

# Responsorial Psalm (C)

Other uses: Thursday after Ash Wednesday, II Lent (Thursday), Week VII (Thursday I), Week XXVII (Thursday I), Week XXIX (Thursday I) and several dates in the Proper of Saints

*R* Psalm 40 (39): 5a

Bless-ed are they who hope in the Lord.

*V* Psalm 1: 1-2. 3. 4, 6.

1. Blessèd indeed is the man who follows not the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the path with sinners,  
 2. He is like a tree that is planted beside the flow - ing waters,  
 3. Not so are the wick-ed, not so!

1. nor abides in the compan - - y of scorners,  
 2. that yields its fruit in due season,  
 3. For they, like winnowed chaff, shall be driven a - way by the wind.

*May be sung in SATB*

1. but whose delight is in the law of the Lord, and who ponders his law day\_ and night. *R*  
 2. and whose leaves shall nev - er fade; and all that he does shall prosper. *R*  
 3. For the Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wick-ed will perish *R*