Psalm 146

Introduction. Cantor sings refrain. All repeat refrain. Cantor sings verses. All sing refrain after each group of verses. In the psalm-tone the singer leaves the reciting note on the underlined word or syllable.



- (*) Hallelujah!
- (1) Praise God, O my soul! I will praise God as long as I live;
- (2) I will sing praises while I have my being.
- (3) Put not your trust in rulers, nor in any child of earth, for there is no help in them.
- (4) When they breathe their last, they return to earth, and in that day their thoughts <u>per</u>ish. **R.**
- (1) Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help! Whose hope is in the Most High;
- (2) Who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them; whose promise abides <u>for</u> ever.
- (3) Who gives justice to those who are oppressed, and food to those who hunger.
- (4) It is God who sets the prisoners free; R.
- (1) Who opens the eyes of the blind;
- (2) and lifts up those who are bowed down;
- (3) God loves the righteous and cares for the stranger,
- (4) sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way of the wicked. **R.**
- (1) The Most High shall reign for ever,
- (3) your God, O Zion, throughout all generations.
- (*) Hallelujah! R.