

Communion Antiphon for Divine Worship

Pater cum essem (Jn 17:12,13,15)

Comm. IV
FATHER * while I was with them in the world, I kept those that thou gavest me, alle- lu- ia; and now I come to thee: I pray thee not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the e-vil. Alle- lu-ia. Alle- lu- ia.

Plainsong Gradual

Comm. IV
FATHER, * while I was with them in the world, I kept those that thou gavest to me, alle- lu- ya: and now I come unto thee: I pray thee not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the e-vil, al-le-lu-ya, alle- lu- ya.

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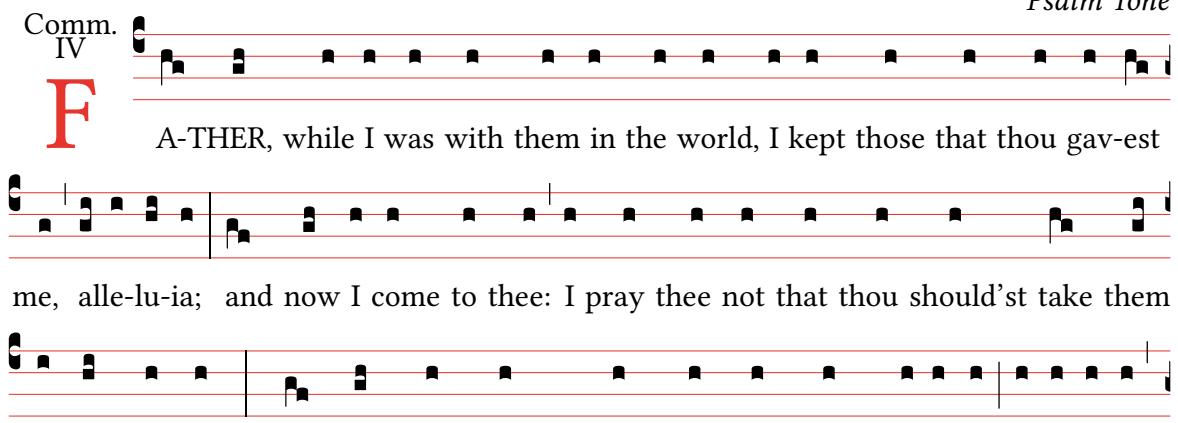
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A-TER, * cum es-sem cum e- is, ego servábam e-os, quos de-dísti
mi- hi, alle- lú- ia: nunc au- tem ad te vé- ni- o: non ro- go ut tollas e-os
de mun- do, sed ut serves e- os a ma-lo, al-le-lú-ia, alle- lú- ia.

Psalm Tone

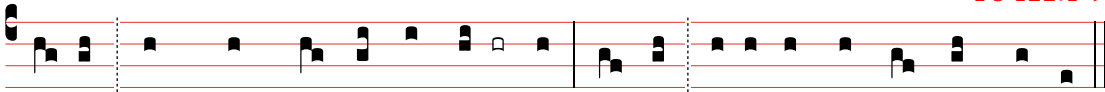
Comm. IV
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A-THER, while I was with them in the world, I kept those that thou gav-est
me, alle-lu-ia; and now I come to thee: I pray thee not that thou should'st take them
out of the world, but that thou should'st keep them safe from the ev-il. Alle-lu-ia,
Al-le-lu-ia.

One or more psalm verses and a Glory Be may be sung in alternation with the antiphon (see over)

Ps 122:1-9

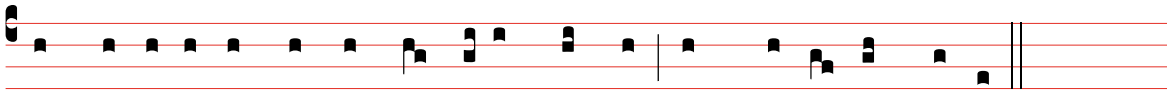
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I was glad when *they* said un-to me : we will go into the *house* of the Lord.

2. - | Our feet *shall* stand in *thy* gates : - | O *Je*-rusalem.
3. Jerusalem is *built* as a *ci*-ty : that is at uni-ty in itself.
4. For thither the tribes go up, even *the* tribes of *the* Lord : to testify unto Israel, to give thanks unto the *Name* of the Lord.
5. For there is *the* seat of *judge*-ment : even the seat of the *house* of David.
6. O pray for the *peace* of *Je*-ru-salem : - | they shall pros-*per* that love thee.
7. - | *Peace* be with-*in* thy walls : and plenteousness within *thy* palaces.
8. For my breth-*ren* and com-*pan*-ions' sakes : I will wish thee *pros*-perity.
9. Yea, because of the *house* of the *Lord* our God : - | I will seek *to* do thee good.

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GLORY be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Ghost: as it was



in the be-ginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.