

FIRST SUNDAY  
OF LENT

## Introit

Ps 90: 15, 16 and 1

VIII

I Nvo-cá-bit me, \* et e- go exáu-di- am e-  
um : e- rí- pi- am e- um, et glo-ri- fi-cá- bo  
e- um : longi-tú-di-ne di- é- rum a-dimplé- bo  
e- um. Ps. Qui há-bi-tat in adiu-tó-ri- o Altíssimi,  
in pro-tecti- óne De- i cae-li commo- rá- bi-tur.

When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will rescue him and honour him; with long life will I satisfy him. ¶ He who abides in the shelter of the Most High, shall remain under the protection of the God of Heaven.

## Opening Prayer

**C**ONCEDE nobis, omnípotens Deus, ut, per ánnua quadragesimális exercítia sacraménti, et ad intellegéndum Christi proficiámus arcánum, et efféctus eius digna conversatióne sectémur.

**F**AATHER through our obser-vance of Lent, help us to understand the meaning of your Son's death and resurrec-tion, and teach us to reflect it in our lives.