

## 13. Parce Domine

I. **P** Arce Dómine, parce pópu-lo tu-o: ne in  
*Spare, Lord spare Thy people: Do not*

ætérnum irascá-ris no-bis.  
*be angry with us forever*

1 Flectámus i-ram víndi-cem, Plo-rémus ante Júdi-cem;  
*Let us appease His wrath, beg for mercy from our Judge,*

Clamémus ore súpplíci, Dicámus omnes cérnu-i:  
*call upon Him in suppliant entreaty, let all of us offer this prayer.*

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| <p>2. Nostris malis offéndimus<br/>         Tuam Deus cleméntiam<br/>         Effúnde nobis désuper<br/>         Remíssor indulgéntiam.</p>      | <p>2. <i>Our sins have offended Thy<br/>         divine Mercy yet pour out on us<br/>         from heaven the grace of pardon.</i></p>  |
| <p>3. Dans tempus acceptábile,<br/>         Da lacrimárum rívlis<br/>         Laváre cordis víctimam,<br/>         Quam læta adúrat cárítas.</p> | <p>3. <i>Having given us this acceptable<br/>         time grant that we may purify<br/>         our hearts by abundant sorrow,<br/>         willingly consumed by the fires<br/>         of charity.</i></p> |
| <p>4. Audi, benígne Córditor,<br/>         Nostras preces cum fléribus<br/>         In hoc sacro jejúnio<br/>         Fusas quadragenáριο.</p>   | <p>4. <i>Hear, merciful Creator, the<br/>         prayers which we make with<br/>         tears in this holy fast of forty<br/>         days.</i></p>   |
| <p>5. Scrutátor alme córdium,<br/>         Infirma tu scis vírium;<br/>         Ad te revérsis éxhibe<br/>         Remissiónis grátiam.</p>      | <p>5. <i>Reader of hearts, Thou knowest<br/>         how weak is our strength, show<br/>         mercy to us who turn to Thee.</i></p>  |