

The Lord is kind and merciful

Psalm 102

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Year A

Moderato

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The Lord is kind and mer - ci-ful, slow to an-ger and rich in com-pass-ion.

F C/E B \flat /D C/E F F/A B \flat B \flat /F F

The musical score is in 4/4 time and B-flat major. It features a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The piano part consists of a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line. The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

Psalm Tone

F C Dm Am B \flat F/A Gm C(sus4) C

The Psalm Tone is a single melodic line in 4/4 time, B-flat major. It consists of a series of notes with slurs and fermatas, corresponding to the chords listed above.

1. My soul, give thanks to the Lord,
all my being, bless his ho-ly name.
My soul, give thanks to the Lord
and never forget all his blessings.

2. It is he who forgives all your guilt,
who heals every one of your ills,
who redeems your life from the grave,
who crowns you with love and compassion.

3. His wrath will come to an end;
he will not be an-gry for ever.
He does not treat us according to our sins
nor repay us according to our faults.

4. For as the heavens are high a-bove the earth,
so strong is his love for those who fear him,
As far as the east is from the west,
so far does he re-move our sins.