## Gradual

The Gradual hymn for Trinity Sunday, *Benedictus es Domine Deus*, will be sung in place of the responsorial psalm. The first half of each verse will be sung by a cantor. All will respond with the second half.



C. Bles-sed<sup>†</sup> are you, O lord, the God of our fathers.

† subsequent verses go straight to the reciting tone



*R*. And worthy to be práised and *gló*- rified for éver.

- 2. And bléssed is your glóri-ous, holy náme: And wórthy ...
- 3. Bléssed are you in the holy témple of your glóry: And wórthy ...
- 4. Bléssed are you upon the sacred thrône of your kingdom: And worthy ...
- 5. Bléssed are you through the mighty scéptre of your divinity: And worthy ...
- 6. Bléssed are you as you gáze into the dépths, enthróned up-on the Chérubim: And worthy ...
- 7. Bléssed are you as you tréad upon the wings of the wind, and on the waves of the sea: And worthy ...
- 8. Let all your Ángels and Saints bléss you:



*R*. And práise you and *gló*-rify you for éver.

- 9. Let the héavens, the éarth, the séa, and áll the things that dwéll there-in, bléss you: And práise you ...
- 10. Glóry be to the Fáther, and to the Són, and to the Hó-ly Spírit: Who is wórthy ...
- 11. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world with-out end. Amen: And worthy ...
- 12. Bléssed are you, O Lórd, the Gód of our fáthers: And wórthy ...