

# The Lord is near to all who call him

Psalm 144

25th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Year A

Moderato ♩ = 80

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The Lord is near to all who call him, near to all who call!

Gm Gm/F C/E C/E $\flat$  Gm/D C D(sus4) D

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## Psalm Tone

E $\flat$  B $\flat$  Cm Gm Gm/F E $\flat$ maj7 Cm<sup>6</sup> D(sus4) D

\* (see note below)

\* NB. In this psalm tone, change the pitch for the final phrase on the first **accented** syllable of the text.  
 (hence the bolding on '**great**', rather than 'his', which should be sung to the same pitch as the end of phrase 3)

1. I will bless you day after **day**  
 and praise your **name** for ever.  
 The Lord is great, highly to be **praised**.  
 His **great**-ness cannot be measured.
2. The Lord is kind and full of com-**pass**-ion,  
 slow to anger, aboun-**ding** in love.  
 How good is the Lord to all,  
 com-**pass**-ionate to all **his** creatures.
3. The Lord is just in all his **ways**  
 and loving in **all** his deeds.  
 He is close to all who **call** him,  
 who **call** on him from **their** hearts.