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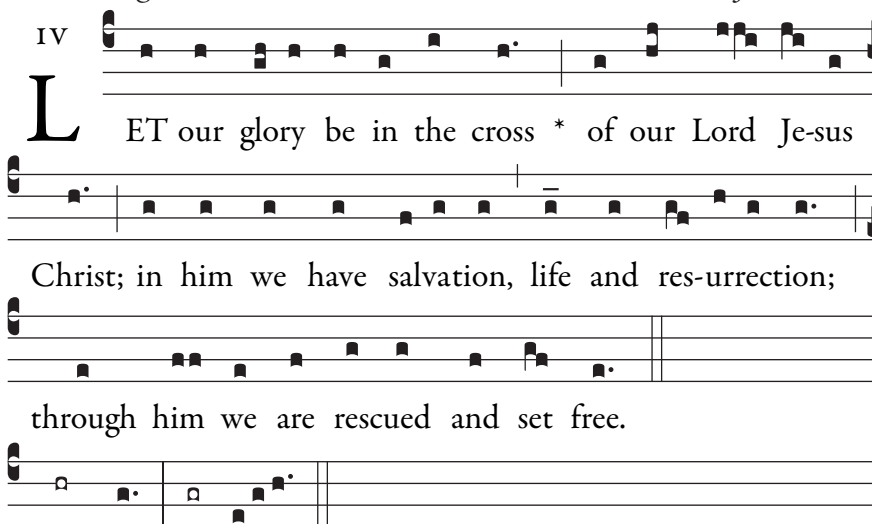
THE TRIUMPH OF THE CROSS

INTROIT

Nos autem gloriari

Cf. Gal 6: 14

IV



L ET our glory be in the cross * of our Lord Je-sus
Christ; in him we have salvation, life and res-urrection;
through him we are rescued and set free.

Psalm 67 (66)

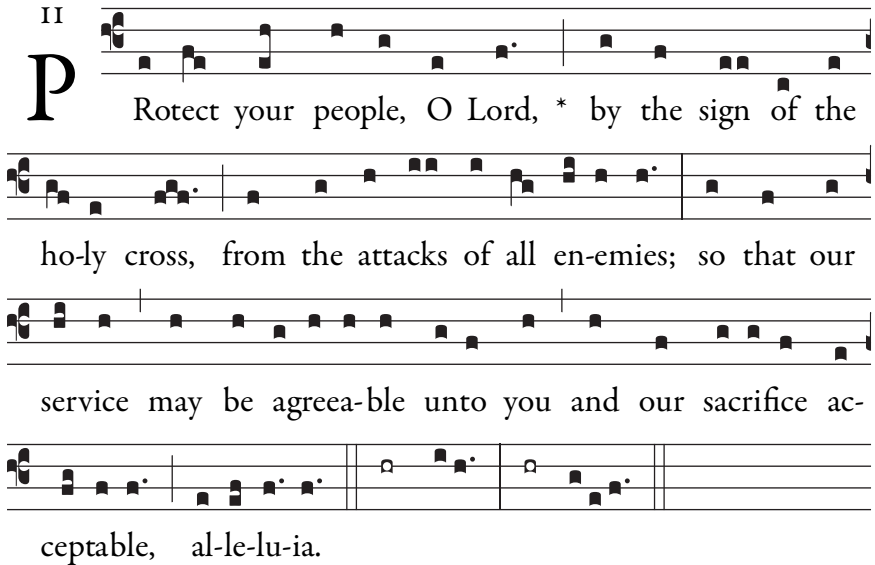
1. O God, be gracious and **ble**ss us *
and let your face shed its *light upon* us.
So will your ways be known upon **earth** *
and all nations learn *your salvation*.
2. Let the peoples praise you, O **God**; *
let all the *peoples* praise you.
3. Let the nations be glad and shout for joy, †
with uprightnes you rule the **peoples**; *
you guide the *nations on earth*.
4. Let the peoples praise you, O **God**; *
let all the *peoples* praise you.

5. The earth has yielded its **fruit** *
 for God, our *God, has* **blessed** us.
 May God still give us his **blessing** *
 that all the ends of the earth *may* **revere** him.

Glory be to the Father ...

OFFERTORY

Protege, Domine


II
P  **Protect** your people, O Lord, * by the sign of the
 ho-ly cross, from the attacks of all en-emies; so that our
 service may be agreea-ble unto you and our sacrifice ac-
 ceptable, al-le-lu-ia.

1. We humbly beseech you, holy cross of **God**, *
 by your power defend our hearts, *guard our minds*,
 sanctify our thoughts, through **Jesus Christ** *
 Who hung *upon* you.
2. You, who for the salvation of the world †
 hung blameless on the wood of *the* **cross**: *
 have mercy on the people whom *you* **redeemed**:
 so that, marked with your **holy sign**, *
 they may be safe *from all* **dangers**.

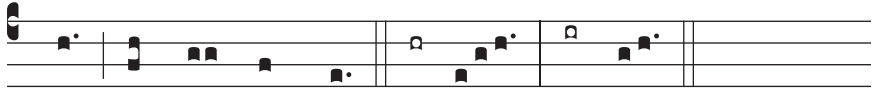
3. O Savior of the world, save *us all*,*
 and kindly expend for us all *things that aid*:
 and drive all harmful things far *from us*.*
 Extend the right hand of your majesty *to protect us*.

COMMUNION

Per signum crucis

IV 

B Y the sign of the cross, de-liver us from our en-e-



mies, O Lord our God.

Psalm 18 (17)

1. I love you, *LORD, my strength*;*
 O LORD, my rock, my fortress, *my savior*;
 my God, my rock where *I take refuge*;*
 my shield, my saving strength, *my stronghold*.
 I cry out, "Praised *be the LORD!*"*
 and see, I am saved from *my foes*.
2. He saved me from my *powerful foe*,*
 from my enemies, whose strength I could *not match*.

Glory be to the Father ...

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