

Psalm 30, Easter 3C

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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.

Introduction *rit.*

After last refrain

Re-mem-ber God's ho-li-ness and praise God.

- (1) I will exalt you, O God, because you have lifted me up and have not let my enemies triumph over me.
- (2) O my God, I cried out to you, and you restored me to health.
- (3) You brought me up, O God from the dead;
- (4) you restored my life as I was going down to the grave. **R.**

- (1) Sing to the Most High, all you servants;
- (2) give thanks for the remembrance of God's holiness.
- (1) For wrath endures but the twinkling of an eye,
- (2) but favour for a lifetime.
- (3) Weeping may spend the night,
- (4) but joy comes in the morning. **R.**

- (1) While I felt secure, I said, "I shall never be disturbed."
- (2) You, God, with your favour, made me as strong as the mountains."
- (3) Then you hid your face,
- (4) and I was filled with fear. **R.**

- (1) I cried to you, O God;
- (2) I pleaded with you and said,
- (3) "What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the Pit?"
- (4) will the dust praise you or declare your faithfulness? **R.**

- (1) Hear, O God, and have mercy upon me;
- (2) O God, be my helper."
- (1) You have turned my wailing into dancing;
- (2) you have put off my sack-cloth and clothed me with joy.
- (3) Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing;
- (4) O God, I will give you thanks for ever. **R.**