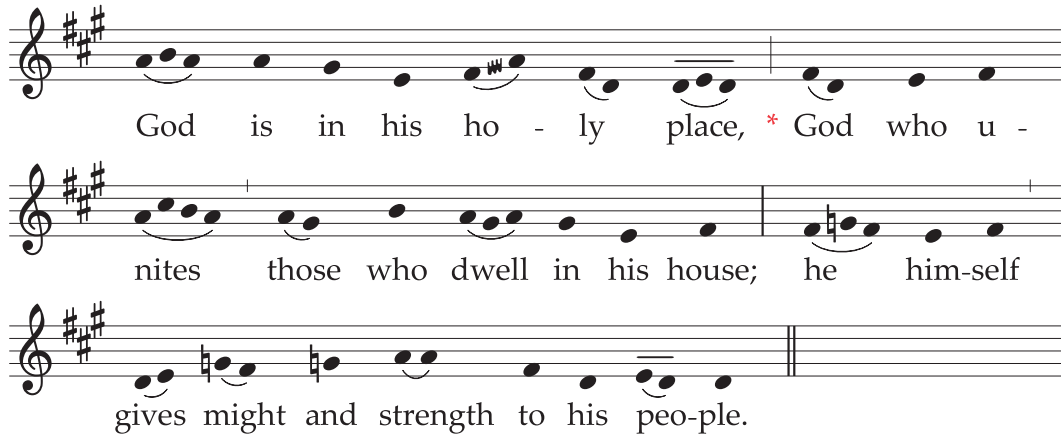


THE DEDICATION OF A CHURCH

Entrance Antiphon, first option

(Chapter II, no. 45)

Mode 5



God is in his ho - ly place, * God who u -
nites those who dwell in his house; he him-self
gives might and strength to his peo-ple.



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Psalm 122 (121)

- 1 I rejoiced when they said *to me*, *
"Let us go to the house of the LORD."
- 2 And now our feet are **standing** *
within your gates, O Jerusalem. **R.**
- 3 Jerusalem is built as *a city* *
bonded as *one together*.
- 4 It is there that the tribes go **up**, *
the tribes of the LORD,
as it is decreed for Israel, *
to give thanks to the name of the LORD. **R.**
- 5 There were set the thrones for **judgment**, *
the thrones of the house of David.
- 6 For the peace of Jerusalem **pray**, *
"May they prosper, *those who love you*."
- 7 May peace abide in *your walls*, *
and security be in *your towers*. **R.**
- 8 For the sake of my family and **friends**, *
let me say, "Peace upon you."
- 9 For the sake of the house of the LORD, *our God*, *
I will seek good *things for you*. **R.**