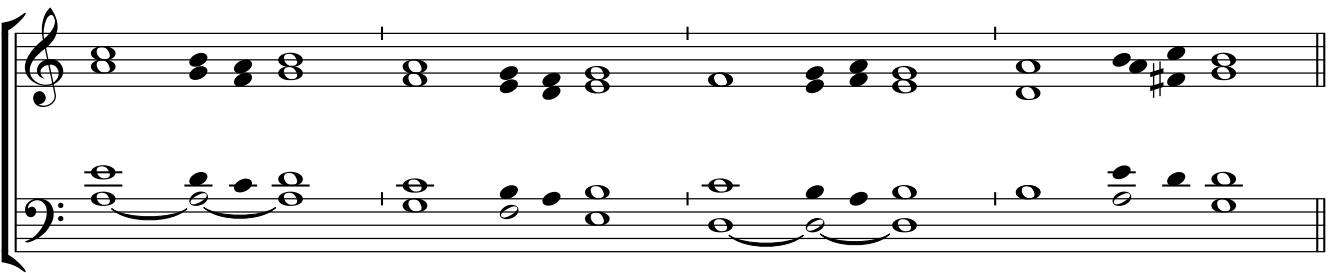
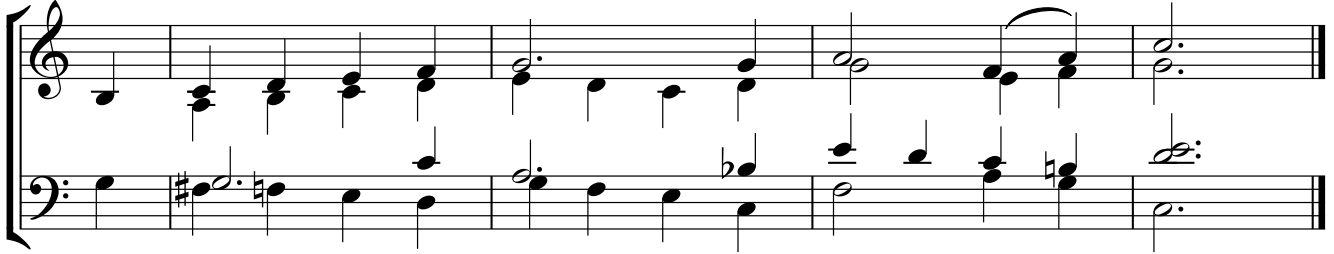


3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 18 (19): 8-10, 15. R. Jn 6:63

Robert Gower (b.1952)

R Your words are spi - rit, Lord and they are — life.



1. The law of the Lord is perfect,
it revives the soul.
The decrees of the Lord are steadfast,
they give wisdom to the simple. **R**
2. The precepts of the Lord are right,
they gladden the heart.
The command of the Lord is clear,
it gives light to the eyes. **R**
3. The fear of the Lord is pure,
abiding for ever.
The judgments of the Lord are true;
they are, all of them, just. **R**
4. May the spoken words of my mouth,
the thoughts of my heart,
win favour in your sight, O Lord,
my rock and my redeemer! **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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