

# Feast of the Epiphany

Year A-B-C (RCL text)

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REFRAIN

*Adorabunt eum omnes reges*

MODE 7

$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 160$

Organ

*(chanters or full men)*

*(full men)*

T  
B

All kings shall bow\_ down\_ be- fore\_ him; \* all the na - tions shall do\_ him\_ ser - vice.

Organ

*(full)*

S  
A

*(all)* All kings shall bow\_ down\_ be- fore\_ him; all the na - tions shall do\_ him\_ ser - vice.

T  
B

Organ

PSALM 72

*Deus, iudicium*

TONE 7-c

T B

(*chanters or full men*) 1. Give the King your jus - tice, O God, \*

Organ

8

T B

(*full men*) and your righ - teous - ness to the King's Son;

Organ

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S A

2. That he may rule your peo - ple righ - teous - ly; \*

T B

13

S A

and the poor with jus - tice.

T B

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S  
A

(all) All kings shall bow down be-fore him; all the na-tions shall do him ser-vice.

T  
B

Organ

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S  
A

3. That the moun-tains may bring pro-spe-ri-ty to the peo-ple

Organ

21

S  
A

and the lit-tle hills bring righ-teous-nes.

Organ

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S  
A

4. He shall de-fend the need-y a-mong the peo-ple, he shall

T  
B

Organ

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27 res - cue the poor and crush the op - pres - sor.

S  
A  
res - cue the poor and crush the op - pres - sor.  
res - cue the poor and crush the op - pres - sor.

T  
B  
res - cue the poor and crush the op - pres - sor.

32 ♩ = c. 160

S  
A  
(all) All kings shall bow down be - fore him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

T  
B  
♩ = c. 160

Organ

T  
B  
5. He shall live as long as the sun and moon en - dure, \*

Organ

35

T  
B  
from one ge - ne - ra - tion to an - oth - er.

Organ

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S  
A

6. He shall come down like rain up - on the mown field, like

T  
B

40

S  
A

show - ers that wa - ter the earth.

T  
B

44

♩ = c. 160

S  
A

(all) All kings shall bow down be - fore him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

T  
B

♩ = c. 160

Organ

S  
A

7. In his time shall the righ - teous flour - ish; \*

Organ

47

S  
A

there shall be a - bun - dance of peace till the moon shall be no more.

Organ

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S  
A  
8. He shall rule from sea to sea, \*

T  
B

52

S  
A  
and from the Riv - er to the ends of the earth.

T  
B

57  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 160$

S  
A  
(all) All kings shall bow down be - fore him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

T  
B

$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 160$

Organ

59

T  
B  
9. His foes shall bow down be - fore him,

Organ

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60

T B

and his e - ne - mies lick the dust.

Organ

61  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 96$

S A

10. The kings of Tar - shish and of the isles shall pay tri - bute,

T B

67

S A

and the kings of A - ra - bi - a and Sa - ba of - fer gifts.

T B

$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 160$

S A

(all) All kings shall bow down be - fore him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

T B

Organ

S A

11. All kings shall bow down be - fore him,

Organ

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75

S  
A

and all the na - tions do him ser - vice.

Organ

$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 96$

S  
A

12. For he shall de - liv - er the poor who cries out in dis -

T  
B

81

S  
A

tress, and the op - pressed who has no hel - per.

T  
B

86  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 160$

S  
A

(all) All kings shall bow down be fore him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

T  
B

$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 160$

Organ



T B

13. He shall have pit - y on the low - ly and the poor; \*

Organ

89

T B

he shall pre - serve the lives of the nee - dy. \_\_\_\_\_

Organ

♩ = c. 96

S A

14. He shall re - deem their lives from op - pres - sion and vi - o -

T B

94

S A

lence, \* and dear shall their blood be in his sight.

T B

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S A

(all) All kings shall bow down be - fore him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

T B

♩ = c. 160

Organ

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S  
A

15 (a). Long may he live! and may there be giv - en to him gold from A - ra - bi - a;

Organ

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S  
A

15 (b). May pray'r be made for him al - ways,

T  
B

108

S  
A

and may they bless him all the day long.

T  
B

♩ = c. 160

S  
A

(all) All kings shall bow down be fore him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

T  
B

Organ

♩ = c. 160

T  
B

16 (a). May there be a - bun - dance of grain on the earth,

Organ

116

T  
B

grow - ing thick e - ven on the hill - tops;

Organ

$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 96$

S  
A

16 (b). may its fruit flou - rish like Le - ba - non, \*

T  
B

121

S  
A

and its grain like grass up - on the earth.  
and its grain like grass up - on the earth.

T  
B

and its grain like grass up - on the earth.

$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 160$

S  
A

(all) All kings shall bow down before him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

T  
B

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Organ

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S  
A

17 (a). May his Name re - main for ev - er

Organ

S  
A

129

and be e - stab - lished as long as the sun en - dure;

Organ

♩ = c. 96

S  
A

17 (b). may all the na - tions bless them - selves in

T  
B

S  
A

133

him and call him bless - - - ed.

T  
B

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S  
A

(all) All kings shall bow down be - fore him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

T  
B

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Organ

T B

18. Bles - sed be the Lord *God*, the God of Is - ra - el,

Organ

140

T B

who a - lone does won - drous deeds!

Organ

♩ = c. 96

S A

19. And bles - sed be his glo - rious Name for ev - er! and may

T B

146

S A

all the earth be filled with his glo - ry. A - men, a - men.

T B

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$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 152$

S  
A

(all) All kings shall bow\_\_ down\_\_ be- fore\_\_ him; all the na - tions shall do\_\_ him\_\_ ser - vice.

T  
B

$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 152$

Organ

S  
A

Glo - ry to the Fa - ther and to the Son \*

Organ

155

S  
A

and to the Ho - ly Spi - rit.

Organ

S  
A

As it was in the\_\_ be - gin - ning, is now, \* and

T  
B

160

S  
A  
T  
B

will be for ev - er. A - - - men.

S  
A  
T  
B

(all) All kings shall bow down be- fore him; all the na - tions shall do him ser - vice.

Organ

### LITURGICAL USE:

**1. Entrance procession** -- as written, repeating the refrain after each pair of verses. Four or eight singers might be placed in the chancel to sing the polyphony. If desired, a Station could be made at the chancel step. The choir would pause after the repetition of the refrain when the Celebrant reaches the foot of the Rood; the Celebrant would chant an appropriate verse and Collect, such as:

V. - Arise and shine, O Jerusalem, for thy light is come:

R. - **And the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee.**

Let us pray: Almighty God, who hast poured upon us the new light of thine incarnate Word: grant that the same light enkindled in our hearts may shine forth in our lives. Through the same Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee in the Unity of the Holy Ghost, One God, world without end.

R. - Amen.

*Then the chant would resume as the procession moves into the chancel.*

*Gloria Patri must not be sung until all are in place and the incensation of the altar is completed. If the Psalm ends before that, the organist will extemporise until the incensations are done; then the chanters will intone "Gloria Patri" and the refrain will be sung one last time.*

**2. Lesson Chant** -- The Psalm may be sung entire, without refrain or Gloria Patri; or verses may be selected, and the refrain be repeated after each pair of verses.

**3. Offertory or Communion procession** -- As at the entrance, with refrain and Gloria Patri.