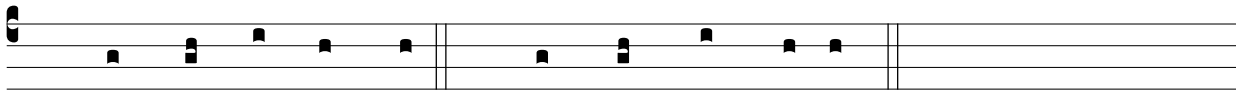
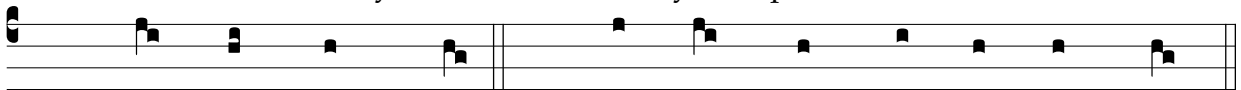


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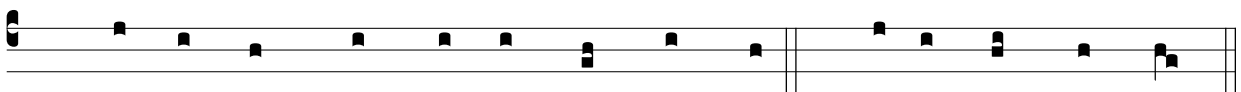
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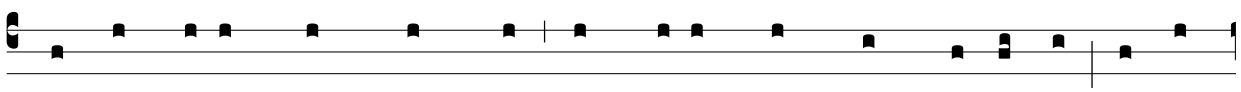
∇. The Lord be with you. Ṙ. And with your spir-it.



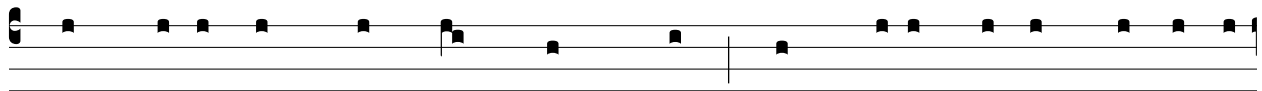
∇. Lift up your hearts. Ṙ. We lift them up to the Lord.



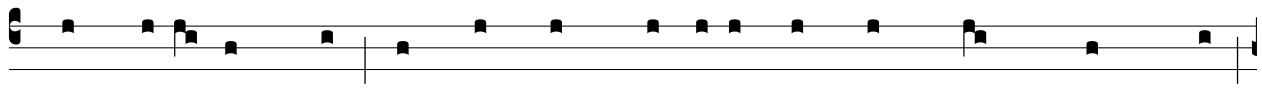
∇. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. Ṙ. It is right and just.



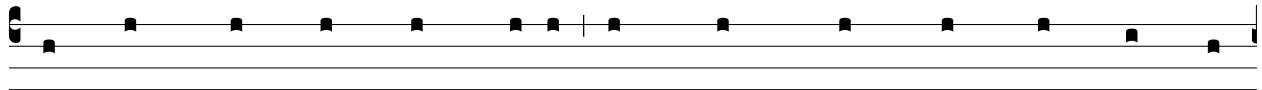
It is truly right and just, our duty and our sal-va-tion, al-ways



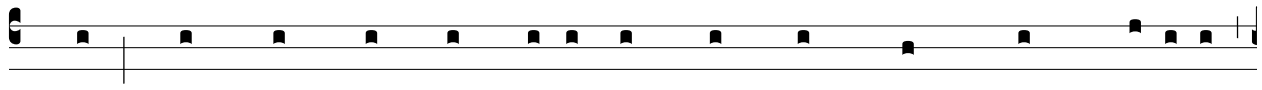
and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty



and e-ter-nal God. For in the myster-y of the Word made flesh



a new light of your glory has shone upon the eyes of our



mind, so that, as we recognize in him God made vis-i-ble,

we may be caught up through him in love of things in-

vis-i-ble. And so, with Angels and Archangels, with Thrones and

Do-min-ions, and with all the hosts and Pow-ers of heav-en, we

sing the hymn of your glo-ry, as without end we ac-claim: