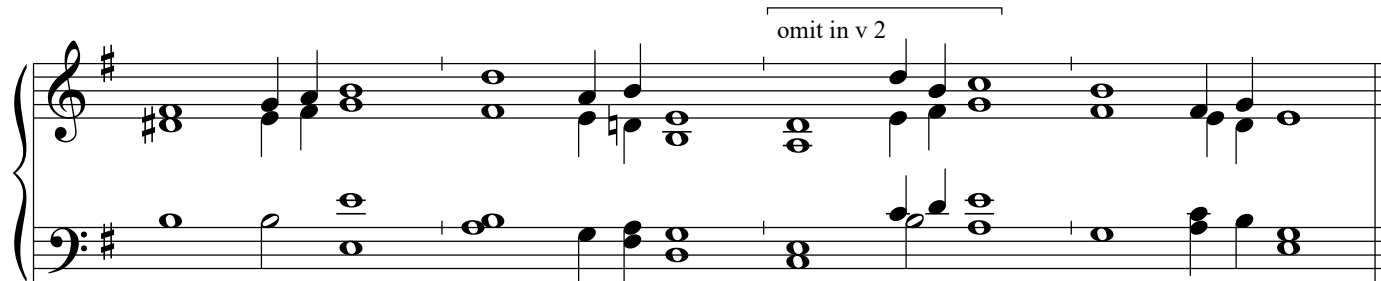
Psalm 53, vv 3-6, 8; refrain v 6

Robert Gower (b. 1952)

R The Lord up - holds my life. Give praise — to his name!



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1. O God, save me by your name;
by your power, uphold my cause.
O God, hear my prayer;
listen to the words of my mouth. *R*

2. For proud men have ris'n against me,
ruthless men seek my life.
They have no regard for God. *R*

3. But I have God for my help.
The Lord upholds my life.
I will sacrifice to you with willing heart
and praise your name, for it is good. *R*

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

From a complete 3-year cycle of Responsorial Psalms.

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