

Blessed Are The Poor In Spirit

Psalm 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20

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Bless-ed are the poor in spi - rit; the King-dom of hea-ven theirs!

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1. Why should I fear in evil days
2. Yet in no way can a man redeem himself,
3. Fear not when a man grows rich,
4. Though in his lifetime he counted himself blessed,

A/C#

1. when my wicked ensnarers surround?
2. or pay his own ransom to God?
3. when the wealth of his house becomes his ruin,
4. "They will praise you for doing well for yourself."

G/B

1. They trust in their wealth
2. Too high is the price to redeem one's life; he would never have enough
3. For when he dies, he shall take none of it;
4. He shall not see his wealth, nor shall he see his forebears

D

1. The abundance of their riches is their boast.
2. to remain alive and not see destruction.
3. his wealth will not follow him down.
4. they shall not see light.

Verses used for Designated Feasts / Solemnities

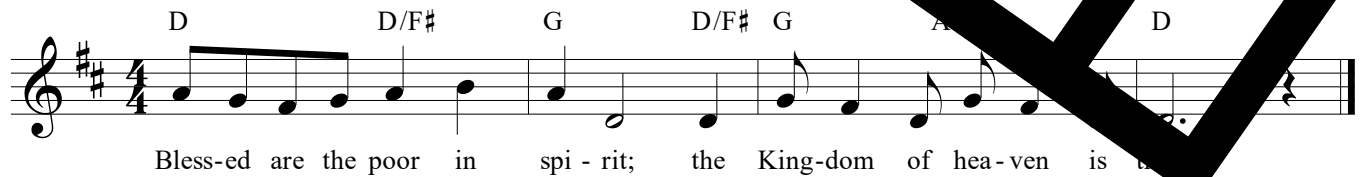
Friday of the 24th Week in Ordinary Time (Year I)

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Psalm 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11

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Bless-ed are the poor in spi - rit; the King-dom of hea-ven is

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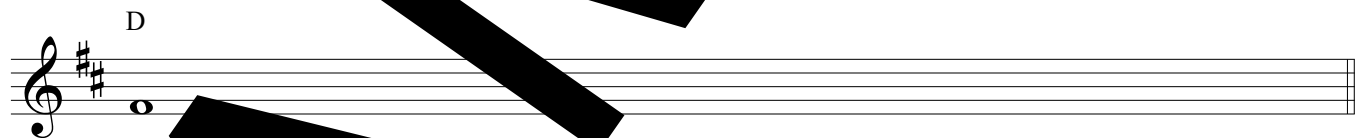
1. Hear this, all you peoples; hearken, all who dwell in the world,
2. Why should I fear in evil days when my wicked persecutors ring me round?
3. Yet in no way can a man redeem himself, or pay his own ransom to God;
4. For he can see that wise men die

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1. Of lowly birth or high degree,
2. They trust in their wealth;
3. Too high is the price to redeem one's life; he would never have enough
4. and likewise the foolish and stupid pass away,

D



1. rich and poor are alike; the eye does not see, nor does the ear hear,
2. the abundance of their riches is their boast.
3. They will remain there always and not see destruction.
4. leaving to others their wealth.

Verses used for Designate Feasts / Solemnities

Wednesday of Week in Ordinary Time (Year II)

Blessed Are The Poor In Spirit

Psalm 49:14-15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20

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Bless-ed are the poor in spi - rit; the King-dom of hea-ven is theirs!

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1. This is the way of those whose trust is folly,
2. Quickly their form is consumed;
3. Fear not when a man grows rich,
4. Though in his lifetime he counted himself blessed,

A/C#

1. the end of those contented is their lot:
2. the nether world is their palace;
3. when the wealth of his house becomes gone,
4. "They will praise you for doing well for you."

G/B

1. Like sheep they are herded into the nether world;
2. But God will redeem me
3. For he will not let the rich take hold of it;
4. He shall join the afflicted with his forebears

D

1. death is their shepherd and the upright rule over them.
2. from the power of the nether world by receiving me.
3. but the wealth shall not follow him down.
4. who shall never more see light.

Verses used for Designated Feasts / Solemnities

Thursday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time (Year II)