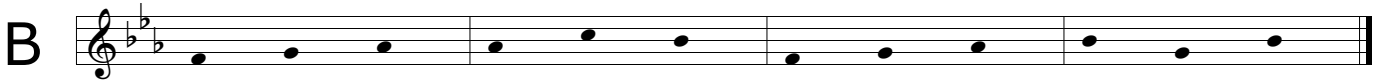


Third Sunday of Advent

Psalm 126



A When the Lord restored the **fortunes** of **Zion**,
then were we like **those** who **dream**.
Then was our mouth **filled** with **laughter**,
and our **tongue** with **shouts** of **joy**.

A Then they said a-**mong** the **nations**,
"The Lord has done **great** things for **them**."
The Lord has done **great** things for **us**,
and we are **glad in-deed**.

B Restore our fortunes, O Lord, like the **watercourses** of the **Negev**.
Those who sowed with tears will **reap** with songs of **joy**.
Those who go out weeping, **carrying** the **seed**,
will come again with joy, **shouldering** their **sheaves**.