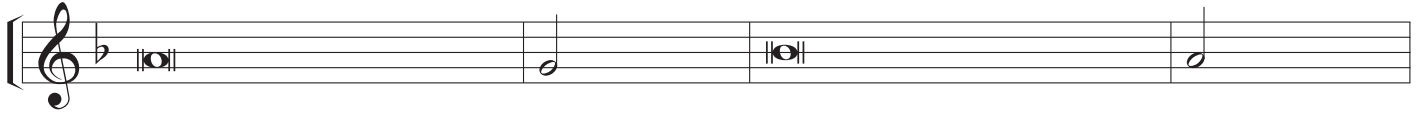
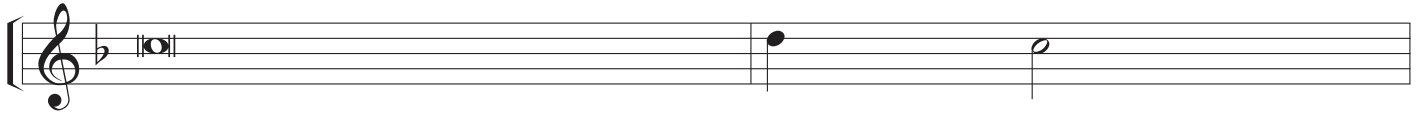


# Universal Prayer

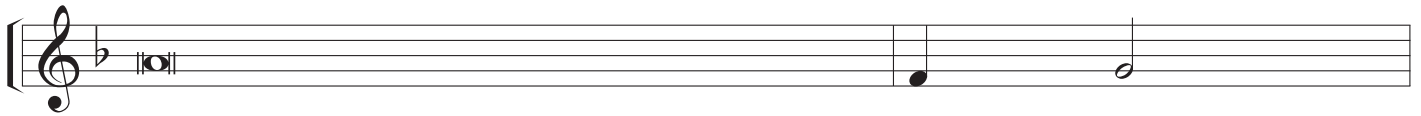
Cantillazione



1 The Lord of life and his - tory gives the help of Holy Spi - rit



to human pilgrims in their journey through time,



so that they may recognise the ways that lead to good



and be able to proclaim: Je - sus is Lord. with firm hope,



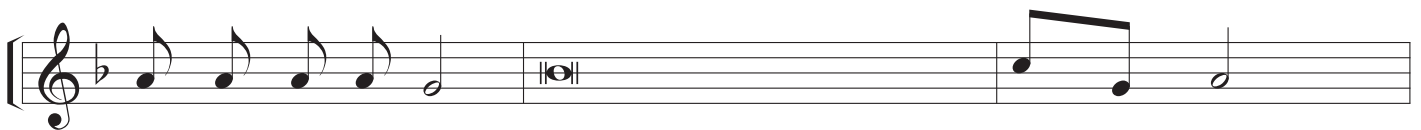
let us call upon our hea-ven - ly Fa - ther. (Refrain) O



Lord! have mer - cy, O Lord! have mer - cy, O



Lord! hear your peo - ple.



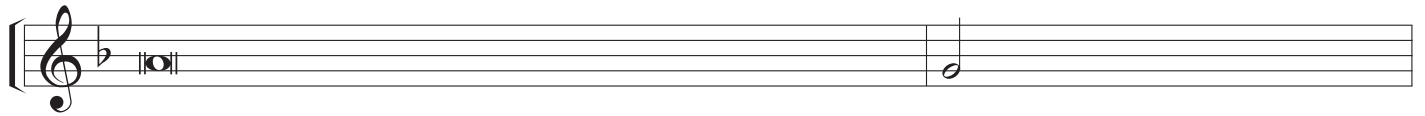
2 Bro - thers and sis - ters, let us offer our prayer to the Fa - ther



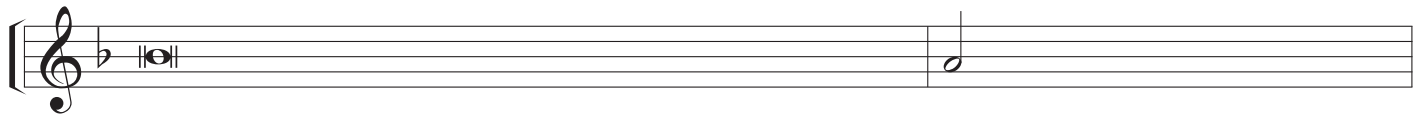
who in Christ opens the gates of hope



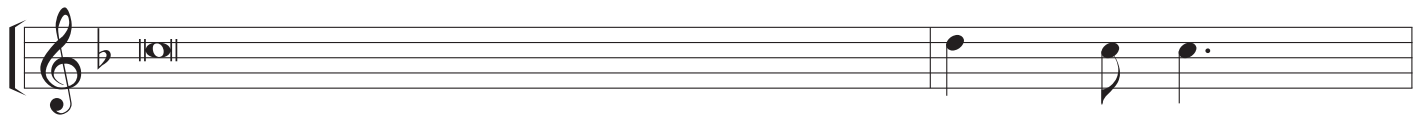
and of life to all hu-man be - ings. (Refrain) O



3 The Word of God to which we have li - stened



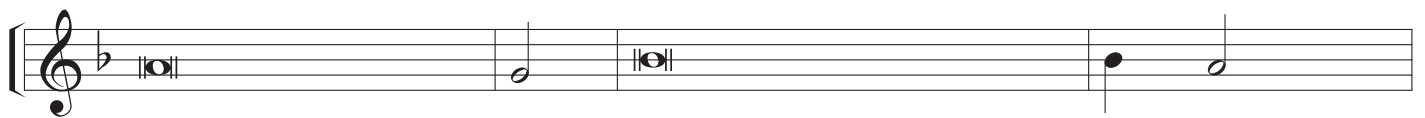
is the foundation of our faith, the nourishment of our hope



and the ferment of our fraternal cha - ri - ty.



Let us invoke the Father for the needs of the world. (Refrain) O



4 In trust and in uni - ty, let us offer our prayer to the Fa - ther,



who has called us to partake of the joy of His King - dom. (Refrain) O