

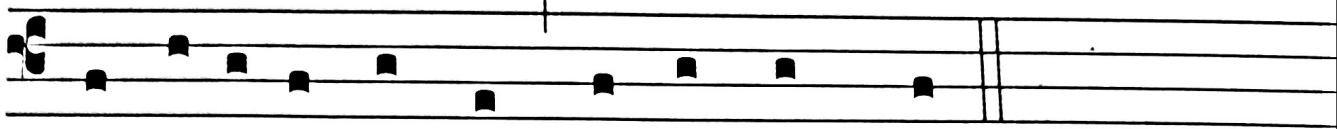
# FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM A

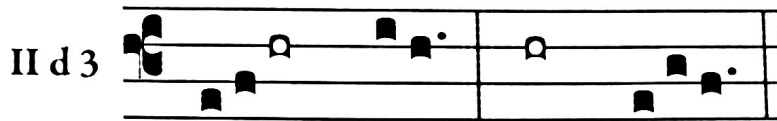
cf. Ps. 51:3a

Ps. 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14,

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E merci-ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.



1. *Have mer-* | *cy* on me, O God, in *your goodness* ; \*  
in the greatness of your compassion wipe out *my offense*.  
Thoroughly wash me from *my guilt* \*  
and of *my sin* cleanse me.
2. *For I* | acknowledge my *offense*, \*  
and my sin is *before me* always:  
“ Against you only have *I sinned*, \*  
and done what is evil *in your sight*. ”
3. *A clean* | heart create for me, O God, \*  
and a steadfast spirit *renew within* me.  
Cast me not out from *your presence*, \*  
and your Holy Spirit take *not from me*.
4. *Give me* | back the joy of your *salvation*, \*  
and a willing spirit *sustain in me*.  
O Lord, open *my lips*, \*  
and my mouth shall *proclaim your praise*.

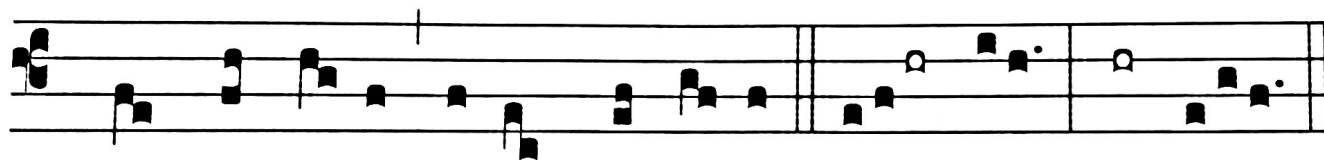
*Gospel Acclamation, 36.*

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ABC

*Mt 4:4b*

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Raise and honor to you, Lord Je-sus!

ϕ. *One does* | not live on bread *alone*, \*

but on every word that comes forth from the *mouth of God*.