

Lectio septima

Job 17:1-3, 11-15
(Douay-Rheims)

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My spirit shall be wasted, *my days shall be shortened*

Superius Spi - ri-tus me - us at - te-nu - a - bi-tur, di - es me - i bre-vi - a-bun -

Altus Spi - ri-tus me - us at - te-nu - a - bi-tur, di - es me - i bre-vi - a-bun -

Tenor Spi - ri-tus me - us at-te-nu - a - bi-tur, di - es me - i bre-vi - a-bun -

Bassus Spi - ri-tus me - us at - te-nu - a - bi-tur, di - es me - i bre-vi - a-bun -

5 and only the grave remaineth for me. *I have not sinned,*

 tur, et so-lum mi - hi su - per-est se - pul - crum. Non pec-ca - vi, et in a -

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10 and my eye abideth in bitterness. *Deliver me, O Lord, and set me beside thee,*

 ma - ri - tu-di - ni - bus mo - ra-tur o - cu-lus me - us. Li-be-ra me, Do-mi - ne, et

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and let any man's hand fight against me.

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po-ne me jux - ta # # te, et cu-jus-vis ma-nus pu-gnet con-tra me.
 po-ne me jux - ta te, et cu-jus-vis ma-nus pu-gnet con-tra me.
 po-ne me jux - ta te, et cu-jus-vis ma-nus pu-gnet con - tra me.
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Secunda pars

My days have passed away, my thoughts are dissipated,

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Di - es me - i trans - i - e - runt; co-gi - ta - ti - o - nes me - ae dis-si - pa - tae sunt, tor -
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*torturing my heart.**They have turned night into day, and after darkness I hope for light again.*

quen - tes cor me - um. No - ctem ver - te - runt in di - em, et rur - sum post te -
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If I wait hell is my house,

- ne-bras spe-ro lu - cem. in - fe-nus do-mus me-a est; et
 te-ne-bras spe-ro lu - cem. in - fe-nus do-mus me-a est; et
 te-ne-bras spe-ro lu - cem. Si su-sti-nu-e-ro, in - fe-nus do - mus me-a est; et
 te-ne-bras spe-ro lu - cem. Si su-sti-nu-e-ro, in - fe-nus do - mus me-a est; et
 and I have made my bed in darkness. I have said to rottenness: Thou art my father;
 in te-ne-bris stra-vi le-ctu-lum me-um. Pu-tre-di - ni di - xi: Pa-ter me-us es; ma-ter me-
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 in te-ne-bris stra-vi le-ctu-lum me-um. Pu-tre - di-ni di - xi: Pa-ter me-us es; ma-ter me-
 in te-ne-bris stra-vi le-ctu-lum me-um. Pa-ter me-us es; ma-ter me-
 to worms, my mother and my sister. Where is now then my expectation,
 a, et so-ror me - a, ver - mi - bus. U - bi est er - go nunc prae-sto-la - ti - o me -
 a, et so-ror me - a, ver - mi - bus. U - bi est er - go nunc prae-sto-la - ti - o me -
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 a, et so-ror me - a, ver - mi - bus.

a et pa-ti-en-ti - a me- a? Tu es Do-mi - ne De - us me - us.
a et pa-ti-en-ti - a me- a? Tu es Do - mi - ne De - us me - us.
a et pa-ti-en-ti - a me- a? Tu es Do-mi - ne De - us me -
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