

Ash Wednesday

Wis 11: 24-25, 27; Ps 56

Introit I

M I-se- ré-ris * ómni- um, Dómi-ne, et ni-hil o-dí-sti
e- ó-rum quae fe-cí- sti, dissí- mu-lans peccá-ta hómi- num propter
pae- ni- tén-ti- am, et parcens il-lis: qui- a tu es Dóminus De-
us noster. *Ps.* Mi-se-ré-re me- i De- us, mi-se-ré-re me- i: * quó- ni-
am in te confí-dit á- nima me- a. Gló-ri- a Patri. E u o
u a e.

You are merciful to all, O Lord, and despise nothing that You have made. You overlook people's sins, to bring them to repentance, and You spare them, for You are the Lord our God.

℣. Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful to me, for my soul confides in You.

During the distribution of ashes

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Cf. Joel 2:3

Antiphon

Mmu-té- mur * há-bi-tu, in cí-ne- re et ci- lí- ci-
o : ie- iu- né- mus, et plo- ré- mus an- te Dó- mi- num :
qui- a multum mi-sé- ri-cors est di-mít-te- re peccá-
ta no- stra De- us noster. IMmu-té- mur* *simple incipit*

Let us change our garments to sackcloth and ashes, let us fast and weep before the Lord, that our God, rich in mercy, might forgive us our sins.

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Ps 29: 2, 3

Offertory II

X- altá- bo te * Dó-mi-ne, quó- ni- am su- sce- pí-sti
me, nec de- le- ctá-sti in-i-mí-cos me- os su- per
me : Dó-mi- ne clamá-vi ad te, et sa- ná- -sti me.

I will extol You, O Lord, for You have drawn me up, and have not let my foes rejoice over me. O Lord, I cried unto You and You healed me.

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Ps 1 : 2b, 3b

Communion III

UI me-di-tá-bi-tur * in le-ge Dómi-ni di- e ac
no-cte, da-bit fru-ctum su-um in témpo-re su- o. QUI
me- di- tá- bi- tur* *simple incipit*

He who ponders the law of the Lord day and night will yield fruit in due season.