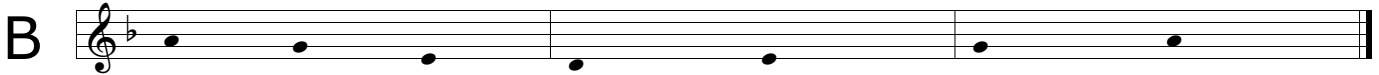


First Sunday of Advent

Psalm 80: 1-7, 16-18



A Hear, O Shepherd of Israel, leading **Joseph** like a **flock**;
shine forth, you that are **en-throned** upon the **cherubim**.
In the presence of Ephraim, **Benjamin**, and Ma-nasseh,
stir up your strength and **come** to **help** us.

B Restore us, O **God** of **hosts**; | show the light of your **countenance**, | and we shall be **saved**.

A 1 - O Lord **God** of **hosts**,
2 - how long will you be **angered** despite the prayers of your **people**?
1 - You have fed them with the **bread** of **tears**;
2 - you have given them bowls of **tears** to **drink**.
3 - You have made us the de-**rision** of our **neighbours**,
4 - and our enemies **laugh** us to **scorn**.

B Restore us, O **God** of **hosts**; | show the light of your **countenance**, | and we shall be **saved**.

A Let your hand be upon the **man** of your **right** hand,
the son of man you have made so **strong** for your-**self**.
And so will we **never** turn a-**way** from you;
give us life, that we may **call** upon your **Name**.

B Restore us, O **God** of **hosts**; | show the light of your **countenance**, | and we shall be **saved**.