

PSALM 4. *Cum invocarem*



- 1 AN-SWER me when I call, O God, defender of **my** cause; * you set me free when I am hard-pressed; have mercy on **me** and | hear my | prayer.
- 2 "You mortals, how long will you dishonour my **glo-ry**; *
- 3 Know that the Lord does wonders for the **faith-ful**; * when I call upon the Lord, **he** will hear me.
- 4 Tremble, then, and do **not** sin; * speak to your heart in **si-lence** up-| on your | bed.
- 5 Offer the appointed sacri-**fi-ces** * and put your **trust** in the Lord.
- 6 Many are saying, † "Oh, that we might see bet-**ter** times!" * Lift up the light of your countenance up-**on** us, O Lord.
- 7 You have put gladness in **my** heart, * more than when grain and **wine** and | oil in |-crease.
- 8 I lie down in *peace*; † at once I fall **a-sleep**; * for only you, Lord, make me **dwel**l in safe-ty.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy **Spi-**rit: * as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for **ev-er**. A-men.