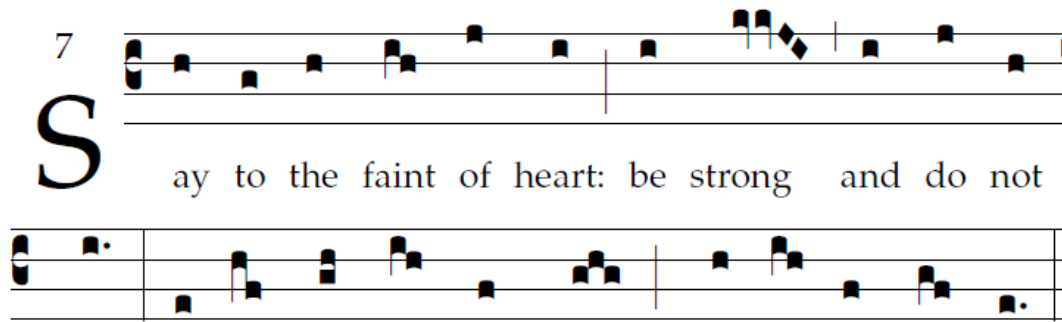


Communion Antiphon

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Say to the faint of heart: be strong and do not

fear. Be-hold our God will come, and he will save us.

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Isaiah 35

Israel's Deliverance

- ¹ The wilderness and the parched land will exult
the Arabah will rejoice and bloom;
- ² Like the crocus it shall bloom abundantly,
and rejoice with joyful song.

The glory of Lebanon will be given to it,
the splendor of Carmel and Sharon;
They will see the glory of the LORD,
the splendor of our God.

- ³ Strengthen hands that are feeble,
make firm knees that are weak,
- ⁶ Then the lame shall leap like a stag,
and the mute tongue sing for joy.

For waters will burst forth in the wilderness,
and streams in the Arabah.

- ⁷ The burning sands will become pools,
and the thirsty ground, springs of water;
The abode where jackals crouch
will be a marsh for the reed and papyrus.

