

Communion (BC)

Other uses: IV Lent (Thursday)

℣ *Psalm 71 (70): 16*

O Lord, I will be mind - ful of your jus - tice a - lone.

℣ *Psalm 71 (70): 17a, 18a, 1, 2-3, 5-6, 9, 12, 14, 23.*

(Omit ℣ 4 in Lent)

1. O God, you have taught me from my youth. Even though I am old and grey-headed, do not for - sake me, O God.

2. In your uprightness, rescue me, free me; incline your ear to me and save me.

3. It is you, O Lord, who are my hope, my trust, O Lord, from my youth.

4. Do not reject me now that I am old; when my strength fails, do not for - sake me.

5. But as for me, I will always hope, and praise you more and more.

May be sung in SATB

1. In you, O Lord, I take refuge;

2. Be my rock, my constant refuge, a mighty stronghold to save me;

3. On you I have leaned from my birth;

4. O God, do not stay afar off;

5. When I sing to you, my lips shall shout for joy;

1. let me never be — put to shame. ℣

2. for you are my rock my stronghold. ℣

3. from my mother's womb you have drawn me forth. ℣

4. O my God, make haste to help me. ℣

5. and my soul, which you — have re - deemed. ℣